

TIGER TRACKS

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EVENTS

October 19 – 26: Book Fair

October 25: Volleyball @ FVCA 4:30pm

October 27: Volleyball Parents Night vs All Saints Berlin 4:30pm

October 27: Family dining out A&W Neenah 4-8pm

October 28: Classroom Fall Festival Parties

November 2: Grades 3-4 Field Trip to Grand Opera House

November 4: Parent/Student Volleyball Party 5pm

Notes From Pastor Gerue

Thank you to all of the Grandparents who attended Grandparents Day. Your Grandchildren greatly appreciate all you do for them.

Veterans Day: On Friday, November 11th we will celebrate Veteran's Day with an assembly. Please join us at 10:00 am as our students present a patriotic thank you to our veterans.

Volleyball: The volleyball season is drawing to a close. Join us: Tuesday, October 25 at Valley Christian in Oshkosh. Our season concludes on Thursday, October 27 at home against All Saints, Berlin. At this game we will honor our 8th grader, Alexa Dahms. Games begin at 4:30 pm.

Hot Lunch Menu for October 24—31

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| 24 | Chicken Patty on Bun, French Fries, Carrots and Pears |
| 25 | Salisbury Steak, Mashed Potatoes with Gravy, Corn, Peaches and Bread |
| 26 | Hamburger w/Cheese on Bun, French Fries, Peas, Mixed Fruit and Dessert |
| 27 | Baked Chicken, Potato Wedges, Mixed Veggies, Pears and Bread |
| 28 | French Toast Sticks, Boiled Eggs, Hash browns and Applesauce |
| 31 | Nachos w/Fixings, Green Beans, Pineapple and Bread |

November's menu will be available on Monday

Preventing the Spread of Germs

As we enter the cold and flu season, it's important that we all do our part to reduce the spread of viruses and germs at our churches and schools. All it takes is a little vigilance when it comes to practicing healthy-hygiene habits such as the following:

- Sneeze into the crook of your elbow, not into your hands. If you sneeze into your hand, and then don't wash, you'll (on average) transfer germs to about 10 different surfaces.
- If you do cough or sneeze into your hands, wash them right away.
- Wash your hands after blowing your nose.
- Don't lick your fingers before handing out papers. You pass along your germs in your saliva to others who touch that paper.
- Wash your hands after using the bathroom.
- Wash your hands before and after lunch.
- If you experience flu-like symptoms (fever with either cough or sore throat, muscle aches, etc.) stay home.
- If your school or church doesn't have a "Fever-Free Policy," the CDC recommends that you stay at home until the fever is gone for at least 24-hours without the use of fever-reducing medication.

You may not be able to totally avoid catching a cold or the flu this season, but you have a much better chance of staying healthy if everyone is practicing proper habits.

Check out our website by scanning the QR code.





School Fundraisers

Our next fundraiser is at the A&W location in Neenah on October 27th, from 4-8pm. We do have A&W scrip available in \$5 certificates.



Tuition Charges

You may have noticed tuition charges if you log into Fast Direct. I'm in the process of setting up the tuition feature in Fast Direct, so parents can see where their balances are. It's a couple step process, so you may see the numbers change as I update and post past payments. Once all charges and credits are entered, I will send out a message that it's ready for viewing.

All other charges and credits will be updated on Monday, so please log into Fast Direct next week to view your balances.

German Dinner Help Needed!

If you are able to help set up, serve clean up, or bake, please contact Heather Hopfensperger at 920-212-0921 if you are interested in helping. You can earn credit toward your volunteer hours, plus it's a good opportunity for fellowship with other families. The German Dinner is this Sunday, October 23rd in the large fellowship hall.

Please check out the school uniform and spirit wear shirts in the glass case by the library. Everything in there is available for sale and can be purchased through the school office. Consider purchasing or ordering a sweat-shirt for those cold fall days.



Scrip Corner

Scrip is available before school everyday in front of the library, if for some reason Mrs. Siegel isn't there, you can still purchase in the school office. Scrip is available the remainder of the day in the office, or weekends before and after Church services. Thank you for your continued support of our SCRIP program.



Book Fair is Here in the Gym through October 25th.

QUESTIONS?

If you have any suggestions or things you would like put in Tiger Tracks, please let me know at ndahms@trinitymenasha.com.

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The Good Shepherd!!

The Lord is my shepherd I shall not want.
Psalm 23:1

Future Events, Mark Your Calendars

- ◇ **October 21-23rd; Confirmation retreat at Camp LuWiSoMo**
- ◇ **October 23rd; German Dinner**
- ◇ **October 27th; A&W Fundraiser night at the Neenah location 4-8pm**
- ◇ **October 28th; Classroom Fall Festival Parties**
- ◇ **October 30th; Pastor Appreciation 9am service**
- ◇ **November 7th; 1st Basketball Practice, co-ed boys and girls**

Basketball is starting soon, the first practice will be Monday November 7th. The plan is to have two days per week for both practice or games. A sign up form will be coming home next week for students to sign up for basketball this year.

If you need to pick up your child or make payments after 8:30, please enter the office through door #7 on Tayco Street.

If you are interested in helping with the Book Fair, there is still a need for help to take down the fair once it's complete, please see Mrs. Andreshak if you are interested or available to help take it down and pack it up.

Referral Program; Don't forget our Trinity referral program, which gives you the opportunity to reduce your tuition for next year. We are booking tours now, so please pass the word to prospective families!

Trinity's annual craft show is Saturday November 12th, if you are interested in having a booth to sell a craft item, or another product, please contact the office, and I can put you in touch with the person who is coordinating the event.

I have had a couple of parents express interest, and this is a great way to share your talent or expertise and meet new people.

We Are In Need Of large bottles of hand soap for our dispensers, if you have any or would like to donate any, it would be greatly appreciated.

Lost and Found is located in the white basket, which is in the hallway across from the library, alongside the collection box for box tops and milk moola caps. Please check there if your child is missing anything, as that is where items found will be placed.



German Dinner Sunday Oct 23rd: 11:30 to 1:30pm