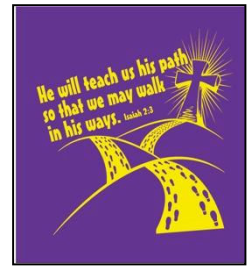




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## Upcoming Events

January 19-End of second quarter  
January 20-Teacher In-service NO School  
January 26 & 27 Parent Teacher Conferences  
January 29-TLS Band Concert 2:30 p.m. NEW DATE!  
February 17- Feb. early dismissal 1:00  
February 20- No school

**HOT LUNCH PAYMENTS** for January are **PAST due**. Please pay all outstanding fees you owe at this time.

**PRESCHOOL PAYMENTS** for January are **PAST due**. Please pay all outstanding fees you owe at this time.

## NO SCHOOL FRIDAY!

**Geography Bee Results** Congratulations to all of the participants! Eighth grader Jacob G. was the school champion and will take the written test to see if he can continue on to the state level of competition. Cortnee M., seventh grade, was in second place and Sara B., fifth grade was third.

**Parent Teacher Conference Schedule** is attached.

**Thank You!!! The hot lunch fundraiser** was a great success on Sunday. We raised \$850 from the spaghetti lunch and the CEA added \$1300 for the program. While we don't know the exact impact due to donations, it was a very positive day for the hot lunch program. Food donations will continue to help and more cards with needed food items will be available in the back of church. Ask Sue or Mr. Pappenfuss if you have any questions.

**Winter Reminder-** Now that it is really cold every student should have their winter clothes including snow pants, boots, hats and mittens at school every day. They should be prepared for outdoor recess every day.

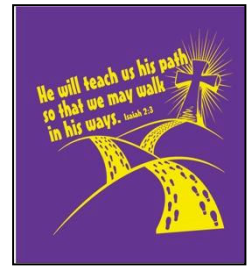
**Weather Cancelations-**TLS will automatically cancel school if Nicollet Public cancels school due to poor weather conditions. Listen to KNUJ radio or KEYC television broadcasts for cancelations.

**TLS School Clothing** Don't forget about ordering some new TLS clothing. Please have your order in by MONDAY, JAN. 23<sup>rd</sup>.

**Student Teacher Introduction** My name is Ashley Freund and I grew up in Oshkosh, Wisconsin where I attended Grace Lutheran School and played basketball and volleyball. I also discovered my love for hand bells and choir there. I then attended Winnebago Lutheran Academy for high school. I am in my final year at Martin Luther College in the Early Childhood Education Program. The Lord has blessed me in many ways while there and this past summer I got engaged to Jacob Steinmetz, a student at MLC. We look forward to worshipping with you and I pray the Lord will bless my teaching while at Trinity. I look forward to getting to know you and the children of Trinity. Thank you, Miss Freund

Jesus answered, "I am the way the truth and the life." John 14:6

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**Mission Focus** this past semester has been "Daylight". In the past fourteen weeks, the children have generously given \$220.84!!!! We encourage you to give generously once again this **final week** of the semester with mission offerings going to "**Daylight**". "Daylight" description - About 90 students will canvass and witness for WELS mission churches this spring as part of Daylight, a program that offers students a chance to serve the church while gaining valuable ministry experience. Over 1100 students have participated in Daylight service/ministry projects in the last six years. Students travel across the country over Spring Break, Easter or the summer months through Daylight USA. The students take what they are learning in the classroom and apply it to real-life situations and individuals. It is a great opportunity to witness their faith while enjoying Christian fellowship with the members of the congregation. Funded by WELS Kingdom Workers and other donors, these trips place MLC students with local congregations to canvass, evangelize coach athletic camps, teach VBS, and assist ministry however possible. These opportunities are yet another way MLC students are doing ministry while they are here training for ministry.

The new **mission focus for next semester** is the "MISSION TO THE CHILDREN". This non-profit WELS volunteer organization brings the Gospel to over 1000 children from 13 little towns and villages around Sonora, Mexico, bringing them Bibles, school supplies, etc.

**Band/Praise Choir Concert:** As has been previously mentioned, the concert had to be moved to January 29th because Miss Whiting was on a band tour the weekend of the 15th. We had then sent home a note to determine a time that would work for most people. It does not work for some families to come at the 10:30 time, so we will have the concert at the scheduled time of **2:30** with a warm-up practice for the band at 1:30 and for the Praise Choir at 1:50. We would also like to have each family bring a pan of bars for a social time after the concert. Thanks. (**Note:** The Praise Choir will be dressed in Red, White, and Blue outfits to match the geography theme. The band students should wear Khaki colored bottoms along with their band shirts.) See you - January 29th - 2:30 p.m.

### **Grades 3-5 Permission to attend *Buzz* the production by MSU hosted by Nicollet Public School**

Please complete the following form and return it as soon as possible.

Grades 1-5 will be attending *Buzz* at Nicollet Public Schools on Tuesday, January 24. We will leave Trinity at 12:45 on a spacious bus. We will arrive at NPS in time for the 1:00 production of *Buzz*. After the play we will return to Trinity around 2:30. All students will be dismissed from Trinity at the normal time, 2:54.

My child, \_\_\_\_\_, has permission to attend *Buzz* on January 24, 2012.