

NEWS & NOTES

Monday, September 16, 2024

Trinity Lutheran School-Nicollet, MN

Upcoming Event

Sept 18-6:00 pm CEA Meeting
Sept 22: 9:00 am TLS Sings in Church
Sept 22:10:30 am TLS Kinderfest Picnic
Oct. 7-10:30 am-TLS Harvest Festival
Oct. 16-Leaf Raking Day
Oct. 17-18-NO school MEA Weekend

Upcoming Sports

Sept.17-5:15 Soccer, Mt. Olive
Sept 21-Tournament in St. Peter
Sept 24-4:15 in St. Peter/Arlington
Sept 26-4;30 pm at LCWM



Trinity Lutheran School proclaims the love of Jesus Christ by partnering with parents to prepare students for this life and eternity.

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Hot Lunch Menu : Week of September 16: Monday, Sloppy Joe; Tuesday, Corn Dog; Wednesday, Nachos; Thursday, Pizza; Friday, Chicken Nuggets.

Breakfast Menu: Monday, Frudel; Tuesday, Cereal; Wednesday, Poptart; Thursday, Belvita; Friday, Breakfast bar. Every breakfast is served with fruit and milk.

Shoe Donation Bin - Nicollet Just for Kix dancers are collecting used shoes as a fundraiser. If you would like to donate any shoes of any condition, there is a bin in the entry way of the school. If you have any questions, you can reach out to Jessica Lokre or Heather Anthony.

CEA Meeting - This Wednesday, at 6 pm, we have our first CEA meeting of the year. CEA (Christian Education Association) is our parent group that supports the school with various things throughout the school year. Our future meetings are already on the calendar so if you cannot make this, we would love to see you at a future one!

Lutheran Education Week - Next week, we will be celebrating the wonderful blessings of a Lutheran School. During this week, we have some dress up days and activities for the students. To help plan, here is a list of the dress up days:

Monday - Bible Character Day - dress as anybody from the Bible!

Tuesday - Class Color Day - All students in the same class dress in the same color: **Preschool** - Red; Kindergarten - Blue; 1st-2nd Grades - Purple, 3rd-4th - Green, 5th-8th - Orange

Wednesday - Higher Education Day - Dress up in your favorite school colors. High School or college. Get out your alumni shirts and have your kids wear them proud!

Thursday - Future Career Day - Dress up as what you want to be when you grow up!

Friday - Trinity Shirt Day - Wear any of your Trinity shirts, blue warriors or past school year ones. We want to see them all!

Students Sing in Church - The students are preparing their song for their first church singing on Sunday, September 22nd. The service begins at 9 am, but we want the students there by 8:45 to warm up.

Trinity Church and School Picnic (Kinderfest) - After Church on September 22nd, we will have our annual picnic. We will be holding church outside for an easy transition to yard games, kickball, and other fun activities. There will be a lunch after that of burgers and hot dogs. If you plan on sticking around, please bring a side dish to share! We hope to see all of you there!

Cross Country - A few have been asking about Cross Country this year. We have started it back up this year and some of the students have been practicing at recess and/or PE. For Cross Country, we will not have after school practices, but use a combination of recess and PE time to build endurance. As of now, only one meet is confirmed to Mr. Wasser for after school on October 11th at Minnesota Valley Lutheran High School. Look for more information about it this week! If your child is interested, let Mr. Wasser know so we can include them in practice.

Chapel Invitation - Come join us each week for chapel at 8 am.

Chapel Missions—Mission monies will be going to Brandq₁n, SD, "Sure Foundations. \$59.34 was collected so far.

Classroom Connections



Mr. Wasser's News

PREVIOUSLY IN THE UPPER GRADE CLASSROOM:

Some students are getting into their groove well and some needed a few harsher reminders this past week. We will get there and the new expectations will be second nature. Miss Butler led us in Science and Reading and is looking forward to continuing those subjects as well as adding in Intermediate 5 Math soon as well.

THIS WEEK IN THE UPPER GRADE CLASSROOM:

This Week, Dr. Tim Plath will be stopping by to ask students what their plans for high school are. Do not worry, he is not holding them to their answers. This brief little survey allows him to get into the schools, have a couple of students talk about MVL briefly and get an idea of MVL's future enrollment.

Here are some highlights for specific subjects this week:

Spelling - We will be doing unit 3 in Spelling. This subject will be mainly up to the students on when to get it done. Each unit needs to be completed by the end of the school week. Each unit has 4 pages so if they do one page a night on a normal school week, they will be done by Friday morning and ready for our test. This week, we will have our test on Friday.

Math - This week we will have our B test on Monday.

Science - This week, Miss Butler will be leading us in Science. She will continue to do so for most of her time here. She will be leading the students about maps, and rocks.

5/6th Catechism - This week in Catechism, we will be memorizing the books of the bible in order. This will help them find passages faster and help our classes move along. Repetition is the mother of all learning so keep having your student recite or read them each night! There are also some catchy songs you can find online as well!

English - The 5/6th graders are reviewing the fundamentals of sentences and the parts they need to be complete. The 7/8th graders are working on their writing to get ready for the different essays this year.

Finally, I will be sending a list of missing books from the book mobile this week. If you cannot find the books, let me know and I will relay the information to the librarian. She will let me know what to do after. Students with books still out cannot check out new ones until they do. That about sums it up for this week. If you have any questions, make sure to reach out!

Classroom Learning Times 1 & 2

Teacher: Mrs. Joyce Lendt

Date: September 16, 2024

This Week We're Learning...

Word of God: Christ Light – Wise Men Worship the Savior/ Herod's Wicked Plan (Psalm 103:1, Isaiah 43:11, 3rd Com. "Ah, Dearest Jesus, Holy Child)

Math: Pennies, More, Fewer, Numbers Between, Doubles, Halves, Assessment

SuperKids Phonics: 1- Modeling Missing Information/Verbs/Adding Adjectives/Capital Letters/Oswald/Sal/

SuperKids Reading 1: "We Like Sports"

Super Magazine selections

Spelling List 1 for Wednesday:

Bible, did, yes, at, the, my, was, no, for, you

Shurley English 1: Verbs: action words

MAP Testing this week

History 1&2: Boston Tea Party / 13 Colonies

Science: Animal Traits (Moms and Babies) Why Do Birds Have Beaks? Why Do Babies Follow Mom?

History: King George Sets Tax/ Colonists Object!



SCHOOL IS GREAT! 😊

Learning is so much fun! 😊



Everyone has a big smile, because it is GREAT to use God's creation of apples to make delicious apple juice.

Welcome Mrs. Borgwardt (MLC student teacher) 😊

This Week: Look what else we are studying in 2nd Grade

Math: Days of the Week, Ordinal Position, Even and Odd Numbers, Half, Third, Sixth, Assessment

Super Kids Phonics: 2- "sh" "ch" "tch" pronouns

SuperKids Reading 2: "The Best on the Planet,"

"Sandwich Switch," "Golly Grabs Lunch," "Lily Gets a Kiss," "Lily's Bad Luck"

SuperKids Writing 2: Pronouns, Verbs, Adjectives

Spelling List 2 for Wednesday: me, my, she,

her, he, his, we, our, they, their, you, your

Shurley English 2: Nouns/Verbs / Adjectives

Music: Singing Sunday "Jesus, Teach Me"

as well as church/school picnic 😊

3rd and 4th Grade Weekly News

Trinity Lutheran School



Sept. 16-20, 2024

Notes from Mrs. Biedenbender: The children are looking forward to singing this Sunday, Sept. 22, in the 9:00 service. We hope to have everyone there! We will practice in the fireside room at 8:45am.

MAP testing will begin this week, Tuesday-Thursday mornings. Please make sure your child gets a good night's sleep and has a good breakfast!

Christ Light: Our stories this week are "*The Wise Men Worship the Savior*" and "*The Escape to Egypt*".

Reading: We will continue reading "*A Dog Called Kitty*".

Math: 3rd grade will learn about adding and subtracting two digit numbers together and rounding numbers to the nearest ten and hundred; 4th grade will learn adding and subtracting three digit numbers, and regrouping.

English: We have been reviewing parts of speech, and will add adverbs, adjectives and article adjectives.

Social Studies: We will learn about urban communities.

Science: We will learn how some animals can see in the dark.



We made replicas of an eye to see how it works!



Mrs. Schmudlach's Kindergarten Room

Kindergarten Corner
September 16th, 2024

Please join us for our **1st CEA meeting on Wednesday, September 18th!** This is our parents group. We help to plan several activities throughout the year for the children.

We went to our first book mobile of the year this past Thursday. Your child can check out 1 book and then return it to school next Thursday!

What else are we doing:

Social Studies: North American animals....Mexican customs

Scholastic News: One Mighty Little Word! (Yet)

Math: We continue with one to one correspondence, patterning, and graphing. We have finished our number sheets to 10.

Reading: We are working with our first vowel, O. Riddles. Shared list of things we like to do.

Art: Fall yarn leaves

Christ Light: *The Wise Men and God keeps Jesus Safe From Herod. Jesus is for all people and he sends angels to watch over us!*

Art: *Our Class is a Family project*

Music: Loud and Soft songs. We are having fun singing in rounds to *Are you Sleeping?*

This Sunday is our first singing in church! Please wear your new school t-shirt! Let's meet in the Fireside Room by 8:45 AM. Following Sunday School, we will enjoy our church and school picnic! Please bring a dish to pass.

Coming Up:

CEA Meeting: September 18th, 6:00 PM.

Sing in church: September 22nd. Church and School Picnic.

September 27: VIP Day! Plan to spend the morning with us. This is an early dismissal day too.

October 7th: Field Trip to MN Harvest Apple Farm. Notes were sent home for this.



What We Are Learning:

Small Group: Our KDI for this week is focusing on art. We will be discovering how to create art with paint brushes, string, on foil, using watercolors, and making paper sculptures.

Bible Story: Our Bible Story is about Cain's sin and God's love. In this story we are learning that God wants us to see that we have sinned and to trust in him for forgiveness. We believe that God and his Word assure us of our forgiveness and we ask God to help us listen to him as he speaks to us in his Word.

Bible verse: Matthew 11:28 "Come to me, and I will give you rest."

Music: We are continuing to practice using our different voices. We will practice using these voices while singing the song "Pat-a-Cake." We are also practicing our song for church.

Movement: We are exploring with hoops and moving our bodies while using the hoops.

On September 22 we will be singing in church at 9 am. After church please join us for our church and school picnic. Next week is Lutheran Education Week. We will have dress up days that are on the front page as well as activities throughout the week. On Friday we will be having VIP Day as well as an Early Dismissal. Any important person is invited to join your child on that day to see what his/her day is like in Preschool. Please bring the note for the Field Trip back as soon as possible. Parents are welcome to ride the bus or drive up to the orchard if you would like.



Have a great week!

