

NEWS & NOTES

Tuesday, January 21, 2025

Trinity Lutheran School-Nicollet, MN

Upcoming Event

Jan. 20th-NO TLS
Jan. 22nd-6:00 pm CEA Meeting
Jan. 24th-NO TLS
Feb. 4th Kindergarten Round-up-6:00 pm
Feb. 9th TLS Sings in church

Upcoming Sports

Jan. 21,28,30-Practice 3-5 pm
Jan. 23 BB Game Home vs Gaylord-4:00 pm
Jan. 25 BB Game @ MVL-Round Robin
Feb. 3 BB Game @ Belle Plaine-5:00 pm



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 **January 21:** Monday, NO TLS, Tuesday, Ham/Turkey sub; Wednesday, Cheesy beef hotdish; Thursday, Orange chicken; Friday: Boneless NO TLS

Breakfast Menu: Monday, NO TLS; Tuesday, Cereal ; Wednesday, Rice Krispie Bar; Thursday, NutriGrain bar; Friday , NO TLS. Every breakfast is served with fruit and milk.

Trinity Google Photo Collection - If you have pictures from field trips, first day of school or anything else from this year, we would love to see it. Mr. Wasser has set up a Google Photos Album where parents can upload pictures that we can use for different purposes like social media (with permission), advertising (with permission), and our yearbook. If you need the link, talk to Mr. Wasser.

MLC Clinical Students - This is the last week with our Clinical Students. We thank them for their help the past two weeks and wish them God's blessings on their semester, and future ministries!

Science Fair - Thank you for assisting the students with their science fair projects that were on display last week. They did a wonderful job!

End of the 2nd Quarter - The end of the 2nd Quarter was last Friday. Look for report cards going home this week on Wednesday.

CEA Meeting—Wednesday, January 22, the CEA will meet to see how things are going for the Carnival among other things. We will meet at 6:00 pm

No School Days Coming Up - We will not have school this Friday, January 24th. Since we do not have School on Monday, this week is a 3 day school week.

Trinity Night at MVL - Next Friday, January 31, is Trinity's annual night at Minnesota Valley Lutheran High School. We have free tickets to the Girls Basketball game where our own Olivia Enter (older sister to Elena Enter) is on the team. If you are interested in tickets, please talk to Mrs. Enter in the office.

Kindergarten Round-up - On Tuesday, February 4th we will be having our annual Kindergarten Round-up. If you have an incoming Kindergartener, or know of anybody who does, we want to talk about our program to you. This event is open to the entire community, and we want it packed! The event will start at 6:30 and go for about 45 minutes or so. Mrs. Schmudlach will be sending out a flier and more information to our school families soon. If you have any questions, please reach out to Mrs. Schmudlach.

Early Dismissal - On Friday, February, 14th, we will have an early dismissal at 12:50 pm. There will be both AM and PM bussing that day.

Chapel Invitation - Come join us each week for chapel at 8 am on Fridays. We love to have visitors come and worship with us!

Chapel Missions—Mission monies will be going to Brandon, SD, "Sure Foundations." \$344.38 was collected for this mission. London is the mission voted for the Spring quarters.

Classroom Connections



Mr. Wasser's News

PREVIOUSLY IN THE UPPER GRADE CLASSROOM:

We had the pleasure of Mr. Erickson and Mr. Felsing leading us in Reading and English. They did a great job and we pray that God blesses their semester and future ministries!

Nice job on the science fair projects. They did a great job, and it was awesome hearing what they learned about their topic. Some students have started their optional Volcano project that will be due this Wednesday. If they are not doing the project, or it is not turned in on Wednesday, they will be taking the test. I have reminded them that they cannot forget it, otherwise they will be taking the test and the effort on the project will be useless.

THIS WEEK IN THE UPPER GRADE CLASSROOM:

This is what we have going on this week:

Reading 5/6 - We are starting a new book this week called *Roll of Thunder, Hear my Cry*. This book takes place during the great depression and focuses on the treatment of minorities, mainly African Americans, during this time.

Science - The students may have shared that there is an optional project instead of taking the test for this chapter. Information and a rubric was given to the students on a volcano project last week. If you have not seen it, I would be happy to pass it along to you if you wanted to encourage your student to do that instead of taking the chapter test.

MN History - We have started our look at how Minnesota participated in the Civil War.

Spelling - There is no Spelling this week due to the short week.

US History - We have been looking at what it means to be an informed citizen as well as how our government is shaped. We also took a look at the Constitution and why some changes were made from the initial drafting. They will have a test on the Bill of Rights and the structure of our Federal Government on Wednesday

This week we say goodbye to Mr. Felsing and Mr. Erickson. We thank them for their time and will keep them in our prayers as they start their next semester of schooling. We also get the opportunity to say hello to our student teacher, Mrs. LaGalo, who will be with us for the next 6 weeks. She will be mainly leading Social Studies among other classes. If you see her, please introduce yourself and welcome her to Trinity!

God's Blessings on your week!

3rd and 4th Grade Weekly News

Trinity Lutheran School



Jan. 21-23, 2025

Thank you for supporting your child in the science fair last week! They did such a great job on their experiments, boards, and presentations!

Oliver is our star of the week this week!

Christ Light: Our stories this week are “Mary and Martha” and “The Parable of the Great Banquet”.

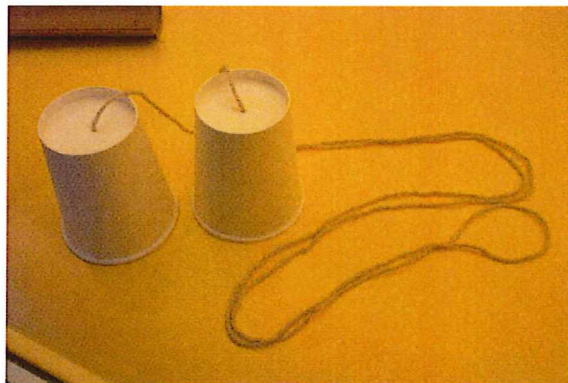
Reading: We will continue learning about the simple but difficult pioneer life of the Ingalls family in our novel “Little House in the Big Woods”. We began listening to a new read-aloud story called “The Wild Robot” by Peter Brown.

Math: 3rd grade will learn about angles, parallelograms, and polygons; 4th grade will learn about division with two-digit numbers and a remainder, similar and congruent figures.

English: We are finishing writing our creative stories we began last week, and will read them to the class.

Science: We will continue to learn about sound, vibration, and how sound travels.

Social Studies: We will continue to learn about how our country was founded.



Classroom Learning Times 1 & 2

Teacher: Mrs. Joyce Lendt

Date: January 20, 2025

This Week We're Learning...

Word of God: Christ Light – Jesus Visits Mary and Martha/ The Big Dinner

(Psalm 119:105, Luke 11:28, 3rd Commandment, 2 Timothy 3:16, Hymn 385)

Math: Pattern Blocks, Graphing, Coding, Number Words, Money, Fractions, Assessment
SuperKids Phonics: 1- "ing" "ed" endings
SuperKids Reading 1: "Sir Knight and the Dragonfly" (Memory Words)

Spelling List 1 for Wednesday:

baking, baked, smiling, smiled, oh, any, day, good, very, want

Shurley English 1: Adding more adverbs

Science: Winter Climate Adaptations

History: Economics unit

Thank you Seth & JoElyn Krohn!



Awesome Job Everyone! 😊



Everyone has a big smile, because it is GREAT to enjoy experimenting for the Science Fair and displaying creative art work! . 😊

This Week: Look what else we are studying

Math: Fractions, Congruent Shapes, Double & Triple Digit

Addition, Geoboards, Venn Diagrams, Telling Time, Assessment

Super Kids Phonics: 2- review of past sounds

SuperKids Reading 2: "The Desert Giant"

Spelling List 2 for Wed: recess, tight, knob, right, white, knuckles, unhappy, rebuild, unlock, repaint, unlock, rewrite

Thank you for all who came to C.E.A. Family Night!



😊 End of second quarter. Thank you, God, for thinking and problem-solving skills, and God's Word! WE do ALL we do to GOD'S Glory! 😊

Mrs. Schmudlach's Kindergarten Room

Kindergarten Corner
January 21st, 2025

This week we will say Goodbye to Miss Oakland who was teaching in our classroom. God's blessings to her as she continues her studies and teaching experience at MLC. We really enjoyed her!

This week:

Christ Light: Mary and Martha and The Great Dinner. Hearing God's word is the one thing needed!

Social Studies: Come see our dream catchers that we made for the Abenaki tribe! They are hanging in the hallway. We will also be started Native Americans of the Southwest.

Scholastic News: An Icy Invention... (popsicles)

Math: dimes, dot to dot by 10's, dot cubes.

Reading: Unit 12 brings us to our last Superkid, Hot Rod. We will be discussing opinions and predictions, fast and slow words, and the letter *H,h*.

Writing: We are making a shared list of things that go fast.

Science: I hope you enjoyed the Science Fair and all the hard work our Kindergarten put into their projects! Nice job. We continue with a severe weather unit.

Coming Up:

Wednesday, January 22nd: Progress reports come home

Friday, January 24: No School

February 4: Kindergarten Round Up

February 9: Kids sing in church

Do you know of someone who might be interested in Kindergarten at Trinity next year? Let me know and I can give you an invitation for our Round Up, February 4, at 6:00 PM.



Science Fair
Entries



PRESCHOOL NEWS.....JANUARY 21-23, 2025

What We Are Learning:

Small Group: Our KDI for this week will be focusing on our natural and physical world. WE will be learning what different objects are made of and learning about what causes objects to move differently on certain surfaces.

Bible Story: Our Bible Story is about twelve year old Jesus. In this story we are learning that Jesus stayed at the temple because he loved God's Word and was doing his Father's work for us. We want to obey God's Word in love and thanks to Jesus and we can show our love to Jesus by being obedient to our parents.

Bible verse: Colossians 3:20 "Children, obey your parents... for this pleases the Lord."

Music: We are learning about classical music. We will move our bodies, and play instruments, and listen to Symphony No. 94 in G Major.

Movement: We are exploring with parachutes while making an umbrella, dome, and clubhouse.

Here are some events to take note of in the next couple of weeks. On Friday we do not have school. For those children who will be attending Kindergarten in the Fall, Mrs. Schmudlach is hosting Kindergarten Round Up on Tuesday, February 4. We will be singing in church on February 9.



Miss Baade has been reading our stories and teaching Small Group.