

## NEWS & NOTES

**Monday, January 6, 2024**

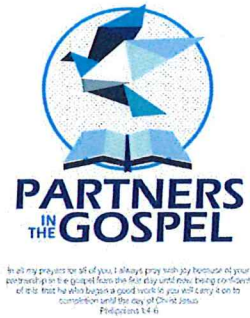
### Upcoming Event

Jan. 6-School Resumes  
Jan. 10th-Family Night-TBD  
Jan. 15th-6:00 pm-Academic Fair  
Jan. 20th-NO TLS  
Jan. 22nd-6:00 pm CEA Meeting  
Jan. 24th-NO TLS

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### Upcoming Sports

Jan. 7,14,21,28,30-Practice 3-5 pm  
Jan 9-BB Home vs. St. James-4:30 pm  
Jan 11-3-4th Gr. Jamboree @ Redwood Falls  
Jan. 16 BB Game at Arlington-4:00 pm  
Jan. 23 BB Game Home vs Gaylord-4:00 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 6: Monday, Pizza Tuesday, Chicken Flatbread; Wednesday, Sloppy Joes; Thursday, Burrito; Friday: Meal NOT in a peel.*

**Breakfast Menu:** *Monday, Pancakes; Tuesday, Cereal; Wednesday, Rice Krispie Bar; Thursday, Nutrigrain Bar; Friday , Smores Bar. 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 week is the beginning of roughly a 3 week experience for some new faces on campus. Each classroom has at least one clinical student teacher. They will be helping out and leading some classes. If you see them, please introduce yourself and welcome them to Trinity!

**Family Night This Friday** - This Friday is our next family night. Look for an email this week with more information about it!

**Science Fair** - Our annual Academic Fair is scheduled for next Wednesday, January 15, starting at 6 pm. The event goes until roughly 6:45. Projects can be brought to school starting next week. The students are excited to showcase their findings about their topic!

**Basketball Game** - This Thursday we have our first home basketball games. The B game will start at 4:30 pm with the A game starting after. Come cheer on your Warriors!

**End of the 2nd Quarter** - Next Friday is the end of the second quarter. Make sure your student has their work turned in! Report Cards will go home the Wednesday following the end of the quarter.

**No School Days Coming Up** - We will not have school on Monday, January 20th and Friday, January 24th due to Staff Development. We will only have school for 3 days that week.

**Tax Sheets:** All the tax sheets are done for 2024 for Trinity tuition, Band, Piano and Aftercare. Those that are members, will have their receipts in their church boxes and those that are not members have gone in the mail. You should see them soon. Check them over and if you are missing something, just let me know.

**Chapel Invitation** - Come join us each week for chapel at 8 am on Fridays. We love to have visitors come and worship with us! to go home this week with the older students and start brainstorming experiment options to do!

**Chapel Missions**-Mission monies will be going to Brandon, SD, "Sure Foundations." \$295.96 was collected so far.

# Classroom Connections



## Mr. Wasser's News

### PREVIOUSLY IN THE UPPER GRADE CLASSROOM:

Hopefully everybody had a blessed Christmas Break and a great start to their new year! The students should have a good amount done for their Science Fair projects. This week they will have a chance to print items for their board if they have not done so already.

### THIS WEEK IN THE UPPER GRADE CLASSROOM:

**Spelling** - This week we will be working on Unit 15 with a test on Friday.

I want to thank everybody for their participation and work with the Children's Christmas Service. They did a wonderful job sharing the good news that their Savior is Born!

As mentioned on the first page, we will be hosting a couple of Clinical Students from MLC. They will be with us each day for the next 3 weeks (roughly). Their names are Mr. Austin Erickson, and Mr. Joshua Felsing. If you see them around, introduce yourself and who your child is and welcome them to Trinity!

As for specifics this week, we are just getting back into the grind of school and starting this new calendar year on the right foot!

God's Blessings on your week!



# 3rd and 4th Grade Weekly News

Trinity Lutheran School



Jan. 6-10, 2025

Happy New Year! I hope you all had a blessed holiday season! The students did such a great job on their Christmas program! Thank you for any help and listening that you did with them at home!

We have a new MLC clinical student in our room—Miss Ulicky, from New Ulm. She will be with us for a few weeks, teaching some classes and helping out where needed, in the classroom.

The Science Fair is coming up soon, on January 15! I've been checking in with all of you on your child's progress, but please let me know if you have any questions or need anything! The children should be finishing it up by this weekend, so they can bring everything to school early next week!

There is a CEA Family Night this Friday, January 10—we hope to see many of you there!

**Christ Light:** Our stories this week are “*Jesus Shows His Glory*” and “*Peter Tells Who Jesus Is*”.

**Reading:** We will begin a new novel this week—“*The Long Winter*” by Laura Ingalls Wilder.

**Math:** 3rd grade will learn the multiplication facts of 2's and 5's, equal groups stories, and bar graphs; 4th grade will learn about estimating answers, rate problems with a given total, and using graphs to display data.

**English:** We will review homonyms, learn about interjections, possessive nouns and contractions.

**Science:** We will begin a new unit called “*Sound Waves*”. In our first lesson, we will learn about pattern transfer and technology, with bar and QR codes. The children will work with a partner to create their own secret codes for their classmates to decipher!

**Social Studies:** We are learning about explorers of North America and how our country was founded.





# Classroom Learning Times 1 & 2

Teacher: Mrs. Joyce Lendt

Date: January 6, 2025

## This Week We're Learning...

Word of God: Christ Light – Jesus Appears in Glory/ Jesus Comforts His Disciples

(1 John 1:7, 2<sup>nd</sup> Article, Mark 10:45, Hymn402 "Glory Be to Jesus" )

Math: Pattern Blocks, Graphing, Coding, Subtracting 2, Money, Fractions, Assessment  
SuperKids Phonics: 1- Long Vowel/"e" Sounds  
SuperKids Reading 1: "Ettabetta Is Seven!" and "Toc's Chicken Pox"

**Spelling List 1 for Wednesday:**

**game, same, ride, side, said, only, you, out, of , here**

Shurley English 1: Review of SN, V, ADJ, ADV

Science: Science Fair experimentation

History: Economics unit

We welcome two new students from MLC being a part of our classroom until Jan. 22<sup>nd</sup>. Look for pictures next week.

WELCOME TO TRINITY!

Miss Heidi Schindler ☺ and Yijun Wang ☺

**Thank you for Career Day, Jill and Royce Great Job!**



**SCHOOL IS GREAT! ☺**

**Welcome back! God bless 2025! ☺**



Everyone has a big smile, because it is GREAT to remember that Jesus is our "Savior" and the "Light of the World." He is always here "guiding" us. ☺

**Look what else we are studying in 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade**

Math: Fractions, Congruent Shapes, Double & Triple Digit Addition, Geoboards, Venn Diagrams, Telling Time, Assessment  
Super Kids Phonics: 2- "kn" and "wr" sounds

SuperKids Reading 2: "Pow! Boom!," "Tie Score," "Friend or Enemy?," "Team Secrets" "Fancy Footwork"

**Spelling List 2 for Wed: know, knew, knee, knock, knife, knot, write, wrote, wreck, wrap, wrong, wrinkle**

Shurley English 2: Research on Blue Whale



**Great Job! Worship the King! Christmas Service Practice ☺**



**Movie- Celebrating 90.5 pounds of tabs for Ronald McDonald House**



## **Mrs. Schmudlach's Kindergarten Room**

### **Kindergarten Corner**

**January 6th, 2024**

**Happy New Year!**

We are excited and happy to welcome Miss Elizabeth Oakland into our classroom. Miss Oakland is a Junior at MLC and is starting her J-term learning and teaching in our classroom. She will be with us until January 23rd. Welcome!!

**Time to turn in your December reading sheets!**

**This week:**

**Christ Light:** *Jesus shows His Glory and Peter tells who Jesus is. We can also tell others about the glory of the Lord and how Jesus saves us from sin.*

**Social Studies:** Unit 2: Native Americans. We start with the Native Americans of the Eastern Woodlands.

**Scholastic News:** Taking care of Baby-Polar bears of the Arctic.

**Math:** Writing numbers 1-50, Pennies, Dividing bears to fit on chairs, and on Friday we will start a sheet called, "Morning Work".

**Reading:** This week we will start our 4th vowel, *Ee*. *Ettabetta is our superkid, and she loves playing puzzles and games. Keep reading at home!*

**Writing:** We are using descriptive words that tell size, shape, color, and texture.

**Science:** We are starting a unit on severe weather

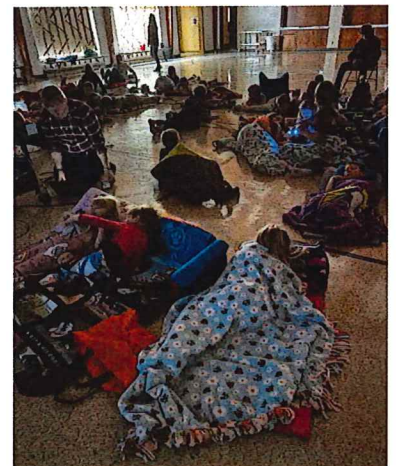
### **Coming Up**

**Friday, January 10th:** Family Night (More details to follow in this newsletter.)

**Wednesday, January 15th:** Science Fair. Come to school at 6:00 pm and see our science fair projects. We also have a lot of Art projects *to show you!*

**Monday, January 20th:** No School

***Movie Time!***



PRESCHOOL NEWS.....JANUARY 6-10, 2024

What We Are Learning:

**Small Group:** Our KDI for this week is focusing on art. We will be using watercolors, paint, foil, and yarn to create different art projects

**Bible Story:** Our Bible Story is about the three wise men. In this story we are learning that the wise men worshiped Jesus as their Savior and King. We are thankful that Jesus came as the Savior and King and want to make all that we say or do a thank you to Jesus.

**Bible verse:** Psalm 103:1 "Praise the LORD, O my soul."

**Music:** We are learning about high and low pitch while signing the song "Driving Down the Highway."

**Movement:** We are exploring balls and practicing kicking for distance as well as kicking through cones.

I pray you all had a blessed Christmas celebration. Miss Baade from Martin Luther College will be joining our classroom this week. We are looking forward to welcoming her and helping her complete her experience. Keep reading and record the books you have read to your child on the orange calendar. Next Wednesday will be our Academic Fair. While Preschool will not be participating in the Science Fair, we will have art on display. There is no school on Monday the 20th or Friday the 24th.







# Breakfast Menu

# January 2025

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
6 Pancakes Fruit Milk	7 Cereal Fruit Milk	8 Rice Krispy Bar Fruit Milk	9 Nutrigrain Bar Fruit Milk	10 S'mores Bar Fruit Milk
13 French Toast Bread Fruit Milk	14 Cereal Bar Fruit Milk	15 Pop Tart Fruit Milk	16 Graham Cracker Fruit Milk	17 Mini Donuts Fruit Milk
20 Mini Cinni Fruit Milk	21 Cereal Fruit Milk	22 Rice Krispy Bar Fruit Milk	23 Nutrigrain Bar Fruit Milk	24 No School
27 Frudel Fruit Milk	28 Cereal Bar Fruit Milk	29 Pop Tart Fruit Milk	30 Graham Cracker Fruit Milk	31 Mini Donuts Fruit Milk

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Nicollet Public Schools  
Lunch Menu

# January 2025

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
		<b>1</b> <b>No School</b>	<b>2</b> <b>No School</b>	<b>3</b> <b>No School</b>	
<b>6</b> Pizza Vegetable Fruit	<b>7</b> Chicken Flatbread Vegetable Fruit	<b>8</b> Sloppy Joe's Vegetable Fruit	<b>9</b> Burrito Vegetable Fruit	<b>10</b> Meal not in a Peel Vegetable Fruit	
<b>13</b> Rib-i-que Vegetable Fruit	<b>14</b> Chili Vegetable Fruit	<b>15</b> Chicken Bacon Ranch Hotdish Vegetable Fruit	<b>16</b> Pork Chipotle Bowl Vegetable Fruit	<b>17</b> Boneless Drummies Vegetable Fruit	
<b>20</b> Chicken Patty on Bun Vegetable Fruit	<b>21</b> Ham/Turkey Sub Vegetable Fruit	<b>22</b> Cheesy Beef Hotdish Vegetable Fruit	<b>23</b> Orange Chicken Vegetable Fruit	<b>24</b> <b>No School</b>	
<b>27</b> Hamburger on Bun Vegetable Fruit	<b>28</b> Salad Pizza Vegetable Fruit	<b>29</b> Pizza Hotdish Vegetable Fruit	<b>30</b> Beefy Potato Taco Vegetable Fruit	<b>31</b> Mac-N-Cheese Vegetable Fruit	

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