



Holy Trinity Happenings

Mission: Holy Trinity School is called by its parish community to educate our children and form them in their Catholic faith that they might be faithful disciples of Christ.

Date: Oct. 3, 2018

PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

October Greetings Holy Trinity Community!
I hope that everyone is enjoying this typical Minnesota weather i.e. a surprise everyday!

Our school year is off and running! We are already at mid-quarter. Hard to believe as it seems like we just started. Please continue to be involved in your child(ren)'s education; research says that is a huge predictor of success for students. A suggestion: instead of asking them *How was your day?*, ask them each evening for a *highlight* and a *lowlight* from their day (this erases the possibility of one work answers such as *fine* and *good*). You will have a better idea of what their day was like as well as something to cheer for and something for support. The staff of HT are so grateful for all you do!!!

Recovery life. I am getting stronger every day (of course, not as fast as I would like—running a 5k tomorrow would be my kind of progressing). I am still attending lots of physical therapy and doing many exercises. I have to cheer for the small victories like reaching 95 degrees on my leg machine and driving for the first time since surgery. If all continues to go well, I plan to return to school part time (half days) next week. I am so excited to see everyone and be back with the Holy Trinity family. All the best to you during this fun time of year.

Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go.

Joshua 1:9

TRAVELING ROSARY CONGRESS

The Diocese of New Ulm will be participating in a traveling Rosary Congress from October 14-20. A Rosary Congress consists of seven days and nights of adoration and hourly vocal prayer of the rosary by two or more persons. The Congress will open in New Ulm on October 14 and proceed to St. Pius X in Glencoe on Monday, October 15 with an opening mass at 7:00pm.

On Tuesday October 16 students from Holy Trinity School will be traveling to St. Pius to participate in an hour of adoration. Elementary students are scheduled to leave Holy Trinity at 8:30am and return approximately 10:45am and the high school students will depart at 12:15 pm and arrive back at 2:15pm. Permission slips will be sent home and should be returned to either high school or elementary offices no later than Friday, October 12. If you have questions please contact Mr. Kapping at 320-485-5619.

LOOKING AHEAD!!!

Oct. 3—Mid-quarter

Oct. 5—8:15am—School Mass—Grade 5

Oct. 8—**NO SCHOOL**—Faith Formation Day for Teachers

Oct. 12—**8:15am**—Mass—Grade 10
1:00pm—Marathon

Oct. 14—9:00– 11:30am—9th grade pancake breakfast

Oct. 17—8:15am—Mass—Grade 4
HS Service Day

Oct. 18 –19—**NO SCHOOL**—Fall Break

Oct. 20—Youth Group Bowling/Pizza

VISION AND HEARING

Next Tuesday, October 9th some of our students will be tested for vision and hearing in the Elementary school library. These grades include K-3, 5th, 7th, and 10th. Call the school if you have questions about this testing.

LUNCH ACCOUNTS

This is a reminder to parents to please keep track of your lunch account balances so that we have our lunch account in the black. You can check you balance through the parent portal. On Fridays, you will receive an email if your balance is \$10.00 or below. If you have a negative balance please send money to get your account up to date. High School lunches are \$3.00 and Elementary are \$2.75. So for a month of lunches for the high school it would be \$60.00 and elementary would be \$55.00 per student. Please keep this in mind when sending lunch money. These prices do not include extras.

YOUTH GROUP BOWLING

The next youth group outing will be held on Saturday, October 20th. We will be going to Hollywood Sports Complex for bowling and pizza. We will begin the evening with 5:00pm Mass and meet after to go to the sports complex. This is for students in grades 7-12. The cost of the outing will be \$5.00. We really would love to see a great turn out. Please sign up at the high school office and pick up a permission slip. You must be signed up by the end of the school day on Wednesday, Oct. 17th. Please contact Peggy Lenz or Rose Heimerl if you have questions.



IMPORTANT ELEMENTARY DATES

Here are some important upcoming dates for our Preschoolers, Kindergarteners and 1st Graders

Preschool Mini Marathon: Thurs. Oct. 11 –8:10am
Fri. Oct. 12—8:10am

Preschool Fire Station Visit—
Wed. Oct. 10—10:00-10:45am
Thurs. Oct. 11—10:00-10:45am

Kindergarten Fire Station Visit—Thurs. Oct. 11—9:15-10:00am

Fire Fighters will visit the 1st Grade Classroom: Thurs. Oct. 11th.

MISSION TRIP 2019

The destination has been set for the Holy Trinity 2019 Mission Trip, which this year will be the 20th Mission Trip that Holy Trinity has taken. Students and chaperones will be going to the Blue Ridge Mountains in North Carolina. The dates will be July 20-28, 2019. Students in grades 9-12 are invited to experience this wonderful opportunity to help and serve God's people. Holy Trinity works with Youthworks to travel to destinations around the United States to help various groups of people.

Sign up forms will be available starting October 3rd at the high school office or from Mr. Kielkucki at RE classes. The first day to turn in forms will be Sunday, October 14th after the 9:00am Mass. Call Katie Kielkucki at 651-468-8109 or kucki35@hotmail.com if you have questions.

THIS WEEK IN SPORTS!!!

Thurs., Oct. 4—4:00pm—CC—A—Litchfield
4:30pm—JHFB—HLP—NYA

Fri., Oct. 5—Lester Prairie's Homecoming
7:00pm—FB—HLP—Kenyon-Wanamingo

Sat. Oct. 6—10:00am—C-Team VB—A—Legacy

Mon. Oct. 8—4:45/6/7:30pm—VB—HLP—Sleepy Eye
5:00pm—JVFB—HLP—Kenyon Mingo

Tues. Oct. 9—4:00pm—JHVB—HHT—St. Joe's
4:30pm—JHFB—A—Maple Lake
5:30/7:00pm—VB—HLP—Heritage

Thurs. Oct. 11—4:00pm—CC—A—Spectrum
4:15/5:30/7pm—VB—HHT—Legacy
4:30pm—JHFB—HLP—Mayer Luth.

Fri. Oct. 12—7:00pm—FB—A—Bethlehem Academy

FAN BUS

Throughout the school year Holy Trinity students have the opportunity to ride a fan bus to some of our away sporting events. In order for this to go smoothly Holy Trinity students who want to go on the fan bus **MUST sign up for the bus at Holy Trinity and get on the bus at Holy Trinity.** Students must also be on time or the bus will not wait.

Any student 6th grade and under **MUST** be accompanied by a parent in order to ride the fan bus.

SHARING & CARING HANDS

The first trip of the school year to Sharing & Caring Hands will be Tuesday, October 23rd. Students will be taking any donations down that have been collected. If you have started fall cleaning and have items that you no longer want please consider bringing them to Holy Trinity. Items that are needed are: bedding, sheets, pots and pans, dishes, silverware, small working appliances etc.

They will not be taking any clothing at this time. You may donate that to the Worn-a-Bit here in Winsted. We ask that you bring any donations to the high school the week of October 14th. Thank you in advance for your generous donations!!!