

Our Mission: Trinity Lutheran School and Childcare exist to glorify God through spiritual and academic training of children and through Gospel-centered ministry to families.

Mission: \$58.75



Name: _____ Date: 9/21/18

Lunch: You have _____ You owe _____

Milk: You have _____ You owe _____

“Let us fix our eyes on Jesus” Hebrews 12:2

Weekly Calendar:

Mon/Tues, 9/24&25, 3:30-5:30: (B) Girl’s BB pract.

Tues, 9/25, 4pm: Soccer game @ Trinity

Wed/Thurs, 9/26 & 27, 3:30-5:30: (A) Girl’s BB pract.

Fri, 9/28: Progress Reports

Sun, 9/30, 11am: Christian Ed. Sunday

Attachments:

Church slips

Trinity Cookbook

Sport Schedule

Girl’s BB: Girl’s BB practice have started. The GBB (B) team will practice on Mon/ Tues. from 3:30-5:30. The A team will have practice on Wed/Thurs from 3:30-5:30.

Games will start in October. On the sport schedule the games that are shaded are tentative.

Christian Education Sunday: Sunday, Sept. 30th in the 11am service the children will be singing and participating in the church service.

Free/Reduce Forms: Please fill out a free/reduce form if you even think you might qualify. This is how they determine how much money we will get for our Title One program. So even if your child doesn’t eat hot lunch it could help the school. If you were free/reduces last school year you must fill out another form this year. If you don’t as of Oct. 1st you will be full price.

Childcare/Preschool Hot

Lunch: Bay City Public School hot lunch program has informed us that we no longer can feed our childcare or pre-school students. BCPS does not have the permission to feed these students. So as of Monday, Sept 24 we no longer will be able to let them order hot lunch. They must bring a lunch.

No School: Wednesday, Oct. 10-Friday, Oct. 12 there will be no school. The Teachers are going to the MI District Teachers Conference. School will resume on Monday, Oct. 15.

Halloween Party: On Friday, Nov. 2, the children will be having a Halloween Party in their classrooms. The costumes cannot have guns, knives or anything that could be of a dangerous nature. No witches or anything dealing with the occult. If you are not sure about the costume please talk to your child’s teacher about it. The children will be released from school at noon on this day.

Picture Day: Wednesday, Oct. 24 and Thursday, Oct. 25. Pictures will be taken in the morning. Retake day will be Wednesday, Nov. 14.

Kroger: Trinity has been teaming up with Kroger’s Reward program for a few years now. Kroger has revamped their Rewards program so Trinity has a new account number. The number is **EU758**. If you haven’t signed up for the Kroger rewards program please do so. Out of everyone in church and school we only have 34 families. So please

if you shop at Kroger and already have a rewards card please link your card to Trinity Lutheran account number EU758.

Trinity Cookbook: Trinity is going to make a new cookbook. Please help by giving some recipes to be put in it. If you don’t have a computer please bring your recipes to the school or church. Attached to the newsletter is a form with more information about the cookbook.

Children Walking Home: Before your child can work home Trinity needs to have a Release for Walking form filled out by a parent. The children that have permission to walk will go down to the east door after everyone is picked up by car we will let the children leave.

Children Late to School or Sick: Please call school if your child(ren) will be late or are sick. Teachers would appreciate if you could let school know by 9am. Please call school before 9am. If you text the teacher late they might not get the text so Mrs. Ferrio will be calling.

Please Collect: Trinity collects Box-tops, injet cartridges, Spirit UPCs. Trinity also sells gift cards. Half the percentage off goes towards your child's tuition or their field trips.

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Devotion:

Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom, and as you sing psalms, hymns and spiritual songs with gratitude in your hearts to God.

Colossians 3:16

Peace in Jesus Is the Real Thing

In 1971 a well-known soft drink company produced a jingle which quickly became a hit song. The television ad featured young people from many different cultures on a sunny hillside in Italy singing the refrain, "I'd like to teach the world to sing in perfect harmony. I'd like to buy the world a Coke and keep it company." The commercial was

a huge success. Radio stations across the country received many requests for the song to be re-played. Clearly both the melody and the message resonated with people who longed for harmony among the nations.

Our world is just as chaotic today as it was in the early 70's, if not more so. We grow tired of the constant conflict all around us. So much fighting and quarreling in the news, on the internet, at work, and in our homes. We wish there were some easy path to peace, some way to get everyone to work together toward common goals. But the human heart is naturally inclined towards selfishness and suspicion. For countless centuries we have lived in never-ending conflict. Clearly no song (or soda) alone can create true peace and unity.

When Christ Jesus calls his people to walk together in his name, he doesn't use a gimmick or emotional manipulation to unite us. The hymns we sing as Christian congregations are not composed of empty lyrics, but lasting truths. The next time you attend worship with your fellow believers, pay close attention to the words of the songs you sing. The melodies themselves may be ancient or contemporary, the chord progressions may be fa-

miliar to you or brand new. But listen carefully to the words. Reflect on their meaning and their importance for you, for your family, for all people.

Good Christian songs will point you to the love of God in Christ which is revealed to us in the Scriptures. They recount the many blessings God continues to pour out on us: forgiveness, peace, life, salvation—all through the work of his perfect Son Jesus who came to unite us sinners with a holy God. Through his sacrifice, we have been reconciled to God and to each other. Faith in God's promises joins us with the people sitting in the pew next to us—and to those all over the world who share a common Savior, Jesus Christ. We can't help but blend our voices together in thanking him. Peace in Jesus is no illusion. He is the real thing.

Prayer:

Lord Jesus, open my lips to sing your praises together with your people everywhere. Amen.