



Let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, since as members of one body you were called to peace. And be thankful.
Colossians 3:15

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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY:

TUE Cheerleading 3:30-4:45pm; Basketball practice 5:00-7:00pm
WED Chapel 8:20.
THU Cheerleading 3:30-4:45pm; Basketball practice 5:00-7:00pm
FRI NO SCHOOL- MLS Basketball Tournament
SAT MLS Basketball Tournament

"Jesus Sinners Does Receive" -

(A devotion based on this week's hymn of the same name - CWH 654)

This hymn so clearly describes the depths of despair for the sinner coupled with the great comfort of Romans 5:8: "While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." Consider these examples:

Stanza 1: There was a man who was worn down by his sin. He wanted so badly to leave it behind, but it was stuck to him like a burr from the forest that he just couldn't remove. "Here is hope for all who grieve: Jesus sinners does receive."

Stanza 2: Another man knew what he deserved and couldn't believe what he received. For his life of guilt, for the grief and shame that he brought upon his family, knowing that he would pay the consequences of his actions for the rest of his life, he still held onto this: "Who with humble hearts believe: Jesus sinners does receive."

Stanza 3: A woman felt that she should have known better. She'd been a Christian her whole life, and yet when she looked at her college years, she was embarrassed. "And now what? How can I go back to the God I had forsaken? How can I show my face in that church again?" But this truth remains: "Weary souls who lost their way are by Christ, the Shepherd, taken in his arms that they may live: Jesus sinners does receive."

Stanza 4: There was a man God called to this banquet. The man heard the pastor say, "Jesus says, 'Come to me all you who are weary and burdened.'" But he had nothing to bring to God's perfect banquet but his basket of sin and guilt. God expected perfection from him, and all he had to bring to God was . . . himself, the sinner that he is. However, even in his sin he prays, "Let these words my soul relieve: Jesus sinners does receive."

Our Mission:

Trinity Lutheran School exists to assist families in the Christ-Centered education of their children: to guide them to know Jesus as their Savior, grow in faith, and share Him with others.



Stanza 5: A woman cries aloud with King David, "I know my transgression and my sin is always before me" (Psalm 51:3). Even so, God's grace covers it all. The weight of guilt has been lifted. The fear of punishment has been removed. She is a child of God. "Oh, how blest it is to know . . . [I] shall be as white as snow . . . for these words I do believe—Jesus sinners does receive."

Stanza 7: There was a woman who didn't have much time left. She knew that her life on earth was coming to an end. But even as Satan attacked her in this most vulnerable state with thoughts of "Did I do enough? Will Jesus really receive me?" even then she held on to the only thing that mattered: "Dying, still to him I cleave—Jesus sinners DOES RECEIVE."

Prayer: Dear Jesus, in anguish of soul I come to you at your invitation. Show me mercy; forgive my sins. When the devil accuses me, when my guilt overwhelms me, when death draws near to consume me, comfort me with the sure promise that you receive sinners—even a sinner like me. Amen.

Tuition Information for NEXT School Year -

An envelope will be coming home with the children today that outlines our tuition structure beginning next school year. **Please read it carefully! Although it may appear that there have been major changes to certain rates, be assured that much of the verbiage you see is necessary for our participation in the EdChoice program.** In short, Trinity members may see a tuition amount listed but there is still no tuition that will be charged. Immanuel member tuition ends up at the same rate as the current year. Non-members will notice a much higher number than in the past. However, with EdChoice their actual amount owed is LOWER than previous years! **To help everyone understand this information fully, it is very important to ...**

SAVE THE DATE: Open House and EdChoice Information Night -

Please save the date: TUESDAY, MARCH 14, for our Spring open house. We will have some dinner ready to eat at 5:30 and give people a chance to mingle and wander the halls. At 6:30 there will be a presentation about an awesome opportunity for all our families: the Ohio EdChoice program.

The EdChoice scholarship program requires us to make changes to the verbiage of our tuition structure. It has NO IMPACT on our current tuition amount for our Trinity church members and has a POSITIVE IMPACT on school families from outside our church. It's good for everyone all around! Watch for a letter with details and do not hesitate to contact Principal Falck with any questions you may have about the program. Did we mention: we are super excited about this program!

Do you have friends that you'd love to see join us at Trinity? Share this date with them, too!

Tiger Spirit Day -

Everyone is encouraged to wear their Tiger gear on Thursday to show our support for our team as they travel up to MLS this Friday. Go Tigers!

No School -

There will be no classes THIS Friday, February 3. Many of our families will be traveling to Saginaw Michigan for the annual MLS CoEd Basketball tournament.

Call News

On Sunday, January 22, our congregation called Mrs. Heather Sulzle (SULLZ - lee) to serve as our 7th & 8th grade teacher beginning next school year. Mrs. Sulzle currently is the 7th grade homeroom teacher at Emanuel Lutheran School in New London, WI (near Green Bay) and teaches grades 6-8 (about 60 students) Language Arts as her main content area. You are welcome to email her at: hsulzle@emanuelnl.org to share your words of encouragement. Mrs. Sulzle and her husband John have three children - 2 in high school and one in grade 6.

Weather Reminders -

Thank you, all, for your patience last week as we made our way through a wintery week. As we all know, weather is difficult to predict, and having to make a decision about delaying, canceling, or keeping school open involves current conditions & predicted conditions. Sometimes everyone involved nails it; other times, well...

As stated in last week's note, you are always welcome to call Principal Falck if you have any questions or concerns about delays or cancellations: 920-809-4263.

Health Reminder

The illnesses that are keeping students home seem to be quieting down, but the coughing has not :) Please remind your children of good coughing etiquette: cover your coughs and sneezes and wash your hands! If your child is absent, remember to let his or her teacher know as soon as possible.

Valentine's Family Paint Event -

Looking for something fun to do in February? Come for an afternoon of painting on Saturday, February 11 from 1:00-2:30 or 3:30-5:00 PM. Courtney Breitigam will be giving step-by-step instructions to create a painting on a wood pallet. This is a free event organized that will take place in the school gym. This event is for both adults and children—ages preschool and up! Space is limited, so please register soon at tlcjenera.org. Click on the "Upcoming Events" icon to register. No art experience is required! Questions? Contact Jenny Boehm—mwmtrinity@tlcjenera.org.

Easter for Kids -

Trinity is hosting Easter for Kids on Saturday, March 25 from 9:30 AM- 12:00 PM. The program is open to children age 3 - 5th grade. This event will give your children an opportunity to celebrate and learn about the true meaning of Easter. Children will discover the good news of Easter and what Jesus' resurrection means for them. The program features Bible-based activity stations where kids learn about our Savior's resurrection, praise him in song, make crafts, play games, and enjoy snacks together. Please register online at tlcjenera.org (click on the "Upcoming Events" icon) or fill out the paper registration form and return it to school. Questions—contact Jenny Boehm 262-391-7994.

Outdoor Easter Egg Hunt -

Families are invited to stay after our Easter for Kids program (on Saturday, March 25) for an egg hunt on the school grounds. Snacks and drinks will be provided for families in the parking lot following the egg hunt. The egg hunt is for toddlers, preschoolers, and elementary age children (through 8th grade). If your children are not attending Easter for Kids but would still like to participate in the Egg Hunt, please register for the Egg Hunt at tlcjenera.org (click on the "Upcoming Events" icon) or fill out the paper registration form and return it to school. Questions—contact Jenny Boehm 262-391-7994.

Basketball & Cheerleading

Our basketball team traveled to Grove City to play in Beautiful Savior Lutheran School's Annual tournament. There was some tough competition, but our Tigers played hard and hopefully had some fun. They were able to finish the day with a record of 3-1! Way to go!

This week the A-team and cheerleaders head up to Saginaw for the CoEd tournament. The first game is Friday afternoon at 3:45. All of the games can be watched live by checking out the [Michigan Lutheran Seminary YouTube page](#).

Volunteers are needed to help at Easter for Kids on Saturday, March 25 from 9:30 AM -12:00 PM. Please sign up on the sheet in the back of church if you are able to help or email Jenny at mwmtrinity@tlcjenera.org. You can specify what you would like to help with—crafts, music, games, registration, snacks, or group leaders.

TLS Lunch Menu

Hot Pockets (ham & cheese)	\$1	Corn Dog	\$.50
Pizza Rolls	6/\$1	PB&J Uncrustable	\$1
Cheeseburger	\$2		
Chicken sandwich	\$2.50		

Hymn of the Week

This week's hymn is "Jesus Sinners Does Receive" CWH 654

K will be working on the song they sing in church on February 12.

Grades 1 & 2: st. 1

1 Jesus sinners does receive;
oh, may all this saying ponder
who in sin's delusions live
and from God and heaven wander.
Here is hope for all who grieve:
Jesus sinners does receive.

2 We deserve but grief and shame,
yet his words, rich grace revealing,
pardon, peace, and life proclaim;
here their ills have perfect healing
who with humble hearts believe:
Jesus sinners does receive.

Grades 3-5: st. 1, 5-7

5 Oh, how blest it is to know,
were as scarlet my transgression,
it shall be as white as snow
by your blood and bitter passion,
for these words I do believe:
Jesus sinners does receive.

6 Now my conscience is at peace,
from the law I stand acquitted.
Christ has purchased my release
and my ev'ry sin remitted.
Naught remains my soul to grieve:
Jesus sinners does receive.

7 Jesus sinners does receive,
even I have been forgiven.
And when I this earth must leave,
I shall find an open heaven.
Dying, still to him I cleave:
Jesus sinners does receive

Grades 6-8: st. 1-2, 5-7

