



“Gems of the Reformation”

For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God—not by works, so that no one can boast. - Ephesians 2:8,9

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This Week @ Trinity:

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| 30 - Monday | 3:30-5:00pm - Boys' Basketball Practice |
| 1 - Wednesday | 8:35am - Chapel Service @ Church
Mission Offering / CEF Stamps
3:30-5:00pm - Boys' Basketball Practice
Parent/Teacher Conferences |
| 2 - Thursday | 9:30am - 3-8 Field Trip to Toledo Symphony and Art Museum
Parent/Teacher Conferences |
| 5 - Sunday | Daylight Saving Time (Change your clocks!)
8:00 & 10:30am - Worship Service, K-8 Sing |
| 6 - Monday | 9:20am - Sunday School and Bible Study
3:30-5:00pm - Boy's Basketball Practice |

Reformation Service Singing All students in grades K-8 will be singing at Trinity for the Reformation service on Sunday, November 5. We will be singing in place of the psalm during both the 8:00 am and 10:30 am services. The students should sit with their families during the service and come forward to the altar when it is time to sing. We will not be meeting to warm up before the services. If you have any questions, or if your child will not be attending the service, please contact Mrs. Baumann.

Testing Throughout the next couple of weeks, the 3rd-8th graders will be taking various tests. Please keep in mind and remind your child(ren) that these tests do not count toward any grade that they will ever receive; these tests are meant to help teachers, parents, and the students see where the students' strengths and weaknesses are, as well as helping the faculty see strengths and weaknesses in our curriculum. These tests also serve as an excellent “practice” for the students to see and feel how a high stakes test such as the ACTs or SATs will be like. Please remind your child(ren) to do the best they can and use their God-given talents and abilities to serve Christ.

Parent/Teacher Conference Times Parent/Teacher conferences are taking place this Wednesday and Thursday after school. A sheet with your scheduled time was sent home on Wednesday with your child(ren)'s report card. In order to make sure the meetings continue to run smoothly, please stick to the time that was scheduled. If you need to reschedule for any reason, please contact your child(ren)'s classroom teacher. Thank you!



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Bluffton Blaze of Lights The Outreach Committee is looking for a couple of children to be Mary, Joseph, angels and shepherds for the float for the Bluffton Blaze of Lights Parade. The parade is Saturday, November 25th in the evening. If you're children are interested, please contact Pastor Nowak at 419-302-5271 or email him at pastormattn@gmail.com.

Soccer and Volleyball Party The soccer and volleyball teams will have a combined party on Tuesday, November 7 after the girls' basketball practice. Please bring a dish to pass and your own drinks. We look forward to celebrating the great fall sports season!

Boys' Volleyball Tournament The boys' volleyball tournament in Monroe set for Nov. 11 at 10:00 am there looks to be enough boys for three teams.

Basketball Practices Monday begins the boys' basketball practices Monday and Wednesday after school until 5:00 pm. The girls will begin the following week on Tues., Nov. 7 and will follow Mr. Beagle's schedule with most practices being on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Report Cards Your child(ren)'s report card was sent home last Wednesday. If you did not send back the returned slip, please do so.

Athletic Update The volleyball team had 3 great games last week. On Wednesday, they lost to St. Michael in two games. Then, on Saturday, they beat St. Stephen, Adrian in three games before falling to Zion, Monroe. Congratulations to the volleyball team on a great season!

Notes from the Teachers

Preschool and Kindergarten

Preschool highlights from last week: used forest friends to help tell a story, added colorful dots to the letter D, and played a donut game.

Our focus books this week are The Legend of Spookley the Square Pumpkin by Joe Troiano and The Three Billy Goats Gruff by Paul Galdone. The children are to bring something that starts with the letter G for the Letter Box this week.

Here's what the kindergarten class will be working on this week:

Christ Light - "Joseph's Brothers Come to Egypt" and "Joseph is Kind to His Brothers"

Reading - Grammar: Adjectives for Color; Comprehension: Details

Math - Complete Chapter 4 "Numbers 0 to 10"

Handwriting - Finish our section on writing lower-case letters

Social Studies - Conclude Chapter 2 "Everybody Works"

Upcoming due dates:

Monday, October 30th

Memory Treasure "And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him" Romans 8:28

Tuesday, October 31st

Letters W & X in purple ABC Book

Wednesday, November 1st

Memory Treasure "with God all things are possible" Matthew 19:26

Thursday, November 2nd



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Reformation Song “Christ Is Our Cornerstone” (second part)

Friday, November 3rd

Take-Home Book “Visiting a Park” and New Sight Words “can & a”

Monday, November 6th

Memory Treasure “Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.” Ephesians 4:32

1st and 2nd Grade

Christ Light- Mon & Tues- 12A Jacob Brings His Family to Egypt, mem. wk. 12A for Tues., Wed. – Chapel – study Reformation song, Thurs. 12B Baby Moses, mem. wk – Reformation song page 2 (3rd stanza), mem. wk. 12B for Friday.

Reading: 1st Grade Stories- Lesson 10: A Cupcake Party, Topic Sentences and Comma review. Lesson 10 Think Central test

2nd Grade Stories- Lesson 10: Jellies and The Life of a Jellyfish, Unit 10 Think Central test

Math: 1st Grade- Finding Range, Mode, and Median, Taking a Survey

2nd Grade- Chapter 4- Subtraction, Subtraction with Regrouping

Grammar 1 and 2- Nouns and Proper Nouns

Spelling- 1st & 2nd Grade Unit 10, pretest on Monday, Spelling City on Tues. and Wed, Final Test on Thursday.

Social Studies – Maps and Location Lessons 3 and 4

SINGING in CHURCH: The students in K-8 will be singing in church for both services for Reformation on Nov. 5.

Students will sit with their parent/guardian and sing in the front of church.

BOOK IT! – book reports are due by Tuesday.

Conferences – Remember there are parent/teacher conferences this week Wednesday and Thursday. If you can’t make it during your chosen time, please call the school to reschedule otherwise I look forward to seeing you all this week!

3rd and 4th Grade

Monday, October 30

Both classes--Read Christ Light story and return sheet to school.

Both classes--Spelling pre-test, lesson 10.

Grade 3--Read story in hardcover reading book, sign bookmark, and return to school.

Tuesday, October 31

Grade 4--Read story in hardcover reading book, sign bookmark, and return to school.

Wednesday, November 1

None

Thursday, November 2

Both classes--Read Christ Light story and return sheet to school.

Friday, November 3

Both classes--Spelling post-test, lesson 10

5th and 6th Grade

Hello all, for this week we can look forward to...

Faith Foundations: We are looking at Jesus as our redeemer and the high cost of our redemption.

Christlight: We are looking at Joseph confronting his brothers.

Spelling: We are looking at Unit 10.

Hymnology: We will be reciting our Reformation song for this Wednesday and looking at 728: 1-2 for next



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Wednesday.

Language arts: 5th will be combining sentences with nouns and letter punctuation. 6th will begin looking at work titles and common errors with plurals.

Geography: We will be finishing Israel and its neighbors.

Science: We will be examining plants and their parts.

7th and 8th Grade

Religion: We will continue our unit and discussion on the topic “Learning to Know Jesus as our Savior.”

Science: Chapter 9 test is scheduled for Friday.

Math 7: The 7th graders will have a test on Wednesday.

Math 8: The 8th graders will have a test on Wednesday.

Hymnology: Reformation Song: “Christ is Our Cornerstone.”

History: We will continue our chapter on Ancient Greece. A test is scheduled for Monday.

Spelling: Unit 11 test is scheduled for Friday.

Song of the Week

Song: “Christ is Our Cornerstone”

(3-8) 1. Let us sing a song of thanksgiving,
praising God for all he has done;
for his gracious gift of salvation,
for sending Jesus his Son.
On him we place our trust alone,
On Christ, our precious cornerstone.
Here we build a sure foundation,
on Christ, our cornerstone.

(K-8) 2. Let us sing a song of thanksgiving,
praising God for all he has done;
for his blessings throughout the ages,
for all the blessings to come.
On him we place our trust alone,
On Christ, our precious cornerstone.
Here we build a sure foundation,
on Christ, our cornerstone.

(3-8) 3. Here may we gain from heaven
the grace which we implore.
And may that grace once given be with us evermore
Until that day, when all the blest are called away to endless
rest!

(K-8) Here we build a sure foundation, on Christ our
cornerstone.
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