



We have this hope as an anchor for the soul, firm and secure. - Hebrews 6:19

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### THIS WEEK AT TRINITY:

MON Preschool Playtime 10:00; Volleyball Practice 3:30-5pm;  
Board of Ed 6:30  
WED Chapel 8:20; Volleyball Practice 3:30-5pm  
FRI 1st-4th Grade Field Trip to Toledo Zoo  
SAT Volleyball @ Zion, Monroe 10:00am

### Wash Up!

*This week's devotion is based on the hymn that will be introduced this week:  
"Now the Light Has Gone Away" CW 784*

Wash your hands! How many times a day does a child need to be reminded to use soap and water and learn the basic elements of personal hygiene? How many times do employees need to read the sign about washing hands before returning to work in order to satisfy public health concerns? How many times? The answer is the same in both cases: do it until you wash your hands without being told!

Now how many times does your spirit need washing with a shower of forgiveness? Don't wait until your conscience torments you because of a troublesome sin. Instead, may an attitude of repentance lead you to the cleansing blood of Jesus on a daily basis. Your forgiveness is what Christ purchased with his own holy life and innocent death. It is still what the Holy Spirit daily and richly delivers to all believers.

Is there a good time to remember the power of forgiveness every day? For many generations of Christians, the answer is when we lay our heads down to sleep and pray. It is a quiet time when we can talk with our Father in heaven. He loves to listen to everything we have to tell him about our day. It is the perfect time to remember everything that has gone wrong during the day and ask Jesus to wash away our sins one more time and help us become more like him. The Holy Spirit is there too to prompt our prayers for our loved ones and praise God for all the gifts he gives us on the way to our goal of home in heaven.

Ah! There is nothing like washing up your heart and knowing that you are clean before a good night's sleep!

### Closing Prayer:

Lord Jesus, may these words constantly refresh me, especially at the end of the day. Amen.

### 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.*

### **Mile Run -**

Students in K-8 will get the first of two opportunities to run the mile at Trinity this week Thursday at 2:30. Remember to send them with good running shoes and clothes conducive to running. If the event needs to be postponed, we will let you know the new date. Guests are welcome to run with the students.

### **Bussing -**

It seems like things went well with the new routes. Thank you for your patience as the drivers get into the new routine and the times may vary ever-so-slightly. Remember to contact the driver as soon as possible if you need to cancel a stop.

### **Piano Lessons - SPECIAL WEEK**

Tuesday students will have lessons this week as scheduled as normal. Friday students will have their lessons TODAY (Monday) AND Friday. *Because of the Grades 1-4 field trip, there may be a few other tweaks to the schedule. We'll work directly with the teacher and the students to make sure lessons happen.* 😊

### **Shorts -**

Please remember that students may not wear shorts starting October 15<sup>th</sup>. I mean, they could wear them this week if they wanted, but they would have had some chilly knees today!

### **EdChoice Reminders**

- **Attendance:** If your child is absent for any reason, you will receive an excuse form to fill out. Please fill it out, marking the reason for the absence from the provided list, and return it to the school office. Please note that a student with an excessive amount of unexcused absences would lose the scholarship award.
- **Keep Checking:** Continue to monitor your application if you have not received a scholarship award letter in the mail. The state continues to work through the applications in the order they were received. Overall, the program has seen a 43% increase in participation since July!

### **GradeLink - Mid-Quarter Update-**

This week marks the halfway point of the first quarter. If you have not already done so, it would be a perfect time to check your child's progress on GradeLink. Contact the office if you are having any access issues.

### **Delays and Cancellations**

Ah, the fog of Fall in Ohio. As we have seen once again, the fog is difficult to predict. Most districts (including Cory-Rawson and Arlington) strive to make delay and cancellation announcements by 6:30.

### **Tiger Sports - Volleyball -**

Practices this week will be held on Monday and Wednesday from 3:30-5:00. Also, please let Coach Achey know if you plan to have your child participate in the extra, not required, skills practices on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

The girls will travel to Zion, Monroe on Saturday for a 10AM double header with Zion and St. Stephen.

### **Concession Help Needed -**

On Saturday, October 21, we host volleyball matches. We could use some help in the concession stand especially between matches when there is more of a rush. If you are able and willing to help out, please contact Mr. Falck.

**TRUNK OR TREAT** is scheduled for Tuesday, October 31 from 5:30-7:30 PM. Plan to bring your children for trick-or-treating in the church parking lot, along with hayrides from 5:30-6:30. Food will be available for purchase. Indoor activities include pumpkin decorating, games, cookie decorating, crafts, and sensory bins. You can also vote for your favorite trunk. If you would like to bring your vehicle and hand out candy, please email Jenny Boehm - [mwmtrinity@tlcjenera.org](mailto:mwmtrinity@tlcjenera.org). Decorations are encouraged but not required!

### Picture Day Photos -

Photos are ready for ordering! We will be having a make-up day THIS Wednesday, October 11th for anyone who missed out on getting their picture taken. We will also be taking the 1st & 2nd Grade group photo, the 3rd & 4th Grade group photo, and the Prekindergarten group photo on that day. Below are instructions for ordering online if you need them, photos will be delivered to the school and then sent home. **Deadline for ordering photos is November 3rd.**

**WHEN ORDERING ONLINE, USE COUPON CODE: FREESHIP TO TAKE SHIPPING COSTS OFF OF YOUR ORDER.**

Website: <https://meganparkinsphotography.pixieset.com/trinitylutherschool/>

Password: **tlS2023**

QR Code for Website:



### ***TLS Lunch Menu***

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| Corn Dog                | \$ .50 |
| Cheeseburger            | \$2.00 |
| Ham & Cheese Hot Pocket | \$1.00 |
| Pizza Bagel Bites       | 4/\$1  |
| Pizza Rolls             | 6/\$1  |
| Chicken Sandwich        | \$2.50 |

- Milk is still 35 cents for those who do not get daily milk. For those who get daily milk this year, students will be picking chocolate or white for a month at a time to help with milk waste.**

## Hymn of the Week

The students should begin working on “Now the Light Has Gone Away”. Always remember to check your classroom note for the specific verses due!

1. Now the light has gone away; Father, listen while I pray,  
asking you to watch and keep and to send me quiet sleep.
2. Jesus, Savior, wash away all that I've done wrong today.  
Make me ever more like you, good and gentle, kind and true.
4. Now my evening praise I give; you once died that I might live.  
All your precious gifts are free— oh, how good you are to me!
5. Ah, my best and kindest Friend, you will love me to the end.  
Let me love you more and more, always better than before.