



THE TRINITY TWEET

“HOPE”

“For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the LORD, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.”

Jeremiah 29:11

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The mission of Trinity Lutheran School is to assist families to make fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ through Christ-centered education.

Partners in Parenting

Mr. Petzold's next article will appear at the start of the 2018-2019 School Year!

FINAL TWEET OF THE 2017-18 SCHOOL YEAR!

Field Day – June 7th!

Field Day is THURSDAY! It is a fun day for all the students, but we need lots of parents to help make the day run smooth. I hope you'll come enjoy the afternoon with us as festivities begin at noon.

A big thank you to Kristin Orlick and Elizabeth Brothers (and their husbands) for organizing the event this year. Make sure you tell them when you see them.

Final Report Cards!

Final report cards will be mailed on June 15th. Please look for them in the mail shortly afterward. This mailing will also include results from our recent SAT tests for students in Grades 3-8.

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATING CLASS OF 2018!!!!

It is a great privilege to graduate another class from Trinity Lutheran School this year. We don't want them to leave, but it is time for them each to continue their personal journey of faith in high school. Please keep them in your prayers as they leave Trinity. Way to go, Graduates!!!

Financial Obligations for the 2017-18 School Year MUST be met soon!

If you have any 17-18 tuition payments, lunch account balance, library fines, etc. that you have not paid, they need to be paid before Friday, June 15th. We will not be sending out report cards, test results, etc. unless full payment for the school year has been made. Thanks for your understanding.

Chapel Buddy Breakfast!

On Friday, June 8th, we will have a Chapel Buddy Breakfast for all students (even those who don't have chapel buddies). We will have Panera bagels on Friday, and they will be free to all students.

Livestreaming events this week!

The Livestream main screen is where you can find these events on www.trinityct.org:

- **Kindergarten Graduation** on Wednesday, June 6th at 7:00pm
- **8th Grade Graduation** on Friday, June 8th at 7:00pm

Closing Chapel and Awards Presentations!

Please plan to attend the closing chapel at 10:00am on Friday, June 8th. During that service, a student will be baptized, and that will be our third baptism at chapel this school year. After the service, we will stay in the church to present many awards to students. I will have a closing prayer before dismissing students for summer vacation at the conclusion of that awards presentations.

Final Chapel – Special Offering!

Offering for Emergency Relief in Guatemala

As most of you already know, Guatemala experienced a devastating volcanic eruption on Sunday afternoon. Fuego can easily be seen from the rooftop of the Groundwork Mission house in Guatemala City. At this point, none of Groundwork's mission sites have been directly impacted other than by ash. Today, Groundwork set off with a truck full of hygiene bags, water, clothes, diapers, wipes and meds. We all pray these supplies will bless those in need. In doing so, however, Groundwork's supplies have been completely depleted.

As a faith family, the Trinity Mission Team would like to replace these hygiene kits when they go to Guatemala on June 23. To do that, we need your help. At the last chapel on Friday, we will collect a special offering to be used solely to replace those supplies, so as needs continue to arise from the volcanic eruption, Groundwork can continue to respond as well as continue to meet to the needs of the extreme poor they serve every day. Please consider a special offering on Friday to support Groundworks' efforts at this difficult time in Guatemala. Thank you!

CONGRATULATIONS to our 8th Grade Class of 2018!

Mitchell Alter *
Nicholas Alter
Brianna Brank *
Aaron Collins
Victoria Coulon
Anthony D'Agostin *
Sierra Dynkowski
Simon Dynkowski
Ayden Hibdon
Lilly Jackson *

Elizabeth Kandt
Megan Marshall
Timothy Martin
Dylan Murakami * ♪
Logan Petzold *
Joseph Rosquin
Frank Schneider
Carrson Siersma *
Evan Smith
Mitchell Tremberth

** President's Educational Excellence Awards*

Awarded to those students who earned a 4.0 GPA in any trimester during eighth grade.

♪ Outstanding Musicianship Award

Awarded to eighth grader who exemplifies excellence in the area of music.

END OF THE YEAR SCHEDULE

Wednesday, June 6 th	Kindergarten Graduation 7:00 pm (Sanctuary)
Thursday, June 7 th	Full Day of School (Free Casual Dress) Field Day begins – 12.20 PM
Friday, June 8 th	LAST DAY of SCHOOL - ½ DAY Yearbook signing - 8:30-9:30 AM Buddy Breakfast - 9:30-10 AM Closing Chapel & Awards - 10:15-11:30 AM Dismissal - 11:30 AM Grade 8 Graduation – 7 PM (Sanctuary)
Monday, August 27 th Thursday/Friday, October 18 th /19 th Monday, December 24 th -January 4 th Monday, February 18 th -Tuesday, February 19 th Monday, April 1 st – Friday, 5 th Friday, June 7 th	FIRST day of School 18-19! NO SCHOOL (Teachers' Conference) Christmas Break Mid-Winter-Break Spring Break Last Day of School

Weekend Church Services



Sunday, June 10, 2018
 @ 8 AM & 11 AM
 Monday, June 11, 2018
 @ 7 PM





FIELD DAY is **TOMORROW**, Thursday June 7th (12:20pm-3:00pm). We are still looking for volunteers!

If you are planning to volunteer we ask that you arrive no later than 11:45am on Field day.

This will allow us to get you set up with your station before the kids come out.

If you can't commit to volunteering but find that you have time that day come on by.

We would love to have everyone come out and watch the kids have fun!

Thank you all for your time and generosity,
Bill and Elizabeth Brothers & Kristin and Chris Orlick



Volunteer Sign up Link

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0548afae28a0fc1-field3>

Copy & paste the link if it doesn't work☺

SCRIP

As the school year wraps up, don't forget Scrip! We have low denomination gift cards available for purchase in the school office. Teacher gifts? Piano instructor? Coaches? Graduation? Thank or congratulate them with a gift card to places like Bath & Body Works, Dairy Queen, Target, Panera Bread, Tim Hortons, Starbucks, Subway, iTunes, and more!

SUMMER KIDS' WORSHIP CHOIR:

Beginning Monday, June 18th from 4:15 to 5 p.m. we'll be hosting a Summer Choir experience for students who love music and love to sing that have completed second grade through eighth grade. Invite your friends. You don't have to be a Trinity member to participate. Emily (Young) Suszko will be our director. Students will help us lead worship a few times during the summer. If you have any questions you can contact Paul Finazzo, our Minister of Worship and Music at pfinazzo@trinityct.org or Emily at suszkopiano@gmail.com.

FIND A SUMMER MEALS SITE NEAR YOU

Call 2-1-1

Text FoodMI to 877-877

Visit an interactive map online at

www.MCGI.State.MI.US/SchoolNutrition.



LUTHERAN SPECIAL EDUCATION MINISTRIES GOLF OUTING

June 29, 2018 | Cherry Creek Golf Course, Shelby

Township

Join LSEM for a day of sun, fun, and fellowship at its 13th annual golf outing. Check-in and access to the driving range begins at 7:30 a.m., with a shotgun start at 8:30 a.m. Lunch and a post-golf banquet will close the day's activities. All proceeds go to benefit LSEM's mission to serve schools, churches, and families in order to advance the success of children who have learning needs. For more information or to register, [click here](#).

Congratulations to all the Trinity trackletes who represented our school in the state track meet in Frankenmuth on Saturday. Everyone did great and we had many who posted their best time, height, or distance of the season!

Personal bests:

- Megan Rocker in high jump
- Thomas Phillips in shotput
- Marah Erkkinen in shotput
- Jacob Kment in long jump
- Brewer Snay in the mile and the 800
- Girls B 4 by 100 relay team

The weather was chilly and the competition fierce, but we persevered and brought home some medals.

Special congrats go to...

- Marah Erkkinen, 8th Place in shotput
- Brewer Snay, 8th Place in the mile and 7th Place in the 800
- Girls B 4 by 100 relay team of Marah Erkkinen, Bella D'Agostin, Ryann Puzella, and Michelle Sedlar, 8th Place

Coach Erkkinen is extremely proud of all the hard work that went into this meet, and she can't wait for next track season! Go Spartans!!

LOOKING FOR IDEAS

In September we will be celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the dedication of our sanctuary. As part of the celebration we are looking for ways to bless our local community. If you have any ideas, please contact Pastor Ken at pastorken@trinityct.org or call the church office.

SUMMER CAMP

Trinity's summer camp program will return again this year, with new and exciting themes and activities planned for every week. Campers have options each day including cooking, arts and crafts, drama, indoor and outdoor sports, photography, games and more. Each day including age-appropriate devotions. Camp runs from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with before and after care available. Weekly rates are \$110, with lunch and snack included. Find registration information at Trinityct.org/summercamp. The \$60 registration fee includes a camp T-shirt.

FAMILY CAMPING

Camp Concordia, near Gowan, MI (just north of Grand Rapids) always hosts a weekend of camping for families around the 4th of July. This year, it is Thurs.-Sunday, July 5-8th. Both campsites and cabins are available. We have meals together in the main lodge, a fishing tournament, softball/volleyball games, swimming, canoes (no extra charge), campfires, devotions & worship on Sun. morning. Gary Faszholz will be the keynote speaker offering morning sessions while camp directors offer activities for the kids. Come join us!! It's a relaxed, safe atmosphere enjoying life with other Christian families!! Register online <http://www.campconcordia.org>. Let's fill the campground!! Registration ends June 23rd so don't delay!! Email Mary Faszholz (Mfasz76@yahoo.com) your reservation (name & count) so we can make plans! Blessings!! Mary Faszholz

SHARE YOUR TESTIMONY—God is doing amazing things in our midst! And we need your help to tell the story. We want to collect one-minute testimonies from you. Use your phone or tablet to record your own testimony and then send it to us. That's it. Super simple. Please answer one of the following questions: 1) In what ways has God asked you to take a step in faith in the past year? 2) Where are the places in your life God has asked you to take a risk? And 3) To what new places has God moved you in the past year? We may not be able to use all videos and some may be edited for time. For questions contact Steve Adams, sadams@trinityct.org. Here are some guidelines: • Find a quiet place with as little background noise as possible • Use your front camera - selfie is ok if necessary • Frame yourself from the chest up (in landscape mode) • Start with "Hi, my name is...." • Upload your video to this link on our website: www.trinityct.org/testimony

50 NEIGHBORHOOD EVENTS— Our congregational next step in the "Joining Jesus" movement is to have our Trinity members/families host 50 neighborhood events between May and September 2018. "Neighborhood Events" are parties/get-togethers/social occasions (Block parties, BBQ's, ice cream socials, Happy Hours, swim parties, wine tastings) for those you work with, live near, go to school with, or are connected to in some other way. The goal is to begin meeting people, knowing their stories and forming relationships. Most of all we are looking for "people of peace." That is, people who are relationally open to us with whom we might form a long term friendship. To find out more about hosting a "Missional Party/Neighborhood Event" talk with one of the pastor.

SUMMER CROSSTALK DEVOTIONS

Beginning the week of June 3, the church will be sending brief audio devotions directly to your email inbox on Tuesday and Thursdays throughout the summer. If you would like to receive these devotions and are unsure if we have your email, please contact Rebecca Thomas at rthomas@trinityct.org and we'll make sure you're included. Our Crosstalk theme for the summer is "Words of Hope."

