



**TRINITY
LUTHERAN
SCHOOL**

February 7, 2025

Good News Trinity!



2024 / 2025

- Feb 9 PreK-2nd Sing in Church 10:45am
- Feb 14 Raffle Tickets due back to the office!
- Feb 17 NO SCHOOL
- Feb 22 5pm Annual TLS Auction 2025
- Feb 27 STEAM Fair Judging
STEAM Family Fun Night &
Crusaders for a Cure Benefit Dinner
- Feb 28 11:30am Early Release

- Mar 3 Re-Enrollment Time! Current
families and siblings!
- Mar 10 Enrollment opens to the community
- Mar 10-12 5th Grade Girls Bball Tournament
- Mar 13 Talent Show - Dress Rehearsal 1:45pm
6pm Evening Show
- Mar 24-28 SPRING BREAK

The **Mission** of TLS:

Celebrating Real Hope for Real People in Jesus

The **Vision** of TLS:

Responding to the grace of God in Jesus Christ, we partner with families in the nurture and education of their children for service to Christ on earth and for eternity.

Our **Values**:

- Proclaim Jesus Christ
- Nurture Faith
- Achieve Academic Excellence
- Serve in Love
- Show Integrity
- Instill Lifelong Learning



Principal's Corner

The dictionary definition of **Grit** is: courage and resolve; strength and character. This sounds like characteristics we would all like to have in our students, family, coworkers and pretty much everyone we interact with. Grit is more of an attitude than a strategy.

Parents, how did you learn grit? My guess is you learned grit from something that was hard, something that caused frustration, or something you had to persevere through in order to succeed. It is important for you to share your many stories of grit with your children. Maybe these stories don't always have a rosy ending of success. That's o.k too. This shows your children that you worked hard and learned lessons along the way.

When I ask adults about their stories of grit, it often revolves around sports. Running, shooting hoops, playing football; all of these sports offer opportunities to set goals and work hard.

To learn the character of grit, students need to be frustrated. I know, as parents we try to protect our children from being frustrated but this is how your child will grow. How does your child handle frustration? Does he/she quit? Does he/she take a break and then come back to the task? Does nearly everything come easily to your child? If this is the case, I would encourage you to find something that will push your child. When it gets hard for your child, encourage him/her to look at the task from different perspectives, to not give up and to solve the problem. Ways to challenge children with grit:

- Learn a new sport or musical instrument
- Learn how to crochet or knit
- Work on your cursive writing skills
- Build something from scratch like a birdhouse.
- Perfect your free throw
- Math - many times I hear parents and students say "I don't do math, it's hard." Yes! It is, that's how we learn grit.

Chapel

February 12
February 19
February 26

Pastor Brian
4th Grade
6th Grade

Chapel starts at 8:20am and parents, grandparents and family are always welcome!

Thank you for your generosity in our offering for Garuna Kids! We have already reached our goal to sponsor one child's tuition for a year and are so close to being able to sponsor a second child! Can we reach a new goal of \$1080 to sponsor **three** kiddos?! So far, we have raised \$764! This will sponsor 2 kids!! Can we make it to three?? To learn more about this ministry, check out www.garuna.org!

Families In Touch

This week we will be lifting the 5th Grade Class and their families & Mr. Peiffer in prayer.

SALT Opportunities

Each family (K-8th) is asked to serve 25 volunteer hours each year*. This can also be donated to the school at a rate of \$20/hour.

Sign Ups:

- Girls Basketball [Clock & Scoreboard](#)
- Girls Basketball [Concession Stand](#)
- [Pizza/Italian Soda Days](#)
- Amazon [Wish List](#) for Class Auction Projects
- Auction [Dessert Dash](#)
- [Sell Raffle Tickets](#) in the Community & at Trinity Church

Jobs:

- Donate items or gift certificates for our annual auction, or become a sponsor of Trinity
- Help supervise the lunchroom from 11:00 - 12:00 Monday, Thursday or Friday.

** We are on to the second half of your SALT hours! (12.5 hours = \$250) If you did not finish the first half this week and log them, you will see a charge on your TADs tuition account in February. Any unfinished second half of your SALT will be assessed in April and added to your last TADs payment in May.*



The ACE scholarship application is now open for the 2025/2026 school year!

(The application closes April 15, 2025)

Complete the application [HERE](#).

For more information about ACE click [HERE](#).

If you have questions please stop by the office and ask Heidi.

2025-2026 8th Grade Homeroom

Trinity's hiring committee has interviewed Mr. Ben Bauer for the homeroom 8th grade teaching position. Mr. Bauer is currently serving at Forest Hills Lutheran Christian School in Cornelius, Oregon. Trinity congregation will vote to extend a Call to Mr. Bauer on Feb. 9. Please pray for the Bauer family as they consider all that Trinity has to offer.



Seamstress

Marcy Carroll is a long time Trinity member who would like to offer her seamstress services to Trinity families.

- Repair or replace zippers
- Patching
- Buttons, snaps, hooks...
- Costumes

She has many years of experience and is very affordable. Marcy can be reached at 406-210-8448.



Interested in Trinity [Swag??](#)

ISO

Does your family use mini/single-serve cereal in the mornings? If so, can you please save your empty boxes for an upcoming project? Boxes can be dropped off in the lobby or sent in with your student. Thank you!



Trinity Auction:

YOU'RE INVITED

2025 TLS Annual Auction

We request your presence at our annual fundraiser!

Join the fun by scanning the QR code to purchase event tickets:



February 22

Doors open 5pm, Dinner 6pm

SnowLine Acres

Tickets \$50

Volunteer Tickets \$25

*Help work the event and receive 1/2 off your ticket!



Dessert Dash!
Decadent Desserts
EARN SALT HOURS!
CALLING ALL BAKERS!
Earn SALT hours by making a decadent dessert for the School Auction.
That's right! Earn SALT hours shopping & baking!
[Click here to sign up](#)



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Best of Live
ONLY 100 RAFFLE TICKETS SOLD \$100/TICKET
TO PURCHASE TO VIEW LIVE
WINNER CHOOSES ANY LIVE AUCTION ITEM THEY WANT PRIOR TO THE START OF THE LIVE AUCTION. NEED NOT BE PRESENT TO WIN.
Please designate choice during purchase
If Live Item is a Multiple - Winner Picks Only One.
Why Choose the Best of Live Raffle?
It is your best opportunity to take home an amazing prize from our live auction!
The last two years, we've sold 50 "BOL" tickets.
That's a 1-50 shot at winning!
Guns, Puppy, Staycations, e-Bike, VIP/Party Table and more
Scan QR code above to view items and/or to purchase.
Live Items are #1-15 in the catalog.



Raffle Update!
Current: 1,410 Goal: 3,500
You've returned 100 sold tickets in the past 2 days!!! Whoop whoop!
Goal before next Wednesday = 5 sold tickets/student
Invite your friends and family - near and far to help support your awesome school!
Bonus - they have a fun chance to win an amazing trip or sweet firearms.
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Students win prizes and \$\$
+
Parents earn SALT Hours!!

TRINITY YOUTH

Going to the
Auction?
We'll watch your kids!



In need of a babysitter while you are at the auction?
Trinity Lutheran Church youth group is offering
babysitting as a fundraiser for their upcoming trip!
Register [HERE!](#)



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CHURCH**

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Worship Schedule:

Traditional 8am

Sunday School 9:30am

Blended 10:45am

Watch sermons online [HERE](#)

Current Sermon Series:

**STEAM FAMILY FUN NIGHT
&
CRUSADERS FOR A CURE
BENEFIT DINNER**

ALL MEAL PROCEEDS SUPPORT THE DOSE, LOSING, AND
WINCHESTER FAMILIES IN THEIR CANCER BATTLES

Thursday, February 27

5:00-5:45pm - Dinner Served

5:30-7:00pm - STEAM Activities

SCIENCE PROJECTS IN GYM
ART THROUGHOUT HALLWAYS
GAMES IN CLASSES

GRACE AND TRUTH



GriefShare®



Providing encouragement,
support, and valuable tools to
navigate life.

SUNDAYS 1-3

February 9- May 4 | Youth Center

Register at griefshare.org



TRINITY

GOD & HIS PEOPLE

BIBLE STUDY

EVERY SUNDAY | 9:30 AM

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