

Trinity Christian School

Growing His kingdom... one student at a time

Son Times

August 26, 2021

"But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint." Isaiah 40:31 (NIV)

Morning Drop-Off Improves

As we have started the school year, everyone has been doing a great job learning, including the adults! After observing the morning drop-off for a few days, there are a few tips that will help all the students get to class on time. Please take a look. We know you'll do your best!



- 1. Any vehicle with at least **one** student in kindergarten through 2nd grade, needs to use the lane closest to the school when dropping off the students in that vehicle.
- 2. **ALWAYS** wait for a volunteer to assist your child or children out of the car. Please <u>do not</u> let children out of the car before the designated drop-off area with volunteers present. This is vital for the safety of our children and to keep the line running smoothly.
- 3. Be sure children are prepared to step out of the vehicle by the time they reach the volunteers:
 - a. backpacks and lunch boxes ready,
 - b. masks ready
 - c. hugs and kisses and goodbyes before getting to the door, or very quickly
 - d. be ready to unbuckle and exit the vehicle as soon as the car stops moving
 - e. encourage children to walk quickly into the building
- 4. Vehicles with the youngest student in the vehicle in 3rd grade and up, please use the outside lane
- 5. If your student is tardy (after 8:30 a.m.), please park your car, then walk him or her into the building to sign them in.

Thank you so much for working on these details!



NEW! TRINITY ANNOUNCES ROBOTICS TEAMS, 3-8 GRADES

Trinity Christian School is pleased to announce a new robotics team for the coming school year. This program is available to all students in 3rd-8th grade.

Our coaches are a combination of Trinity teachers and Trinity parents. Two teachers who are coaching are Mrs. McBride, our Art and Computer teacher; and Ms. Osacky, our 4th grade teacher. Three parents have also volunteered to help coach this team including Mr. Cole, Mrs. McKnight, and Mr. Naling. You can see more information about all of them in the email that went out earlier, and the attachment with the newsletter email message.

To sign your student up to be on the TCS Robotics Team, please fill out this form FOR EACH STUDENT (this link is the only way to sign up): https://payit.nelnet.net/form/e4ID8iHl.

For more information, please contact Coach McBride at cmcbride@trinitychristian.info.

Kindergarten - 8th Grade Calendar: Aug. 26 - Sept. 3

Sept. INo Chapel

Sept. 2
PK Meet the Teacher
K-8 Curriculum Night

Sept. 3
Spirit Gear Day
PK Meet the Teacher

Important Dates:

September 6Labor Day - No School

September 14Board Meeting

September 18 Walk-a-Thon



Be STRONG & FIRST WALK-A-THON ORANGE SLIP DUE!

Trinity Christian School's 2021 Walk-a-Thon is Saturday, Sept. 18, right here at Trinity, 8-10 a.m., and the celebration BASH will be outside 10 a.m.-12 p.m. immediately following the Walk-a-Thon award ceremony. This is going to be such a fun time to fellowship with TCS families!

The committee has planned an exciting day with a variety of lawn games that will test your Superhero strength, speed, and agility. Also, we are delighted to

welcome and enjoy the cereal-infused Cream-Crunch-N-More ice cream truck! We are anticipating an awesome morning! Please continue to PRAY and contact all of your family and friends to ASK for donations, and SPREAD the word knowing that God is ALWAYS with you!

The first **ORANGE** slip is due Wednesday, Sept. 1. Please remind your child to return this **ORANGE** pledge update slip to their classroom teacher to be entered in a special prize drawing. Extra ORANGE slips are available in your child's classroom and the front office, if needed. There will be two additional **ORANGE** slips collected before the Walk-a-Thon, one Sept. 8, and the last one Sept. 15.

Also, feel free to take advantage of the online donation option called First Giving. Just visit https://secure.frontstream.com/trinity-christian-school-walk-a-thon-2021 to set up your account. This is a GREAT way to request support from long-distance relatives via email, Facebook or other social media. Keep up the good work and let's reach our goal of \$70, 000!!! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact Mrs. Toya Thomas, Special Events Coordinator, at 815-577-9310, ext. 54, or tthomas@trinitychristian.info.

Trinity Christian School Employment Opportunities

There are currently a number of employment opportunities open for the 2020-2021 school year. If you or someone you know is interested in this position, please forward a completed application along with your resume to: Trinity Christian School, Attn: Jon Vugteveen, 901 Shorewood Dr., Shorewood, IL 60404. Applications may be found online or in the front office.

Middle School History Teacher

We are seeking a full-time, enterprising, middle school history teacher for the 2021-2022 school year. Qualified candidates will have at least a bachelor's degree and current teacher certification. A Social Science Endorsement is preferred but not required. The teacher must believe that the Bible is God's Word and must be in agreement with Trinity Christian School's mission and philosophy of education. A successful candidate will teach 6th-8th grade level Social Studies. Applicants should have a passion for engaging middle school students in the process of learning government, geography, history, economics, civic ideals, and current events. Duties include: instructing students through lectures, discussions and activities; assessing students' abilities, strengths and weaknesses; preparing, administering and grading tests to evaluate students' progress. If interested, please forward the completed application along with your resume to the above address.

Spanish Teacher

We are seeking a part-time Spanish teacher for the 2021-2022 school year. Qualified candidates should have at least a bachelor's degree and experience in speaking and teaching Spanish. The teacher must believe that the Bible is God's Word and must be in agreement with Trinity Christian School's mission and philosophy of education. This teacher must possess patience and be able to motivate students. Enthusiasm and creativity are assets, as are strong organizational skills. Experience isn't required but it is a bonus. The Spanish teacher will be responsible for developing lesson plans and enhancing provided curriculum in Kindergarten through 5th grade.

Substitute Teachers

We are seeking substitute teachers for the 2021-2022 school year. Substitutes must be able to step into a classroom environment to teach on short notice. A bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university is required and a teaching certificate or substitute license is preferred. Qualified substitutes must believe that the Bible is God's Word and standard for faith and daily living, and must be in agreement with Trinity Christian School's mission and philosophy of education.

Evening Maintenance Position

We are currently accepting applications for an afternoon/evening maintenance position for the 2021-2022 school year. The position would, under general supervision, consist of cleaning and general maintenance after school and during rentals. Schedule would be Monday-Friday, 2:30-9 p.m., with some Saturdays included. Flexibility and adjusting hours may be discussed.

SIGN UP FOR THE TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL CHRISTMAS CRADFT AND VENDOR FAIR!

Crafters and Vendor registration is now open. Trinity Christian School families will have priority registration through Aug. 31. If you're a direct seller, sign up now to secure your spot before past-sellers registration opens. www.trinitychristian.info/optional/christmas-craft-vendor-fair.



PRISCILLA SHIRER SIMULCAST, VIA PARENT-TEACHER MINISTRY

Trinity Christian School's Parent-Teacher Ministry is excited to invite you to attend "Going Beyond" a simulcast with Priscilla Shirer, Saturday, Sept. 25, 9 a.m.-4 p.m.!

This event brings women together for a day of powerful teaching, prayer, and amazing worship with Anthony Evans. We are thrilled to host and bring our community together to impact and bless women, and hope you will be able to join us. Please share this opportunity with your friends and family. For tickets, just click here: https://payit.nelnet.net/form/1bfndgmp

JOIN US FOR THE

SIMULCAST PRISCILLA

Worship with Anthony Evans

SEPTEMBER 25, 2021



Trinity Christian School 901 Shorewood Drive Shorewood, IL 60404

9:00am - 4:00pm

Tickets are \$20 each

Box lunches will be available for purchase.

Please join us for this impactful event that brings women together for a day of powerful teaching and amazing worship.