



# Son Times

April 24, 2025

"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)

\$1 DRESS-DOWN DAY TOMORROW! \$1 DRESS-DOWN DAY TOMORROW!



## PTM FLOWER ORDERS DUE TOMORROW

Please turn in all PTM Flower Sale orders to the front office by tomorrow, April 25. Flowers will be delivered in time for Mother's Day and spring planting! Please see p. 3 for additional information.

## R.S.V.P. FOR MOTHER-SON DATE NIGHT BY TOMORROW!

Please purchase tickets for our mother-son date night by April 25. It will be a fun time together, May 9, at the Joliet Slammers Stadium, with doors opening at 5:30 p.m. Please see the flier on p. 6 to order tickets and additional information.

## TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK COMING SOON

**Teacher Appreciation Week is May 5-9 and quickly approaching. Please help us bless our teachers by making their week amazing and donating through this [sign-up genius](#) link.**



## ORDER YOUR PREPACKAGED SCHOOL SUPPLIES!

The smart choice this year is to order EPI school supply packs. Avoid the trips to multiple stores to get all the items on your school supply list. Just order a pack online to get all the teacher approved items and brands for the 2025-26 school year. Order [online](#) using school ID, TRI198, and pick up at Jump-Start Night, Aug. 18!

**REMINDER:**  
**THERE IS NO**  
**CHAPEL**  
**WEDNESDAY,**  
**APRIL 30**

**SAVE THE DATE: STATE OF THE SCHOOL**  
**MEETING, TUESDAY, MAY 13, 6:30 P.M.**



## CHAPEL NOTES BY GRAHAM N., GUEST CONTRIBUTOR TO THE SON TIMES

**Date:** April 23 **Guest Speaker:** Pastor Denny Carr **Message:** Trust

Trust in God! We should care about the Earth because God trusts us to. Trust is the foundation to our faith. Faith means trust. Trust is trusting in God. Joshua 3:5 "Trust in the Lord with all your heart." Without trust it is impossible to please God.

## HELP BLESS A TEACHER BY CLEARING THEIR WISH LIST

### Kindergarten-8th Grade Calendar: April 24-May 3

- April 24**  
Sports Awards Ceremony  
6:30 p.m.
- April 25**  
\$1 Dress-Down Day
- April 30**  
No Chapel
- May 1**  
National Day of Prayer
- May 2**  
Spirit Gear Day  
5th-8th Grade  
Spring Musical
- May 3**  
5th-8th Grade  
Spring Musical

### Important Dates:

- May 13**  
State of the School Meeting
- May 20**  
School Board Meeting
- May 26**  
Memorial Day No School
- May 29**  
Eighth Grade Graduation

## VOLUNTEER NATION AT TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL



At Trinity Christian School, volunteers are needed daily!

We have lots of exciting activities coming up, but our daily needs remain the same for morning greeter, recess, and lunch. We thank many of you who have gone above and beyond your required volunteer hours to keep serving! For those of you still short on your required volunteer time, keep plugging away. There are still many opportunities to accrue volunteer hours! See the list below to find a volunteer opportunity that works with your schedule.

### UPCOMING

### VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES



- Lots of April and May **Daily Needs**
  - ♥ Morning Greeter: 8-8:30 a.m., open car doors, greet students, and help them enter the building safely
  - ♥ Lunch Helper: 11:15 a.m.-1 p.m., distribute hot lunch orders by grade and classroom, then assist with cleanup
  - ♥ Recess Helper: 11:50 a.m.-1:10 p.m., provide supervision, with Trinity staff, to keep children safe
- **5th-8th Grade Spring Musical**
  - Friday, May 2, 5 volunteers, 6:30-8:30 p.m.
  - Saturday, May 3, 12:30-2:30 p.m., 5 volunteers | 5:30-7:30 p.m., 5 volunteers | 7:30 p.m.-done cleaning, many volunteers
- Final **Weekend Warrior** of the school year, Saturday, May 17, many volunteers
- **Graduation Setup**, Thursday, May 29, 1-3 p.m., 4 volunteers
- **Graduation Night Cleanup**, Thursday, May 29, 8-10 volunteers

If you need to brainstorm ways to meet your volunteer hour family quota, please email Mrs. Adalys Colianne, Volunteer Coordinator, at [acolianne@trinitychristian.info](mailto:acolianne@trinitychristian.info) or 815-577-9310, ext. 315.

## 2025-2026 PRESCHOOL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

We currently have four preschool positions open. If you or someone you know is interested in this position please forward a completed application to: Trinity Christian School, Attn: Mrs. Amy Boutte, 901 Shorewood Dr., Shorewood, IL, 60404. Applications can be found online on the TCS [website](http://www.trinitychristian.info) or in the front office. For more information, please contact Mrs. Boutte at [aboutte@trinitychristian.info](mailto:aboutte@trinitychristian.info).

- **PK4 Lead Teacher** - Monday through Friday, full day
- **PK4 Lead Teacher** - Monday, Wednesday, Friday, full day
- **PK4 Aide** - Part-time, full day
- **Lunch/Recess Helper** - Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 10:45 a.m. - 12 p.m.



Trinity Christian Preschool

## LOCAL CHURCH EVENTS FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY

Check out cool local church events posted on our community page, including a Family Spring Fling Event. For details on this event and others please visit our school's [website](http://www.trinitychristian.info).

If your church has an event to share, please reach out to Mrs. Deane Bekermeier, Trinity Christian School's Director of Development, at [dbekermeier@trinitychristian.info](mailto:dbekermeier@trinitychristian.info).

## TIME TO REENROLL FOR THE 2025-2026 SCHOOL YEAR

Reenroll your student for the coming year! Completing reenrollment secures your student's place in class and also helps us plan for the next school year. It will also keep your student enrolled through graduation, as it is continuous enrollment.

Just log into your Family Portal in FACTS to get started. Once there, select **Apply/Enroll** from the left side. Then, for current students, select **Enrollment/Reenrollment**. If you are adding a **new** student, click **Application** for that student. When applying for a new student, be sure to select **Current Family K-8 New Student Application, 2025-2026** and select the grade the child is entering. Use [this link](#) to access your Family Portal. Remember, the District Code for our school is **TRINC-IL**.

If you need any help, contact Mrs. Ellen Rasmussen, Administrative Assistant/Registrar, at [erasmussen@trinitychristian.info](mailto:erasmussen@trinitychristian.info), or at 815-577-9310, ext. 300. We're looking forward to having your child back in class for the coming year!





# Mother's Day Flower Sale

Get a gift for mom & decorate your house for summer while supporting our school!

Orders are due April 25 & flowers will be delivered May 6

## 10" Hanging Baskets & Pots: \$24



Superbell\*  
Full/Part Sun



Petunia\*  
Full/Part Sun



Mixed Baskets\*  
Full/Part Sun



Geranium  
Full/Part Sun

Available in red,  
pink, or salmon



Citronella  
Full/Part Sun

Natural mosquito  
repellent



Bridal Veil  
Full Shade



Boston Fern  
Full Shade



Wandering Jew  
Full Shade

## Patio Tomato Pots\*\*: \$22



Lantana\*  
Full Sun



Martha Washington\*  
Part Sun



Husky Red  
Full/Part Sun



Husky Cherry  
Full/Part Sun

## 36 Count Flats: \$22



Petunia  
Full/Part Sun



Marigold  
Full/Part Sun



Wax Begonia  
Full/Part Sun



Zinnia  
Full Sun

Mid-height  
10"-12" tall



Impatiens  
Part Sun

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Pay by check made out to  
Trinity Christian School

Questions? Contact Lisa Vugteveen  
(815) 530-0315 | micntrygirl@yahoo.com

\*Assorted colors, may be different from picture

\*\*Grow your own tomatoes!

Plants can stay in their pot and are supported by  
a wire cage. Just water, fertilize, & enjoy fresh  
tomatoes all summer!



# Be Our Guest

**April 27 10:30AM - 12:30PM**

**Games, Bounce Houses, Treats & More!**

You're invited to come to attend service at 9:30AM before Spring Fling! Kid Village will be open for infants - grades 3, and Pulse Students will be meet for kids grades 4-8. Your kids will feel special, have fun, and develop friendships, all while getting to know Jesus!

RAIN OR SHINE, ACTIVITIES WILL BE MOVED INSIDE IF BAD WEATHER.

SHOREWOOD CAMPUS  
901 SHOREWOOD DR



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SHOREWOOD CAMPUS

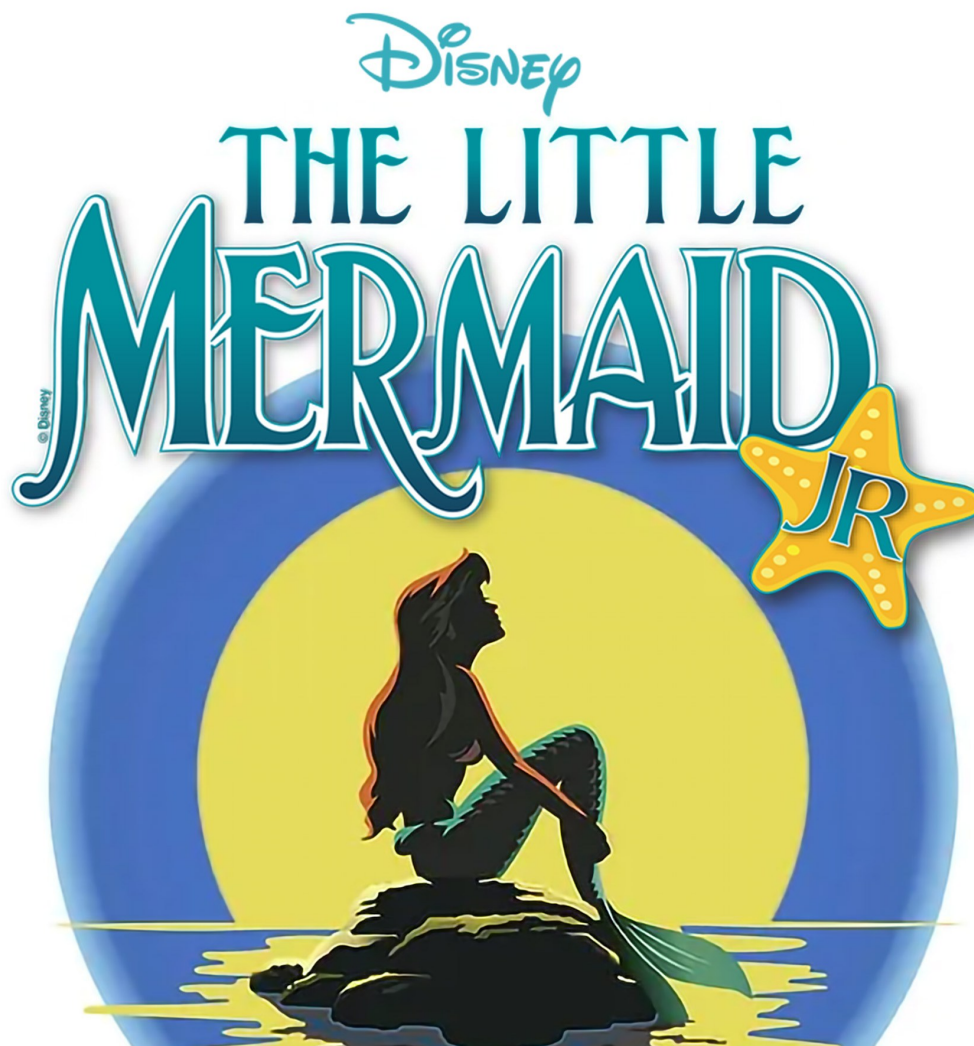
## CAMP TCS

*We are looking for Businesses and Families that would like to sponsor breakfast, large donations or days to the PTM for Teacher Appreciation Week! Please reach out on the PTM website or email to discuss!*

*May 5-9    [Ptm@trinitychristian.info](mailto:Ptm@trinitychristian.info)*



THE TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL  
Production of



FRIDAY, MAY 2

AT 7:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, MAY 3

AT 1:00 P.M. AND 6:00 P.M.

Music by Alan Menken  
Lyrics by Howard Ashman and Glenn Slater  
Book by Doug Wright

Based on the Hans Christian Anderson story  
and the Disney film.

Music adapted and arranged by David Weinstein.

DISNEY'S THE LITTLE MERMAID JR.  
is presented through special arrangement  
with Music Theatre International (MTI).  
All authorized performance materials  
are also supplied by MTI.  
[www.MTIShows.com](http://www.MTIShows.com)



[www.cur8.com/2391/project/131696](http://www.cur8.com/2391/project/131696)

TICKETS  
AVAILABLE  
ONLINE NOW!

Trinity Christian School  
901 Shorewood Dr.  
Shorewood, IL 60404  
[www.trinitychristian.info](http://www.trinitychristian.info)





Trinity Christian School PTM invites mothers and sons to a fun filled night at The Joliet Slammers Game. Doors open at 5:30 pm. Game begins at 6:35 pm.

Tickets are \$10 per person.

Food Vouchers available to purchase for \$11 which includes (hot dog, chips & drink) .

Please **RSVP** by Friday, April 25, 2025 by the link or QR code.

<https://payit.nelnet.net/form/5V2xIzt6>



Questions Email: PTM@trinitychristian.info



# Summer Camps & Enrichment 2025

*Summer Camp registration is now open!*

*Check out all of the fun athletic and  
academic camps at*

*[www.trinitychristian.info](http://www.trinitychristian.info)  
or scan the code below!*

