

Trinity Christian School

Academic Excellence Christ Centered Family Focused



Son Times

February 29, 2024

Kindergarten - 8th Grade Calendar:

Spiritual Emphasis Week
AWAY Girls' Basketball

Games at Families of Faith Christian Academy 5/6 at 4:30 p.m. 7/8 at 5:30 p.m.

Spiritual Emphasis Week Spirit Gear Day

8th Grade Graduation Pictures

"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)

SPIRIT GEAR DAY TOMORROW! SPIRIT GEAR DAY TOMORROW!

CONGRATS, FEBRUARY STUDENTS OF THE MONTH!

Congratulations to Trinity's February Students of the Month! These students were chosen by their grade-level teachers, specials teachers, and administration for their notable excellence in academic performance, character, behavior, effort, social relationships, and attendance.

The Trinity Christian School students selected each month are recognized in the newsletter, at chapel, and on Facebook. Students are awarded a Student of the Month certificate and a sign for their yards, as seen in the graphic included here. Great job to February's Students of the Month, below:

Kindergarten: Maxwell O. and Adalynn B. **First Grade:** Harper H. and Lincoln A.

Second Grade: Abigail Z. and Madison M. Third Grade: Olivia J.

Fourth Grade: Vera R. and Riven D. Fifth Grade: Jacqueline B. and Nikolai D.

Sixth Grade: Reece D. Seventh Grade: Daisy V. Eighth Grade: Shae S.

of the **Month!**

Trinity Christian

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Student

Chapel 8:35 a.m.

Important Dates:

School Board Meeting



BENEFIT DINNER R.S.V.P.S DUE TOMORROW!

Responses for the annual Benefit Dinner and Silent Auction are due and it will be tomorrow. Please turn in your R.S.V.P. card to school by March 1. You do given to you. not need to mail your response card. Just return it to school with your child, who may give it to his or her teacher, as teachers are expecting them.

If you did not receive your invitation or have any additional questions, please feel free to contact Mrs. Toya Thomas at tthomas@trinitychristian.info or 815-577-9310, ext. 315. Thank you!

PLEASE KEEP THOSE SILENT AUCTION DONATIONS COMING INI

Thank you for all the donations that have begun to come in so far! We are extremely excited about these donations and we welcome MORE, in order to help make this silent auction a success. We are looking for items with a minimum value of \$25 that represent your organization, such as gift baskets or certificates, a time share, sporting event or concert tickets, small new household appliances, fun experiences, or electronic gizmos and gadgets. Please send in all donations by Friday, March 1. If you have any questions please contact Mrs. Toya Thomas, Special Events Coordinator, at 815-577-9310, ext. 315, or tthomas@trinitychristian.info.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT NEXT WEEK!

Trinity hosts the ICC Girls' Basketball Tournament Friday, March 8, and Saturday, March 9. The demand for volunteers is high. We need hall monitors, admissions table workers, concessions stand workers, and more. If

you can help during this two-day tournament please contact Mr. V at jvugteveen@trinitychristian.info. This is a great opportunity to get the rest of your volunteer hours in at one time!

PAY FOR A CHANCE TO THROW A LITTLE PI-DAY PIEI

Trinity Christian School celebrates Pi Day Thursday, March 14, 8:30-11:30 a.m., as a whole school. Middle school students will "host" the K-5 grades through many circular fun activities.

Our day begins with the annual "pi"e-in-the-face. Students may purchase tickets for a chance to throw a pie in the face of their favorite staff member and/or eighth grade student. Tickets for "pi"e-in-the-face go on sale in a few weeks! Students may stop in the front foyer to buy tickets for 25¢ each starting Wednesday, March 6 through Tuesday, March 12. Tickets are sold in the morning only.

The face of each staff member and student getting pied will be on the outside of the container. When a student purchases a ticket, their name is written on the ticket and added to the container they choose. Then, on the day of the event, one name will be pulled out of each container for the opportunity to pie that specific staff member or student. Six eighth graders will be chosen to be pied in the face. Sixth and seventh graders are also in a competition to see which two students can raise the most tickets so they can be pied in the face.

Students may wear dress-down day bottoms and a Pi-Day shirt from this year or previous years. If students do not have a Pi-Day shirt, then they must wear their normal school uniforms. If your child ordered a Pi-Day t-shirt, they will receive it before Pi Day. After our assembly, students will participate in some fun Pi-Day activities in the middle school classrooms. with fun tasty Pi-Day treats that parents are welcome to donate. We are also looking for volunteers to help run this event. Please contact Mrs. Toya Thomas if you are interested in volunteering on this morning.

DONATE ROUND SNACKS TO PI DAY!

Pi Day is March 14 and Trinity will celebrate that day! The entire morning will be run by Miss Bekermeier's middle school math students. We want to make sure we have enough snacks for everyone and we need your help! If you are able to donate any **round** treats, please send them in labeled "Pi Day" **by March 12**. We will also accept monetary donations to help purchase supplies for the day. Please send any such donations in an envelope marked "Pi Day" by March 12. To sign up, please follow this link.





At Trinity Christian School, volunteers are needed daily! Check out our **EVERYDAY VOLUNTEER NEEDS** below! It is vital that we fill these everyday positions to be sure each school morning is off to a warm and friendly start; hot lunches are served efficiently; and to create a relaxing, fun, and safe environment for students and teachers during recess. PLEASE see what is available and contact Mrs. Toya Thomas directly if you'd like to serve or for any additional details. Please note: these opportunities are on a first-come, first-served basis.

WE SEEK VOLUNTEERS FOR: MARCH 4-15. PLEASE CHECK YOUR CALANDERS AND RESPOND DIRECTLY TO MRS. TOYA THOMAS TO GET YOUR DATES LOCKED IN!

MORNING GREETER: Each morning, 8:10-8:30 a.m. Open car doors, greet students, and help them enter the building safely.

Monday 03/04: 2 volunteers needed Monday 03/11: 2 volunteers needed Tuesday 03/05: 2 volunteers needed Tuesday 03/12: 2 volunteers needed Wednesday 03/06: 2 volunteers needed Wednesday 03/13: 2 volunteers needed Thursday 03/07: 2 volunteers needed Thursday 03/14: 2 volunteers needed

Friday 03/08: 2 volunteers needed Friday 03/15: 2 volunteers needed

LUNCH HELPER: Each day, 11:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m. Distribute hot lunch orders by grade and classroom, then assist with cleanup.

Monday 03/04: 2 volunteers needed Monday 03/11: 2 volunteers needed Tuesday 03/05: 2 volunteers needed Tuesday 03/12: 2 volunteers needed Wednesday 03/06: 4 volunteers needed Wednesday 03/13: 4 volunteers needed Thursday 03/07: 2 volunteers needed Thursday 03/14: 2 volunteers needed

Friday 03/08: 4 volunteers needed Friday 03/15: Early dismissal

RECESS HELPER: Every day, 11:50 a.m.-1:10 p.m. Assist Trinity staff, to keep children safe during their playtime.

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As always thank you for your willingness to serve.

TCS STUDENT COUNCIL PARTNERS WITH LOCAL CHURCH!

Our Student Council had the blessing and privilege of leading a church service this past weekend at The Table in Joliet. The students used the songs, dances, and messages from their StuCo chapel to lead the congregation at The Table. We are so thankful for this opportunity to spread Jesus's love and serve others in the local church. We believe in the power of partnerships with other believers and loved seeing our students utilize their gifts and talents for God's glory. We are proud of how our Student Council members shined for Jesus at this service!





TIME TO REENROLL FOR 2024-2025!

Reenrollment is open for the 2024-2025 school year! 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 your new student, be sure to select "2024-2025 Current Family Application."

Use <u>this link</u> to access your Family Portal. The District Code for our school is **TRINC-IL.** Please remember that the family fee goes up by \$100 for families that reenroll after April 1.

If you need any help, contact Mrs. Ellen Rasmussen, Administrative Assistant/Registrar, at 815-577-9310, ext. 300, or at erasmussen@trinitychristian.info

RESPECTING TEACHERS' TIME AT SCHOOL

One of the best things at Trinity Christian School is having parents at school to volunteer and/or participate in a variety of activities. It makes for good community! When you are volunteering at school or here for other reasons, please refrain from using that time to stop in and visit with your student's teacher. We would appreciate your focus remaining on your purpose for being at school. If something needs to be communicated to one of your children's teachers, please call, send an email, or schedule an appointment with the teacher. This helps our teachers stay focused on the things they need to focus on throughout the day as well. Thank you!



TRINITY CHRISTIAN SCHOOL BENEFIT EVENT

MARCH

FRIDAY 15 AT 6PM

2024

WHITETAIL RIDGE GOLF CLUB

7671 Clubhouse Drive Yorkville, IL



(815) 577-9003

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Monday, March 18th 3:30pm – 10:00pm



Support Trinity Christian by presenting this flyer to the Joliet Location and Texas Roadhouse will donate 10% of your total food purchases to Trinity Christian!