

The Trinity Times

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Monday, February 18, 2019

Important Dates:

**February 19- Muffins with Moms-
starting at 7:45am**

February 19- Hot Lunch- Wheelers

**February 20- Community Meal at
12:00pm at Hoskins Comm. Cent**

**February 20- Grandparents' Day-
afternoon**

**February 21- Donuts with Dad-
starting at 7:45am**

February 22/25- No School

**March 6- Early Dismissal at
2:00pm**

March 12- Bel Air Visit

March 12- Open House 6:30pm

March 15- End of 3rd Quarter

“This is how God showed His love among us: He sent His one and only Son into the world that we might live through Him. This is love: not that we loved God, but that He loved us and sent His Son as an atoning sacrifice for our sins.” 1 John 4: 9-10

Real love- what is it? How do we find it? How do we hold onto it? Our culture is absolutely obsessed with the search for love. Just look at the lyrics of today's chart topping songs – they're always about finding or losing love. And the rumor is, if you find that *real* love music sings of and movies depict – then you'll be happy. Love, *romantic* love = happiness.

But what if there was a love greater than one based solely on emotions, attraction, and even lust? What if there was a love more powerful and more enduring? A love not based on circumstances or feelings, but based on commitment and certainty. There is – it's called God's love. And it is very real.

Jesus makes it very clear that this *real* love is available to us. But it's unlike anything we'll find in the movies, in another person or even in the most heart wrenching love song on the radio – because God's love never fades or changes. It never walks out or grows cold. God's love is the real deal.

When we experience this kind of love, it changes us. God's love even changes how we love others. You know that person at work, school or in your family that you just can't stand? When we know the assurance of God's love for us, God gives us a love powerful enough to love others, even those we don't like. And that kind of love is worth finding.

Prayer: Dear Jesus, thank you for your love. Help me to share your love with others too. Amen

Hot Lunch: Hot Lunch from **Wheelers** is **February 19th.**

Bel- Air Visit: Our next Bel Air visit is on March 12, 2019.

Book Orders: Book Orders are due Friday, March 15, 2019.

School Information

Lutheran Schools Week Dress Up Days:

Monday, February 18- Pajama Day- Students may wear school appropriate pajamas

Tuesday, February 19- Saints Day/ Sports Day- Saints colors are green and white or wear something from your favorite sport or sports team

Wednesday, February 20- We'll provide a **Thrivent** shirt for the meal- students should wear a nice pair of jeans or pants

Thursday, February 21- Throwback Thursday- Pick your favorite decade and wear clothes from era. Or, parents get to dress their children in clothes they would have worn when they were in school.

Lutheran Schools Week:

February 19- Muffins with Moms- Starts at 7:45am

February 20- Community Meal- Noon at Hoskins Community Center

February 20- Grandparents Day- following community meal

February 21- Donuts with Dads- Starts at 7:45am

Thank you to the parents who have volunteered to help us with serving the day of the community service! We will be able to set up tables and do some prep work the day before. If you have chili or cinnamon rolls they can be dropped off at the community center in the morning, or they can be dropped off at school.

Pete the Cat Play: All Trinity students will be attending the play Pete the Cat at the Johnny Carson Theater on March 27th. The play starts at 10:00am. We have 25 tickets reserved.

Singing in church: Our next singing opportunity will be Sunday, March 24, 2019.

Fruit of the Spirit: February's Fruits of the Spirit are Kindness and Goodness.

Foster Care Bags: We have been steadily collected bags- thank you to those who have sewed them. We will receive a donation of teddy bears from Kay Jewelers so we will wait until they are available to complete the bags.

Open House: Our Open House night will be Tuesday, March 12 at **6:30pm (Please note the time change)**. The upper grade students will present their Declamations and have their science projects on display. Students in Preschool and K-3 will perform songs or poems. We ask each family to bring ice cream toppings, ice cream will be provided.

Science and Art Fair: The Science and Arts fair will be held at Nebraska Ev. Lutheran High School on Saturday, March 16th. Students in grades 3-8 participate in this event. More information will come at the PIE meeting on February 6th.

School Information

Box Tops for Education: At the end of February we will be sending in the Box Tops for Education labels. Many labels are already on some of the products you are using. Please clip them and bring them in, they help out our school.

Monthly Calendar: The calendar is able to be viewed on our website at www.trinityinhoskins.com under the school heading. You can also put this link into the URL bar in order to access the calendar: <http://bit.ly/2bFggBX> Our hope is that this will make it easier for parents to access event information and dates as well as sending reminders about upcoming events. Please let Miss Smith know if you have any questions.

Saints Basketball: Justus plays on the boys A team/ Valen plays on the boys B team

Monday Girls @Battle Creek St John's 5:15 & Boys B team 6:15.

Tuesday @home Girls 5pm & Boys A team 6pm

Wednesday co-ed practice A team 3:45-5:30 & B team 5:30-7

Thursday @Christ Lutheran-Columbus(rescheduled from 2/12) Girls 4:30 & A team Boys 5:30.

Friday and Saturday @NELHS TBD. When schedule is out we will put on Facebook.

GO SAINTS

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Classroom Information

Lower Room News

About once a week we have a visitor, Tessa, who is doing some Early Field Experience while she goes to school for her Early Childhood Education degree. She will be working mostly individually with students- especially Kindergarten- to gain experience in working with young children. She will not be teaching actual classes, her work will be done during work time.

We are very excited for the activities we have planned this week! Be sure to check the dress up days and special events. On Monday and Tuesday we will be finalizing some things for Grandparents' Day, we will try to take as many pictures as possible.

Second Grade finished their latest novel and are back to NonFiction SUPER Magazines, this one focuses on looking inside things- like the human body, caves, and other things in nature.

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Kindergarten will be working through the letter M- bring your Mom on Tuesday morning to Muffins with Moms! We have been working on comparing numbers in math class- if you want to play a game with your child I taught them the card game "War"- keep in mind for math class the Ace is worth 1. Keep up the reading practice- it's been fun to watch them grow!
We wrapped up our study of the Solar System and we will begin working on Motion

Upper Room News

Even with the busy schedule of events next week, I am hoping to make it as normal as possible. I don't plan on being sick again next week!

We started working on declamations on Friday so that we can get a head start on practicing them. The earlier the class works on them the more polished they'll be for the Science and Arts Fair!

In art last week we started creating some Op Art Patterns using graph paper. You can create some interesting designs and it's easy to do!

Important Science Due Dates:

- Project Topic Finalized- 2/11 (Most of the class has chosen a topic already)
- Research Finalized- 2/18
- Report Typed- 2/26
- Everything Typed and Printed- 3/4
- Project Due- 3/11
- Science and Arts Fair- 3/16

Important Declamation Due Dates:

- Declamation Chosen- 2/18
- Declamation Performance-Ready- 3/8
- Open House Night- 3/12