

# The Trinity Times

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### Important Dates:

**March 4: Hot Lunch- Ruskamps**

**March 4: Early Dismissal**

**March 6: End of 3rd Quarter**

**March 9-12: Parent/Teacher Conferences**

**March 9: Board of Education**

**March 10: Bel Air Visit**

**March 17: Wheelers Hot Lunch**

**March 21: Science and Art Fair- in Waco (more information coming soon)**

**March 27: No School**

As God's co-workers we urge you not to receive God's grace in vain. For he says, "In the time of my favor I heard you, and in the day of salvation I helped you." I tell you, now is the time of God's favor, now is the day of salvation. 2 Corinthians 6:1,2

#### **Help Right Now**

Don't you just hate it when you try to help, and the person is like, "No, no, never mind, thanks anyway, I'll be fine?" You know they are not fine, and you know they could really use the help. You hate to watch them keep failing. It's frustrating. You wish the best for them, and something in them keeps them from realizing it. What is it? Pride? Ignorance? Fear?

You must recognize that God wants to help you, right? He wants the best for you, and because he made you, he knows what is best for you, even when you don't realize it. You keep trying to say that everything is all right, but God knows that everything is not all right. He knows that better than you do!

And God's help is not the kind of help that works only in the future. He is helpful right now! His forgiveness of your sins counts right now. His promises of relief from anxiety are designed to take immediate effect. His calming presence and protection are right here, right now. You don't have to go somewhere else to receive them.

You might think that you do not deserve these good things. You're right! You don't! That's why God calls them grace, which is things that you do not deserve. He's giving them to you anyway. Right now—that's the point.

So don't delay. Go to God in prayer and thank him for blessing you. Take a deep sigh of relief. Now is the time of God's favor. Now is the day of salvation.

#### **Prayer:**

Lord Jesus, thank you for the forgiveness of sins, life, and salvation. Take away my anxiety and give me peace. Amen.(wels.net)

## School Information

**Hot Lunch:** Parent Hot Lunch this week- **Wednesday, March 4, 2020**, Thank you, Ruskamps! Our next hot lunch from Wheelers will be Tuesday, March 17th.

**Lutheran Schools' Week:** Thank you to everyone for your help in making our Lutheran Schools' Week a success! We were able to raise \$700 for the Winkel family with donations before, during, and after the Community Meal! Thank you to everyone for your help!

### **Dr. Suess Week:**

- **Tuesday March 3:** Fox in Socks (fun socks)
- **Wednesday March 4:** Wacky Wednesday (miss matched clothes, crazy hair)
- **Thursday March 5:** Cat in the Hat (fun hats)

**Second Semester Offering:** Our offering for second semester is going to WELS Special Ministry for the Visually Impaired.

**Johansen Greenhouse Gift Cards:** We are starting a new fundraiser selling Johansen Greenhouse gift cards. They are \$25 each, we receive \$5 for each \$25 gift card sold! We will make them available for purchase after church, at school, and other events as we see fit. If you would like a set of gift cards to sell to friends and family, please let Miss Smith know so we can track the gift cards. We are committed to the program for at least 30 days, but we can extend as needed, possibly to the end of the school year.

**Kindergarten Round-Up:** Kindergarten Round-up will be on Wednesday, April 1st. This is an early release day. Children entering kindergarten in the fall of 2020 are welcome to come that day and remain after preschool until our 2:00pm dismissal that day. More information will be available in the coming months.

**Bel- Air Visit:** Hopefully, our next Bel Air Visit is on **Tuesday, March 10, 2020**.

**Parent/Teacher Conferences:** We will have Parent/ Teacher Conferences March 9- 12th after school and in the evenings. I will email/text you soon to set up a time to meet.

### **Science and Art Fair-Due Dates:**

**Declamation Performance Ready**

**Monday, March 16**

**Science Project Board Due (Display and printed report)**

**Wednesday, March 18**

**Singing in Church:** Our next singing day is March 22nd.

**Family Friday Lunch:** Thank you to those who have already joined us for our Family Friday Lunches. You are always welcome to join us Fridays 12:00-12:30pm. Just bring your own lunch and we'll entertain you with conversation!

## School Information

**Box Tops for Education:** Please consider getting the phone app that helps us earn money for items that have Box Tops donations. We will still collect any actual Box Tops that are on boxes up to the expiration date. There is a box at the information center in the church hallway to put these in, or just drop them off with a teacher and they will get them to the appropriate place.

**Monthly Calendar:** The calendar is able to be viewed on our website at [www.trinityinhoskins.com](http://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.

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Phew we made it through our busy week! Thank you to everyone who helped us have a successful Lutheran Schools' Week. We had a great week and made lots of great memories. This week is somewhat back to normal with just a few dress up days for Dr. Seuss week and an early release, but we won't have any field trips or major events. Thank you to Ruskamps- they are providing Hot Lunch on Wednesday.

Reading:

Kindergarten- We will be working through our lessons on the letter M.

First grade- We will words on contractions

Third grade- We will finish "Mr. Popper's Penguins." Mr. Popper ended up in jail and we'll find out if Admiral Nelson can help him get out of jail. (We will be working on verbs in English class.)

Writing- Nonfiction

Math classes will continue as normal.

Spelling tests are on Wednesday and Thursday. Memory Work will be Tuesday- Friday.

Christ Light lessons are "Samson's Sin and Death" and "Ruth's Faith"

## School Information

**Newsletter in a nutshell (Pastor will be using this information to communicate with the congregation with things we have going on at school, feel free to share this same information with your friends and family.)**

Thank you for all your support during our Lutheran Schools Week. With offerings before, during, and after our Community Meal we were able to raise \$700 for the Winkel family. We were also able to donate some leftover chili to the Rescue Mission in Norfolk. This week we celebrate Dr. Seuss Week with dress up days and extra fun reading!