

The Trinity Times

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Monday, November 2, 2020

Important Dates:

November 4: 2:00pm Dismissal

November 5: Board of Education Meeting- 7:00pm

November 17: Wheelers Hot Lunch

November 18: Thanksgiving Meal- Very questionable at this time.

November 22: Children Sing in Church- 10am "Yours Forever God of Love"

November 25: 12:00 Dismissal

November 26-27: No School

December 2: 2:00pm Dismissal

December 23: Christmas Eve Service Practice- ALL (We will not have Saturday practices this year)

Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. Philippians 4:6

Stop Worrying

Don't worry! That's what God says in his Word for us today. But we wonder how we can put aside all of our worry and anxiety. There are so many dangers that surround us, so many things that stress us out, so many people who are hurting, and some of them are very dear to us. Not to worry seems impossible.

It is impossible to stop worrying if our attention is riveted on the problems and predicaments of life. But wonder of God's love for us is that he teaches us how much greater he is than the worrisome circumstances we face daily. He assures us that he is in control of all things. He is the almighty, all-knowing God who knows our every need and is capable of fulfilling all of them.

He took away our greatest worry; he freed us from the damnation we deserved as sinners. And he lavished his love on us by giving us life with him that will last forever. So our heavenly Father, who loved us so much to send Jesus to be our Savior, promises to provide for our lives and protect us from danger.

Thankful for his saving love, we can turn from our inclination to worry and turn to him with our concerns and burdens. We can confidently address him in prayer, knowing that he listens and will answer according to our best interests. Since God has secured our eternity through Jesus, we know that according to his love, he will care for us now too. So indeed, there is no reason to worry.

Prayer:

Teach me, Lord, not to worry. Remind me of your great love and power that I can trust in times of need. Accept my prayers through Jesus, my Savior, and help me according to your wisdom. Amen.
(wels.net)

School Information

Early Dismissal: Our next early dismissal is **THIS WEEK November 4, 2020** at 2:00pm.

Prayers: Please continue to keep all those in our school, church, and community affected by COVID.

Hot Lunch: Our next scheduled **hot lunch is Tuesday, November 17th from Wheelers.**

P/T Conferences: Thank you for all scheduling P/T Conferences. It is always beneficial to meet with each of you in person to touch base and communicate with students progress and upcoming events.

Thanksgiving Meal: We will make a final decision regarding our Thanksgiving Meal at our Board of Education Meeting on November 5th.

Christmas Eve Service: At this time we are planning on going ahead with a children led Christmas Eve Service. We will begin working on the speaking parts and hymns in school and Sunday School. We have reduced the length of the service and speaking parts. We will have the congregation participate in more hymns. There will only be **one** practice on December 23rd. We have 12:00pm dismissal that day and Winside does not have school so we will schedule our practice when all the students are here and those children who attend Winside can join us. This is to eliminate spreading germs during what was our normal Saturday practices.

Box Tops for Education: We receive money for Box Tops items you purchase in the store or online. Please select our school when you use the app and scan receipts. We also still save clipped Box Tops if you have items that still have them on it. 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 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.

Saint Sports: We are invited to participate with St. Paul's Lutheran School and their sports programs. These usually start at 4th grade. They are currently not having sports.

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Still my soul be still
And do not fear
Though winds of change may rage tomorrow
God is at your side
No longer dread
The fires of unexpected sorrow

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Phew! What a week! We continue to pray for the Stromquist family and others in our classroom who are under quarantine. Please continue to monitor your own child's health. We'd rather they miss a few days of school and recover than try to push through a school day.

Also posted on Facebook: I wanted to make all parents aware of what you will now see in your children's binders and backpacks now through the probably the middle of January. It is my hope to have a 2 week (Mon.-Fri.) supply of homework available if a need should arise. As we've seen after this week with teachers and students needing to quarantine for COVID tests and exposure I want to make it as easy as possible to transition to at home learning. We will coordinate 4th grade chrome books when/if they're needed. The mid January "date" was chosen as I hope to still make it to MN for Smithmas (my family Christmas :)) and want to be prepared if for some reason you or I need to quarantine after Christmas break. We are allotted a certain number of hours via at home learning to apply to our total number of school hours for the year.

Klndergarten: Math- We started telling time to the hour last week.

Reading- We will finish the Sal letter book and start on the letter L this week.

1st Grade: Math- We are working on comparing length

Reading- We will continue to work on er endings

Spelling- Unit 10

2nd Grade: Math- We reviewed reading graphs and filling in parts of number charts

Reading- We are learning about adding suffixes to words to change their meaning.

Spelling- Unit 10

English- Plural Nouns

4th Grade: Math- Subtracting with zeros, fractions, and decimals

Reading- Cricket in Times Square

Spelling- Unit 10

English- Nouns

Christ Light: "Jesus Calms the Storm" and "Jesus Heals a Man Who Couldn't Walk"

School Information

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

We continue to pray for the Stromquist family as well as those in our school, church, and community who are suffering from COVID. We are now attempting to prepare for the situation in which K-4 grade needs to go to at home learning for a short period of time. As of now, we can remain in session in Grade K-4. We will start working on writing projects to help students become better and more creative writers. We will start our "Thankful" board this week as we remember all the blessings we've been given this month of Thanksgiving.