

The Trinity Times

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Monday, March 29, 2021

Important Dates:

March 28: Students Sing in church for Palm Sunday

March 31: Hot Lunch- A and E Sellin

April 1: Early Dismissal 12:00pm

April 2-5: No School for Easter Vacation

April 7: 2:00pm Early Dismissal

April 8: Board of Education Meeting 7:00

“And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself.” [Jesus] said this to show the kind of death he was going to die. John 12:32,33

Lifted Up

The Romans weren't the only people who used crucifixion as a punishment, but they perfected it. The Roman writer Cicero called it the most cruel and hideous of all tortures. Sometimes bodies would be left hanging on crosses for days so that everyone could see them rot. The Romans used crucifixion to force social conformity. The public display was meant to send a message: commit a crime, and the same thing could happen to you. Famously, after the uprising of slaves led by Spartacus, 6,000 crosses lined the highway to Rome.

Jesus was no criminal and had done nothing wrong. But he was crucified publicly for everyone to see. There was no doubt that he was lifted up, nailed by his hands and his feet to a cross. There was no doubt that he died while hanging on a cross.

Jesus knew that was the kind of death he was going to die. But he didn't mind it being public. In fact, he wanted everyone to know about it because his death was for everyone. Jesus took the punishment of death and hell for all people, so that everyone who believes in him will not perish but will have eternal life.

Jesus draws all people to himself through faith without regard for nationality, ethnic affiliation, status, age, or gender. No matter what has happened in your life, no matter how good or bad it's been, Jesus draws you to him.

The Romans meant death on the cross to be shameful. But there's no need for you to feel ashamed of Jesus Christ. He was lifted up so that you would be drawn to him as your Savior.

Prayer:

Lord Jesus, draw us to thee, for then shall we walk in thy steps forever and hasten on where thou art gone to be with thee, dear Savior. Amen.(WELS.net)

School Information

Palm Sunday Singing: We sing in church for Palm Sunday on March 28th. Students will be walking in with palm branches and will sing from the front before they sit with their families.

Johansen Greenhouse Gift Cards Fundraisers: We are selling Johansen Greenhouse Gift Cards for a Spring Fundraiser. We don't have door to door fundraisers, so this is as close as we get. Cards are valued at \$25 each. We get 20% of fund collected (\$5 each card). If you would like to purchase please let me know. Please also help spread the word!

Hot Lunch: A and E Sellin will provide hot lunch on **Wednesday, March 31**. Our next Wheelers Hot Lunch is **Tuesday, April 20, 2021**.

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.

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I know that my Redeemer lives;
What comfort this sweet sentence gives!
He lives, he lives, who once was dead;
He lives, my ever-living Head!

HOLY WEEK SERVICES

2021

**MAUNDY THURSDAY
WITH COMMUNION**

APRIL 1

7:00 PM

**EASTER SUNRISE
SERVICE**

APRIL 4

6:30 AM



COFFEE & DONUTS
AFTER SUNRISE SERVICE
BEFORE CELEBRATION
SERVICE

**GOOD FRIDAY
TENEBRAE**

APRIL 2

7:00 PM

**EASTER
CELEBRATION
SERVICE**

APRIL 4

10:00 AM

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH- HOSKINS NE- 212 W 4TH ST.

School Information

We will be doing MAP Testing this week. Please make sure your child gets plenty of sleep and eats a good breakfast. We will have the tests in the morning when their brain is fresh. I will share results with parents when we are finished.

We will dedicate more time to our Spring Play starting this week. Preschool will join us as we practice our songs.

We learned about speed and velocity this last week at school. Ask your child what the difference is between speed and velocity!

We will be learning about climate in various regions in social studies class.

Kindergarten: We are working on the letter W with our Superkids and adding and subtracting in math.

First Grade: In math we will be working on subtracting numbers from 10. We will finish our current unit in reading.

Second Grade: We will continue to learn contractions in English. We talked about bees last week in our Superkids stories. We'll see what shenanigans they get into this week!

Fourth Grade: We start our new English unit on adverbs this week. We started reading The Blue Fairy Book in reading class which has a series of fairy tales before they were turned into movies.

Memory work will be Tuesday- Thursday.

Spelling Tests on Wednesday and Thursday.

Christ Light Lessons this week: "Jesus' Trial Before Pilate" and "Jesus is Crucified."

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.)

Happy Spring! Our busy month of March continues! Our fourth graders enjoyed their day at Nebraska Lutheran High School for the Science and Art Fair on March 20th! We are so proud of all their hard work and how much they improved on their research and reading throughout the process! We are selling Gift Cards for Johansen's Greenhouse for a school fundraiser. Cards are \$25 each, Trinity makes \$5 for each gift card sold! Please contact Miss Smith or Mrs. Stromquist if you'd like to purchase!