



THE TRINITY TWEET

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And what does the Lord require of you? To act justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God. Micah 6:8

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The mission of Trinity Lutheran School is to assist families to make fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ through Christ-centered education.

Mr. Brown's final message of the school year will be next week Monday.

FROM THE KITCHEN! Omelets are no longer available for the remainder of the school year, effective immediately. Thank you for understanding.

THE WALKATHON THANK YOU! What a beautiful day we had for our annual Walkathon last Friday. We were incredibly blessed with all the donations that came in from friends and family – over \$24,000 was raised for our school improvements! Special thanks to all the volunteers who helped, to Serra Brothers for donating the produce and to Rose Pollard for providing the donut holes.

FIELD DAY is coming up on the afternoon of June 5 from 1-3. There are a few spots left for volunteers (arrive at 12:30). Please see the signup genius below if you are interested in helping out. You can contact Elizabeth Brothers with any questions.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0E45ACAB29A5FCC25-56961571-trinity#/>

CLOSING CHAPEL AND AWARDS will be on our last day of school, Friday, June 6 at 9:45 a.m. After the service we will stay in the church to present many awards to students. Mr. Brown will have a closing prayer before dismissing students for summer vacation. Please plan to attend!

VALEDICTORIAN AND SALUTATORIAN ANNOUNCED

The Valedictorians and Salutatorian of the 2025 8th Grade graduating class were named Friday morning. The class valedictorian is Chase Marshall. The salutatorian is Ben Brothers. Congratulations to these Trinity graduates!

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATING CLASS OF 2025

It is a great privilege to graduate another class from Trinity Lutheran Clinton Township. It is now time for each graduate to continue his or her personal journey of faith in high school. Please keep these students in your prayers as they leave Trinity and begin their high school years.

Vanessa Behnke

Audrey Birsen

Benjamin Brothers

Ryan Combs

Nathan Curley

Brenden Fiore

Lydia Fiore

Ainsley Gastmeier

Annalise Goldsberry

Addison Green

Lucille Harden

Alliana James

Lucas Janko

Peyton Jones

Robert Jones

Aiden Londo

Alex Londo

Gabriel Magee

Chase Marshall

Madeline McGee

Isabella Miller

William Pitters

Faith Raymond

Vincent Valenti

Noah Vaughn

Congratulations, Trinity Graduates! God's blessings to you!

LIBRARY Please return all books!

FINANCIAL OBLIGATIONS for the 2024-25 School Year **MUST** be met soon! If you have any tuition payments, lunch account balance, library fines, or incidentals that you have not paid, they need to be paid before Friday, June 6, 2025. We will not be sending out report cards, test results, etc. unless full payment for the school year has been made. Thanks for your understanding.

LOST AND FOUND Don't forget to check the Lost & Found rack in the Coffee Oasis before the last day of school. Any items not claimed by the end of the school year will be donated.

UPPER GRADE SPRING CONCERT AND ART SHOW All are invited to attend the Upper Grade Concert and Art Show this Wednesday, May 28 at 6:30 in the gym. The event will include performances by Grade 4 recorders, Grade 5 Beginning Band, Grades 6/7/8 Advanced Band, Grades 5/6 Choir, and Grades 7/8 Choir. Be sure to check out all the beautiful art hanging in the hallway (thank you, Mrs. Moore)! Please enter through the school doors only.

GOLF OUTING – SAVE THE DATE Want to support the Trinity Athletic Department in a fun and exciting way? Join us for the 1st Annual Trinity Lutheran Athletics Golf Outing on Saturday, August 23rd at Hickory Hollow Golf Course! More details and signup information are coming soon — but for now, mark your calendar and save the date.

LHN SUMMER SPORTS CAMPS NOW OPEN Registration is open for all of Lutheran High North's summer camps. Learn more here: lutherannorth.com/summer-camps-1

CHAPEL OFFERING for May and June will go to Compassion Pregnancy Center. Students were given empty baby bottles to fill which can be returned at any time before the end of school. With Jesus as their foundation, Compassion Pregnancy is a life-affirming ministry sharing the Gospel and providing women and men positive choices based on the truth found in the Bible. The offer no-cost pregnancy tests, ultrasounds, education on fetal development, parenting, healthy relationships, post-abortion healing and support, Bible study, and more. Visit compassionpregnancy.org/

KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS Trinity participates with Kroger in their Community Rewards program! If you are a Kroger shopper, you can designate Trinity Clinton Township as a recipient of Community Rewards money from Kroger! Use the app [or the website](#) to check your account and enroll for Trinity (organization number WL 109).

CHURCH EXTENSION FUND CEF Stamps are a savings program for kids to begin saving for their future. The students "purchase" stamps, and the money gets put into an account for them at Church Extension Fund (CEF). Parents must be on the account with their minor children. The money earns interest, and you'll get statements regarding the balance. Feel free to ask Mrs. Brothers any questions if you are not familiar with the program.

FIND A SUMMER MEALS SITE NEAR YOU

Call 2-1-1 * Text "Food" to 304-304
Visit an interactive map online at www.mcgi.state.mi.us/SchoolNutrition/

SCHOOL CALENDAR

May 28	8:20 Chapel 6:30 Spring Concert Grades 4-8 (Recorders, Bands, Choirs)
June 3	6:30 Kindergarten Graduation
June 4	Track and Field Awards Night
June 5	1:00 Field Day – signup coming soon!
June 6	LAST DAY OF SCHOOL! 11:30 Dismissal Bagels, Yearbook Signing, Closing Chapel 7:00 p.m. Grade 8 Graduation

FRIDAY DRESS CODE On most Fridays during the school year, theme shirts or Trinity spirit wear tops may be worn with uniform bottoms (free) or jeans (\$1). This is NOT a dress-down day, therefore there are intentionally less options. Please take note of the following guidelines:

- ALLOWED:
- Theme shirts from current or past school years
 - Trinity spirit wear tops
 - Uniform bottoms (free) or Jeans (\$1)
- NOT ALLOWED:
- No Michigan State Spartans clothing
 - No sweatpants, joggers, leggings or other non-jeans/non-uniform bottoms.
 - No Thrivent shirts (we love them, just not on Fridays)
- Please continue to follow the guidelines so we may keep Spirit Wear Fridays!*

CHURCH INFORMATION -----

WEEKEND CHURCH SERVICES The next several weekends will have worship services at varying times, depending on the occasion. Please see the attachment for all the details.



WOMEN'S CHURCH SOFTBALL LEAGUE is starting soon! We are looking for new players to join us as we compete against our area Lutheran churches. Games are on Wednesday evenings and run mid-June through

August. Players must be at least 18 and out of high school. Previous experience not necessary but helpful. If you'd like to play or have questions, contact Katie Erkkinen at kerkkinen@trinityct.org no later than Wednesday, May 28.

YOUTH GROUP THROUGH THE SUMMER—The youth (6th-12th grade) will continue to meet throughout the summer. Pastor Jeremy has a variety of activities and gatherings planned. Stay tuned for information and be sure to subscribe to the Youth GroupMe through the QR code near the Youth Lounge door.

SIMPLY GIVE IS BACK! From now to June 28, Trinity's Food Pantry is getting a helping hand from Meijer! Shop the Clinton Township Meijer and purchase a \$10 Simply Give gift card from the register and Trinity's food pantry receives the \$10 plus a match from Meijer that we can use on food and other eligible items. On Saturday, June 14, it is Double Match Day. For every \$10 card purchased, Meijer contributes \$20, bringing the total to \$30 for the pantry! For more information, call the Church Office at 586-463-2921.

PASTOR GARY'S RETIREMENT TICKETS—On June 15, Father's Day, we have one service at 10 a.m. This is Pastor Gary's final worship service before he retires. Following the service, a celebration is from noon to 3 p.m. at the Italian American Cultural Center. Tickets are \$25/adults, \$15/ages 5-12 and children under 5 are free. Tickets are being sold after all services until June 1. Trinity members Jim Chauvin,

Debbie Montgomery and Kim Waller are organizing the celebration.

HELP US MEET OUR GOAL! Trinity hosts a Red Cross Blood Drive on Thursday, June 5 from 1-7 p.m. in the Community Center. For an appointment, call Lisa Riviera at 586-463-2921, ext. 111, or visit RedCrossBlood.org and enter sponsor code: TrinityCT. Streamline your donation experience and save up to 15 minutes by visiting RedCrossBlood.org/RapidPass to complete your pre-donation reading and health history questions on the day of your appointment.

ECC INFORMATION -----

SUMMER CAMP WISH LIST—The Summer Camp program was blessed by donations from our congregation last summer. We put together an Amazon Wish List again this year. If you want a way to contribute to our summer program, consider checking out the list. Go to trinityct.org and click the link on the home page.

SUMMER CAMP STILL HAS SPOTS AVAILABLE—Registration for Summer Camp is underway. Visit trinityct.org/summercamp for information on how to register, fees and planned activities.

IT'S TIME TO THINK ABOUT PRESCHOOL—Trinity's Early Childhood Center is now enrolling for the traditional half-day three and four-year-old preschool program and in the FREE Great Start Readiness Program for this fall. This program is free to four-year-olds. Find out more on Trinity's website at trinityct.org/ecc