

# TIGER TRACKS

THE OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL  
MENASHA



## Message From Pastor GeRue

### School Christmas Service

*Monday, December 18th, 6:00 PM PS3—K4  
Christmas Service;*

*“Shapes of Christmas”*

*Wednesday, December 20th, Wednesdays, 9:00  
AM & 6:30 PM 4th—8th Grade Christmas Ser-  
vice;*

*“Sound the Bells”*

### *Christmas Eve*

*Sunday, December 24th. 4:00 PM & 6:30 PM  
Worship, “No Room For God”*

*11:00 pm Candlelight Worship  
w/communion, “The Glory of God”*

### *Christmas Day*

*Monday, December 25th*

*9:00 AM Worship w/communion,  
“Taken Out of Man”*

### *New Years Eve*

*Sunday, December 31st, 6:30 PM Worship  
w/communion, “Everlasting to Everlasting”*

### Christmas Caroling

On the morning of Dec. 21st school children will be caroling throughout the Menasha neighborhood.

### ½ Day of School

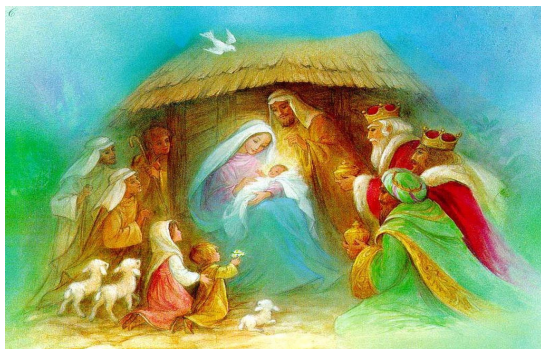
We have a noon dismissal on December 21st. There is no Aftercare on December 21st

### CHRISTMAS BREAK

Christmas break is December 22 – January 3. Classes resume Thursday, January 4.

### Ice Melt Needed

Please Help Trinity- by donating bags of salt for the winter months. Save your receipts for credit to your offerings. Monetary donations can be marked “Bags of Salt” & dropped in the office.



FRIDAY DECEMBER 15, 2023



## Upcoming Events

- ◇ Dec. 18 9:00 AM School Devotion
- ◇ 6:00 PM PS3—K4 Christmas Service; “Shapes of Christmas”
- ◇ Dec. 19 9:00 AM School Devotion
- ◇ 3:45 PM Basket Ball Practice
- ◇ Dec. 20 9:00 AM & 6:30 PM 4th—8th Grade Christmas Service; “Sound the Bells”
- ◇ Dec 21 8:25 AM School Devotion
- ◇ Christmas Caroling
- ◇ Noon Dismissal No Aftercare
- ◇ Dec. 22—Jan. 3 Christmas Break



## Next 2 Weeks Lunch Menu

- ◇ Dec 18. Mini Corn Dogs, Potato Wedges, Carrots, Applesauce.
- ◇ Dec. 19 Manwich on Bun, French Fries, Corn, Fruit Cup.
- ◇ Dec. 20 Sliced Ham w/Mashed Potatoes, Green Beans, Pineapple, Bread.
- ◇ Dec. 21 Noon Dismissal No Lunch.
- ◇ Jan. 4 Hamburger on Bun, French Fries, Mixed Veggies, Fruit Cup.
- ◇ Jan. 5 French Toast Sticks, Hash Browns, Sausages Applesauce.

Please visit our website by  
scanning our QR Code



### Weather Closings and Delay

At Trinity Lutheran School closings or delays due to weather conditions will be announced on TV Channels 2, 5, 11, and 26. In addition Fast Direct, school website and radio announcements will be made. Please do not call the teachers at home.

If school is delayed for the start of the day, there will be no before school care. Students should arrive between 10:15 and 10:30 am.



The American Heart Association's Kids Heart Challenge (KHC) is kicking off **Monday, December 18th!** This year, our school will be learning about staying strong in body and mind while helping others with special hearts.

We invite you to join us today at <http://www2.heart.org/goto/TrinityLutheranGradeSchoolMenashaWI> and take the online challenge to Be Kind or Move More.

Then get started on FINN'S MISSION where you and your family can help create a community of lifesavers by learning Hands-Only CPR!



Scrip is available before school everyday in the school office. Scrip is available the remainder of the day in the office, or weekends before and after Church services. Thank you for your continued support of our SCRIP program.



### **Handmade Items For Sale**

In the school office. We have mittens of various sizes along with water bottle holders for sale for a very reasonable price of just \$5 per pair of mittens and \$5 per wattle bottle holder. If you would like to purchase an item please stop by the school office. These were made by one of our students to help raise funds for their class trips.



### **Referral Credit**

One of the best ways to help our Trinity family grow is by word of mouth. Please let relatives, friends and neighbors know about us. We are still accepting enrollment for the 2023-2024 or the 2024-2025 school year. If a family is referred, and they enroll and pay the first months tuition, you can receive a \$100 referral bonus. Question? Just see Pastor GeRue or Mr. Dahms with any questions.



*Merry Christmas from the Trinity staff, we hope you have a safe and blessed Christmas. Please join us for services on Christmas Eve, Christmas Day and New Years Eve.*

### Angel Tree

We have our annual Angel Tree in the hallway by door #2 at the entrance to the church. For our new families this year, this tree has angels on it with items listed that teachers can use in the classroom or other staff members could use throughout the school year. All you have to do is pick an angel, purchase the item listed, and return it to the respective teacher or staff member. This is a great way to help out your teacher's classroom or the school through your donation.



### **Thursday December 21st**

Is a half day of school with a noon dismissal. There is no aftercare that day since we are beginning our Christmas break. Students and Faculty will be caroling earlier in the morning throughout downtown Menasha.





# Trinity Instructional Basketball

Trinity will again be offering an instructional basketball program this year for boys and girls in 1<sup>st</sup> through 3<sup>rd</sup> grades, along with any others who have little or no previous basketball experience. This program will teach the fundamentals of the basketball. This form is for us to plan on how many will be participating in the program this year. These instructional sessions will be on Mondays, beginning Jan. 8th and will be each Monday through Feb. 12th. We will not have instructional B-ball on Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> as that week the book fair will be in the gym. These will be after school until 4:45. Children can be picked up at door #5, back by the gym.

If you should have any questions regarding this, please contact Lee Colby @ 920-637-4660 or on Fast Direct.

Please return the forms by Wednesday, Dec. 20th

## Uniform Shirts and Sweatshirts

If you are in need of uniform shirts or sweatshirts please contact the school office for an order form. We can also order long sleeve polo shirts upon request. Students in K4-Grade 8 should be in uniform on school days with the exception on non uniform or special days. Musical shirts from previous years musicals can be worn on Fridays.



## Account Balances

All payments received through yesterday December 14th will be posted today in Fast Direct. Lunch and aftercare balances will be updated before Christmas Break, so please log into Fast Direct to view your balances and/or make payments as well. Please reach out the school office with any questions. If you need to bring in a payment during Christmas Break, please contact Mr. Dahms via Fast Direct.

*Happy  
New Year*