

Trinity Christian School

Academic Excellence Christ Centered Family Focused



September 5, 2024

"But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint." Isaiah 40:31 (NIV)

WALK-A-THON PRIZE SLIPS **DUE TUESDAY**

Trinity Christian School's 2024 Walk-a-Thon is only two weeks away! The goal is to raise \$85,000, and our students are doing an awesome job getting pledges!

Saturday, Sept. 21, is going to be a fun day at Trinity, as our students and families walk to raise funds for school together!

Let's continue to PRAY and contact all of your family and friends for donations. The NEXT DIGITAL PRIZE **SLIP** is due Tuesday, Sept. 10, with your updated total. PLEASE NOTE that to be eligible for PRIZES, students MUST turn the digital prize slip in by 3:30 p.m., Sept. 10. Just scan the QR code below or click here.



Kindergarten - 8th **Grade Calendar:** Sept. 5-13

Sept. 5 Chapel 8:40 a.m. **HOME** Soccer Game 4:15 p.m. **HOME** Girls' Volleyball Games 4:15 and 5:15 p.m. PTM Meeting 7 p.m.

Sept. 6 Spirit Gear Day Music On the Move Demo 2:30 p.m. **HOME** Soccer Game 4:15 p.m. **HOME** Girls' Volleyball Games 4:15 and 5:15 p.m.

Sept. 10 **AWAY** Soccer Game 4:15 p.m. at Grace **AWAY** Girls' Volleyball Game (JH only) 4:15 p.m. at KTA

Sept. 13 **AWAY** Soccer Game 4:30 p.m. at FOFCA **AWAY** Girls' Volleyball Games 4:30 and 5:30 p.m. at FOFCA

Important Dates:

September 17 **School Board Meeting**

> September 21 Walk-a-Thon

The FINAL DIGITAL PRIZE SLIP is due Tuesday, Sept. 17. If you haven't started getting pledges, it's not too late! There is still time for you to take advantage of our online First Giving page. Just click here to set up your account. This is a GREAT way to request

support from long-distance relatives via email, Facebook, or other social media. Keep up the good work and let's reach our goal of \$85,000! If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mrs. Adalys Colianne, Special Events Coordinator, at 815-577-9310, ext. 315, or acolianne@trinitychristian.info.

REMINDER: PTM MEETING TONIGHT AT 7 P.M.

CHAPEL NOTES BY NATALIE D. **GUEST CONTRIBUTOR TO THE SON TIMES**

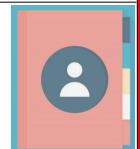
Chapel Speaker: Mr. V Date: Sept. 5 Title: All-In for Christ

There are many days that are celebrated but we want to focus on July 26, National All or Nothing Day, a day to make decisions with no procrastinating. Colossians 3:23 says, "Whatever you do, work at it will all your heart as working for the Lord, not for human masters.'

Matthew 22:37 says "you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind." Jesus wants us to be all-in for him. At chapel this year, we must allow ourselves to have an open heart, listen intently, look for answers, involve ourselves in chapel and take nuggets of information away from each speaker.

trinity family directory

Did you know that Trinity parents can see contact information for other TCS parents through the Family Portal? It's true! When you log in to the Family Portal, on the left side you will see a list of items, one of which is a Directory. Click on that to access phone numbers and address of parents who are opted into the Directory. You are able to sort alphabetically and by grade.





At Trinity Christian School, volunteers are needed every day! Check out our **EVERYDAY VOLUNTEER NEEDS** below! It is vital that we fill these everyday positions, as soon as possible, to be sure each school morning is off to a warm and friendly start; hot lunches are served efficiently; and to create a relaxing, fun, and safe environment for students and teachers during recess. PLEASE see what is available and contact Mrs. Adalys Colianne directly if you'd like to serve or for any additional details. Please note that these opportunities are on a first-come, first-served basis!

WE SEEK VOLUNTEERS FOR THE UPCOMING WEEKS: SEPT. 9-13 AND SEPT. 16-20. PLEASE CHECK YOUR CALANDERS AND RESPOND DIRECTLY TO MRS, COLIANNE, TO GET YOUR DATES LOCKED IN!

LUNCH HELPER: Four helpers daily, 11:15 a.m.-1 p.m. Distribute hot lunch orders by grade and classroom, then assist with cleanup.

Monday 09/09: No volunteers needed
Tuesday 09/10: No volunteers needed
Wednesday 09/11: No volunteers needed
Thursday 09/12: No volunteers needed
Thursday 09/13: 2 volunteers needed
Friday 09/13: 2 volunteers needed
Friday 09/20: 3 volunteers needed

RECESS HELPER: Every day, 11:50 a.m.-1:10 p.m. Provide supervision, with Trinity staff, to keep children safe during their playtime.

Monday 09/09: 2 volunteers needed
Tuesday 09/10: No volunteers needed
Wednesday 09/11: 1 volunteer needed
Thursday 09/12: 3 volunteers needed
Thursday 09/13: 3 volunteers needed
Friday 09/13: 3 volunteers needed
Friday 09/20: 3 volunteers needed

Please contact Mrs. Colianne at acolianne@trinitychristian.info or 815-577-9310, ext. 315, as soon as possible if interested and available.

As always thank you for your willingness to serve!

PLACE OCTOBER HOT LUNCH ORDERS

Order October hot lunch now through Sept. 20. All orders MUST be placed and paid for by Sept. 20 at 11:59 p.m., no exceptions. If you



have any questions about the hot lunch program, you may find more information on our **website**.

CONNECT THROUGH LOCAL CHURCH EVENTS

There are **new community events** to check out! Please click <u>here</u> to find out about the family events that are upcoming at area churches.

If your church has an event they would like to share, please email Mrs. Deanne Bekermeier, Director of Development, at dbekermeier@trinitychristian.info. Thank you!

WORDERING WHICH SWEATSHIRT TO WEAR TO SCHOOL?



As the weather gets chillier, we know kids will wear hoodies and sweatshirts to stay warm. Please remember these dress code items:

- 1. **Middle school students** may wear <u>Spirit Gear hoodies</u> at any time of the year, and must have a uniform shirt on underneath it. Hoodies MUST be TCS Spirit Gear. No regular, everyday hoodies are allowed.
- 2. During regular school days, the kind of sweatshirts **kindergarten through fifth grade students** may wear are a <u>plain navy sweatshirt</u> or <u>navy Trinity emblem sweatshirt</u>. NO Spirit Gear unless it is a Spirit Gear Day. Students may also wear a navy blue sweater (short or long-sleeved cardigan, V-neck and vests allowed), or navy/light blue Trinity emblem fleece.

DISMISSAL REMINDERS: Preschool has started! Now that they also have afternoon dismissal, we ask that families picking up K-8 students from the main building **WAIT** to pull up to the main building until 3 p.m. Those who arrive early and are the first cars in the K-8 line, please stay in the lane before the dismissal lane until 3 p.m. Thank you for your attention and help in this process!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR TRINITY CHRISTIAN'S



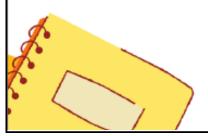
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5
7PM IN TCS LIBRARY

WE CANNOT WAIT TO SEE YOU!

TOPICS OF DISCUSSION

NEW MEMBERS, ANNUAL CALENDAR, FALL FAMILY NIGHT & GRANDPARENTS DAY

PARENTS, TEACHERS, GRANDPARENTS, AND STAFF ARE WELCOME!



QUESTIONS AND DONATIONS PLEASE EMAIL PTM @ TRINITY CHRISTIAN.INFO



