



THE TRINITY TWEET

Rescued

The Lord will rescue me from every evil attack and bring me safely to His heavenly kingdom. To Him be glory forever and ever. Amen. 2 Timothy 4:18

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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.

Do you have favorite Christmas music that you listen to every year? In case you are tired of the same old songs, here's a list of some of my favorites, as well as a couple added by Mrs. Knopf and Mrs. Nyboer. You may know some of these, but in case you don't, give them a listen.

1. Christmas in Killarney – Rend Collective
2. A Halleluja Christmas – Cloverton
3. O Holy Night – IL Volo
4. Domick the Donkey – Lou Monte
5. Today is the Saviours Day – Rend Collective
6. Christmas in Hollis – Run DMC
7. Little Drummer Boy – Justin Bieber and Busta Rhymes
8. Let there be Peace/Something in the Water – Carrie Underwood
9. White Christmas – Bing Crosby
10. What a Glorious Night – Sidewalk Prophets
11. Light of Christmas – TobyMac
12. Have a Holly Jolly Christmas – Burl Ives
13. What a Glorious Night – Sidewalk Prohpets

Merry Christmas! May you see, may you hear, may you know the Peace that is Christmas.

Mr. Brown

IMPORTANT INFO ABOUT THE CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

We are thankful that unlike last year, we are able to hold the annual School Christmas program live and in-person! In order to do that safely, we will be holding an additional showtime to accommodate everyone who would like to see it in-person. Please, *please*, take note of the invitation list:

7:00 p.m. Evening Show

LIMITED TO PARENTS/SIBLINGS ONLY

This evening show will also be available via livestream

2:00 p.m. Afternoon Show

ALL are welcome, including grandparents and friends

10:00 a.m. Dress Rehearsal

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DON'T FORGET ABOUT SCRIP as you shop for Christmas gifts. This gift card program lets you earn a percentage towards your school tuition. Cards (both physical and e-cards) can be purchased online and shipped to the school

within a few days, and we also have a nice variety of physical gift cards in the school office every day for sale. Teacher gifts? Piano instructor? Stocking stuffers? Say Merry Christmas with gift cards to places like Amazon, Target, Panera, Tim Horton's, Starbucks, TJ Maxx, and more! See Mrs. Nyboer for more details.



THE DINNER DANCE IS BACK! Mark your calendar for Saturday, February 26, 2022 and help support our 8th graders as they raise money for their class trip to St. Louis. Tickets are \$50/person and include dinner, spirits, and dancing at the Italian American Cultural Society and Banquet Center. In addition, there will be baskets and prize drawings. Tickets can be purchased from any 8th grader before February 1, 2022. All proceeds will benefit the trip to St. Louis in May. This is always a spectacular event. Don't miss out!

SCHOOL CALENDAR

December 15	Christmas Program Rehearsal 10 a.m. Christmas Programs at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m.
Dec 18-Jan 2	NO SCHOOL – CHRISTMAS BREAK
January 3	School Resumes virtually for one week
January 10	School Resumes in person
January 12	8:20 Chapel – live and livestreamed
January 12	Kindergarten – Hearing and Vision Test
January 17	NO SCHOOL – MLK DAY
January 19	8:20 Chapel – live and livestreamed
January 19-21	Grade 7 to Outdoor Ed
January 21	Mid-Term
January 23-28	National Lutheran Schools Week
January 24	Mid-Terms emailed
January 26	8:20 Chapel – live and livestreamed
January 28	6/7/8 Geography Bee
February 2	10:15 Chapel – live and livestreamed
February 6	School and ECC Open House 10:30-1:30
February 8	Kindergarten Information Night 6:30

DECEMBER CHAPEL OFFERING This month all offerings will go to Covenant House. Covenant House is a large privately funded agency in the Americas providing shelter, food, immediate crisis care, and other services to homeless and runaway youth. The organization also provides care to homeless youth aged 14–20, designed to transition them out of homelessness into independent adulthood. Please encourage your child to intentionally bring a chapel offering to support this mission. It's a great Christian life lesson!

FREE LUNCH PROGRAM Because of government requirements, students who are absent can still receive a lunch. Please contact the school office if you are interested in picking up a lunch for your absent student.

CHURCH INFORMATION -----

CHRISTMAS WORSHIP SERVICES

Celebrate the newborn king with us. Invite your friends and family to join us as well!

† Christmas Eve, 4 p.m.—Family Christmas
A worship service designed for families, young and old.

† Christmas Eve, 7 p.m. & 11 p.m.—Candlelight Worship
A candlelight service celebrating the miracle of Christ's birth. Also including a full orchestra with featured soloists Beth Griffith Manley and Michael Brock.

† Christmas Day, 10 a.m.—Christmas Festival Worship
This service will feature organ, brass, and Voices in Praise choir. There will also be Holy Communion.

*There will be no 5p Saturday evening service Christmas Day.
The church office will be closed on Monday, December 27.*

REGULAR WEEKEND CHURCH SERVICES

Sundays at 9:00am and 11:00am / Saturday at 5:00pm

ADVENT CROSSTALK DEVOTIONS Our week-day Crosstalk audio devotions are currently underway. These 5-minute devotions are sent directly to your inbox each day if you have signed up for them. You can also find these devotions on iTunes or Google Play by searching for Trinity Lutheran CrossTalk. The theme this year is "God's Promises and Prophecies Fulfilled in Jesus." If you'd like to sign up to receive the devotions, contact Rebecca Thomas at rthomas@trinityct.org.

GIVE THE GIFT OF LIFE—Trinity will host a Red Cross Blood Drive on Tuesday, December 14 from 1– 7 p.m. in the Community Center. Consider donating blood to save the lives. Sign up at RedCrossBlog.org and use the sponsor code TrinityCT. For more information, contact Lisa Riviera at lriviera@Trinityct.org.

E3 RESUMES IN JANUARY—Our E3 activities are on pause until Wednesday, January 12. Stay tuned for details.

YOUTH MEETINGS ON PAUSE—Our youth meetings on Wednesday evenings will resume after the holidays. Plan to join us on Wednesday, January 5 at 6:30 p.m. Vicar Ashley will remind you via email as we get closer.

PHOTO CONTEST The church's phone directory is scheduled for publication in February. Trinity supplies the cover photo to the printing company each year. This year, we want you to have a chance to get your picture on the cover. Between now and Jan. 28, submit your best picture on our website at Trinityct.org/contest. All of the details are available on the website. If you have any additional questions, contact Rebecca Thomas at rthomas@trinityct.org.

CHURCH BALL IS BACK Trinity offers a chance for its highschoolers to play and engage in friendly competition with other churches through Michigan Lutheran Youth Athletics. Games are on weekends with one to two practices a week. We hope to begin practices soon with opening games the first week in January. Games are played at Trinity Clinton Township, Immanuel Macomb, and St. John Fraser. For more info, contact Jay Guzman at jayguzman1997@gmail.com or 586-744-3962.

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER -----

TODDLER TEACHER: The Early Childhood Center is seeking a teacher for our Toddler Classroom – this classroom has children from ages 12 – 30 months. Must have a minimum of Associates Degree in Early Childhood Education or a CDA (an early childhood teaching credential). Please fill out an

application at www.trinityct.org on the Early Childhood Section employment page or call the Early Childhood Center at 586-463-8803 for more information.

CHILDCARE STAFF MEMBER FOR INFANT ROOM Full time. Must be available Monday-Friday from 7 a.m. – 6 p.m. No weekends! This position is year- round. Please fill out an

application at www.trinityct.org on the Early Childhood Section employment page or call the Early Childhood Center at 586-463-8803 for more info. Thank you!

CHILD CARE ASSISTANTS needed in the ECC. Part-time positions available. Please contact the front desk at tlcecc@trinityct.org to learn more.