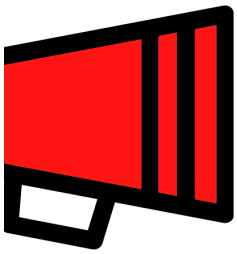


Trinity Lutheran School, Alma, Missouri **January 21, 2026**

Principal's Pens will be electronically sent out unless you've requested a hard copy! Just reach out to the office if you'd like one sent home with your child. Upcoming Events can be found on the last page of this newsletter.



MINI CHEER CAMP

PERFORMANCE is Tomorrow, January 22nd
Half-time of the boys' game
(scheduled to start at 6:00 pm)

Reminder- January 23rd is Winter Sports (basketball, cheerleading) picture retake day.

We will also take an all-school picture for the yearbook!

- *If you're satisfied with your child's picture, no further action is required.*
- *Find answers to Retake Day questions here.*



Valentine Candy Grams

Trinity's 7/8 grade class will be offering Valentine Candy Grams this year. This will be a fundraiser for their class trip. You can buy as many Valentine's grams as you want. They will be delivered to students on Feb 13 during their class party. If you buy for people outside of Trinity School, you can pick up those items from school at the end of the school day on Friday, February 13.
You choose what to include with the gram,

- **a sucker,**
- **a sugar cookie,**
- **a flower**
- **or a combination.**

Please have the grams filled out and money turned in to the school office by Monday, February 2. You can print the grams off at home or pick them up from the school office. Contact Mr. Tebbenkamp or Amber Ballenger with any questions.

ALL CHOIRS SING January 25 at 9:30 TRINITY To Celebrate National Lutheran Schools Week

National Lutheran Schools Week Details on the next page!

Sucker Friday returns! $1 for a sucker or meat sticks!!

26	27	28	29	30
Breakfast Bar --- Chicken Nuggets French Fries Peaches Peas Cookies	Pancakes Bacon or Sausage --- Fettuccine Alfredo Lettuce salad Oranges Breadstick	Bacon, Egg Extravaganza Cinni mini --- Pork Roast Mashed Potato and gravy Green Beans Blueberries Roll	Biscuits and Gravy --- Spaghetti Carrots Banana Bread stick Brownie	Egg Omelet Bacon or Sausage --- Corn Dog Mac and Cheese Strawberries Corn Rice Krispie Treat

Milk and fresh fruit offered daily

Salad option available

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Breakfast & Lunch Menus available on our app.

We want your pictures for the yearbook! Please email mschreiman@santafechiefs.k12.mo.us with any pictures you'd like to share!



National Lutheran Schools Week provides more than 1,800 preschools, elementary schools and high schools with the public opportunity to proclaim and celebrate God's work among us in schools of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. We thank God for the opportunity to provide excellent academic preparation for the children we serve. We are most grateful for the opportunity to share Jesus' amazing love with children and their families. National Lutheran Schools Week gives us an opportunity to proclaim these great blessings within the communities we serve. Our schools are amazing incubators for faithful witness of God's love for us through Christ by teachers and students alike. Trinity is excited to be part of this nationwide celebration and proclamation of our faith!

1/25	**Sunday:**	**All Choirs Sing @ the 9:30 am Trinity Church Service!**
1/26	**Monday:**	**PJ Day**
1/27	**Tuesday:**	**Swap your top! (silly hair or a hat) & Anything but a backpack**
1/28	**Wednesday:**	**Dress your best for Jesus! We will be traveling to Saint Paul Lutheran Church in Concordia for a joint chapel with St. Paul's & Higginsville Immanuel!**
1/29	**Thursday:**	**100th Day of school! Dress in attire from your favorite Decade!**
1/30	**Friday:**	**Show your TIGER PRIDE!! Wear Trinity Gear, Black & Red**
		12:30 pm SPELLING BEE in the school gymnasium

Family Devotion
Table Talk

Read: *Mark 6:45–56 (ESV) 45 Immediately he made his disciples get into the boat and go before him to the other side, to Bethsaida, while he dismissed the crowd. 46 And after he had taken leave of them, he went up on the mountain to pray. 47 And when evening came, the boat was out on the sea, and he was alone on the land. 48 And he saw that they were making headway painfully, for the wind was against them. And about the fourth watch of the night he came to them, walking on the sea. He meant to pass by them, 49 but when they saw him walking on the sea they thought it was a ghost, and cried out, 50 for they all saw him and were terrified. But immediately he spoke to them and said, "Take heart; it is I. Do not be afraid." 51 And he got into the boat with them, and the wind ceased. And they were utterly astounded, 52 for they did not understand about the loaves, but their hearts were hardened. 53 When they had crossed over, they came to land at Gennesaret and moored to the shore. 54 And when they got out of the boat, the people immediately recognized him 55 and ran about the whole region and began to bring the sick people on their beds to wherever they heard he was. 56 And wherever he came, in villages, cities, or countryside, they laid the sick in the marketplaces and implored him that they might touch even the fringe of his garment. And as many as touched it were made well.*

Reflect: *Jesus responds to us in a positive way, no matter how we cry out to him—in fear or in faith. Take a moment to talk about what this passage (Mark 6:45–56) means for you as a family. Now share with one another one thing you can do differently as a member of your family.*

Pray: *Dear Lord, regardless of our understanding, you respond when we cry out to you. Help us to call out to you in both times of fear and faith, knowing you have all authority to answer our prayers. In your precious name we pray, amen.*

Upcoming Events

January

22 4th-6th Girls @ 5:00 (HOME)
4th & 5th Boys @ 6:00 pm (HOME)
**Cheer Performance ½ time of the Boys game

23 Picture Day
7 &8th Girls Away

25-31 National Lutheran Schools Week

25 ALL Choirs Sing @ Trinity (9:30 am) to Kick Off National Lutheran Schools Week

26 4th & 5th Boys @ 6:00 pm (AWAY at ST Pauls Sedalia)

27 7th & 8th @ 5:30 pm (AWAY v Applewood)

28 Chapel

29 4th-6th Girls @ 5:00 (AWAY v St Peter)
4th & 5th Boys @ 6:00 pm (AWAY v St Peter)

30 Spelling Bee (TBD)

February

10 Kindergarten Round up 5:30 pm

16 NO SCHOOL (President's Day)

18 Ash Wednesday

19 *PT Conferences (Optional, reach out to teacher)

23 PTL Meeting 6:00 pm

27 12:30 Dismissal