November 2nd - 6th, 2026

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8th grade students visited the PEAK Center this week!



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PEAK Center Field Trip





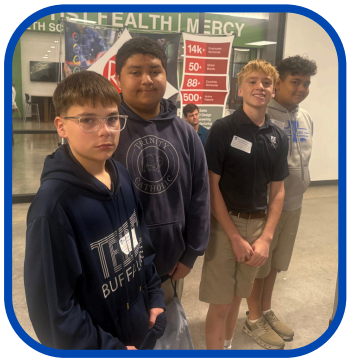














Volunteer Opportunities!



Basketball Season



VOLUNTEER HOURS

Don't forget to add your volunteer hours to your Facts account! Click here for directions on how to do that. Contact Mrs. Rinke with questions: brinke@thinktrinity.org

How to Enter Volunteer Hours

Facts/Ren Web Login (code: tr-ar)

Catholic High School Feasibility Study

Your voice matters.

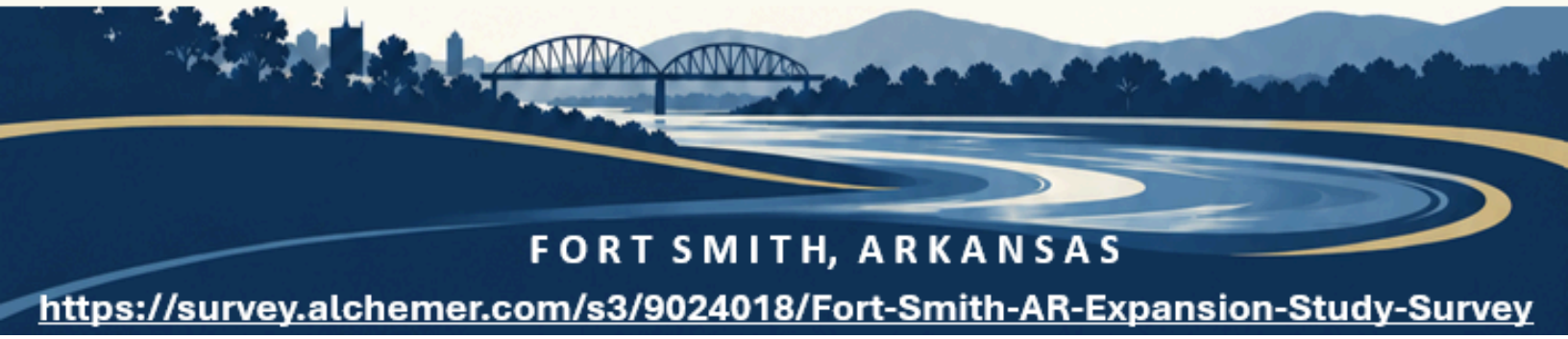
Share your thoughts on a potential new Catholic high school serving the Fort Smith area.

SCAN TO PARTICIPATE



TAKE THE SURVEY

Respond by November 9



https://survey.alchemer.com/s3/9024018/Fort-Smith-AR-Expansion-Study-Survey

Catholic High School Survey



PRIVATE SCHOOL MAJORETTE CLINIC

1ST LUTHERAN, CTK, IC & TRINITY



FOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GIRLS
& TRINITY GIRLS IN BAND

COACHED BY: LAUREN FIVEKILLER
Former Ramsey & Southside Majorette and Current Southside Majorette Coach

TUESDAY & THURSDAY
December 8 & 10
4-5pm
Trinity Basketball Gym

$35 fee includes clinic, t-shirt, participant's entry into the game, and the opportunity to perform at the Trinity Basketball Game
Friday, December 11th

REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16TH!

SCAN HERE TO SIGN UP

SCAN HERE TO PAY ONLINE

You can also bring cash/check to Trinity on the first day of clinic.

JOIN THE TRINITY TEAM!

Trinity Catholic Middle School
is seeking a qualified applicant for the
following position:

EMAIL RESUME TO:

brinke@thinktrinity.org

>>> **COACH - BOYS SOCCER**

Part time position
Bachelors degree required

(Applicants are not
required to be Catholic.)

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LATE PICKUP REMINDER:

Students who are not staying for after school activities should be picked up by 4:00 p.m. at the latest. Families of students not pickedi up by 4:00 could be charged a $20 late fee each time their student is late to be picked up. (Per Student-Parent Handbook, Pg. 5)

Shooting shirts for basketball 🏀
Order using the link below by Nov 1!

https://stores.inksoft.com/trinity_basketball/shop/home



Basketball Pictures:

Basketball pictures will be taken on Monday, November 2nd in the gym at the following times. Your child should come dressed and ready to go in the correctly numbered jersey. Please send payment on that day.

4:00 - 4:45 - 7th grade boys
4:45 - 5:30 - 8th grade boys
5:30 - 6:15 - 7th grade girls
6:15 - 7:00 - 8th grade girls

Also available for purchase at pictures will be Banners for Basketball for the 8th graders. The banners are available to recognize our 8th graders in their final sports seasons at Trinity. The banners will be hung in the gym during the season and then returned to the students for a keepsake. Banners will be 16 x 20, in color, and have the student's name and sport on them. You may buy one banner and list all activities or you may buy separate banners for each activity. The cost will be $40 per banner. You can complete the order form for the banner the day of the pictures. Karen would prefer cash payment for banners as well.

Trinity Catholic School

VETERANS DAY CEREMONY



11.10.2026 @ 8:45 a.m.

HONORING ALL WHO SERVED

We want to invite all veterans and family members of veterans to this ceremony. Master Sergeant Chandra Stoll will be our guest speaker. The band and choir will also perform patriotic selections.

We would also love to create a slideshow with pictures of Trinity family members who are veterans or currently serving in the Armed Services or Reserves. Please send any pics for the slideshow to brinke@thinktrinity.org. Please include the veteran's name and the name of their family.

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PURPLE STAR

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We want to say THANK YOU to our student council & Mr. Gilbreth for hosting our St. Boniface Food Drive! The winning mentor group will win a donut party & a free dress day!



St Boniface Food Drive

Happy Thanksgiving

Nov. 3rd - 17th

- Peanut Butter
- Cereal
- Oatmeal
- Pasta sauce
- canned vegetables
- Pudding
- Box mac n cheese
- Hamburger helper
- Pasta
- Rice
- Bagged beans
- Soup
- Fruit cups
- Stuffing

BuffBots

ROBOTICS



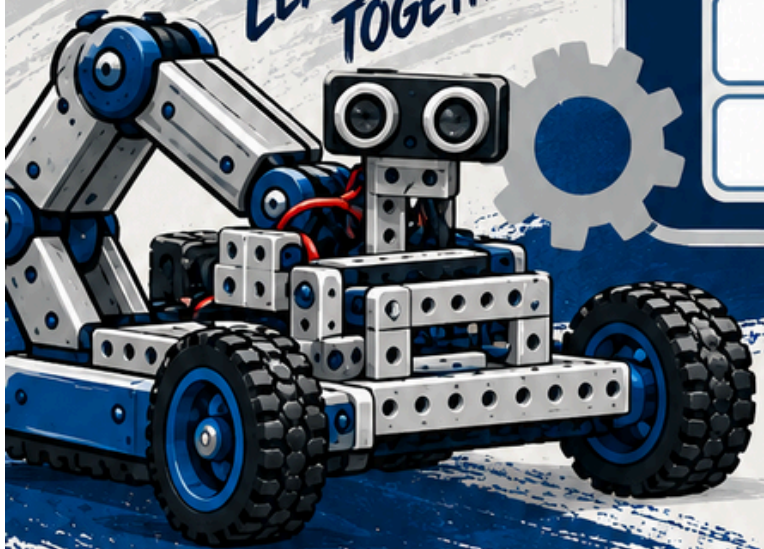
Meetings

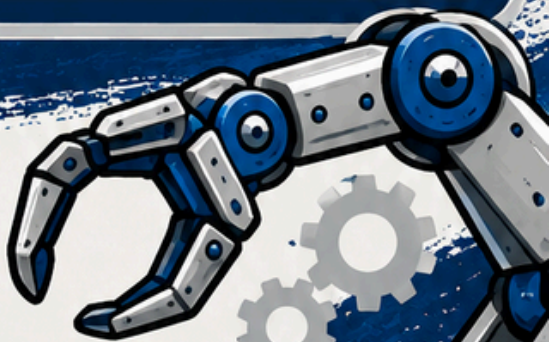
WEDNESDAYS

3:30 - 4:30 PM

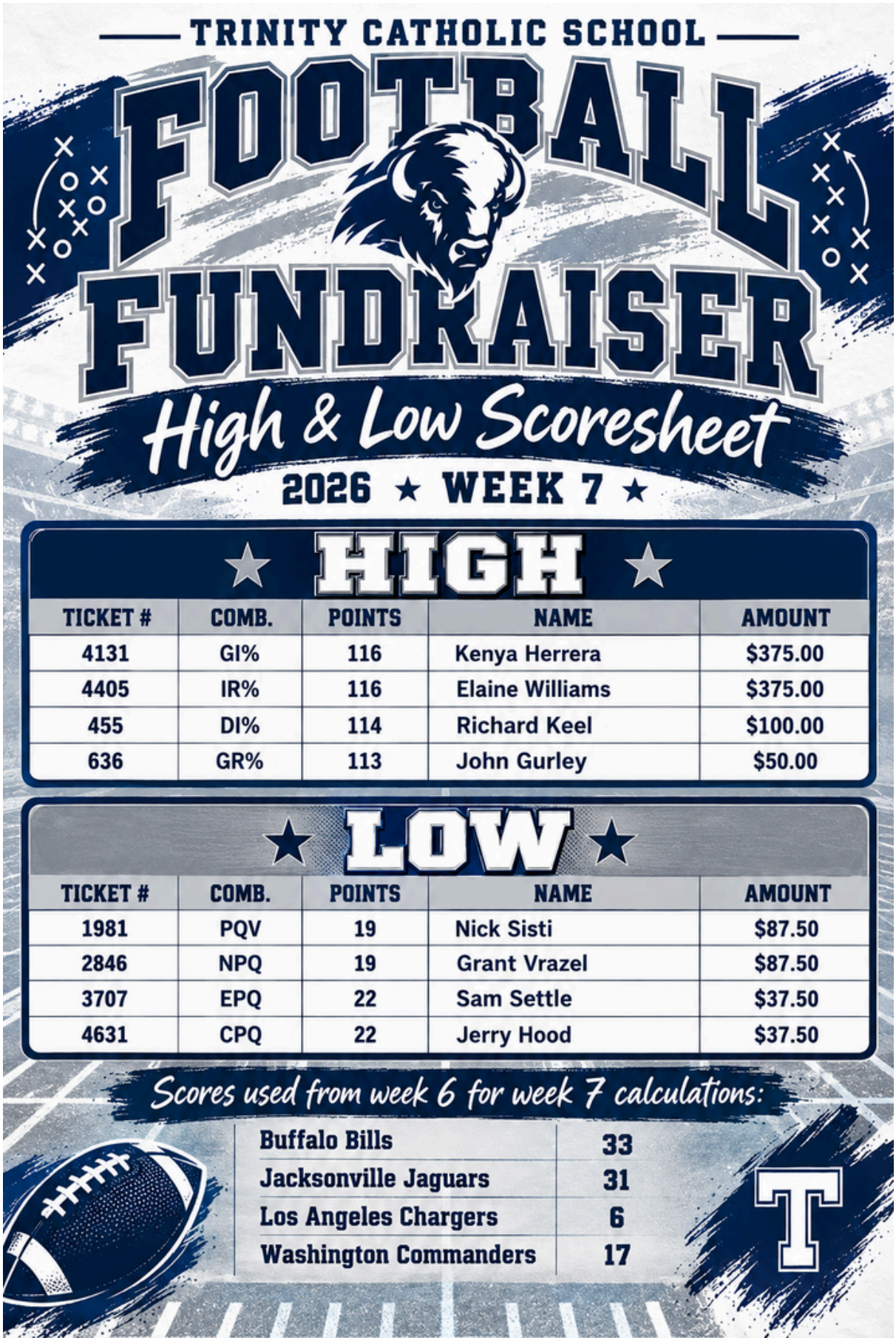
- Wednesday, October 14th
- Wednesday, October 28th
- Wednesday, November 4th
- Wednesday, November 11th
- Wednesday, November 18th
- Wednesday, December 2nd
- Wednesday, December 16th

BUILD CREATE SOLVE LEARN TOGETHER





CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FOOTBALL FUNDRAISER WINNERS!



DISC GOLF

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CLUB

STARTING MONDAYS IN SEPTEMBER



NO EXPERIENCE REQUIRED

SEE MR. GILBRETH FOR INFORMATION

Birthday Celebration!

We celebrate student birthdays once a month! On the first Tuesday of each month, students with birthdays in that month will enjoy a Free Dress Day. Parents may bring a special lunch for their child on this day only, and lunches should be delivered to the office no later than 11:05 a.m. so they are ready in time for lunch.

Birthday Month Free Dress Days:

2026-2027

~~AUGUST/SEPTEMBER:~~

~~TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST~~

~~OCTOBER:~~

~~TUESDAY, OCTOBER 6TH~~

NOVEMBER:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD

DECEMBER:

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1ST

JANUARY:

TUESDAY, JANUARY 5TH

FEBRUARY:

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2ND

MARCH:

TUESDAY, MARCH 2ND

APRIL:

TUESDAY, APRIL 6TH

MAY/JUNE/JULY:

TUESDAY, MAY 4TH



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Week in Pictures!







Trinity's newest club, Keep Trinity Clean, met this week!
We will be meeting each month to help keep our campus clean.











MATH LAB SCHEDULE

3:30-4:00

TUESDAY

MRS. BROWN

First Floor - Room 3

WEDNESDAY

MRS. HURST

First Floor - Room 6

THURSDAY

MRS. CROSS

First Floor - Room 4

Buffalo Pride AWARDS

SPREAD KINDNESS

CAUGHT BEING KIND. MAKING A DIFFERENCE.

★ COMPASSION ★ RESPECT ★ POSITIVE CHOICES ★ COMMUNITY ★

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BUFFALO PRIDE



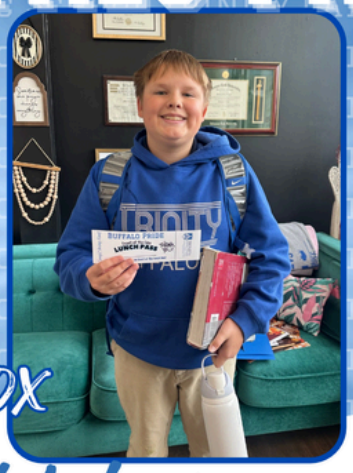
Tate Reid

Abram Jose

Caught being Kind!

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BUFFALO PRIDE



Maddox

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Caught being Kind!



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MR JONES IS OFFERING

FREE GUITAR CLASSES

LEARN
PLAY
IMPROVE
HAVE FUN!

After School!

3:30-4:00



TUESDAY
BEGINNERS

New to guitar?
Start here!
Learn the basics
in a friendly,
supportive environment.

THURSDAY
EXPERIENCED

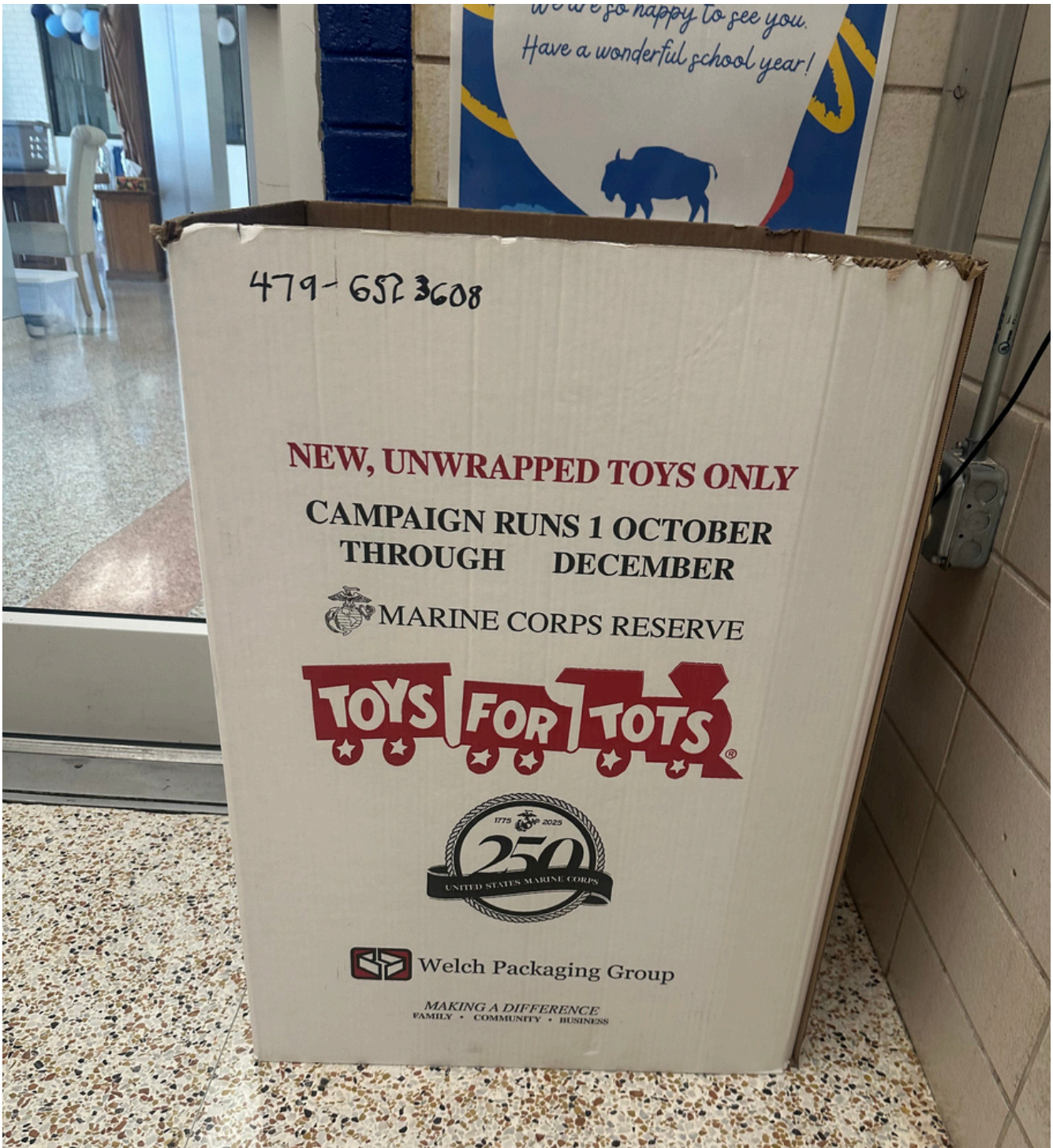
Already know
the basics?
Build your skills,
learn new songs,
and take your playing
to the next level!

MUST HAVE YOUR OWN ACOUSTIC GUITAR.

Questions? See Mr Jones!

TOYS FOR TOTS

There are two Toys for Tots boxes at Trinity. We are collecting new, unwrapped toys. The boxes will be collected at the end of November.



SAVE THE DATE



TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

PRESENTS

MARDI GRAS GALA

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2027

HARDSCRABBLE COUNTRY CLUB

<<< Scan here or contact Mike Charlton: [479] 353-5501 or Ashley Forsgren: [479] 651-4305 for more info.! !

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PRESENTS

MARDI GRAS GALA



SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2027

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Royal Court Sponsorship $7500

2 reserved table for 8 people, 2 premium bottles of wine or spirit at each table, car service to and from event, recognition on social media and at all 2026-2027 home football and basketball games, 2 full page ads in event program

King Sponsor $5000

1 reserved table for 8 people, 1 premium bottle of wine or spirit at table, car service to and from event, recognition on social media and at all 2026-2027 home football and basketball games, full page ad in event program

Queen Sponsorship $3500

1 reserved table for 8 people, 1 premium bottle of wine, recognition on social media and at all 2026-2027 home football and basketball games, half page ad in event program

Jester Sponsorship $2000

1 reserved table for 8 people, recognition on social media and at all 2026-2027 home football and basketball games, listed in event program

BECOME A SPONSOR TODAY!!!

SCAN HERE TO RESERVE YOUR TABLE!!

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT:
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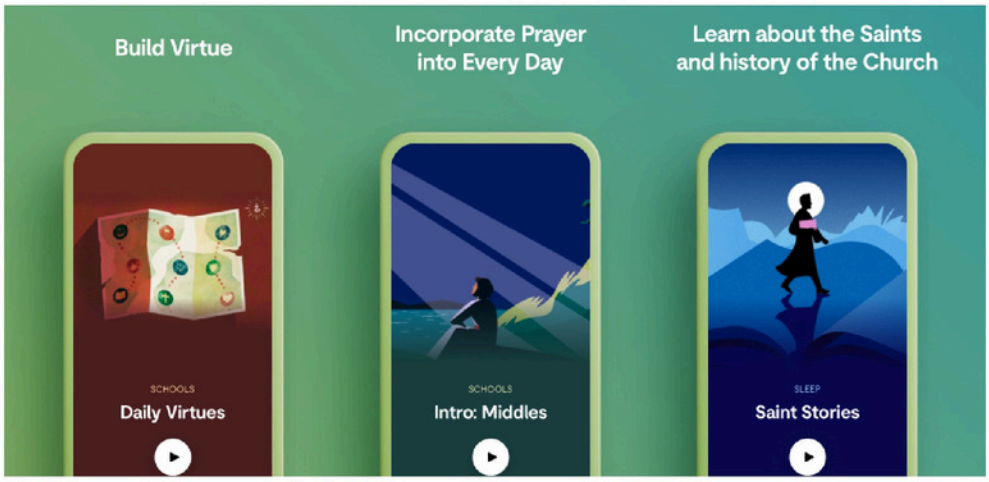
Proud to Partner with **Hallow**



Dear Trinity Families,

As you may have heard, our school has partnered with Hallow, **the world's #1 Catholic prayer app**. Hallow exists to make growing in relationship with God simple and accessible, no matter where your relationship with Him is at. Our partnership gives staff and students access to this wonderful resource, which will serve to strengthen the mental and spiritual health of our school community.

Hallow contains over 12,000 audio-guided prayers spanning from quick minute meditations to entire holy hours, dozens of music albums and 'praylists,' and everything in between. The app is specifically designed to offer something for everyone, and in the classroom we'll use Hallow to help:



Praying together as a family has never been easier now that your student has full access to everything on the platform, including hundreds of prayers specifically designed for Kids, Teens, and Families. Follow the instructions below to log into your shared account for the first time. Take some time and explore!

1) Download the Hallow app, or log in at hallow.com
2) Click **Continue with Student Login** and select "Continue with Google."
3) Input your child's school email address and password.

If you have any questions or if there is anything we can offer up in prayer on your behalf, please do not hesitate to reach out to us or the Hallow team directly at schoolpartners@hallow.app.

For Trinity related login questions, please contact Mrs. Rinke at brinke@thinktrinity.org.

Lunch accounts should be funded prior to ordering. Accounts are locked once they reach $10 in the negative. Please call the office if you need more information!

Please call the office if you need help with your lunch account!



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Weekly SCHEDULE

MONDAY
NOVEMBER
2

NO SCHOOL TODAY!! Staff will be attending PD.

Basketball Pictures at Trinity



TUESDAY
NOVEMBER
3

November birthday free dress!

St. Boniface food drive begins!

Pure Heart Girls Meeting 3:30-4:30



WEDNESDAY
NOVEMBER
4

Chess Club during study hall

Robotics Meeting 3:30-4:30

THURSDAY
NOVEMBER
5

Varsity Boys & Girls Basketball @ Anthem Classical



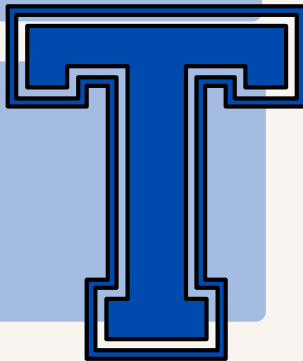
SATURDAY
NOVEMBER
7

Quiz Bowl @ Greenwood

MONDAY
NOVEMBER
9

Chess Club @ Study Hall

Disc Golf Club Meeting 3:30-4:30



TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL

November 2026

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 Daylight Savings Time Ends	2 NO SCHOOL- STAFF PD!!	3 St. Boniface Food Drive Begins November birthday free dress Pure Heart meeting	4 Chess Club Robotics 3:30-4:30	5 Varsity Bball @ Anthem Classical	6	7 Quiz Bowl @ Greenwood
8	9 Chess Club Disc Golf Club meeting 3:30-4:30	10 Veteran's Day Assembly 8:45 FCA study hall Quiz Bowl @ Subiaco Bball vs. St. Joe's	11 Chess Club Robotics 3:30-4:30	12 Choir to watch Shrek Bball @ St. Vincent MIDTERMS	13	14 Quiz Bowl @ UAFS
15	16 Chess Club Disc Golf Club meeting 3:30-4:30	17 St. Boniface Food Drive Ends Hearing screenings Jazz Auditions 6th Quiz Bowl @ Butterfield Bball @ Haas Hall	18 Chess Club Robotics 3:30-4:30	19	20	21
22	23 Thanksgiving Break!	24	25	26	27	28
29	30 Chess Club Disc Golf Club meeting 3:30-4:30 Bball vs. Anthem					

Hackett Tournament 8th grade

Great things happen at Trinity!

NOTES:

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TCS





DAILY SCHEDULE

1ST	8:00	8:46
2ND	8:50	9:33
3RD	9:37	10:20
4TH	10:24	11:07
LUNCH	11:10	11:40
5TH	11:45	12:28
6TH	12:32	1:15
7TH	1:19	2:02
STUDY HALL	2:06	2:38
8TH	2:42	3:25



TCS

WEDNESDAY MASS DAILY SCHEDULE

1ST	8:00	8:37
MASS	8:41	9:35
2ND	9:39	10:16
3RD	10:20	10:57
4TH	11:01	11:38
LUNCH	11:41	12:11
5TH	12:16	12:53
6TH	12:57	1:34
7TH	1:38	2:15
STUDY HALL	2:19	2:44
8TH	2:48	3:25

TRINITY CATHOLIC SCHOOL
2026-2027 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

First Quarter

August 4-11 (Tues-Wed)	Teacher In Service
August 12 (Wed)	1st Day of School
September 7 (Mon)	Labor Day, No School
September 11 (Fri)	Midterms
September 25 (Fri)	Professional Day - No School
October 9 (Fri)	End of First Quarter

Second Quarter

October 13 (Tues)	2:00-5:30 Parent/Teacher Conferences-1:30 Dismissal
October 15 (Thurs)	2:00-5:30 Parent/Teacher Conferences-1:30 Dismissal
October 16 (Fri)	Fall Break, No School
October 19 (Mon)	Fall Break, No School
November 2 (Mon)	Staff PD, No School
November 12 (Thurs)	Midterms
November 23-27 (Mon-Fri)	Thanksgiving Break, No School
December 18 (Friday)	End of Second Quarter; Noon Dismissal
December 21- January 3	Christmas Break, No School

Third Quarter

January 4 (Mon)	Classes Resume
January 18 (Mon)	MLK, Jr. Day, No School
February 5 (Fri)	Midterms
February 15 (Mon)	President's Day, No School
March 5 (Fri)	End of Third Quarter

Fourth Quarter

March 16 (Tues)	2:00-5:30 Parent/Teacher Conferences-1:30 Dismissal
March 18 (Thurs)	2:00-5:30 Parent/Teacher Conferences-1:30 Dismissal
March 22-26 (Mon-Fri)	Spring Break, No School
March 29 (Mon)	Easter Monday, No School
April 2 (Fri)	No School
April 16 (Fri)	Midterms
May 20 (Thurs)	End of Fourth Quarter, Last Day of School; Noon Dismissal
May 21 (Fri)	Staff Work Day

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