

Trinity Lutheran Christian Preschool Newsletter

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From the Director

Aaah . . . Spring! Get outside as much as possible! Enjoy the rebirth of the earth. We can't wait to get outside and enjoy the wonders of God's world!

ENROLLMENT 2019/2020

Classes are filling for next year. We are so excited to have many of our young students returning. Others will be heading off to Kindergarten with a solid foundation formed here at Trinity. We wish them well. If you are planning on sending your child to Trinity and have not turned in your enrollment form, I encourage you to do so. If you are unsure about where your child will be next year or have any questions, please contact us. Trinity offers a wonderful 5 year old class. Often the gift of another year can do wonders, allowing your child a little more time to grow and mature. And thanks for spreading the word about our program. Word of mouth is our best form of advertisement!

SPRING SERVICE PROJECT Backpacks for Guatemala

Our final service project of the year will be an outreach mission project. We have teamed up with YWAM (Youth with a Mission) in conjunction with Trinity Lutheran Church and the Sunday School Program here to collect funds for Backpacks for Guatemala. Please take a moment to check out the mission trip photos in hallway from last March as members of the congregation traveled to Guatemala to build a home and assist with the mom's ministry group. Our goal is to be able to provide funds for several backpacks and items that the children need for school. \$40 = backpack with school supplies

\$60 = backpack, supplies, uniform & shoes Service project information and details will be sent home later this week.

THANK YOU

Thank you for meeting with us for Parent/Teacher Conferences

Thank you Dr. Palmer, Dr. Stewart and Dr. Byers for teaching the children about dental health!

Thank You Celebrity Readers for taking the time to read to our preschoolers!!!!

PRESCHOOLERS SING AT TRINITY CHURCH SERVICE

Sunday, April 28 at the 10:30 am service You are all invited to come and worship here at Trinity Lutheran Church. The preschoolers will be part of the service as they share some songs with the congregation. This is our way of thanking Trinity Church for their love and support of our school. We would love to have all the kids come and sing! They have been practicing. Check out the Preschool Art Gallery after the service. Everyone is welcome!

SPRING OPEN HOUSE! Thursday, April 4 from 6:30-7:30 pm.

This is a time to come and see what your child has been up to in their class, for some to see their room for next year and also for new families, enrolled for fall, to see our school for the first time. We will have cookies, punch, fellowship and fun! Everyone is welcome!!

DATES TO REMEMBER

April 4	Spring OPEN HOUSE~ 6:30-7:30
	(Mrs. Bond's class) Bookmobile
April 3 & 4	
April 8 & 9	Fire Drills
April 10 & 11	(Mrs.Lamb's) Pajama Day
April 16Mrs. Wh	ite & Mrs. Bond – Easter Celebration
April 17	.PM 4's & 5's.Sing at Brown Memorial
April 18 & 22	No School - Happy Easter
April 24	Story Time
April 25	5's- Bookmobile & Library Field Trip
April 28Prescl	noolers sing at TLChurch Service 10:30
*Preschool Gallery Art Show in Noecker Hall after service	
April 29	5's Field Trip – Wittich's Candy
April 29 & 30	Weather Drill

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

End of year **picnics** at **Barthelmas Park** on Thurs., **May 23**. All MORNING classes meet at the park at 10:00 am. ALL AFTERNOON classes will meet at the park at 12:30 pm. Children must be accompanied by an adult. More information to follow as the date approaches.



Teacher Talk News from the classroom!

"For God so loved the world that he gave his one and only Son, that whoever believes in him shall not perish but have eternal life." John 3:16 (NIV)

Mrs. Lamb (Hoppers 3's to 4's Classes)

Welcome Spring! Just as spring is a new start, we are all new creations in Christ. We will be celebrating Easter this month. We will teach about God's sacrifice of his only son, Jesus Christ, to give us forgiveness of our sins. This sacrifice lets us have new life.

We will be learning about plant growth, bugs, frogs, butterflies and all things spring. April showers bring May flowers. We will be studying the garden in our play yard, observing the change of the trees and flowers. We will watch them go from bare and brown to full and green. We will plant rye grass and watch it grow.

Our Open House is scheduled for April 4 6;30-7:30pm. We will have our hallway decorated with our version of <u>The Lamb and The Butterfly</u>, a book by Arnold Sundgarrd and pictures by Eric Carle. It will look like spring in our hallway. We hope to see you there!

Thank you for coming in for conferences. It is so important to take an interest in your child's education. Thank you for understanding the need to reschedule. Also, please take the time to read every night to your child. Reading is the most important activity you can do with children to prepare them for learning and success in school and life.

Thank you to Mrs. Trapp and the staff at Trinity. Conference time gets busy and I really appreciate everyone pitching in to make our school run smoothly.

Let His light shine in all you do. Lo

Love, Mrs. Lamb

Mrs. White (Skippers 4's to 5's Classes)

Spring is here! Now we eagerly look forward to warm days to be outside looking for signs of the season. It is always fun to help the children notice the changes occurring in God's world as spring really blooms around us.

Our Open House is Thursday, April 4th from 6:30-7:30 pm. If you are undecided about Kindergarten vs. the 5 year old class, this is a great time to stop in to meet Mrs. Bond and check out that room. I know she would be happy to answer any questions you may have. We hope you all find a few minutes to stop in, say hello, and see how Spring has Sprung here at Trinity with all the lovely art in the hall.

As I write this, we are beginning to prepare for the Easter Celebration on Tuesday, April 16. When you get the

letter about this special day, please return the included RSVP so we have an idea of how much food we will need. The donation sign-up sheet will be posted by Open House night.

On Wed. April 17, we will have a small egg hunt. If you could please donate 18 filled eggs, it would be very much appreciated. Also, the pm class will be singing at Brown Memorial that same day.

The Preschool has been invited to sing at the 10:30 am service here at Trinity on Sunday, April 28. I really hope your family will be able to join us on this day of worship and fellowship.

We continue to work through the alphabet, focusing on V, W, X and Y this month. It is hard to believe that we are down to the final 2 months of the school year. We will continue to work hard and play hard and enjoy our time together.

Mrs. Bond (Jumpers 5's class)

The Five Year Old Class is so happy that spring has arrived! We have been searching for signs of spring in the Biblical Garden area of our school's playground. It's been VERY exciting to see new things appearing and growing all around us each new week!

During the month of April we will continue to look for transformation and change. We will watch as caterpillars go through metamorphosis and change into the new creatures we call butterflies. We will apply the amazing transformation of a chrysalis into a butterfly and how God can change us to be new in Him. We will celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ at our Easter Celebration on April 16th.

The children are about to complete their ABC books. It's exciting to see how their skills have developed, strengthened and transformed since last September, when we began this project.

We will have grand adventures in the form of field trips to the Pickaway County District Library and Wittich's Candy Shop during the month of April!

A special thank you to our parents and grandparents for helping with donations and chaperoning all the special events during this busy time of year. With love and appreciation, Mrs. Bond