

TRINITY

NEWSLETTER

WEEKLY

OCTOBER 16 



DID YOU KNOW?

Did you know that Martin Luther, the founder of the Lutheran faith, believed passionately in the importance of education for all? He advocated for both boys and girls to be taught to read so they could study the Bible

for themselves, which was revolutionary for his time. Luther even translated the New Testament into German, putting God's Word into the language of everyday people so they could understand it directly. This commitment to learning and understanding Scripture continues today in Lutheran schools, where students are encouraged to grow in both knowledge and faith. Luther once said, "I advise no one to place his child where the Scriptures do not reign paramount." This legacy remains a core part of our mission, helping students build a foundation in both faith and academics.



Parent-Teacher CONFERENCES

Parent-Teacher Conferences are November 3-5. All parents are required to have a conference with their child's teacher(s). Visit tlsboone.us/scheduler to select the day and time that works best for you. You can also sign up via the TLSBoone app by scrolling all the way over to the "Scheduler" tab on the home page and selecting "Parent Teacher Conferences."

Please sign up for conferences by Saturday, November 1st, so our teachers know their schedules for the week and can plan accordingly.

When scheduling conferences, please be sure you select your child's teacher from the "Staff Member" drop-down to see their conference schedule openings.

5-8th grade parents: Ms. Schroeder, Mrs. Hornbuckle, Mr. Kruse, and Mrs. Wible conduct conferences together, but you only need to sign up with Ms. Schroeder when scheduling. After you've scheduled with Ms. Schroeder, we will add your conference to the other middle school teacher's schedules. Mrs. Satre (rsatre@tlsboone.us) will be available upon request. Please contact them directly to make arrangements.

You must sign up, cancel, or reschedule at least 24 hours in advance. If you need to make changes to an already scheduled conference, please contact connect@tlsboone.us. For any changes that need to be made less than 24 hours in advance, please contact your child's teacher directly.

CONFERENCE MEALS

PTL needs parent volunteers to provide meals for our teachers on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday during conference week (November 3-5). PTL will take care of plates, silverware, napkins, drinks, and other essentials – all we need is the food to keep our teachers energized! To sign up visit tlsboone.us/ptl

HARVEST PARTIES

On Friday, October 31, students are welcome to bring costumes to change into before our classroom parties. Remember, costumes should reflect our Christian values—so, no witches, devils, vampires, ghosts etc. Parties will kick off with a costume parade through each classroom and, weather permitting, around the block!

CALENDAR

OCTOBER

17 - Volleyball Game @ Home
19 - K-4 Choir Sings [RSVP ASPA](#)
22 - 3rd Grade Leads Chapel
23 - Volleyball Game @ Home
26 - 5-8 Choir Sings [RSVP 10/21](#)
27 - Volleyball Game @ Home
28 - Volleyball Game @ Home
30 - Living History Farms (2nd Grade) [RSVP 10/21](#)
30 - End of First Quarter
31 - Classroom Harvest Parties

NOVEMBER

3-5 - Parent Teacher Conferences [SIGN UP BY 11/1](#)
6 - Picture Retakes
6 - Iowa Wild (4th Grade) [RSVP 10/28](#)
7 - Blue Zoo (3rd Grade) [RSVP 10/28](#)
7 - Blank Park Zoo (1st Grade) [RSVP 10/28](#)
10 - No School
14 - Forest Friday (Kindergarten)
15 - Trinity Trio National Anthem Performance

UPCOMING EVENTS

Nov. 22 - Festival of Hope (K-8 Grade) [RSVP by 11/11](#)
Nov. 26-28 - No School
Dec. 12 - Christmas Service (All-School)
Dec. 22-Jan. 2 - No School

You can find all our upcoming events on the "events" tab on the TLSBoone app or on our [website](#).

Want to have our school calendar on your Google Calendar? Visit bit.ly/TLS-GoogleCalendar to sync our schedule to your Google Calendar.

RSVPs DUE

Tuesday, October 21

- 2nd Grade - [Living History Farms](#)
- 5th - 8th Grade - [Sunday Singing](#)

Click on any underlined text to visit the website link.

MONTHLY MENU

To view or download the complete lunch menu for the entire month, simply visit tlsboone.us/school-lunch on the website or “Quick Links” in the TLSBoone app.

NEXT WEEK'S LUNCH MENU

- Mon. - Mini Corn Dogs
Sweet Potato Fries
Blueberries
- Tues. - Grilled Cheese
Tomato Soup
Mixed Berries
- Wed. - Breakfast Burrito
Crispy Crowns
Grapes
- Thurs. - Orange Chicken
Fried Rice
Mandarin Oranges
- Fri. - Spaghetti
Green Beans
Fruit
Dessert

WEEKLY DEVOTION

"For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God." – Ephesians 2:8

At the heart of the Reformation is the message of grace alone—that our salvation is not something we earn, deserve, or achieve. It is completely a gift from God. Grace means that God loves us even when we fail, forgives us completely through Jesus, and welcomes us as His children—not because of what we've done, but because of what Christ has done for us.

This truth changes how we live and how we see others. When we remember that we are saved purely by grace, we become more patient, more forgiving, and more willing to share that same grace with the people around us. Each day is an opportunity to rest in God's undeserved love and to reflect it in our words and actions.

- **Apply It:** Take a few moments this week to thank God for His grace. Think of one way you can show grace to someone else—perhaps by forgiving quickly, offering encouragement, or choosing kindness when it's hard. God's grace is meant to flow through us to others.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Ms. Sheffler (Oct. 16)
Everett Hanson (Oct. 17)
Zane O'Tool & Mrs. Hornbuckle (Oct. 19)
May God bless you as you grow another year in His grace and love!



LIVING IN GRACE

Grace is one of the most beautiful gifts God gives us. It means that even when we fail, forget, or fall short, God's love for us doesn't change. Through Jesus, our sins are forgiven, our hearts are renewed, and we are welcomed

into God's family—not because of anything we've done, but because of His mercy. When we begin to see how deeply we are loved by God, it changes the way we treat others. Homes filled with grace become places of understanding, patience, and joy.

Try it: This week, take time as a family to talk about what grace looks like in everyday life. Ask your children to share moments when they needed forgiveness or received kindness they didn't deserve—those are “grace moments.” Choose a “grace word” for the week—forgive, kindness, mercy, or patience—and post it somewhere visible. As you notice and live out that word together, talk about how God's grace shows up in your home each day. These small practices help children see that grace isn't just something we talk about—it's something we live.

CRAFT CLUB

TLS BASC will be offering a Craft Club for students in grades 2–5! The club will meet on Mondays, October 20 through November 10, from 3:15–4:45 PM. Students will enjoy creating a variety of fun and creative projects together after school. The cost is \$25, and sign-up is available online at bit.ly/TLS-CraftClub. Space is limited, and details are subject to change depending on interest.

PTL FUNDRAISER

Get ready for our BIG event of the year – Sponsor a Day of Learning! This November, join us in making a real difference by supporting our ONE and ONLY fundraiser. Be on the lookout for a special envelope coming home on Thursday, October 30th, packed with everything you need. More details coming soon!

PICTURE RETAKES

Picture retakes are Thursday, November 6th. If you would like your child to have retakes, you must return this entire packet of school pictures to school on retake day. If your child was absent on picture day please be sure to order your pictures ahead of time.

FESTIVAL OF HOPE

Mark your calendars for the Hope Festival on Saturday, November 22, at Boone High School. Our K–8th Grade choirs will perform from 12:30–1:00 PM. Please RSVP by November 11.



Worship with us! Services are Thursdays at 5:30 pm, and Sundays at 9:00 am. Stay after Sunday worship for Sunday School and Bible Class for all ages.