



## VISION STATEMENT

Trinity Lutheran School aspires to cultivate a community of learners that excel as empathetic, respectful, productive, self-motivated, and joyful leaders who will be prepared to serve others in the love of Jesus Christ.

January 30, 2026

## **SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES**

Trinity Lutheran Church welcomes you to join us for church each weekend. It's a wonderful way to start the week. Services are Saturday evenings at 6:00 and Sunday mornings at 8:00 and 10:30.

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

01/29-01/31 Trinity Lutheran School Archery Tournament  
 01/30 11:30 Dismissal Day for Professional Development  
 01/30 3rd Quarter Mid-Term  
 02/01 Open House 1:00-2:30  
 02/02 Do You Know Mo? Game Show 2:00  
 02/04 PTL Meeting School Cafeteria 6:30  
 02/06 Family Game Night 6:00-8:00  
 02/12 Parent Teacher Conferences 4:15-6:45  
 02/13 No School-Parent Teacher Conferences 8:00-12:00  
 02/16 No School-President's Day  
 02/20-02/22 LSAM Basketball Tournament

## **LUNCH MENU 02/02/26-02/06/26**

2 Hot Dogs on a bun, chips, veggie, fruit (\$3.50) Deli-Ham & Cheese Sandwich (\$3.50) Salad-Grilled Chicken (\$3.50) Extra Deli (\$1.00) Extra Entree (\$1.00) Milk (\$0.50)	3 Chicken, mashed potatoes, veggie, fruit (\$3.50) Deli-Ham & Cheese Sandwich (\$3.50) Salad-Grilled Chicken (\$3.50) Extra Deli (\$1.00) Extra Entree (\$1.00) Milk (\$0.50)	4 French Toast Sticks, sausage patty, hash brown, fruit (\$3.50) Deli-Bologna & Cheese Sandwich (\$3.50) Salad-Grilled Chicken (\$3.50) Extra Deli (\$1.00) Milk (\$0.50)	5 Sloppy Joe on a Bun, crinkle fries, Fruit, Veggies (\$3.50) Deli-Ham & Cheese Sandwich (\$3.50) Salad-Grilled Chicken (\$3.50) Extra Deli (\$1.00) Extra Entree (\$1.00) Milk (\$0.50)	6 Cheesy Pull Apart w/Marinara Sauce, Salad, fruit, dessert (\$3.50) Deli-Ham & Cheese Sandwich (\$3.50) Salad-Grilled Chicken (\$3.50) Extra Deli (\$1.00) Extra Entree (\$1.00) Milk (\$0.50)
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## **LET'S MAKE A JOYFUL NOISE**

Students in PK-5 grade will sing at one of Trinity's services the weekend of January 31 and February 1 to celebrate National Lutheran Schools Week. Please plan to attend one of the three services: Saturday, January 31 at 6:00 p.m. or Sunday, February 1 at 8:00 or 10:30 a.m.

We will be singing "I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light." Here is a link if you would like to sing it with your child: [I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light](#)



### **OPEN HOUSE**

Trinity Lutheran School will be hosting a monthly Open House for prospective students. The dates for the Open Houses include:

Sunday, February 1, 2026 1:00-2:30

Monday, February 23, 2026 5:30-7:00

Tuesday, March 24, 2026 5:30-7:00

The Open House is for students going into grades PK-8 for the 2026-2027 school year. Please help us spread the word!



Thanks for a great week celebrating National Lutheran Schools Week!

Shout Out to the committee for all of their hard work putting the week together for the students!!!

Mrs. Esselman, Mrs. Meisel, Ms. Mellecke, Mrs. Powell and Miss Wolf

### **DO YOU KNOW MO? GAME SHOW**

Author Amanda E. Doyle will be here on Monday, February 2, 2026 at 2:00 to host the Do You Know MO? Game Show. Nine contestants have been chose to particpate in the game show. Everyone is invited to come and watch. Maybe you will learn some random Missouri trivia. All of the questions are based off of her book Missouri: Weird and Wonderful.

### **NO PAJAMA DAY**

There will be no pajama day on Monday, February 2, 2026.

### **WEDNESDAY CHAPEL**

We invite you to join us for chapel each Wednesday at 8:15. You can also join us online at <https://www.youtube.com/@trinitylutheranchurchschool1036>.

Our chapel offerings for the 3rd quarter will be going to support the Gospel Adventures™. Gospel Adventures™ is a program of Lutheran Hour Ministries (LHM) that shows the different methods and opportunities Christians worldwide use to share the Good News. So far this quarter we have collected \$190.30. May the Lord bless our giving!

#### **How can you make an impact on kids around the world?**

A main feature of Gospel Adventures is the opportunity for kids in the United States to help raise funds that directly support children in other regions. Since 2012, kid donors have given around \$300,000 to Lutheran Hour Ministries' Global Kids Fund that supports kid-centered ministry efforts around the world.

#### **What can YOU do to share the Gospel in Mongolia?**

Your gifts will fuel programs for youth in Mongolia and elsewhere that are designed to share the Gospel with those who have not yet heard it. The ministry hosts vacation Bible school, youth gatherings, and workshops, provides holistic outreach to youth in need, and develops a variety of age-appropriate resources that teach about Jesus and offer biblically-based guidance. By supporting our Global Kids Fund, YOU can help share Christ's message of hope with children throughout Mongolia through LHM's programs.

### **ARCHERY THIS WEEK**

01/29-01/31 Trinity Lutheran School Archery Tournament

***Good Luck Trinity Tigers!!!***





### **BASKETBALL THIS WEEK**

1/31 5th Grade Girls vs IC JC Angels at OLLIS Columbia 10:00

2/5 Varsity Girls vs St. Peter Saints at St. George 8:00

2/5 JV Boys vs St. Joseph Cathedral Spartans at St. Joseph JC 6:00

2/5 Varsity Boys vs IC JC Angels at IC JC 6:00

2/6-2/7 Varsity Boys at ILS Washington Tournament

2/7 5th Grade Girls vs St. Joseph Cathedral Spartans at TLS 8:00

2/7 5th Grade Boys vs St. Stanislaus Raiders at TLS 10:00

Find the PAL Schedules at: <https://cm-pal.org/schedules>

### **ACCOUNT BALANCES**

\*Please make sure to monitor your lunch account.

\*Remember: A negative balance in the Family Portal indicates a credit, while a positive balance indicates an amount owed.

\*Need to make a lunch or after school care payment? Owe an archery tournament fee? Use the link to our online payment form to make a payment: <https://form.jotform.com/241614851986062>  
A convenience fee will apply.

### **TIGERFEST 2026**

TigerFest will be held on March 7, 2026 at Windstone Entertainment. This year's theme is Tigerfest Magic. There will be an online silent auction, live auction, dessert auction, jewelry pull and gun raffle. Tickets are \$65 per person or \$500 per table of 8. Tickets are limited due to event space, so be sure to reserve your spot soon! Use the QR code to order your tickets. Come out for a night of food, fun and fellowship! Use the QR code on the flyer to purchase tickets or the following link: <https://secure.givelively.org/event/trinity-lutheran-church-jefferson-city-mo/tigerfest-a-magical-night>

### **TIGERFEST BASKET DONATIONS**

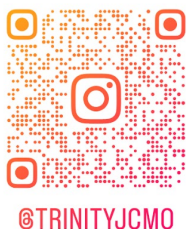
Don't forget about your class basket for TigerFest silent auction. The flyer is included in Tiger Tales with all of the themes. Donation are due by February 27, 2026.



### **TEACHER FEATURE**

For this week's Trinity Teacher Feature, we are excited to introduce you to Mrs. Robinett, one of our wonderful 3rd grade teachers here at Trinity. She became a teacher because she loves helping children learn and supporting them when they find things challenging. Mrs. Robinett especially enjoys teaching third graders how to multiply and how to write in cursive. Her favorite part of teaching is watching her students learn new skills and experience the joy that comes from wanting to learn more. Her students may not know that she has had several dangerous encounters in her life, including allergic reactions to aspirin, being in a coma, and even being shot with a tear gas gun

by her brother—an incident that left her temporarily blinded for several hours. Thank you, Mrs. Robinett! You are truly a blessing to Trinity and to all of your students.



### **INSTAGRAM**

Trinity Lutheran Church and School is now on Instagram!  
Check us out!

## **PHOTO SUBMISSIONS**

Calling all photographers! We need pictures of Trinity Lutheran School in action. Please upload picture of athletics, fine arts and all school activities using the following link: <https://plicbooks.com/go/GK3DBR> There is a dropdown menu of folders to upload to. When at team events, please get team photos for the yearbook committee. Your photos may be used in our school yearbook, digital bulletin board, social media posts and marketing material.



## **LINKS TO GOOGLE SITES**

Find the news and notes for your students at the links below!

### **Pre-Kindergarten**

[Pre-K News & Notes](#)

### **Kindergarten**

[Kindergarten News & Notes](#)

### **1st Grade**

[1st Grade News & Notes](#)

### **2nd Grade**

[2nd Grade News & Notes](#)

### **3rd Grade**

[3rd Grade News & Notes](#)

### **4th Grade**

[4th Grade News & Notes](#)

### **5th Grade**

[5th Grade News & Notes](#)

### **6th-8th Grades**

[Middle School News & Notes](#)



## **MISSION STATEMENT**

Founded in 1870, Trinity Lutheran School is a Christ-centered, learner-focused, private Lutheran school for students in Pre-Kindergarten through Grade 8, that exists to teach using the Gospel, partner with families to promote learning for student success, and cultivate compassionate students ready to serve our community for Jesus Christ

# Trinity Lutheran School | 2026-2027 CALENDAR\_approved (12/16/25)

JULY '26						
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4 Independence Day

JANUARY '27						
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31						

1 No School – Christmas Break  
4 School Resumes  
18 No School – MLK Day  
25-29 National Lutheran School's Week  
29 Teacher Professional Development  
Early Dismissal, 11:30 AM

AUGUST '26						
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30	31					

3 Back to School Registration  
7:00 AM to 1:00 PM  
4 Back to School Registration  
7:00 AM to 5:00 PM  
17 Open House, 5:30-7:30 PM  
19 First Day of School  
Early Dismissal, 11:30 AM

FEBRUARY '27						
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5 3rd Quarter Mid-term  
12 No School – Parent Teacher Conferences  
15 No School-Presidents Day

SEPTEMBER '26						
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7 Labor Day – No School  
18 1st Quarter Mid-term  
Early Dismissal, 11:30 AM  
Professional Development

MARCH '27						
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5 VIP Day, Early Dismissal, 11:30 AM  
12 End of 3rd Quarter (47 days)  
19 No School-State Archery Tournament  
22-26 No School-Spring Break  
26 Good Friday  
28 Easter Sunday  
29 Easter Monday-No School

OCTOBER '26						
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1 Parent Teacher Conf.  
2 No School-Parent Teacher Conf.  
16 End of the 1st Quarter (41 days)  
22-23 No School-MO District Lutheran Teacher's Conference

APRIL '27						
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16 4th Quarter Mid-term  
Early Dismissal, 11:30 AM

NOVEMBER '26						
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11 Veterans Day  
20 Early Dismissal, 11:30 AM  
23-27 Thanksgiving Break  
26 Thanksgiving Day

MAY '27						
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21 Last Day-  
End of 4th Quarter (43 days)  
Early Dismissal, 11:30 AM  
8th Grade Graduation, 6:30 PM

DECEMBER '26						
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18 End of the 2nd Quarter (38 days)  
Early Dismissal, 11:30 AM  
21-31 Christmas Break

JUNE '27						
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# OPEN HOUSE

812 Stadium Blvd, Jefferson City, MO  
(573) 636-7807

**Pre-Kindergarten - 8th Grade**

<b>SUN</b>	<b>MON</b>	<b>TUE</b>
<b>FEB 1</b>	<b>FEB 23</b>	<b>MAR 24</b>
<b>1:00-2:30pm</b>	<b>5:30-7:00pm</b>	<b>5:30-7:00pm</b>

**Why are parents  
choosing Trinity for their  
child's school?**

- Quality academics
- Faith-based education
- Safe and loving environment
- and much more!

**Come see what makes  
the difference.**

**If you can't make it to an open  
house, we would love to visit with  
you another time. Call the school  
office at 573-636-7807.**



**Teaching**



**Learning**



**Caring**



**Serving**

*Train up a child in the way he should go; even when he is old he will not depart from it. Proverbs 22:6*

JOIN US FOR FAMILY FUN!



# Family Game Night

Trinity Lutheran Stu. Co. invites you to attend a family game night for some fun activities including cookie decorating, Ga Ga Ball, board games, puzzles, and other fun activities on February 6, 2026.



## February 6

FROM 6:00–8:00

If you have any questions  
or would like to RSVP  
please email Mrs. Brunner  
at [lbrunner@trinityjc.org](mailto:lbrunner@trinityjc.org)



# Midweek Lenten Services

## Wednesdays

3:30pm & 6:30pm

February 18 - March 25

*Meal between services*

## Holy Week

### **Palm Sunday/Sunday of the Passion**

March 29, 8:00am & 10:30am

### **Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday**

March 30 & 31, April 1, Noon

### **Maundy Thursday**

April 2, Noon & 6:30pm

### **Good Friday Tre Ore**

**@ Faith Lutheran**

April 3, Noon-3:00pm

### **Good Friday Tenebrae**

April 3, 6:30pm

### **Holy Saturday Easter Vigil**

April 4, 6:00pm

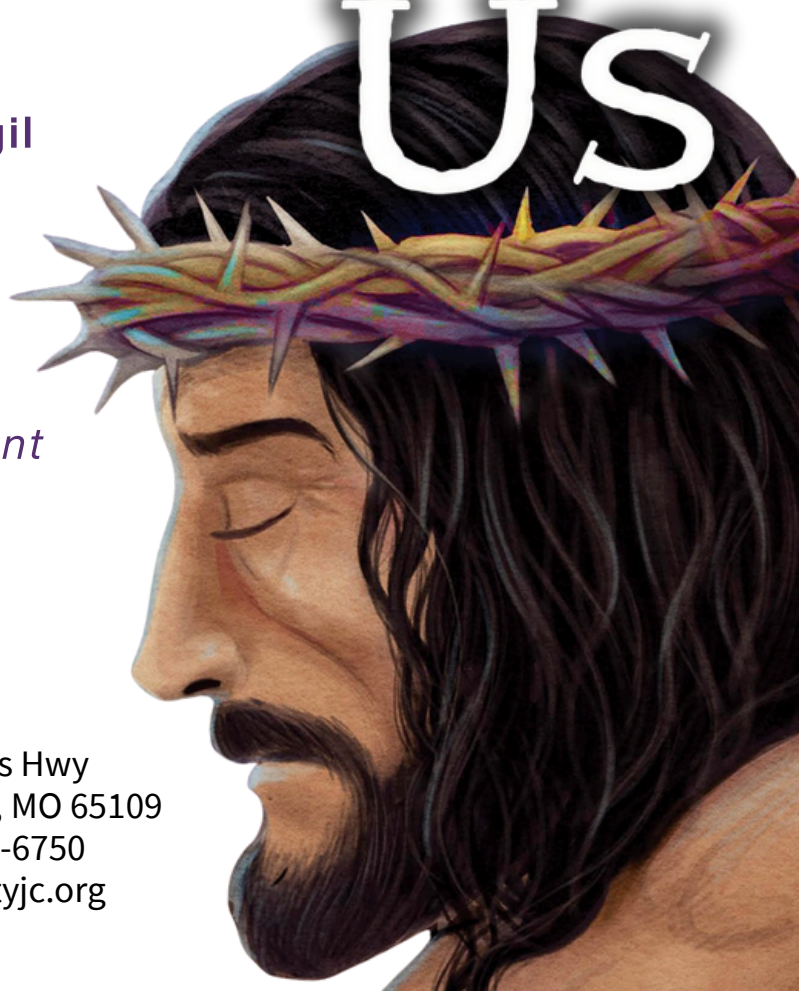
## Easter

April 5, 8:00 & 10:30am

*Easter Brunch and Egg Hunt  
between services*

*Journey through the  
history and hymn text for  
"O Love, How Deep"  
to see the depth,  
breadth, and height of  
God's love for us,  
His creation.*

# FOR US



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LUTHERAN**  
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TRINITY LUTHERAN SCHOOL  
AND STEVE'S PEST CONTROL PRESENT

# TIGERFEST MAGIC

**\$65 per ticket or  
\$500/table**

**7 MARCH 2026**

Doors open at 5pm  
Windstone Entertainment  
Jefferson City

**SPECIAL PERFORMANCES BY**  
Gage Barnett Live



**NEW! Online  
Silent Auction  
NEW! Dessert  
Auction**

Live Auction!  
Jewelry Pull!  
Gun Raffle!



**TICKETS ON SALE NOW!**

**SPONSORSHIPS STILL AVAILABLE!**

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT MORGAN AT 573.338.0505

## **Tigerfest 2026: A Magical Night of Fundraising**

**03/07/2026**

Tigerfest 2026 is shaping up to be a very fun and unforgettable evening in support of Trinity Lutheran School! Guests this year will enjoy something new – dinner AND a show plus our live, silent, and dessert auctions, jewelry pull, 50/50 raffle and more. Dinner will be catered by local favorite Argyle Catering, and beverages are generously donated by Scheppers Distributing, with a cash bar available. It's a relaxed, social night out and one of the most anticipated events on the TLS calendar.

### **Why Tigerfest Matters**

*Tigerfest brings our community together to fund special projects that enhance classrooms, experiences, and opportunities for every TLS student.*

### **Tickets Are Now on Sale**

\$65 per person

Tables of 8: \$500



Tickets may be purchased online or by sending a check to the school. If paying by check, please email your reservation information and any seating requests to: [trinitytigerfest@gmail.com](mailto:trinitytigerfest@gmail.com)

*Tigerfest is traditionally a sell-out event, so early reservations are strongly encouraged.*

Our popular Class Baskets are a highlight of the silent auction and play a big role in the success of Tigerfest. Class basket themes have been decided and are listed below. Each child is asked to bring in item(s) that fit their class theme.

**All donations must be received by Friday, February 27th.**

### **Class Basket Themes:**

**PreK:** Arts & Crafts Explosion

**Kindergarten:** Pets

**1st Grade:** Lego & Building

**2nd Grade:** Movie Night

**3rd Grade:** Cozy Hobbies

**4th Grade:** Pampered Pets

**5th Grade:** Family Games

**6th Grade:** Brain Building / STEM

**7th Grade:** Sweet Treats & Baking

**8th Grade:** Backyard Fun

Thank you for supporting **Trinity Lutheran School** and helping make Tigerfest 2026 a magical and memorable night for our entire community.

— **The Tigerfest Committee**

## **CALVARY LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL NEWS**

### **2-01-26**

**CALVARY INSIDER** – What happened at Calvary during the last week of January?

- Students decorated the halls to celebrate Spirit Week with the theme, "Calvary: Under Construction."
- Homecoming week spirit dress up days encouraged Calvary students to dress up ahead of Friday night's games! The dance rounded out the festivities on Saturday evening.

**LION BASKETBALL** – Upcoming games at **Home**:

**February 6-7**

**Boys Basketball Showcase**

**Calvary Boys play 6pm on Fri. 10:30 am, 4pm on Sat.**

*Visit [calvarylhs.org/calendar/](http://calvarylhs.org/calendar/) to view the full calendar!*

**MIDDLE SCHOOL NIGHT at CALVARY BASKETBALL:** Middle school students are invited to attend the Calvary varsity basketball games THIS Tuesday, Feb 3 beginning at 6 PM. 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> graders wearing a Calvary shirt OR a shirt from their current school will receive free admission. Come out, rep your school and cheer for the Lions!

**DON'T MISS OUT ON DISCOVER CALVARY DAY!** – The Calvary Student ambassadors are looking forward to this Visit Day event on February 5! This day is intended for 7<sup>th</sup> grade students to discover the advantages of a Lutheran high school education and the many opportunities available at Calvary. If you know a 7<sup>th</sup> grader (or 8<sup>th</sup> grader that has not attended before) who would benefit from knowing more about the Calvary experience, contact John Christman at 573-638-0228 for more information.

**CRIMSON & DINNER! AUCTION** – Tickets are available for the 2026 Crimson and Silver Dinner Auction at the St. Martin's Knights of Columbus Hall on Saturday, April 25, beginning at 4:00pm. Ticket price is \$50 per person, and tables of 8 are available for \$375. Purchase tickets online at [linktr.ee/calvarylhs](http://linktr.ee/calvarylhs) or call the school office at (573) 638-0228.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS –**

Feb 20-21	Winter One Act Performances
Feb 25	Calvary Blood Drive, 1-6PM in the Café at Calvary
April 25	Crimson & Silver Dinner Auction
May 29	Calvary Golf Tournament



*Calvary*  
LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL

# MIDDLE SCHOOL NIGHT

Free admission to 5th-8th Grade  
students wearing school shirt!

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 3**

**6:00PM | Varsity Girls**

**7:30PM | Varsity Boys**





# *Calvary Lutheran High School* **OPEN HOUSE**



**Thursday, February 19 at 7PM**  
**Tuesday, February 24 at 7PM**

RSVP to [linktr.ee/calvarylhs](https://linktr.ee/calvarylhs)  
[enroll@CalvaryLHS.org](mailto:enroll@CalvaryLHS.org)

573-638-0228





# It's Chili Time And Soup Time!



Come to St. John's Lutheran Church \*Babbtown\*  
For the Best Food Around!

Chili, Chili Dogs, Hot Dogs, Chicken Noodle Soup,  
Cinnamon Rolls and lots of Desserts

**All You Can Eat for \$8.00 or ala carte**

Sunday February 22, 2026  
Serving 11:00 to 4:00

Find us at 7075 Highway P, Westphalia, MO

15 minutes from Westphalia, 3 from Meta, 5 from  
Koeltztown  
The Center of Everything Great!