

Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The month of August put into perspective the power and majesty of our Heavenly Father. Monday, August 21, we witnessed the detail in which our Designer planned the Solar Eclipse. What a sight to experience the precise timing and distances apart between the sun and moon needed to create the eclipse.

Within the same month, Hurricane Harvey made its presence known. On a personal note, I have family and friends evacuating, seeking shelter from the rising waters. Thanks be to God that they are all safe. Growing up in Southeast Texas, rain was no foreign object. This amount of rain is nothing less than shocking.

And as we observe the day to day beauties of creation

Psalm 8:3-8 says, "When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, The moon and the stars, which You have ordained; What is man that You take thought of him, And the son of man that You care for him? Yet You have made him a little lower than God, And You crown him with glory and majesty!"

Upon this Rock,  
 Kyle Erickson  
 Trinity Lutheran School  
 K-8<sup>th</sup> Principal



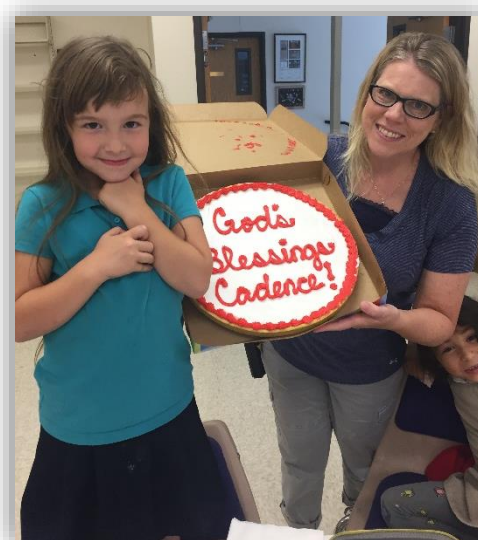
**Sharing Christ, Serving People**

Just an 8<sup>th</sup> grader  
 floating in the water like a **BOSS**



Solar Eclipse  
 Led by Mr. Thorgesen

God's Blessings to Cadence and her family  
 as they move to Arizona



**A look at the calendar:**

- Mon, Sept 4** No School: Labor Day
- Tues, Sept 5** Middle School Lunch Order Forms Due
- Wed, Sept 6** Chapel led by Mrs. Angela Erickson @ 8:30 am
- Fri, Sept 8** Spirit Shirt Order Forms are Due
- Wed, Sept 13** Chapel led by Mr. Kyle Erickson @ 8:30 am
- Fri, Sept 15** Pre K-8<sup>th</sup> Grade PTL Meeting  
 World's Finest Chocolate Turn In
- Tues, Sept 19** Cooks Night Out @ Texas Roadhouse  
 Pre K- 8<sup>th</sup> Grade School Pictures
- Wed, Sept 20** Pre K School Pictures  
 Chapel led by Pastor Greg Hafeman @ 8:30 am  
 Practice Emergency Evacuation to Rice's Honey
- Sat, Sept 23** Trinity Lutheran Church & School Workday
- Wed, Sept 27** Chapel led by Mrs. Angela Erickson @ 8:30 am  
 Pre K-8<sup>th</sup> Grade Evacuation Drill to Rice's Honey
- Mon, Oct 2** Parent/Teacher Conferences
- Tues, Oct 3** Parent/Teacher Conferences  
 Half Day of School (12:00 pm Dismissal)
- Oct 4-6** No School-Fall Break
- Sat, Oct 7** Trinity Quilt Auction

**Upon this Rock: Isaiah 26:4**

"Trust in the LORD forever, for the LORD, the LORD himself, is the Rock eternal."

# Calendar Events

## School Pictures

We will be taking individual student pictures on **Tuesday, September 19**. Order forms will be sent home. Students will be allowed to dress up, not down. Dresses, nice blue jeans with a nice shirt, or "church clothes" will all be acceptable. Pictures will be taken in the morning. They should come to school dressed in their picture clothes. Students will have the option of changing into their school uniform or wearing their picture clothes for the remaining part of the day.



## Trinity Lutheran Church & School WORK DAY

We need your help on Saturday, September 23 beginning at 8:00 am.

### CHAIN SAWS ARE NEEDED!!!

We will be cutting and removing overgrown shrubs from the church and school property.

## Rocky Mountain National Park Field Trip

**Tuesday, September 26**

K-8 Students will be taking a field trip to RMNP. Chaperones/drivers will be needed. More information and Field Trip permission slips will be sent home as we get closer to the event.

## PTL Meeting

**Friday, September 15 @ 6:00 pm**

All Pre K-8<sup>th</sup> grade families are welcome to attend. There are so many exciting things taking place. Come discover how you can get involved.

## Trinity Quilter's

### Biennial Quilt Auction

**Saturday, October 7**

**4:00-5:30 pm-Silent Auction**

**6:00 pm-Live Auction**

**\*100 Hand-quilted items will be auctioned off.**

**Items ranging from wall hangings to full sized quilts.**

## Middle School Friday Lunch Fundraiser

Friday, 9/8	Friday, 9/15	Friday, 9/22	Friday, 9/29
Hot dogs Potato wedges Roasted veggies Watermelon	Grilled ham & cheese sandwich Apple slices Green beans Brownie	Spaghetti w/ meat sauce Garlic bread Salad Jell-O fruit Salad	Chicken mac-n-cheese Baby carrots Grapes Chocolate chip cookie

## Ms. Suisie Mon-Thurs School Lunch Program

Monday Sept 4th	Tuesday Sept 5th	Wed Sept 6th	Thursday Sept 7th
Labor Day No School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Turkey melts on sourdough bread and tomato*</li> <li>Summer veggie* soup</li> <li>Fresh fruit (melon)</li> <li>Wowbutter cookie</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Baked Mac &amp; Cheese</li> <li>Green beans*</li> <li>Fresh fruit</li> <li>Chocolate zucchini* muffins</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Teriyaki chicken</li> <li>Steamed veggies*</li> <li>Fruit (orange)</li> <li>Rice</li> <li>Black bean brownies</li> </ul>

**Tostadas**- corn tortilla with refried beans, beef, and cheese.

**Turkey Melt**- open face sandwich with deli turkey, sourdough bread, cheese with tomato on the side.

**Summer soup**- pureed squash, green beans, onion, garlic, milk, and possibly corn.

**Baked Mac & Cheese**- pasta with homemade cheese sauce with pureed beans

**Black bean brownies**- chocolate brownies with pureed black beans.

\*- indicates ingredients or produce that has come from the school garden

\*\* - indicates produce that has come from a local garden that also follows Good Agricultural Practices

## Middle School Lunch Program

Our middle school class will be planning, cooking, and serving lunches on Fridays as a fundraiser to help fund their class retreat. Order forms have been sent home. Thank you for supporting them and their efforts!!!

# Ways to Support TLS!!!

**Did you know???** You can support our school by shopping on **Amazon Smile** & by purchasing **Scrip Cards**. That's right! For every purchase that you make, Trinity gets a percentage back. Make sure to ask about these programs in the front office.

**We also collect:** Ink Cartridges, Box Tops, & Soup Labels



## Cooks Night Out

**When:** Tuesday, September 19

**Where:** Texas Roadhouse.

Trinity will receive 10% back on everything spent that day. You must bring a flyer with you in order to receive credit.

## School Spirit Shirts

Order forms have been sent home. Students will be allowed to wear spirit shirts on Fridays with blue jeans.

ORDER FORMS ARE **DUE BY** FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8



## World's Finest Chocolate

Boxes of chocolate are available for pick up in the front office. Each box contains 30 chocolate bars, selling at \$2 a piece. Students are not required to sell, however, we could use your help.

### Why Sell???

1. For every box that a student sells, they will receive a FREE DRESS DAY.
2. For every two boxes that are sold, students will have the opportunity to THROW A PIE AT MR. E.'S FACE.
3. For the very top seller, MR. E. WILL TAKE THEM AND A FRIEND TO LUNCH!!!
4. TLS will receive 50% back on every piece of chocolate that is sold.

\***September 15** is the final turn in date for pie throwing and lunch with Mr. E.



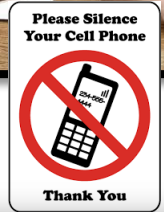
# WE ARE TRINITY!!!



## 2017 SOLAR ECLIPSE



*1st-2nd Graders Hard at Work*



**HOT LUNCH**



**I'm so proud!!!**



**Trinity Lutheran Eagles**  
"But those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint."  
Isaiah 40:31