

# Trinity Lutheran School Newsletter

## CALENDAR

- December 3** - Live Nativity, 4:00-7:00 with soup supper, 3:00-7:00
- December 3-5** - Osborne Book Fair, church Basement
- December 4** - *Spiritwear order deadline*
- December 5** - Band Rehearsal 3:30-5:00
- December 6** - Grade 5 to NorthCentral Technical College at 11:30
- December 7** - Chapel
- December 7** - Grades 5-8 Christmas Program at 6:30 p.m.
- December 9** - Grade 2 to library - 10:30
- December 12** - Christmas Band Concert - 7:00 p.m. @ PRMS
- December 14** - Chapel (Grade 5)
- December 14** - Grades 1-4 Christmas Program at 6:30 p.m.
- December 15** - Grade 5 to Library - 9:30
- December 15** - Grade 7 to Library - 9:45
- December 15** - Grades 3 & 4 to Library - 10:15
- December 15** - Grades 5 & 6 to Riverside Athletic Club - 12:45-2:30
- December 16** - Grade 8 to Library at 12:30
- December 16** - Grade 1 to Library at 12:45
- December 16** - Grades 7 & 8 to Riverside Athletic Club - 12:45-2:30
- December 16** - Kinders to Library at 1:30
- December 17** - Sunday School Christmas Program
- December 20** - Grade 6 to Library at 1:45

## BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

*Come and cheer on your Hawks!!*



### Tuesday, December 6

Away at Immanuel Marshfield  
Girls @ 4:45, Boys B @ 5:45,  
Boys A @ 6:45

### Thursday, December 8

Home vs. Trinity Wausau  
Girls @ 4:00, Boys A @ 5:00,  
Boys B @ 6:00 (Note: A plays before B)

### Saturday, December 10

Basketball Tournament at  
St. Paul, Stevens Point  
Boys B

December 2, 2016

*"Upon This Rock"*

Isaiah 26:4

## Hot Lunch Menu

MENU ITEMS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE!

Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> – Dec. 9<sup>th</sup> 2016

**Monday** – ham and cheese flat bread pizza, green beans, apple

**Tuesday** – w/g french toast sticks, turkey sausage, hash browns, mixed veggies, yogurt

**Wednesday** – chicken parmesan over w/g noodles, salad, bread sticks, mandarins

**Thursday** – nachos with w/g chips, beefy cheese sauce, cauliflower, broccoli, fresh pears

**Friday** – hot turkey and cheese, corn, applesauce, dirt cups

**Sandwich of the month:** ham & cheese on whole grain bread may be substituted for the main entrée' item.

*½ pint milk of choice is served with each meal. Milk choices: 1 % or Skim White or Skim Chocolate*

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S MESSAGE

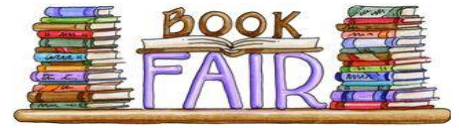
"It's the most wonderful time of the year..." So goes a popular Christmas song. It may well be true, but it can also be overly busy and stressful. Take time to enjoy the simple things – a drive through town to look at lights, an evening at home drinking hot cocoa and looking through photos of Christmas past, a reading of Luke 2 while sitting by your home crèche, all the while reflecting on the wonder of the birth of Jesus. Keep your children's routines normal, including bedtimes, breakfast, and reading/homework. We are coming up on the first of our three Christmas programs next Wednesday, so we want everyone healthy and happy!

Trinity's Live Nativity  
Saturday, December 3

4:00-7:00pm

Soup supper 3:00-7:00pm

(free will offering will be accepted)



**Osborne Book Fair**

CHURCH BASEMENT

**Saturday, December 3**

4:00 – 7:00

**Sunday, December 4**

9:00 – 12:30

**Monday, December 5**

9:00 – 12:30

During the weekend, you will be able to buy or order books. Teacher Wishlists will be available, as well.

**Only students who bring money on Monday will be allowed to go to the Book Fair!!**

Proceeds will benefit Trinity School's classroom libraries.

**Don't forget to order your Spiritwear by Sunday, Dec. 4!**

1. Go to [QualiTinc.com](http://QualiTinc.com)
2. Click on the "Spiritwear" Box
3. Click on our store to select your styles and pay for your order



Trinity's Christmas Tree Lot  
is open!

Find the perfect tree at our gift store!



Please note that when the Merrill Area Public Schools close due to winter weather, **WE WILL ALSO BE CLOSED.**



**Grade 5-8** -- December 7 at 6:30 p.m.

**Grade 1-4** -- December 14 at 6:30 p.m.

**Preschool/4K/Kindergarte** -- Dec. 21 at 6:00 p.m.

**CHRISTMAS CHURCH SERVICES**

**Saturday, December 24**

Candlelight services at 3:00, 5:00, 7:00 p.m.

**Sunday, December 25**

9:30 a.m.

**WI Valley Lutheran High School  
Band, Choral and Praise Team Concert**

Thursday, December 8th beginning at 7:00pm on The Valley campus located at 601 Maple Ridge Road in Mosinee. We are blessed each year to celebrate our Savior's birth with music!

**Holiday Craft Events at  
T. B. Scott Library**

The T. B. Scott Free Library will hold two kid-friendly Holiday Craft events. On Saturday, December 10, 9:30-3:30, and Sunday, December 11, noon-3:30, families are invited to make holiday crafts appropriate for preschool through elementary-aged children on the library's second floor. Kids will have opportunities to use their creativity and know-how to make tissue paper cone trees, snowman pails, wrap-around stars, various ornaments, and do-it-yourself holiday cards.

On Thursday, December 15, older kids may make "gingerbread" houses anytime between 3:00 to 5:00 p.m. in the T. B. Scott Free Library Community Room. Recommended for grades four through eight, kids will use all kinds of delectable supplies to make their own unique houses. Led by expert, Sarah Litzer, kids will be able to construct a building that will not only be fanciful, but will not easily fall apart.

Materials for both events are free to the public. "Gingerbread" house builders are encouraged to sign up by Tuesday, December 13, to ensure that there will be plenty of materials. Stop by the youth services desk or call 715-536-7191 for more information.



**Student Archers!!**

Want to participate in the **Badger State Games?**

Please register for this competition by January 6, 2017. For more information, or to register, please go to <http://www.badgerstategames.org/winter-games>

**FROM THE AUCTION COMMITTEE**

We would like to thank everyone who supported this year's auction. Whether you volunteered, made a donation, or attended the event, you helped make it a tremendous success! We are pleased to announce that **over \$25,000 was raised this year!**

Thanks again, and we look forward to seeing everyone next year!

**December Chapel**

The offering this month is going to Groundwork Guatemala. Our treasures will be used to go help our team (Mrs. Schult & Mrs. Swope) buy supplies such as towels, vitamins, soap, etc., to take along on their mission trip.

Here is the schedule for December.

- Dec. 7 -- Growing from a Rock --Pastor Gustafson
- Dec. 14 -- Rock Garden -- Mr. Chappa & Grade 5
- Dec. 21 -- Rock My World -- Mr. Holt & Grade 8
- Dec. 28 -- No School -- Christmas break

**Merrill Immunization Clinics**

**Lincoln County Health Department**  
607 N. Sales St. Suite 101

Tuesday, December 13, 12-1pm  
Wednesday, December 21, 3-4:30pm

Call 715-536-0307 to schedule an appointment.

**STAY CONNECTED WITH WVLHS**

Ever wonder what's going on at WI Valley Lutheran High School? Well, wonder no more...check out their events calendar at [www.wvlhs.org](http://www.wvlhs.org) - click on WVLHS EVENTS CALENDAR on the top tool bar for up-to-date information!!