

# TLS Newsletter

148 Years of Quality Christian Education

Trinity Lutheran School

January 11, 2019

*God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble. Psalm 46:1*

## Thank You!

Thank you to students who presented the message of our Savior's birth in the December 19 **Advent worship** service. Thanks also to our staff for preparing for the service and to parents who brought students here that evening. Thanks to the PTL for providing **treats** after the service. **If you took a picture** of students after the service and are willing to share it, please email it to our school office. Thanks to those who helped sell **Pie Fundraiser** certificates and to the Kampers of Blue Waters Cafe for their pies! Thank you to our **upper grade students** who helped lead our chapel worship this week.

## Geography Bee Winners

The annual TLS National Geographic Geography Bee was held yesterday morning. Congratulations to our school bee champion, Collin Kamper, and to Zennie Howell and Madilyn Bjorkquist, our second and third place winners. Collin will take an online test and may qualify for state level competition.

## From our Preschool Director, Miss Lynne Gatz

I am feeling very optimistic as we enter the new calendar year. Our Tuesday and Thursday preschool program is almost at

capacity. We welcomed three new students this week. It was fun to see how much they grew physically over the Christmas break and see how happy they were to see their friends again. It is such a joy to watch them interact through play, growing socially at the same time. Children grow spiritually as they pray together, sing songs and hear Bible stories. This week, we learn how Jesus grew into a boy and became strong.



## Lutheran Schools Week

National Lutheran Schools Week will be celebrated during the week of January 27 to February 2. Our school **students will sing** at the 10:00 am service on January 27. We will be **traveling by bus to Trinity, Reed City** on that Monday. Watch for more details to follow soon.

## PTL Planning

The PTL planning meeting originally set for this past Monday has been

rescheduled for Monday, January 14, at 3:15. If you would like to be a part of this planning committee, please join us. If this time does not work for you, please let our office know.

## Spirit Days

During the month of January **every day is Spirit Day** at TLS! The PTL is hosting a contest and asking students to wear school shirts, clothing with school colors (red and white), and/or any other clothing/accessories that present a Christian message. The classroom that wears the most will be treated to a prize at the end of the month.

## Please Note...

On January 18 our second quarter ends. Report cards go home the following Friday. We will dismiss at 11:30, but **MAPS does not have a half day** on that date.

## Save the Date...

- 1/14 PTL planning, 3:15
- 1/18 End second quarter  
One-half day
- 1/27 Lutheran Schools Week  
Students sing at TLC
- 1/28 To Trinity, Reed City
- 2/7 Buck Wilder, author,  
at TLS
- 2/14 Classroom Valentine  
Parties
- 2/15 One-half day