



## PRESCHOOL NEWSLETTER OCTOBER 18, 2020

**JESUS' TIME:** The preschoolers continued learning about Moses this week. God saved the children of Israel by parting the waters of the Red Sea, and leading them to safety on dry land. He provided manna and quail and water for them to eat and to drink in the wilderness. He guided them with a pillar of cloud by day and a pillar of fire by night. He cares for us, too, providing us with everything we need to support this body and life, and gives us faith in Him so that we are with Jesus eternally.

**ABCs:** We reviewed the letters we have learned so far this past week, and will continue marching through the alphabet with books, songs, and fun activities.

**MISS MARSHALL AND MR. ERICKSON will be off-campus Monday and Tuesday of this week.** They are serving on an accreditation team at Messiah Lutheran, Grand Junction. We pray for their safe travels there and back! Miss Esther and Mrs. Joyce will cover Miss Marshall's class Monday and Tuesday.

**GETTING TO KNOW YOUR CHILD:** We sent home a form last week, in preparation for parent-teacher conferences. Please fill out this form, and send it back to school, whether you desire a conference or not. It is a way for us to better serve your child and to meet his/her needs.

**BUTTER BRAID ORDER FORMS WENT HOME LAST WEEK.** Every Fall, the students sell butter braids to friends and family as a fundraiser for the school. You will have the option of using paper order forms and/or selling online. To sell online, click on the link below, and follow the instructions:

<https://store.myfundraisingplace.com/RegisterSeller/f11e0529-56e2-407f-bca7-2cb0acf6cf2e>

This fundraiser will be used to help purchase an access control entry (FOBs) for the main entrance of the school. The top seller will receive a \$25 gift card from our Scrip Program. The top-selling class will receive a pizza party. Note that this is our first time to do the online ordering. Please let us know if you are having issues with getting set up or with the program.

**COSTUMES AT SCHOOL? SOME HAVE WONDERED...** In the age of Covid, students are not allowed to have dress-up clothes at school. We will plan simple classroom party activities, a special snack, and special stories. If your child wants to dress up and see his/her school friends in costume, come to our FALL FESTIVAL on Saturday, October 31. It is an outdoor event for families. Details are below.

**FALL FESTIVAL IS OCTOBER 31 AND WE HOPE YOUR FAMILY JOINS US!** There will be a chili cook-off from 11-12 Noon, and a Trunk-or-Treating event from 12-1:00. Below is a link to sign up to enter the chili cook-off and trunk-or-treat. You can also sign up to help with setting up and cleaning up.

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/9040A4CAAC2BA4F85-fall>  
For the Chili Cook-off, there will be index cards upon arrival to list all of the ingredients used. Our Board of Christian Education has volunteered to serve the chili. There will be ballots to vote on your favorite 3 chili recipes. The top 3 winners will have their names engraved on a plaque, which ever-so-proudly hangs in the school cafeteria.

For the Trunk-or-Treat, you pick your theme, and decorate the trunk or back of your vehicle. You are also responsible for purchasing and handing out treats. We ask that you have a plan to be the one to hand out the treats while practicing hand sanitizing. We want to keep from having multiple hands digging through the candy bowls.

Kids are allowed to dress-up in costumes. Please keep in mind that this is a FAMILY FRIENDLY, GOD-PLEASING event. Make sure that costumes are tasteful and appropriate. If you are uncertain, you can always ask.

In case of bad weather, and we have to cancel the event, there will not be a make-up date. We are praying for good weather!

**COOKS NIGHT OUT:** Step out of the kitchen and support a good cause! Our latest Cooks Night Out fundraiser is being held Tuesday, October 20 at Applebee's in Greeley. For every takeout order that comes from our Trinity family, we will receive 15% back! Order online or over the phone for pick-up or delivery. Dine-in is not offered for this particular fundraiser type at this time, but we will still enjoy a great evening! Look in your child's backpack for a flyer. Flyer must be presented at the time of pickup for Trinity to benefit. Need another flyer? We have extras in the school office.

~~~MARK YOUR CALENDARS~~~

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30: DEADLINE FOR TURNING IN BUTTER BRAID ORDER FORMS.**

**TRINITY'S FALL FESTIVAL: OCTOBER 31 11 A.M. – 1 P.M**

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13: DELIVERY DATE FOR BUTTER BRAIDS**

**NOVEMBER 23-27: THANKSGIVING BREAK. NO MORNING PRESCHOOL. CHILDCARE PROVIDED MONDAY THROUGH WEDNESDAY VIA ADVANCED SIGN-UP.**