



<b>TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH</b>	
28 Arch Street, Keene NH	
<b>WORSHIP TIMES</b>	
HOLY COMMUNION will be celebrated on the first and third Sundays each month	9:00 AM – 10:00 SUNDAY SCHOOL & ADULT BIBLE STUDY
	10:00 AM – 10:30 "COFFEE" FELLOWSHIP
	10:30 AM – 11:30 WORSHIP
If you don't already have a home church, we would truly love to have your family worship with us and your children involved in our Sunday School	
The Current Scoop can also be read on our website <a href="http://www.trinitylutherankeene.org">www.trinitylutherankeene.org</a>	

Teaching students to be more than conquerors in life through Jesus Christ. Romans 8:37

## Washington DC Trip

The seventh and eighth grade classes are excited to embark on their much anticipated trip to our nation's capitol. Ten students and eight chaperones will leave from the Trinity parking lot at 6 AM Tuesday. The group will fly from the Manchester airport to Baltimore-Washington airport, and will hit the ground running!



The group will enjoy visits to Washington's home in Mt. Vernon, Arlington National Cemetery, the National Archives, the Smithsonian museums, and much more. One highlight of the trip will be a visit with Congressman Hodes at his office on Capitol Hill. Students have researched proposed national legislation, and will come prepared to discuss this legislation with members of Congressman Hodes' office. Following the discussion, they will be given a guided tour of the Nation's Capitol. The trip will conclude with a visit to the Washington Zoo, where we hope to get a peek at the famous pandas.

We thank the Lord, and all who have supported the many fundraisers that made this trip possible. We ask for your prayers as we travel this week. May God bless us with safety, good fellowship, and a wonderful learning experience.



## Scholarship Notes and News

The first round of scholarship awards has been determined, and letters to all families who applied for scholarship assistance by April 15<sup>th</sup> have been mailed. After receiving this award letter, please note that you may apply for additional scholarship monies by completing the form provided as part of your letter, and returning it to the school office. Additional awards will be determined by our scholarship committee.

Trinity's Scholarship Committee and School Board have decided to include preschool families as eligible for additional scholarship funds this year. Preschool families may now fill out the Private School Aide form, and apply for scholarship awards.

Trinity strives to make Christian education at TCS affordable for a wide range of families. We are blessed to have the ability to administer a generous scholarship fund, to help families find a tuition that will work with their particular budget.

Please tell your friends and neighbors about Trinity Christian School, and the excellent Christian education that is available for their children. As our classrooms fill, tuition rates can be kept lower, and more young people can hear the lifesaving message of Jesus Christ each day!

## Principal's Board of Excellence

Name: **FIRST GRADE CLASS**

Date: May 12, 2010

Nominated by: Mrs. Riendeau

I am very proud of all of the First graders. They were successful at

spelling METAMORPHOSIS on their spelling tests. Wow! First graders you work hard, and can really rise to high levels of learning. Keep it up! And I will try to keep up with you!

SCHOOL THEME:

*He tends his flock like a shepherd: He gathers the lambs in his arms and carries them close to his heart; he gently leads those that have young. Isaiah 40:11*

## Chapel Notes – Ascension Day

When the classes entered chapel they noticed a large gold star-shaped balloon floating above the altar. Chapel's Bible reading was Acts 1:1-11, the story of Jesus' ascension into heaven.



"Men of Galilee why do you stand gazing up into heaven?"



This same Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven,

will so come in like manner as you saw Him go into heaven."



(Acts 1:11)

<sup>1</sup>In my former book, Theophilus, I wrote about all that Jesus began to do and to teach <sup>2</sup>until the day he was taken up to heaven, after giving instructions through the Holy Spirit to the apostles he had chosen. <sup>3</sup>After his suffering, he showed himself to these men and gave many convincing proofs that he was alive. He appeared to them over a period of forty days and spoke about the kingdom of God. <sup>4</sup>On one occasion, while he was eating with them, he gave them this command: "Do not leave Jerusalem, but wait for the gift my Father promised, which you have heard me speak about. <sup>5</sup>For John baptized with water, but in a few days you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit."

<sup>6</sup>So when they met together, they asked him, "Lord, are you at this time going to restore the kingdom to Israel?" <sup>7</sup>He said to them: "It is not for you to know the times or dates the Father has set by his own authority. <sup>8</sup>But you will receive power when the Holy Spirit comes on you; and you will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth."

<sup>9</sup>After he said this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from their sight. <sup>10</sup>They were looking intently up into the sky as he was going, when suddenly two men dressed in white stood beside them. <sup>11</sup>"Men of Galilee," they said, "why do you stand here looking into the sky? This same Jesus, who has been taken from you into heaven, will come back in the same way you have seen him go into heaven." Acts 1:1-11

As Principal Dresser read the account to us, the balloon at the front of the room began its slow ascent, until it reached the ceiling. By the time he had finished reading, all eyes in the room were gazing up at the balloon. It was only when Mr. Dresser spoke to us again that we stopped staring at the balloon, and looked back at him. In order to get the disciples to focus back down to earth, two angels had to speak to them and say: "Why do you stand here looking into the sky?" They reminded the disciples to stop studying the sky, and get back to doing what Jesus had asked them to do. Jesus had told the disciples to "be my witnesses." As Christians, we also need to be witnesses for Jesus. Being a friend to someone who doesn't have any friends is one way we can do this. Using our money or "gifts" God has given us to help people in need is another way. And, most important, telling others about Jesus and all He has done for us is the most important way of working for him and being his "witnesses". Let's try to be faithful every day, and reach out to those around us with Jesus' love!

## Extra Cookie Dough Left



Otis Spunkmeyer

We have some Otis Spunkmeyer inventory available for you to purchase, which is presently being stored in Val Sprague's freezer. If you would like to purchase any of these items (\$15.00/ea.), please call Val on her cell phone: 762-1830.

### Inventory:

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|---|-----------------------------------|---|----------------------------|
| 2 | pans of Double Chocolate brownies |   |                            |
| 1 | apple cinnamon coffee cake        |   |                            |
| 2 | pretzel kits                      | 2 | triple chocolate chunk     |
| 3 | oatmeal raisin                    | 3 | butter sugar               |
| 1 | carnival (M&M's)                  | 1 | peanut butter              |
| 2 | white macadamia nut               | 2 | cranberry oatmeal          |
| 1 | chocolate chip                    | 5 | strawberry shortcake       |
| 2 | chocolate chocolate chunk         | 3 | reduced fat chocolate chip |

## Walkathon Raised \$3,195.40 For the Playground Fund



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