



**TLS
2016**

Important School
Events

PTP Meetings

Shrove Tuesday—
Pancake Dinner

Spring Fun Fest

Trunk or Treat

Turkey Trot

Spring and Christmas
Programs, PreK-4th
Grade and 5th-8th Grade

Honor Roll Parties

Special Academic
Programs

Geography Bee

Science Fair

Wax Museum

Student Awards

Honor Roll

Attendance

Good Character

Sports and Clubs



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Trinity Lutheran School Annual Report

This is Trinity Lutheran School's 2016 Annual Report to the congregation. Because it will also be sent to our school parents, it is printed in the format of *Tiger Tales*, our weekly newsletter to parents.

Trinity Lutheran School is accredited by The Lutheran Church Missouri Synod, Florida-Georgia District, using the on-going improvement evaluation process endorsed for National Lutheran School Accreditation. The Accreditation lasts until August 2018.

This year we have continued many new and exciting ideas including:-

- * The addition of ninth grade.
- Students are involved in Church services every 1st and 3rd Sunday, acting as acolyte, crucifer, greeter, assistant, and lector. Tribe are also very active regularly in church, singing, acting and getting the congregation involved.
- Pastor is having a greater presence in school, visiting every classroom every Monday morning as well as teaching a religion lesson to a different grade twice per month.

Thanks once again to members of Trinity's congregation for kindly making several donations.

Trinity Lutheran School Statistics

Grades: PreK-3 through 9th Grade

Enrollment: 198 Students

Racial Demographics:

White	%
Black/African American	%
Asian	%
Other	%

Hispanic Students: %

State Scholarship Students:

McKay	%
Step Up	%
VPK	%

Church Membership:

Lutheran	%
Other Christian	%
None	%

These statistics show that approximately ___% of our students attend TLS with the help of state funding. Trinity Lutheran School is our congregation's greatest mission outreach. In 2014, 3 students were baptized, 8 students took their first communion, 4 students and 2 former students were confirmed in September and 7 students and 3 former students will be confirmed next September. Two families also became members of Trinity.

Sheila Miles
Principal

TLCS Mission and Vision Statements

Following the reaccreditation, the following statements were adopted and will be followed.

Vision Statement for Trinity Lutheran Church

Trinity Lutheran Church and School is a Christ-centered, caring community that nurtures the body, mind, and spirit of each unique person for a life of service.

Mission Statement for Trinity Lutheran Church

Trinity Lutheran Church is a Christ-centered fellowship fed by God's Word, united with Christ, and empowered by the Holy Spirit.

Mission Statement for Trinity Lutheran School

Trinity Lutheran School provides each student an exceptional education in a Christ-centered environment, cultivated by qualified, dedicated, and caring faculty and staff.



TLCS Offers Excellent Extracurricular Activities for our Students:

Writing: Book Club, grades k-3 and 4-9. Yearbook,

Music: Tribe/Drama/Worship. Bell Rockers

Other: Technology Club, STEAM, National Junior Honor Society, Arts and Crafts. Gardening Club. Student Council.

Sports: Volleyball, Basketball, Indoor Soccer, Badminton, Fitness .



2016 School Board

The school board consists of five elected members of TLC. These volunteers meet monthly to support and uplift Trinity Lutheran School. The current School Board Members are Liz Evans—President,

Jeannette Wize, Aaron Schmalzle, Lorrie Covington. Others attending the meetings to provide input include Pastor Bob Schmalzle, Susan More, Anne Burkett and Sheila Miles

2016-2017 School Staff

The staff at TLC consists of 24 dedicated individuals. Three teachers have taught at TLS at least 26 years.

One teacher was a student at TLS. The principal has 22 years experience in education. Due to their dedication, devotion and passion for education, Trinity continues to excel educationally and spiritually and has gained 5 star rating in "Rate My School".



TLCS Encourages Student Outreach and Service Projects:

Greetings Cards to Veterans and current Servicemen and women.

Food Drives for local Food Pantries and Trinity families. Samaritan Angel Tree—Gifts for Children

Jump For Hear t – American Heart Association

Pasta For Pennies— Leukemia Research

Present Technology at TLS

- WIFI – New provider resulted in increased Bandwidth across campus
- BYOD Policy (Bring Your Own Device)
- Tech Lab with 24 student computer stations complete with flatscreen monitors and optical mice, and a Smart Board and projector to facilitate computer use instruction to all students
- 9 Smart Boards and projectors in classrooms to facilitate instruction to K, 2nd—8th grades
- Available funding to purchase another 3 Smart Boards in the coming months.
- A Computer-Assisted Lab with 13 laptop computers for students to wirelessly access web-based software programs designed to increase math and reading skills; software provided by the Osceola School District, targeting students with special needs and below grade level

Student enrollment at TLS has increased significantly this year. Trinity now has the pleasure of teaching 176 Students, compared to 162 last year.