



High Flier

September 9, 2011

HTLS...where the heart of education is the education of the heart!

From the Director:

This weekend marks the 10th anniversary of the 9-11 attacks. Like it or not, we are now living in a time known as the "Post 9-11 culture" which includes fear of other attacks, uncertainty, heightened security, and instability. It is a reminder for us that as much as we may have our life mapped out, we never know what tomorrow will bring. What we do know is that God is ever present, He never changes, He loves us, and NOTHING can separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Although there are many stories of tragedy that surround 9-11, there are also many stories of rescue. Those individuals that thought their life had ended and yet were spared have a new outlook on life. Because of the events of 9-11 they are forever changed.

It is no different for the believer. God has rescued us by sending His Son to die for our sins. This rescue, believe it or not, far outshines any heroic effort of 9-11 because the impact is for eternity.

May we all take time this weekend...not to think about how we need to seek revenge or get even with those that threaten or attack us, but to reflect on how blessed we are that God has spared each and every one of us from what we deserve, and instead has given us the gift of life.

Mr. Bill Hiskey

Our mission "is to reach out to families and children with the Good News of Jesus through a Christ-centered, loving and forgiving environment of academic excellence."

Check online each Friday for the High Flier (all School News from the Office), lunch menu, monthly calendar of events at HTLS, and the weekly Teacher Letters (check your child's teacher/grade location on the web site). Print copies are posted on the bulletin boards and are available to parents without Internet access upon request- if copies must be mailed we appreciate the parent providing the postage. Thank you.

CHAPEL - Chapel is held on Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m. Parents are welcome to come to room 110 (across from the Library) for coffee and fellowship after drop-off on Wednesdays before Chapel. **Chapel offerings for August and September will be donated to: [The Humane Society!](#)**



Holy Trinity's Dog Wash/Dog Show & Family Picnic

WHERE: Holy Trinity Front Lawn

WHEN: THIS SATURDAY, September 10
11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Bring a blanket or lawn chairs, a covered dish (if possible), a dirty dog (free dog wash and dog show), children and be ready for some LAWN GAMES!!!

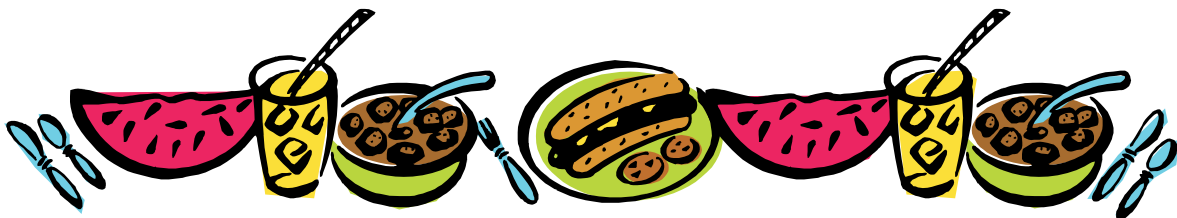
Hotdogs and tons of kid-friendly lawn games for all ages provided

Weather forecast is for 79 degree temps and 20 percent chance of rain!

Dog Days will be giving free dog baths to all canine family members with a dog show to follow

RSVP requested (not required) with number attending to Cheryl Hixson at 270-991-8600, text or voicemail

We promise lots of fun and exhausted children ready for a nap immediately following event!!



Please welcome the **2011/2012 staff members:**

P3 Teacher	Ms. Katie Alagna
P4 Teacher	Ms. Heather Faxon
P4 Aide	Mrs. Juanita Linhardt
PreSchool Director & P4 Teacher	
	Mrs. Dianne Martin
P4 Aide	Ms. Haley Crutcher
Kindergarten	Mrs. Katie Fritz
1st-3rd	Mrs. Melissa Mitchell
4th/5th	Ms. Deedy Whittamore
P.E.	Mrs. Jennifer Upton
Kitchen Mgr	Mrs. Lynn Asp
Art	Mrs. Jill Willis
Librarian	Mrs. Leanna Andrews
Extended Care Aide	Ms. Julia Hendricks
Extended Care Aide	Ms. Aarica Lawrence
Eagle Chorus	Mrs. Beth Markel
Spanish	Mrs. Cara Bedo
School Secretary	Ms. Jennifer Clark
Church Secretary -	Ms Dionne Milam
School Director	Mr. Bill Hiskey



for your great support of the SMART Card sales. HTLS has made **\$2,579** to date!

Without each of you doing your part in our fundraising efforts this year, each child's tuition rate would have to go up to meet our budget. Your fundraising efforts are greatly appreciated by all.

Smart Card sales will still be accepted but all prizes have already been ordered. If you earned a Free Smart Card(s), we will get them to you as soon as possible. Please Contact Cheryl Hixson at 991-8600 if you have any questions.

GIRL SCOUTS: There will be an informational meeting on Monday, September 12 at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall for any girl interested in joining Girl Scouts.

LIBRARY NEWS: The Accelerated Reading Program has begun! Goals have been set for all K-5 students and the STAR Test has been taken by the 1st-5th graders. The test gives each student a range for reading comprehension so they can enjoy, understand and succeed in taking tests on the books they choose to read.

Preschool and Kindergarten students have been learning new vocabulary and expanding their understanding of reading concepts. Kindergarteners will begin checking books out of the library in the second semester. If you have any questions about the AR program, please don't hesitate to ask.

Please continue to read with your child at home nightly. Even a few minutes will make a real difference. Thank you for letting me participate in your child's learning!

Leanna Andrews, Librarian

Reminders and Notices –

All P3 – 5 students who arrive at school after the drop off doors are shut (after 8am) must come by the Office to sign-in and K-5 students must receive a tardy slip before going to class. Tardy enforcement began Sept. 1!

Lil' Angels Attic Fall/Winter Sale is this weekend! Friday, September 9 from 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Saturday, September 10 from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Information packets are available at the School Office.

FUNDRAISERS!!!!!!

Magazine Sales are 2/3 of the way over! Check with the doctor's office, beauty shop, nail salon, etc. that you frequent and ask if they'll order a magazine to help HTLS. Don't forget grandparents! We will need helpers to hand out prizes, help with collections, etc. Talk with Cheryl Hixson if you are available to help.

Turn In Days:

Tues. 9/13: **Final Day** for Orders/Payments

What's a Great Way to raise money in your day-to-day life?



Kroger Cards – Purchase a Kroger card for \$10 from the School Office then reload for additional funds at your local Kroger. Every time you reload HTLS automatically receives 4% back to the School and you have 100% of the money available for Kroger gas and grocery purchases. These cards are available in the School Office.



Please send in your Boxtops labeled with your child's name and their teacher's name. Bundles of 50 make for easy counting but remember to check the expiration dates!

NEWS FLASH: Any student who brings in 50 boxtop coupons by September 22 will receive a coupon good for a free ice cream cone at McDonalds!!!

The individual with the most wins a \$25 gift card from Walmart. More info to come

about the 2nd and 3rd place prizes. Also the class with the most collected will win a ????. Be sure to keep watching for more info!

So far this year, we have collected 1,439 BoxTops for a total of \$143.90! Great Job!

Hannah Booth, 25 tops	P4 Martin
Oliver Hixson, 26 tops	P4 Martin
Emma K Walters, 26 tops	P4 Martin
Jack Willis, 20 tops	P4 Martin
Lily Clark, 52 tops	P4 Faxon
Emma K Lindsey, 26 tops	P4 Faxon
Bryan Jones, 143 tops	Kindergarten
Cole Robertson, 21 tops	Kindergarten
Paul Bergin, 48 tops	1st-3rd Grade
Bryson Brockman, 51 tops	1st-3rd Grade
Nate Fattic, 50 tops	1st-3rd Grade
Hope Jones, 143 tops	1st-3rd Grade
Cale Buelow, 50 tops	4th/5th Grade

Want to Earn EXTRA Boxtops??? Great, If you go to the BOX TOP website www.boxtops4education.com, you can earn six (6) free boxtops (no clipping). Just register for our School and it automatically gives us the points. Have all of your family and friends go to the site and register too!!!!

Finally, you can distribute pre addressed collection envelopes to **FRIENDS AND FAMILY** and get them to collect Box Tops. The collection envelopes are to be taken home by individuals and stuck to the fridge. When full of Box Tops, just seal the envelope, add a stamp, and send them to us. Please include return addresses, so we know whom to thank! If anyone would like to request some collection envelopes for their church or workplace, they can e-mail their mailing address to jjones.joyce@gmail.com.

Thank you to Joyce Jones (Hope-1st and Bryan-K) for organizing our Box Tops collection this year.

PARKING LOT - Please remember to always enter the parking lot from Nashville Rd and exit the parking lot by the playground onto Ashmoor during drop-off time or pick-up time. Please do not make U-turns and try to exit back onto Nashville Rd as the incoming traffic is blocked from entering. Do not enter the parking lot from Ashmoor during school hours; this is an exit only roadway. If the safety cones are up on the blacktop that means the area is off limits to all parking and traffic so that it is available for recess and PE classes. Thank you for helping keep our children safe.

MISSING RECORDS – If your child’s student file has any missing required documentation a letter was sent home in their backpack this week. We understand some of the information is redundant, sorry, but thanks for your help! Required information must be in place within the first 30 days of school. Please call the School Office with any questions. Thanks!!

After School Enrichment Clubs began this week Sign-up sheets went home with students recently. Limited spaces are available in the clubs. The cost is \$3.50 per student per club but remember if you already pay for extended care on the day the club meets, you do not have to pay for the club fee. Additional “materials” cost may be required for selective clubs. Parents, if you are willing to help sponsor a club once or twice per month for an hour after school please let Mr. Hiskey know.

EXTENDED CARE PICK-UP: We have changed the room that we are using for Extended Care this year. When weather permits the children will be out on the playground. If they are inside, please use the School Office entrance and we will direct you. Thank you.

LUNCH/MILK TICKET PRICES – Make all checks to HTLS and write on the memo-line how it’s designated.

5 meal ticket - \$17.50
10 meal ticket - \$35.00
20 meal ticket - \$70.00
Extra Milks (20) - \$8.00 or \$.40 each
Extra Entrees (10) - \$7.50 or \$.75 each
Adult Guest - \$4.00

Students K-5 have the option to pack their lunch. Preschoolers staying all day 8:00-3:00 p.m. must purchase a lunch ticket. Preschoolers staying for Lunch Bunch 12:00-1:00 p.m. have their lunch included in the cost of their hour of extended care.

Lunch Balances- Apologies for any confusion regarding lunch balances, we are still working out the kinks. If you have questions about lunch/milk balances, please do not hesitate to call the office.

TRANSFORMATION STATION - This is the new name for Sunday School here at Holy Trinity. This involves an interactive rotational style of Sunday school for children. Come join us and bring a friend!

BOWLING GREEN HIGH SCHOOL CHEER CLINIC fliers were sent home with students about the cheer clinic on Sunday, September 11 at BGHS from 2-4pm. The cost is \$25 per child and is available for children aged 4 yrs to 6th grade.

Coming in October!!

PTO Fall Festival and Annual Chili Supper will be on Saturday, October 29 from 4-8pm. It seems like a long time from now, but these things take time to prepare and we'll need your help! Please contact Cheryl Hixson with any ideas, or help you can offer! Thanks in advance!

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES!

We have many avenues for someone to volunteer at Holy Trinity and would love for you to be involved. Some opportunities are here in the facility:

- Kitchen Aide - helping with preparing food, setting up dining area, cleaning, etc. (Perk - hanging out with the students & staff)
- Office Aide - answering phones/taking messages, greeting visitors, various small tasks as available (Perk - hanging out with the students & staff)

Some opportunities can be done at home or as a group here at the facility:

- PTO Fundraising efforts - preparing mailings, handing out prizes, coordinating various efforts, etc. (Perk hanging out with the students & staff & exploring fun activities)

We'll share more ideas as the year progresses.

LUTHERAN WORLD RELIEF KITS

The LWML is leading the collection efforts for these kits. A box will be in the Narthex and you may bring your donations at any time.

Personal Care Kits

- Towel – light or medium weight bath size (approx. 52"x27"), dark color recommended
- Soap (2 bars) – bath-size (4-5oz.) of any brand in the original wrapping

- Toothbrush – adult-size in original packaging (multi-packs may be used by sealing an individual toothbrush in a business-size envelope; no plastic bags or wrap)
- Comb, sturdy – remove packaging
- Nail Clippers, metal – remove packaging

School Kits

- Notebooks (4) – Wide or College ruled with 70 sheets of paper (approx. 8"x10.5"); no loose-leaf paper
- Ruler – 30-centimeter or a ruler with centimeters on one side and inches on the other
- Pencil Sharpener
- Scissors, blunt (safety scissors with embedded steel blades work well)
- #2 Pencils with erasers (5), unsharpened; secure together with a rubber band
- Ballpoint Pens (5) – no gel ink; secure together with a rubber band
- Eraser (approx. size 2.5")
- Crayons – box of 16 or

WE EXPRESS OUR CHRISTIAN SYMPATHIES TO THE FAMILIES OF...

Dionne Milam (HTLC/S secretary) in the death of her cousin, Charles Ferguson. Charlie died on Wednesday, August 31, at 54 years of age. Funeral services were held in Elizabethtown, KY.

Jennifer Clark (HTLS secretary) in the death of Charles E. Nierstedt, her grandfather and the great-grandfather of Lily (P4). Mr. Nierstedt died on Tuesday, September 6, at 81 years of age. Funeral services were held in Jersey City, NJ.

***We commend Dionne, Jennifer, Lily,
and their families to the
comfort and compassion
of our Loving and Living Lord Jesus Christ.***

Parenting Tip

September 4, 2011

Children Outgrow Rules but Not Values

As children get older, parents gradually release control of decision-making and allow their kids greater freedom to make choices for themselves. Too much freedom too early can be disastrous but too much control and then instant freedom can be dangerous as well.

The key to making good decisions has a lot to do with values, but children don't get to hear about values as often. Children hear rules. If, when your kids are growing up, you talk about the values behind the rules then when they have the freedom to make their own decisions, they'll be able to do so with wisdom.

Children outgrow rules, but they don't outgrow values. When kids are young you may not allow them to go down the street without an adult. When they get a little older they'll have to check in and be home at a certain time. Those are rules but they come out of very important values of safety and accountability. When a college student is invited to stay out late with her friends, those values from childhood will still ring true, and will help guide her to wise decisions.

Prepare now for your child's future decision-making. What are the values behind the rules you've created? Share those values regularly as opportunities to teach your kids. Your children will carry the values on for the rest of their lives.

What are some ways you've been able to teach your kids values? [Click here](#) to tell us about it.

This parenting tip comes from the book [Home Improvement, The Parenting Book You Can Read to Your Kids](#) by Dr. Scott Turansky and Joanne Miller, RN, BSN.

If you'd like help developing a plan for your child, consider being [a featured parent in a webinar](#) with Dr. Scott Turansky.

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