

# Rooted in Christ

Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he is that who bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing. John 15:4-5

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## Tiger Talk!

### From the Principal's Desk:

Dear Trinity Families,

Welcome back! Our theme for the 2023-2024 school year is "Rooted in Christ." This theme is based on verses from John 15:1-5, when Jesus talks about being the True Vine. Our first day for Kindergarten-8th grade was Wednesday, August 23, and we dismissed at 11:30 am. Pastor Bob led us in our first chapel. As in the past, we invite everyone to the church for chapel at 8:30 on Wednesdays. Preschool began on Thursday August 24.

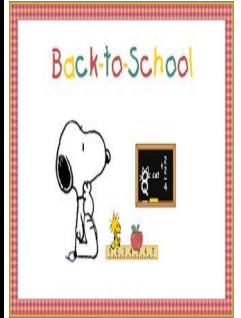
The teachers and I are very excited to have everyone back and to welcome some new faces as well. We are aware of the heat for the first couple weeks of school. Please have a water bottle for your child. We do have bottle filling stations in the halls. We also have brand new air conditioners in the classrooms to keep the rooms nice and cool!

Just so everyone is aware, German Church Road is still being resurfaced. This will probably impact travel time, please plan accordingly.

Also, SAVE THE DATE, Friday September 8! This will be our Family Fun Night in the school parking lot. We will have food trucks, Tropical Sno, bounce houses, and 9-square. Bring a lawn chair, come out and meet other parents, and fellowship! This is a community event as well as for school families.

I know this is going to be a fantastic year at Trinity!

In His Service,  
Andy DeWitt



### UPCOMING EVENTS:

#### September:

9/4 Labor Day - NO SCHOOL

9/8 Family Fun Night 4:30 - 7:00

9/19 Mr. DeWitt's Birthday 

9/20 Picture Day

### AFTER SCHOOL DISMISSAL PROCEDURES:

In order to have an orderly and safe dismissal from school, we have enacted the following rules:

\*Students will line up in their classrooms or the hallways, but will not be dismissed to the lobby until the bell rings at 3:15 p.m. (or 11:30 a.m. on half days).

\*Preschool will be dismissed at 3:00 p.m.

\*If you must take your child before 3:15 p.m., you must come to the school office and sign him/her out.

\*On away game days, athletes and their siblings may be dismissed before 3:15 p.m.

\*Please do not allow your child/children to walk between or behind cars

**\*Please drive slowly in the parking lot.**

### PARKING:

\*Parking along the curb is prohibited at any time of the day. Drivers may wait along the curb, if you are near a curb, you must remain in your car, in case you are asked to move. This includes no parking on the corner or along the east side of the school as well as the curb in front of school.

\*Neither parking, nor waiting, is allowed in the striped area immediately in front of the school entrance. This area is for crossing only.

\*Students should enter and leave their vehicles on the curb side only.

**\*At no time can we allow traffic to back up onto German Church Road.** Please move to the lot or drive around if you are blocking the entrance.

\*Vehicles parked in the lot next to the gym must park facing German Church Road.

\*Cars are ONLY allowed to drive forward when exiting a parking spot. Cars are NOT to reverse out of a parking spot.