

NEWSLETTER



NOVEMBER 18TH, 2025



UPCOMING EVENTS

- Nov. 20th- Parent/ Teacher Conferences
- Nov. 21st- LIGHT Shirt Day
- Nov. 24th- Middle School Conferences Only
- Nov. 25th- ½ Day of School- No Daycare
- Nov. 26th-28th- No School-Thanksgiving
- Nov. 30th- 1st Sunday of Advent
- Dec. 1st- Home and School Meeting @5:30PM
- Dec. 7th- Advent Caroling and Wreath Making
- Dec. 15th- Advent Program @6PM
- Dec. 18th- Advent Reconciliation

This is a reminder that Tuesday, November 25th is a half day of school. All students must be picked up by 11:20 AM, and there will be no daycare available that day. School will be closed November 26th-28th for the holiday break.

A special thank-you to everyone who joined us for The Lost Stories of the Faith as Told Through Sacred Relics on Sunday afternoon. It was truly an amazing experience! If you ever have the opportunity to see this display again, I highly recommend it—the stories and the connection to our faith are incredible.

Also, attached is our 24-25 Annual Report, which highlights the many blessings, accomplishments, and growth we've experienced this year.

And finally, from the bottom of my heart, thank you for all the fun 50th birthday wishes! Your kindness and joy made the day extra special

Blessings, Shannon Murphy

Giving Tuesday at Holy Trinity Catholic School

Giving Tuesday is December 3rd, we invite you to support Holy Trinity Catholic School as we continue growing—literally! Our goal this year is to raise funds for an indoor hydroponic garden system, allowing students to learn about science, sustainability, and God's creation in a hands-on way.

Your gift will help bring this exciting project to life, providing opportunities for students to plant, nurture, and harvest vegetables year-round while connecting lessons of stewardship and care for our common home.

♥ Give online at <https://community.dioceseofgrandrapids.org/pages/donation-page-gt2025---holy-trinity-catholic-school>

Thank you for helping us grow faith, knowledge, and kindness—one seed at a time!

HOLY TRINITY SCHOOL THANKSGIVING COLLECTION

As we enter this season of giving and gratitude, Holy Trinity School will be holding a Food Drive to support those in need within our local area and the Northwest Food Pantry. We invite all students and families to participate by donating non-perishable food items/personal hygiene items from **November 17–21**. This project reflects two important themes of Catholic Social Teaching:

The Option for the Poor and Vulnerable which reminds us that Jesus calls us to care especially for those who are struggling. By sharing food, we show compassion for those who have less and help ensure that every person's basic needs are met.

The Rights and Responsibilities theme which teaches us that every person has the right to what is necessary to live in dignity — such as food, shelter, and safety — and that we also have the responsibility to care for one another and work for the common good. Through this food drive, we live out that responsibility by helping our neighbors in need.

All donations can be brought to the boxes outside the school office. Together, we can make a difference. Each can, box, or bag of food is a sign of love, hope, and solidarity.

Starred Items are the Greatest Need

*Cereal	Pop-Tarts	Instant Oatmeal	Peanut Butter
Canned Fruit	Canned soups	Canned chicken	Spaghetti Noodles
Rice	Ramen Noodles	Rice-A-Roni	Hamburger Helper
Sloppy Joe Sauce	*Toothbrushes	*Toothpaste	*Laundry Soap Pods
*Liquid Dish Soap	*Liquid Hand Soap	*Shampoo	*Conditioner
*Soap	*Bodywash	*Toilet Paper	*Deodorant
*Paper Towel	*Razors	*Shaving Cream	