



12th High Flier

Friday, November 13, 2020

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

***The reason we exist: God created us to love Him and to let His love shine through us to a needy world!
Therefore, "The Mission of Holy Trinity Lutheran School 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."***

From the Director:

This week we celebrated Veteran's Day and the kids all dressed in camo on Friday as a way to honor those who have served. We are so blessed to be able to celebrate our freedom that we all have as a part living in this country, especially the freedom that we have to share Christ daily with children and families.

Parents beware! We have been extremely fortunate to not have any of our students test positive for the coronavirus to date, but we have had quite a few "close calls". With the number of cases rising, logic dictates that the likelihood of this effecting our school increases. The hardest part of our day to day schedule has been to coordinate and run our extended care program. This is the area where we are also losing money because of the guidelines that have to be followed requiring fewer students and an increased number of workers as we stay in our groups.

We MAY get to a point where we have to cancel after-school care services and have all students picked up by 3pm. We are thankful that we have not had to do that as of yet, but you might want to have a back-up plan in place "just in case". Please continue to keep our HTLS family in your prayers.

Bill Hiskey, School Director

On the Calendar:

11/13: Mid Quarter Reports sent home

11/17: PTO Meeting 5:30

11/24: Donato's Pizza Day

HTLS will be closed for Thanksgiving
November 25-27.

November Chapel Offerings will be donated to USO.

The November **Character Development Focus** is Gratitude.

Tuition Payment Update

If you still haven't gotten your autopay set up but want to, please email the office at school.admin@htlc-bg.org

ONLINE SHOPPERS UNITE!!!

It's time to FLIPGIVE! Click the link below to join our FlipGive Team. Once you join, simply use [flipgive.com](https://www.flipgive.com) as your launching point for all online shopping. There are 100's of vendors. Sam's Club is giving 5% back for online shopping, for example! With holiday shopping about to vamp up, please consider joining this program.

<https://www.flipgive.com/signup>

Our Join Code is OIB6SQ

Other ways to help HTLS meet 2020 fundraising goals:



Enter Coke Rewards:
Contact the office for instructions.

Kroger Community Rewards:
Login to Kroger.com, enroll in Community Rewards and select Holy Trinity as your recipient.



Download the Boxtops App.
Scan your receipt after shopping to get credit.

If you need help or have questions about any of these programs, please just ask!



Toys for Tots collection has begun at HTLS. If you have a new, unwrapped toy to donate, please drop it off at the front office. HTLS has partnered with Toys for Tots for several years and we are honored to be a collection site for this great program.

Calvin the Courageous Update:

Many of you know who Calvin the Courageous is, but for our new families in 2020, you probably only know that we collected Chapel Offerings for him in October.



Calvin is now 4 years old and had been a student in Miss Shelby's P2 class last year when he was diagnosed with leukemia in November. He has been battling ever since. Can you imagine having a child battling cancer amidst a pandemic? Neither can we.

UPDATE: THE POWER OF PRAYER

I am thrilled to report that Calvin is back home, and while there is still a long road ahead, at least for now, he doing well! Click the link below for the latest updates on Caring Bridge.

We are always thankful for the support our families give so that our student body can be ambassadors to the community, and this family is praying for a miracle. For strength for Calvin, for wisdom for his doctors, for comfort and understanding for his family. If you do anything in the next 5 minutes, please say a prayer for them. If you'd like to do more, whether it be a monetary donation, gift card, or just send a card, please let us know and we will tell you how.

<https://www.caringbridge.org>

Search "Calvin the Courageous" on the Caring Bridge site