



BULLETIN

TRENTON CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

January 9, 2018

THEME: We are His

"I John 3:1

"See what great love the Father has lavished on us, that we should be called children of God! And that is what we are! The reason the world does not know us is that it did not know him."



Our January Biblical-Throughline Theme: "Earth Keeping"

"When I consider Your heavens, the work of Your fingers, the moon and the stars, which You have set in place, what is mankind that You are mindful of them, human beings that you care for them? You have made them a little lower than the angels and crowned them with glory and honour. You made them rulers over the works of Your hands; You put everything under their feet: all flocks and herds, and the animals of the wild, the birds in the sky, and the fish in the sea, all that swim the paths of the seas." (Psalm 8: 3-8)

Dear Parents/Guardians

Happy and Blessed New Year!! We hope that everyone enjoyed the Christmas Break. It was so great to see the students return to school today and reconnect with their classmates and teachers. We look forward to enjoying the year 2018 at TCS; as we learn, play and pray together.

PRAYER CORNER:

Wales Family— We continue to pray for the Wales family as their baby Marcus, who was born in October 2017 has ongoing health concerns and is still in PICU at SickKids with Mom and Dad at Ronald McDonald . Here is their prayer requests for Marcus:

- For Strength for Marcus' body so he can move and breathe, especially to exhale.
- For God's guidance for the Drs or a new Dr with Marcus' best interests at heart.
- For everything that Marcus needs to get off the ventilator and it happens in record time!
- For strength and peace for the Martin & Jennifer and family as they deal with the on going road to recovery for Marcus.

Mrs. Olivia deVries—Little Sparks EA— Congratulations and blessings to Mrs. deVries and her husband on the safe arrival of Shaelyn Hannah on Jan. 5.

Nasmith Family—We give thanks for the safe arrival of Caroline Olivia Grace Nasmith on January 5. Congratulations and blessings to the Oliver and Danielle Nasmith and family

SNOW DAY REMINDER:

Just a reminder when it is snowy or icy in the mornings be sure to check your email for a bus cancellation notice. The notices will also be listed on local radio stations. We will also post it on Facebook and on our answering machine at the school.

****When the busses are cancelled, the school is closed****

Also, if you haven't already done so, in order to receive an email indicating bus cancellations, late busses etc. It is necessary to register your email address.

Go to <https://qcs.mybusplanner.ca> and click on the parent portal. Input the username and pin number for your child that you received earlier.

If you need that information please contact the school office.



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Happy New Year to all! Hoping your Christmas celebrations were wonderful as we marveled once again on the greatest gift of all!

The store has been wonderfully blessed with all the volunteers who come on a regular basis as well as our Saturday extras. Thank you to all who signed up for Saturdays at the recent membership meeting! We are still in need of volunteers on Saturday, January 27 from 10:00 am - 2 pm. The rest of the Saturdays, all the way to the end of February, have been filled. If you are willing and able to help us out on January 27 please let Henrietta know at index@bellnet.ca.

BIRTHDAYS:

Dec. 19—Kaylee W.—Gr. 6

Dec. 21—Grace V.—Gr. 6

Dec. 23—Dustin F.—Gr 1

Jan. 7—Ashley V.—JK

Jan. 8—Mrs. Korver

Jan. 11—Iaan C.—Gr. 5

Jan. 12—Ziporah Sl.—Gr. 1

Jan. 13—Arizona W.—Gr. 8

May you have a blessed birthday!

SAVE THE DATE: - SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24'18, TCS FORMAL GALA

The Fidget Comedy Group will entertain us while we enjoy a wonderful meal. There will also be a silent auction.

Come out and enjoy fun and fellowship with the TCS Family. Please invite your friends and family to join us.

Ticket sales and more information will come soon.

TCS FLAMES Hockey: This week we start our on ice tryouts and practice at the Frankford arena (4:00-5:00pm) **Please note the change in practice dates: Monday, January 15th and 22nd.** Our Christian School Tournament is in Barrie on Thursday, February 1st, 2018.

CLASSROOM NEWS:

3 DAY KINDERGARTEN

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Happy New Year! It is good to back together again! This week we are looking forward to exploring the theme of 'Winter'. We will explore snow, winter activities and winter clothing. Our corresponding verse comes from Job 37:6 - He says to the snow, 'Fall to the earth,' and to the rain shower, 'Be a mighty downpour.'

The letter 'D,d' is our focus in Language Arts this week.

In Mathematics we continue to work with numbers and counting.

5 DAY KINDERGARTEN

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Happy new year! We look forward to celebrating a new year together as we talk about the months of the year and the new number on our calendar. We will also talk about our new season, winter and have fun exploring snow and animals that live in the cold parts of the world. Students are welcome to bring in penguins and polar bear for our centres. Our theme verse for this week is from Psalm 24:1: "The earth is the Lord's and everything in it, the world and all who live in it." We will connect it to our throughline for this month: earth-keeping. We will wonder about how we can be God's earth-keepers in the winter. We will learn about the letter Kk this week And begin our Bible stories about Moses.

GRADE 1

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Happy New Year! I wish you all God's blessings as we start a new year together! Creation Studies: We are starting a new unit today called "All Creatures Large and Small", an animal unit on mammals and insects. It is an exciting unit that includes lots of activities at school, an animal project and a visit to the Toronto Zoo. The booked date for this trip is Friday, March 2.

Bible: We are wrapping the life of Moses this week and the first stories of entering in the Promised Land.

New Memory Work: Psalm 18: 1-2a "I love you, O Lord, my strength. The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer."

Binder Words: girls, goes, family. Later This month, Grade one will be starting on a Spelling program.

Math: we are starting a unit on Data Management. This week it will focus on building and interpreting Graphs.

Trip to Quinte West Public Library on Tuesday, Jan. 23 in the morning. We will need drivers.

French—Gr. 1 - We will begin a unit on clothing.

GRADE 2

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Welcome back! I pray that we will be blessed in this year ahead. As we begin a new year, we also begin many new units. Bible: WE will be learning about prayer and how Jesus taught us to pray.

Creation Studies: We will be detectives for the next few weeks as we discover many amazing things about solids, liquids and gasses. Ask your child about the experiments we are doing in class.

Math: We are beginning a new unit on Data Management and probability.

Spelling: Test on Friday Lesson 14 Gr. 2—can't, didn't, don't, won't, not, will, fill, hill, pill, Bill/bill, drill, chill, grill, still, thrill.

French—Students will be working with winter vocabulary. They will be completing a variety of activities using this vocabulary.

GRADE 3

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Welcome back to school and a new year! Unfortunately I will be away this week Thursday and Friday due to the passing of my Oma Westervelt. Yet, the students week will be academically normal as possible. There is a spelling test this Friday. It is week 14 on spelling city. They will go home with memory work from our new Bible unit on Joseph. The memory work is due January 19th. Today we are also starting a new math unit on geometry; the study of figures. Reminder to have library books back this week. We have received a few Flat Stanley letters; we will open these today!

French—This week we will be reviewing the places Henriette (the mouse) has been. We will be reviewing the names of the places and names of items associated with these places.

GRADE 4/5

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Welcome back to school! I'm excited to see how God will work through our class in 2018!

Social Studies: We finish our Explorers Brochures this week and begin short presentations to the class.

Bible: We continue our Proverbs Project this week, most students have a good start and need to bump up their work to a Level 4.

Math: Today we quickly summarized time and we will begin studying money.

French—Students will be reviewing the names of animals and adjectives to describe the animals. Students will also be reviewing colours this week.

Book Report—Due Jan. 18

GRADE 6/7

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Welcome Back to School! I hope that you had a fantastic break.

Spelling Test - Friday - Lesson 14 Gr. 7 Math: Starting Unit 8 on, "Percents".

Gr. 7 Literature: Students are working on an independent novel study. Students need to have a new book ready for Thursday.

Gr. 6/7 Bible: Students are finishing up the last several chapters of "A Pilgrims Progress."

Gr. 6/7 Social Studies: We are finishing up our debate this week on the advantages and disadvantages of Land Reclamation.

French—Gr. 6/7 - This week students will be reading/listening to a report on Jupiter. Students will also be reading information on all the other planets.

GRADE 7/8

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I hope everyone had a great Christmas and a relaxing holiday. Thanks for all the gifts I received and I know the students really enjoyed handing out gifts to each other.

We will be working on speeches in the next few weeks. The students will have to come up with a topic that interests them and begin working on their speeches. They will be due the end of February.

Current events:

Wednesday: Literature quiz: Grade 8

Thursday: Spelling test: Grade 7

Friday: Spelling test: Grade 8

French— We will be beginning a new unit called "Fêtes et Mardi Gras". In this unit we will be learning about many different celebrations in the Franco-phone world.

Grade 7/8 Geography: This week we will be starting our next unit "Global Inequalities: Economic Development and Quality of Life". The big question that we will be exploring and sharing is Why care about the difference in people's qualities of life?

The ENSS Grade 8 parent evening is scheduled for **Thurs., Jan. 18 from 6 pm – 8 pm at ENSS.**