# CHATTERBOX

*November 2, 2026*

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| November 2 | 10:15am<br>3:45pm | Cross Country Meet<br>PTL Meeting |
| November 3 | | Kindergarten PJ Day |
| November 6 | 6:30pm – 8pm | Family Fun Night |
| November 10 | 2:00pm | Sing at Veteran's Home |
| November 12 | | School Pictures |
| November 13 | | Chaplain Nature Center – Bring a sack lunch |
| November 15 | 11:30am | Sing before Thanksgiving Dinner |
| November 16 | | Mid Quarter Reports Go Home |
| November 17 | | Kindergarten Field Trip - Bank & Herlockers Law Office |
| November 23-27 | | NO SCHOOL<br>Thanksgiving Break |

**Family Fun Night**

On November 6, 2026, we will be having family BINGO in the basement of the church, from 6:30 – 8:00pm. There will be prizes! All participating families are asked to bring a shareable snack. It's going to be a fun evening!

**Chaplain Nature Center**

The children will be visiting the Chaplain Nature Center on November 13th. The children will need to bring a sack lunch to school.

**Yearbook Club**

Yearbook club meets once a month to create an awesome yearbook for our school. Meetings are from 3:45pm to 5:00pm in the overflow room. Watch for November's meeting date.

**Library will be on Friday this week.**

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Any concerns needing addressed by the principal should be emailed to principal@trinitylutheranwinfield.org. Pastor Meyer is currently the acting administrator until a replacement can be found.

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# Preschool

Dear Preschool Parents,

The students sure had a grand time Friday by having Chapel, library check out, the Fire Department, and their fun Halloween party! Action packed! Thank you to all the parents that came to help and enjoy the party with your child! You mean so much to them. It was so nice to see and hear laughing and enjoyment.

This week the class will be making some cards for the Veterans that live at the Veterans Home. I will take them out to them when the older students sing to them on Nov. 10th. On Nov. 12th we will have pictures taken here early in the morning. Please turn in your packet info and money if you want to purchase some. On Nov. 13th we are to go to Chaplain Nature Center in the morning after Chapel. The Preschool class will have a Scavenger Hunt when we get there. If you cannot attend, we will take the children and then they will be returned to the school at 11:30 for pick up. The older children will return to school at about 1:30 pm to finish out the remainder of the school day. The Nature Center closes at 1:00 that day. I will have a substitute that day due to an unforeseen funeral.

Our Bible lesson is "The Ten Commandments", Exodus 19:1-20:21. Our Bible memory verse is, "Keep My commandments", John 14:15. Chapel will be Friday morning 8:10-8:45 am. This quarter our giving will go to Lutherans for life to help soon to be mothers with diapers, wipes and formula. If you would like to help with this love donation you or your child can bring these items in and place them in the box just inside my classroom door. Thank you very much! Any food donations will go to the Winfield Food Pantry. Thank you for helping our neighbors and teaching your child how to help others.

Our letter for the week is "K,k", and the number "8". We will be reviewing during the week, what they have learned up to now. Tell-n-Show will be Wednesday. Please help your child bring something from home that begins with the letter "K". Thank you very much.

This week we will have many fun activities even if it does rain 2- 3 days this week. Here are a few things they will be doing; painting, glueing, writing, reading, felt stories, fun indoor recess activities, singing, using scissors, playing games, play dough, and learning how to play nicely with others.

Thank you for all of your support! I appreciate you all very much! Thank you for all the snacks you have provided! You are wonderful! If you have any questions, please let me know.

Peace and Joy,

Mrs. Pugmire

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# Kindergarten

Greetings Kindergarten Parents!

I hope everyone had a great weekend. Thank you to all the parents who attended our Reformation Party last week. :)

This week our memory verse will be "God has wonderfully shown His steadfast love to me" Psalm 31:21. This quarter we are collecting diapers, wipes, and formula to support our local moms and their babies. We will collect these items weekly at Chapel.

Please read one or more books each night, sign the reading log, and initial which homework box your child does each night. The goal is to complete at least one reading log a month and complete every box on our BINGO sheet each week.

In reading and social studies we are learning about our neighborhoods and communities. This is a great time to help your child learn their address, as well as nearby streets and businesses. We will be going on a few field trips around the community the week before Thanksgiving break. Please look for permission slips.

We are in need of snacks. :) Thank you to those who have brought snacks this year.

**Reminders:**

- **Please check your child's folders & sign notes/ permission slips**
- **Students need: Tennis Shoes, Folder, & Water Bottles daily**
- **Library is on Friday this week.**

**Important Dates:**

- **November 3rd- Pajama Day & Miss Jo Visits**
- **November 10th- Sing at Veterans Home 2pm**
- **November 15th- Rejoice Choir K-8 sing at Thanksgiving dinner Students should meet in sanctuary at 11:20AM**
- **November 16th- Mid Quarter Reports go home**
- **November 17th- Kindergarten Field Trip Bank/ Law Office**
- **November 19th- Kindergarten Field Trip to Library/ Rec Center**
- **November 23-27 Thanksgiving Break**
- **December 4th- Sing at RCB Bank 2PM**
- **December 16th- Christmas Program 6:30pm**
- **December 18th- Caroling @ 9:30am & Christmas Parties @ 2pm**

Parents, thank you for partnering with me to make this a great year for your child.
Please feel free to contact me anytime.

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# 1st grade

# 2nd grade

Dear Parents,

**Upcoming Events**: *Veteran Home Rejoice Choir* - Tuesday, November 10, 2026 at 1:45 p.m. leaving school
*Pictures Day* - November 12 and *Chaplin Nature Center* - November 13
*Thanksgiving Break* - November 23 - November 27, 2026

**Library**: Remember to return your library books on or before Friday, November 6, 2026.

**Reading:**

First Grade will be starting Module Four - Week Two. The students will be reading stories called **Pele -** King of Soccer and Get Up and Go! The **Spelling Tes**t will be on **Friday**, November 6, 2026 with the following words: that, with, this, then, whip, which, where, why, their, right, say, walk - (Bonus Words - body, well, exercise). **Phonics -** The students will be working on words with "Digraph (th - wh)".

Second Grade will be starting Module Four - Week Two. The students will be reading a story called Hollywood Chicken. The **Spelling Test** will be on **Friday,** November 6, 2026 with the following words: pay, wait, paint, train, pail, clay, tray, plain, stain, hay, gray, away, which, always, says - (Bonus Words: believe, journey, speech). **Phonics -** The students will be working on words with "Long a (ai - ay)".

**Math:** Second Grade will be working on tally data graphs, identifying a.m. and p.m., identifying missing digits, reading a thermometer to the nearest degree, and subtraction facts - difference of one, identifying horizontal, vertical, and oblique line segments, and adding multiples of 100.

**Social Studies:** The students will continue working on Chapter 1 - Lesson 4.

**Science:** The class will be doing some mini-lessons on "Why do we have daylight saving time?"

**Handwriting**: The students will be working on forming their letters correctly.

**Memory Verse**: "For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, and are justified by his grace as a gift, though the redemption that is in Christ Jesus." Roman 3: 23-24

**Memory Verse Challenge**: Pastor Warneke and Ms. Foster are challenging all first and second graders to memorize this year's school memory verse, which is the following: "As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him, rooted and built up in Him and established in the faith, as you have been taught, abounding in it with thanksgiving. Colossians 2: 6-7." When ***ALL (14)*** students have memorized this verse, there will be a reward for all students.

**Homework:** Please have your child practice their spelling words and memory work nightly. Your child should read for 20 minutes daily. Please fill out the reading log and return on Friday for a chance at the Treasure Box. Your child's weekly math / literacy sheet is due on or before Friday.

**Snacks:** The students are welcome to bring their own healthy snacks daily.

Have a great week!
Blessings,
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# 5th grade

# 6th grade

**5th-6th Grade Chatterbox**

**Other Notes:**

- Our current read aloud is, The Midnight Children by Dan Gemeinhart.

**Memory Work:** 5th - "I will put enmity between you and the woman, and between your offspring and her offspring; he shall bruise your head, and you shall bruise his heel." Genesis 3:15"

6th - "Therefore let no one pass judgment on you in questions of food and drink, or with regard to a festival or a new moon or a Sabbath. These are a shadow of the things to come, but the substance belongs to Christ." Colossians 2:16-17

**Reading:** We will finish reading, The City of Ember with Mrs. Meyer and then switch back to Mrs. Warneke for our next unit.

**Word Work:** This week's roots are, "mit" and "miss" If morphology work is not finished in class, it is homework. Please ask your student if all of their green folder work is finished! If your student scores low in a graded section of their morphology work, they can make corrections and submit corrected work for a better grade.

**Math:** Please ask your student what they have been learning in math. You may find it beneficial to have them bring home their math book and homework every day, so that you can watch them grow in their understanding.

**Science:** This week we will start Unit 5 Weather Information. We will read Chapter 18- Gathering Weather Information. Please help your child study their vocabulary words at home. They will take this week's vocabulary quiz on Thursday.

**Geography:** The 5th graders are preparing for a cumulative unit test over the past 3 chapters. This test will be on Wednesday. All of the information on this test will be information students have been tested over previously. Students need to know the vocabulary for the first 3 chapters before we can begin our study of specific countries. The 6th graders will work on their Africa projects. They have now moved on to the project creation stage.

**ELA:** We will be starting our unit on Famous Failures this week. We will also begin writing Kernal Essays.

**Art**: We will be using our Eric Carle papers to make a pumpkin collage.

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# 7th grade
# 8th grade

**7th-8th Grade Chatterbox**

**Other Notes:**

- Our 2nd quarter chapel offerings will go to help support mothers and babies in Cowley County. Please bring diapers, formula, and wipes for chapel offering.

**Memory Work:** “Therefore let no one pass judgment on you in questions of food and drink, or with regard to a festival or a new moon or a Sabbath. These are a shadow of the things to come, but the substance belongs to Christ.” Colossians 2:16-17

**Reading:** We are reading selected chapters from 2 Samuel. Last Friday, we started our Sherlock Holmes unit by reading *The Adventure of the Speckled Band.* This week we will be detectives and use text evidence in our writing. We will talk about the author's purpose in *The Speckled Band* and will watch the 1984 episode of our Sherlock Holmes short story.

**Word Work/Latin:** “cōgito, ergō sum.” I think, therefore, I am. —René Descartes

**Math:** Please ask your student what they have been learning in math. You may find it beneficial to have them bring home their math book and homework every day, so that you can watch them grow in their understanding.

**Science:** We will do a science experiment on Tuesday and will prepare for our science test on Thursday.

**World History:** We will learn about Greece and Persia this week.

**ELA:** Students’ final, edited Giver end chapters are due this Tuesday. Students will begin having ELA with Mrs. Meyer again this Tuesday.

**Art**: We will be working on our vektor paintings.

# SPELLING AND VOCABULARY WORDS

## Spelling Words and Vocabulary

**1st grade spelling:**
Test on November 6, 2026
Digraphs (th – wh)

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| that | with | this | then | whip | which | where |
| why | their | right | say | walk | | |

Bonus Words: body well exercise

**2nd grade spelling**
Test on November 6, 2026
Long a (ai – ay)

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| pay | wait | paint | train | pail | clay | tray | |
| plain | stain | hay | gray | away | which | always | says |

Bonus Words: believe journey speech

**3rd grade spelling:**

**4th grade spelling:**