



Weekly Communication from Mrs. Luzzo

September 4, 2026

Don't forget to ROAR!

Happy Friday, Trinity Lions! Thank you so much for your support and participation throughout these first few weeks of the new school year. Getting back into the routine of drop-off, pick-up, homework, and after-school activities is never easy, and we truly appreciate your hard work and dedication. Our students have done a fantastic job settling in, and we are so excited about all the wonderful things happening here at HTCS!

I hope you all enjoy the long weekend and find plenty of time for rest and relaxation with your families!

ESTF Grant Recipients - At this time, all invoices for Q1 should have been submitted. I have been assured that our school is listed and invoices can be submitted. If you have not already done so, please submit your invoice to Class Wallet today. Thank you!

Car Tags - Please be sure your car tag is clearly displayed in the driver side front dash. **Please leave the tag there until your child is safely in your car.** Also, please communicate this information to anyone who is picking up your student. It greatly helps those of us outside helping students get to the appropriate car.

Retreat - Students will enjoy their first faith formation mini retreat of the school year **today, Friday, 9/4**. The theme of the retreat is *The Creed: We Believe* and will consist of various activities related to the parts of the Creed we profess each week at Mass. Our retreat will conclude with Adoration.

Half Day - School will dismiss at **noon today, Friday, 9/4**. There is no afternoon Seton bus or aftercare that day. **All students must be picked up at noon.** Please form two car lines for dismissal.

School Closed - In recognition of Labor Day on **Monday, 9/7**, school will be closed. Enjoy the long weekend!

ROAR Squad - This afterschool sport is open to boys and girls in grades K4-5th. Sign up forms were sent home last week. We will hold practices after school during the month of September on **Tuesdays**, from **3:05-4:30 PM**, beginning next **Tuesday, 9/8**. Students should bring a snack for practice and some homework time will be provided for those who need it. Information about additional practices (always on Tuesdays), ordering uniforms, as well as a schedule of meets and games for which we will cheer will be coming out ASAP.

Storybook Parade - Our K3-2nd grade students will participate in a storybook parade on **Friday, 9/25**. Look for more information coming soon.

26-27 Yearbook - Please see the attached order form if you would like to order a yearbook. This is a great way to look back at all the memories made this school year.

Save the Dates - Mark your calendars now and look for more information about these upcoming events:

- **Friday, 9/11 - 9 AM** - 9/11 Memorial Mass - Students will attend Mass on 9/11 versus 9/9 that week
- **Thursday, 9/17** - Non-uniform picture day for all students
- **Thursday, 9/24 - 3:10 PM** - Principal's State of the School Address in Holy Family Hall
- **Tuesday, 9/29 - 3 PM** - Annual Family PE event
- **All of October** - Baby Bottles for Life - social outreach family project supporting GS Citizens for Life
- **Monday, 10/5 - 8:05 AM** - Morning prayer, Rosary, Coffee and Conversation with Leadership
- **Friday, 10/9 - 5-7 PM** - Pasta fundraiser *Our Italian Restaurant* to support Music/Drama program
- **Friday, 10/16** - virtual day of learning for all students
- **Week of 10/26 - afterschool** - 1st quarter parent-teacher-student conferences and Book Fair
- **Tuesday, 10/27** - Student field day
- **Friday, 10/30** - time TBD - Trunk or Treat So People Can Eat social outreach family event
- **Monday, 10/31 - 8:05 AM** - 1st quarter awards at morning prayer
- **Monday, 11/2 - Monday, 11/16** - Operation Christmas Child social outreach family project
- **Tuesday, 11/10 - 1:45 PM** - Mrs. Lowman's 3rd-5th State Fair
- **Wednesday, 11/11** - time TBD - Veterans Day program
- **Thursday, 11/12 - 3:10 PM** - Advent faith formation family activity with Deacon Richard
- **Friday, 11/20 - 9 AM** - Dr. Seuss annual literacy student party
- **Friday, 12/11** - Save the date - Parents Night Out - More information to follow

As always, please continue to check your child's take home folder, email, our school website [Holy Trinity Catholic School | North Myrtle Beach, SC](#), and our Facebook page [Facebook](#) for ongoing updates and information about all the exciting things happening at HTCS!

Faith for Families - Understanding the Role of Parents as Primary Educators - Effective Catholic parents' role begins with understanding the unique and irreplaceable role that parents play as the primary educators of their children in the faith. Parents are the first and most important teachers their children will ever have, and they have the privilege and responsibility of introducing their children to God and helping them develop a relationship with Jesus Christ. This role involves more than just teaching religious facts; it involves modeling faith, creating a prayerful home environment, and helping children understand how their faith relates to their daily lives. Catholic parents must recognize that they are not just raising children, but forming disciples of Christ. [Catholic Parents Role: Faith Formation and Family | Catholic Bible Online](#)

MISSION STATEMENT: *Holy Trinity Catholic School, a ministry of Our Lady Star of the Sea Parish, offers to early childhood and elementary school students of diverse ethnic, economic, and religious backgrounds a superior academic program based on Gospel values. Within a family atmosphere, the school strives to develop the spiritual, academic, personal, creative, and physical growth of each student.*

VISION STATEMENT: *Holy Trinity Catholic School students will be fully prepared to transition to high school possessing critical thinking skills, an ability to work independently as well as collaboratively, and an awareness of what it means to actively live the Gospel values.*