

SCRIP-WHAT IS SCRIP?

Did you know? Scrip=gift cards. That's all they really are. So, why do we call it the Scrip Program instead of the Gift Card Program? Scrip is actually just another word for money. Scrip (or gift cards) can be used for almost any store that you shop at in place of your cash or credit card. There are Scrip cards for filling up your gas tank, picking up your weekly groceries, even for fun nights out to eat and entertainment. Our Scrip Program has over 20 different vendors' gift cards in stock. We were able to add 3 new gift cards in the 2017-2018 year.

This program is easier to participate in than you might believe. Signing up is free and all that is required to join is an email address and a password. If you are uncomfortable signing up on your own, our church secretary, Maggie Curtis, is available in the afternoons during the work week to help you out.

There are many ways to shop for Scrip too! You can shop online, or you can come into the church office and fill out an order form. There is a way to pay online, otherwise you can bring the payment to the church office. Right now, we try to put in an order about once a week. If you are shopping for physical gift cards—and once the order is sent, it generally takes 2-3 business days for the cards to be delivered.

SCRIP-WHY SHOULD YOU USE SCRIP?

Did you know? Scrip is technically a fund raiser. When you buy Scrip, you can help out one of several programs here at Trinity. Currently, the Scrip Program is funding Family Tuition, Tuition Assistance, and Grounded & Growing.

Family Tuition-this part of the program is designed to help school families. When school families buy Scrip, a percentage of the rebate is credited back to their tuition fees. After the Scrip Year has ended on June 30th, a check with your rebate is written to the school for tuition fees.

Tuition Assistance-Sometimes, you don't have kids who are in school. This part of the program is intended for helping needy families (maybe even a grandchild or nieces and nephews) with their tuition fees. School is expensive and every little bit of assistance can be helpful.

Grounded & Growing-Our school building is a blessing from God, and He continues to let our ministry over at the school thrive. However, the debt that Trinity has accrued for building the site is still looming over our heads. This part of the program is designed to lessen that financial burden as quickly as possible.

Scrip is a very easy way to fundraise. It's a year-long fundraiser that starts again every year on July 1st. One of the best parts of this fundraiser is that the money you spend on Scrip gift cards is money that you are already spending on items you buy daily (gas, groceries, food, entertainment). Right now, we have 17 families that regularly buy Scrip. They raised \$1,877.32. 17 families almost raised \$2,000! That's amazing! How amazing would the totals be if we had 25 families buying Scrip? Or if we doubled the number of families to 34? How much could we raise then?

SCRIP-FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

How do I sign up for Scrip? Signing up for Scrip is free and easy! All you need to sign up is Trinity's Enrollment Code, which can be given to you by the secretary, Maggie Curtis, and your email address. There will be a 10-15 minute process for the online sign up which you can do at home on the computer or you may come into the office and Maggie will help you set up your account.

How do I order?

Once you have enrolled, you are more than welcome to order Scrip. You may order online, or you may come into the church office and fill in a paper form. Make sure Maggie knows which fund you are supporting, and she will do the rest!

When will I receive my order?

If you are ordering from our stock, or our *Scrip On Hand*, you will receive your Scrip right away (as long as supplies last). If you are ordering a gift card that is not in our stock, then we will have to order it from the Scrip carrier. Once an order is placed, it normally takes two or three business days for the Scrip to be delivered. Maggie will call or email you when your Scrip has arrived.

How much do I have to order?

Scrip is meant to be a convenient way of getting the gift cards that you want, at the denominations that you are looking for. You can order as much (or as little) as you need.

How do I pay for my order?

When you place an order online, there is an option to pay online. Otherwise, you may bring the cash amount of your order or a check written out to Trinity Scrip into the school office.