

PRAYER

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Pastoral Care Team Members:

Sandi Carlson, Anita Cirulis, Dave and Sandy Harmelink, Dave and Lonna Kluis, Art Van Riesen. They visit and pray with individuals and families with both immediate and longer term care needs.

Pray for **Gerald and Harriet Kroese** as Gerald's health is declining.

Pray for **Al Bomgaars** as he recovers at Sanford Hospital in Sioux Falls. Cards may be addressed to Alvin Bomgaars, Sanford Specialty Hospital, 1305 West 18th Street, Sioux Falls, SD 57117.

Pray for **Darbi Duistermars** who was diagnosed with post transplant lymphoproliferative disorder. She will undergo chemo for her lymphoma at Mayo.

Please pray for our **graduating seniors** as their transition from high school and take the next steps in their journey. Luke Andres, Ashley Benson, Kaitlyn Bergsma, Avery Calsbeek, Gage Fisher, Jesus Gonzales, Emily Hayungs, Zoe Heemstra, Josiah Jansen, Austin Jeltema, Luke Kleinhesselink, Elizabeth Korver, Nathalie Moss, William Minnick, Kaden Pottebaum, Josh Schleis, Garrett Scholtens, Roman Stokes, Jadeyn Schutt, Eli TeGrotenhuis, Levi Van Den Brink, Jakob VanDerWerff, Tori Van Ravenswaay, Jadeyn Veltkamp, Maggie Winn.

Pray for those who are homebound:

Prairie Ridge: **Dorothy Weiss, Jeanette Van Voorst, Jeanette Vanden Hul, Doc Krommendyk, Margarita Lopez, Jo Leslie, Jane Garnett, Rod Vellinga, Helena Ludens, Randy Cleveringa, Marian Clark, Ardie Hegstad.** Ostego Place, Storm Lake: **Alma Bogaard.** Good Samaritan Society, LeMars: **Donna Koenig, Paul & Lois De Jong.** Good Samaritan, Sioux Falls: **Ben Wiese.** Happy Siesta, Remsen: **Paul Van Wechel.** Pleasant Acres, Hull: **Gerald Kroese.**

Bulletin Prayer Request:

If you would like a prayer request printed in the bulletin, please contact the church office by Thursday at 9am or give permission to the Pastoral Care Team to share the request. **Email:** trinityoc@gmail.com **Call:** 712-737-4542 **Text:** 712-201-3090

GET CONNECTED

Contact Us:

There are many ways that you can contact us and receive information from us at Trinity:

Visit our website: connectwithtrinity.com

Follow us on **Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram**

Call the church office: **712.737.4542**

Text us: **712.201.3090**

Life Groups:

Life Groups are becoming an increasingly important way to more fully live into your faith, particularly with the size of Trinity. Group sizes vary and mainly meet in members homes and have various meeting times. We want people to find a place to grow spiritually and connect with others. **Looking to step towards a deeper connection with Christ and others?** We have room for you! If you're hoping to get connected with a Life Group, email juliekandersen87@gmail.com. New Life Groups starting in the fall.

Common Interest Groups:

Common Interest Groups are a great way to connect people who share an interest in the same thing. Be sure to check out the current groups, as well as let us know if you have an interest or passion and would like to start other groups. Some of our current groups are connecting people who enjoy running, quilting, mens basketball, conexiones, and heartland strategy. **Find out more information and sign up opportunities for Small Groups and Common Interest Groups at:** connectwithtrinity.com. Please contact Julie Andersen at: juliekandersen87@gmail.com with any questions.

Watch Trinity Online:

We invite you to watch a live stream of our Sunday morning worship services at connectwithtrinity.com/live or on our Facebook page.

Worship One Serve One:

The church is not a building, it's the people. People with unique gifts and passions that when brought together, make ministry happen. It takes all kinds of people with all kinds of gifts to do ministry at Trinity. We encourage you to bring what gifts you have to worship one, serve one.

WORSHIP SERVE ONE

To serve, visit connectwithtrinity.com/serve

May 26, 2019

WELCOME

 **TRINITY**CHURCH
Connecting with God, others, and the world

At Trinity, we're working hard to help people connect with God, with each other, and with God's work in the world. We hope you experience that connection today.

WELCOME, FIRST-TIME GUESTS!

Welcome to Trinity Church! We are so glad you're here today. We prayed this week that all who enter our doors would experience the life-changing, eternity-altering love of God through Jesus. If you're here for the first time, please stop at the Welcome Center. We'd love the opportunity to meet you and we have a gift to say thanks for being our guest. Thanks for coming today!

TODAY AT TRINITY

9:00am Worship

10:30am Worship

The good news of Easter is that Jesus, the Risen King, is on the move! He's on the move out of the tomb and into the world—the everyday places where we live, work and play. And he commissions us, as his disciples, to be on the move with him! Today we continue our 5-week sermon series on Jesus's "Great Commission" (Matthew 28:16-20).

This morning **Pastor Brian Keepers** will conclude our 5-week sermon series titled "As You Go" by exploring HOW we're able to fulfill Jesus' Great Commission: "And remember" says Jesus, "I am with you always, to the end of the age" (Matt. 28:20).

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EXPLORING GOD'S CREATION AT TRINITY

FOR KIDS 6-9 YEARS OLD

**MAY 31 & JUNE 3
9-11AM**

SIGN UP ONLINE



ANNOUNCEMENTS

LOVING MY IMMIGRANT NEIGHBOR

Join us for Loving My Immigrant Neighbor - Part 3! We will meet in the fellowship hall on **Thursday, May 30 from 7-8:30pm**. Come for round table discussion to brainstorm with us a few tangible, practical, real-life ways we can speak into the lives of our immigrant neighbors.

MISSION TRIP BAKE SALE

Support our high school students next **Sunday, June 2** as they raise money to help with food costs for their July mission trip to Mescalero, New Mexico. A bake sale will be set up in the fellowship hall. Please consider a cash or check donation.

EXPLORING GOD’S CREATION

Kids, join us for an outdoor nature discovery experience as we explore God’s creation together! **Dan & Morgan Swier will lead us in a nature scavenger hunt as we observe birds, catch bugs, and dig for creepy crawlies.** We will meet at Trinity on May 31 and June 3 from 9-11am. The target age group for this event is 6-9 years old. Kids are encouraged to attend one or both mornings. Parents are welcome to stay and participate or drop off kids and leave. Please sign up to attend at [connectwithtrinity.com](#).

SUMMER VBS

Registration for Trinity’s VBS “Roar!” is open for children ages 4 years old (by June 1) through entering 6th grade in the fall of 2019. VBS dates are June 10-13 from 9-11:30am. **Register kids for VBS, volunteer to serve, or volunteer to bring snacks** online.

LOST & FOUND / KITCHEN DISHES

The lost and found bins at Trinity are overflowing! We have all sorts of kids clothes, Bibles, coffee mugs, water bottles, hats, etc. We encourage you to stop in and see if something is yours. The lost and found bins are located in our main office, just past the front desks. There are also several unclaimed dishes in the kitchen from college meals.

WOMEN’S WALKING GROUP

We meet in the church parking lot at **5:45am on Tuesday and Thursday mornings** to walk around the golf course together. We only cancel if it’s raining. When school lets out for the summer we’ll discuss a later start time.

REGISTER FOR UPCOMING EVENTS AT [CONNECTWITHTRINITY.COM/SIGN-UP](#)

MEN’S BREAKFAST

Men, join us in the fellowship hall at Trinity on **Saturday, June 1 at 8am** to enjoy breakfast and an opportunity to connect with other men. Daniel Den Boer, the new director of ATLAS, will be our speaker for the morning. No sign up required.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY HOME

Miguel and Maria Vazquez and their children (who typically attend Trinity’s 2nd service) are the recipients of the new Habitat for Humanity home that will be built in Orange City this summer. Help us bless the Vazquez family! **They are in need of 250 service hours from the community.** If you (or a group) are willing to give a few hours of your time to help with work projects for the home, please sign up at the Welcome Center, or email trinityoc@gmail.com. After signing up, Miguel or Maria will reach out to you about finding a time that works in your schedule. You can also sign up to provide snacks and water. Additionally, there is still time to sponsor a \$50 stud for the home; sign up for a stud by emailing kfranje@siouxlandhabitat.org. Please also prayerfully lift up the family and all those who will be working on the home in the coming months.

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE

Pressman-Kosters Post 329 will hold a Memorial Day service at **Westlawn Cemetery on May 27 at 9:30am**. In case of rain it will be held at First Reformed Church in Orange City. The speaker this year is Pastor Brian Keepers. Some seating is available, but feel free to bring your own chairs.

COMMUNITY PRAYER GATHERING

All are invited to a community prayer gathering with a global focus on **Wednesday, June 5, from 7:30-8:30pm at First Reformed Church in Sioux Center**. The global focus of June’s meeting will be Guatemala and the local focus will be the Hope food pantry. Future gatherings will be on the 1st Wednesday of each month and will be hosted and led by members of various local churches.

SUNDAYS AT TRINITY

NURSERY

0-2 year olds - Little Lambs Room

2-3 year olds - Kingdom Kids Room

There is a Mother’s Room located on the Little Lambs side with a live broadcast of the service.

Parents will need to pick up their children after the service.

SUNDAY SCHOOL

There is no Children & Worship or kids/youth Sunday School today. It will resume again in the fall.

TODAY’S WORSHIP

“Your Love Never Fails”

Offering / Announcements

“Lord I Need You”

“In Christ Alone”

“Yes And Amen”

Message

“Everywhere I Go”

100 YEARS OF TRINITY

Did you know that, during World War II, there was a special “Service Flag” hung in the church? Each time an individual connected to Trinity left for the service a silver star was added to represent their courageous service and sacrifice. 44 stars were added over time and by the end of the war only one Trinity service member, Glenn Beyer, had been killed after being held as a prisoner of war for several years. His star was then changed from silver to gold. He was a cousin of one of our current members, Don Schreur.

The Trinity Flash, a monthly newsletter, was started in October 1943 for the purpose of sharing information between the servicemen and the congregation. This newsletter was started by the officers of the Christian Endeavor Society—Genevieve Slothouber (Mouw), Thelma Elenbaas, and Wilma Joan Van Wyk (Leslie) who is a current member.

Trinity continues to offer encouragement and hold in prayer our service men and women and their families as we acknowledge their service and sacrifice. We give God thanks for our nation, even as we are always mindful that Jesus is Lord of all nations—“every tribe, people and language” (Rev. 7:9)—and that God’s kingdom transcends every national boundary. This core value of “growing and supporting one another in community” lives on today as we seek to be a church, even as we’ve grown in size, that strives to help people feel loved and supported in all of life’s situations, both the joys and the challenges.

(Both the Service Flag and a 3-ring binder with copies of the Trinity Flash may be viewed in the fellowship area outside of the sanctuary).

Visit [connectwithtrinity.com/category/100 years](#) to see more stories and photos from the last 100 years of Trinity.

As You Go: The Great Assurance
Matthew 28:18-20 / John 15:1-4

TRINITY STORY WALL

100 years. That’s a long time. One hundred years of stories, experiences, individuals, and God’s faithfulness in the life and ministry of Trinity. Whether you’ve been here from the start or you’re relatively new, you have your own stories and memories of how God has been at work through Trinity. Let’s share those stories with each other! It might be someone who was influential to you. It could be a memory of something as simple as green carpet. It might be an experience you had or a way in which your faith was formed. **We invite you to visit the story wall (outside the sanctuary), take a slip of paper, write your memories, and pin them on the wall for others to see.** We all have a story to share. What’s yours?