

PRAYER

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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 **Sheri Kelderman**, who had breast cancer surgery last week. She is at home and doing well.

Pray for **Hayden Valentine** and his family as they navigate his Type 1 diabetes diagnosis. Pray specifically that they would not feel overwhelmed by it, but would rather feel supported and encouraged by God's presence with them.

Bill Minnick was transferred to Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital in Lincoln, NE. He anticipates staying there about four weeks for intensive physical and occupational therapy. The address is Bill Minnick, Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital, Room 111, 5401 South St., Lincoln, NE 68506.

Pray for **Gerald and Harriet Kroese** as Gerald is on hospice care.

Pray for **the Kao family** as Han-Yen and Mimi spend time with Han-Yen's mom, who is nearing the end of her life. Please pray for the necessary passports for baby Ezra, so he and Duha can join them.

Pray for **Donna Koenig** as she battles pneumonia and other health matters.

Pray for **Darbi Duistermars** as her stem cell transplant is on hold while they wait for an infection in her lungs to clear up.

"Trinity Family - we want to thank you for all the cards, visits, food & prayers given during Al's hospitalization and at his passing. We are blessed to be a part of Trinity." ~ Arlene Bomgaars & family

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

June 23, 2019

WELCOME

TRINITYCHURCH
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

Each day we live out our lives. Our stories. Just as those who came before us. Our role models. Our examples. Our heroes of the faith.

And the stories of these heroes of faith we read about in the Bible are connected to our stories now. They are all tied together and caught up in God's big story. God is the real hero in this big story, but we each have a part to play.

So let us fix our eyes on Jesus as we run the race set before us, remembering that our stories are part of a much bigger story. God's story is the story in which we all find ourselves.

Today **Pastor Brian Keepers** will explore with us the story of Joseph and his brothers (Gen. 37-50), and how God's hidden providence was at work in every scene of the story. It's often hardest to see God's presence and work in our lives when we're in the middle of the story, especially when bad things happen. But faith calls us to trust that "all things work together for the good for those who love God and are called according to his purpose" (Romans 8:28).

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God's story, our story

THE GOOD AND BEAUTIFUL

GOD

SUNDAYS AT 10:30

ADULT ROOMS 3&4

SPONSOR A TREE

TO BE PLANTED ON TRINITY'S PROPERTY

SEE TABLE IN LOBBY TODAY

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SPONSOR A TREE

As we get ready to celebrate our 100 year anniversary, we are offering an opportunity to sponsor a tree or plant on the church property. There are a variety of types and prices of plants to choose from. We encourage you to sponsor a tree or plant in memory of a loved one or to be a blessing for future generations. **You can select a tree or plant to sponsor TODAY in the lobby or on the online sign up later in the week.** We will plant these trees early this fall, at a date TBD. Those who sponsor a tree/bush will not be required to help plant, but may assist with the process if they would like.

TRINITY STAFF UPDATE

We are pleased to announce that **Michelle Christy** has been hired to serve as our new part-time **Director of Adult Discipleship** starting July 1! Michelle and her husband Greg (and their family) have been members of Trinity since 2008. Michelle has served as both a ministry elder and a leadership elder, and has been very active in Trinity's discipleship ministries. Please join us in welcoming Michelle in this new role.

JULY 14 CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION

Join us for a celebration on Sunday, July 14 as we recognize and celebrate all that God has done at Trinity in the last 100 years! The celebration will start at 4pm with outdoor yard games & inflatables, followed by a picnic meal at 5pm. **Please bring a dessert or salad to share**, we'll provide the rest. We'll end the night with a concert at 7pm featuring the Brown Family. The community is invited to join us for this concert.

READING IN THE PARK

The Conexiones Team at Trinity has organized a kid's summer reading program that meets on Thursday mornings at 10am in the Candlelight Village Mobile Home Park. We are looking for volunteers willing to come and read with kids for an hour each week—middle school & high school students, this includes you! (Even if you are not able to come every week, we still welcome your help.) **If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Ashley Stanislav:** ashley.stanislav@gmail.com

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, someone will reach out to you about finding a time that works in your schedule. You can also sign up to provide snacks and water.

BBQ & BAGS (MEN'S MINISTRY EVENT)

Guys, join us for a BBQ on Thursday, June 27 at 6pm! Bring your own meat to grill and something else to share. The Men's Team will cover the rest of the meal. We'll meet in Trinity's outdoor shelter house. After eating, stick around for a cornhole tournament. Be sure to invite other men to join us.

FESTIVAL LATINO

Join us on **Wednesday, June 26 at Windmill Park** for Festival Latino! Come and go anytime between 4:30 and 8:15pm for authentic Latin cuisine, arts & crafts, games, and live music. This is a wonderful opportunity to celebrate with our Latino friends and neighbors. Rain location: Unity Christian High School.

SEEKING A HOSPERS CAMPUS PASTOR

As we continue to move toward enfolded with Hospers in January, we are searching for a campus pastor to provide missional leadership at the Hospers Campus. This campus pastor will have a certain level of autonomy yet be connected to a dynamic staff at Trinity Church. We are looking for someone who has gifts in preaching and teaching, is highly relational, and is passionate about reaching others who don't know Christ and making a kingdom impact in the region. **A job description and application instructions are available at connectwithtrinity.com/employment.**

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.

THE GOOD & BEAUTIFUL GOD

Today in Adult Rooms 3&4 at 10:30.

"The Good and Beautiful God: Falling in Love with the God Jesus Knows". This transformative class will help you discover the narratives that Jesus lived by—to know the Lord he knew and the kingdom he proclaimed—and to practice spiritual exercises that will help you grow in the knowledge of our good and beautiful God. This class will be offered through August 4.

TODAY'S WORSHIP

"Desert Song"

"Death Arrested"

"Blessed Assurance"

Offering / Announcements

"It Is Well With My Soul"

Message

100 YEARS OF TRINITY

Did you know that Trinity was founded in part by a strong desire for discipleship? In 1919 a number of families felt so strongly about the Christian education of their children that they were willing to start a new church—Trinity Reformed Church— with English being the spoken language. They believed it was important for their children to hear and understand the scripture and message that was preached.

Discipleship has remained an important value over the years, as the focus of many building projects was to provide more space for education.

Along with this focus on discipleship has been a focus to provide opportunities for all ages. In the past this included Sunday School classes for all ages, weekly catechism classes for all school-aged children, the Jean Noordhoff Circle and Girl's League for young girls, Guild (later RCWM) and small groups known as Circles for women. Young couples and singles had Fellowship Club, there was a group called 345 for those in their 30s, 40s and 50s, and there was Boosters for Trinity's senior members. Both Bible study and fellowship were included in all of these programs.

Today children and youth have opportunities on Sunday morning with nursery, Children and Worship, and Sunday School. And on Wednesday night: Lighthouse Kids and Youth Group. Adults have opportunities to participate in Life Groups, the men's or women's ministry events & Bible studies, and Sunday morning and Wednesday night classes. We believe it's in Christ-centered community that we truly flourish and are transformed. We encourage you to consider how you can get involved with one of our many discipleship opportunities so that you might more fully connect with God, others, and God's work in the world.

Visit [connectwithtrinity.com/category/100 years](http://connectwithtrinity.com/category/100%20years) to see more stories and photos from the last 100 years of Trinity.

God's Story, Our Story: A Hidden Providence

Hebrews 11:1-3, 22 & Genesis 50:15-26

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?