# PRAYER

As a staff, how can we be praying for you? Let us know at **connectwithtrinity.com/prayer.** 

Please continue to pray for our mission partners as they minister and serve in the midst of covid-19.

We extend our sympathies to the Van Wechel family in the passing of **Paul Van Wechel** on May 27.

Please pray for **Tommy Albers** and **Grant De Nooy** as they prepare for deployment soon. Pray also for their families and friends.

Pray for **Chuck Lubbers** as he is home recovering from same day back surgery. He is doing well.

Randy and Barb Simmelink are asking for prayers for their son Austin and his girlfriend **Holly Joens** of Ankeny, IA. They are excited to welcome their first child in July and Holly is currently undergoing chemo for breast cancer. It is in the very early stages and doctors feel confident that it is treatable. Please pray for Holly and the baby's safety through delivery and that the COVID-19 virsus stays clear of them.

**Gayle Damstra** is home recovering from surgery to repair a few broken bones. Please pray for continued healing.

Pray for **Pam Heemstra**, Cal and Bev Heemstra's niece and Scott Heemstra's cousin, as she continues treatment for lymphoma cancer. She is currently undergoing both radiation and chemotherapy.

Pray for those who are homebound: Prairie Ridge: Dorothy Weiss, Jeanette Van Voorst, Jeanette Vanden Hul, Margarita Lopez, Jo Leslie, Jane Garnett, Rod Vellinga, Helena Ludens, Randy Cleveringa, Marian Clark, Ardie Hegstad. Landsmeer: Ann Den Hartog. Pioneer Memorial Home: Carol Bras. Good Samaritan Society, LeMars: Donna Koenig, Paul & Lois De Jong. Happy Siesta, Remsen: Bev Grienke. Lakeside Senior Care, Emmetsburg: Anna Beth Magee. Fieldcrest, Sheldon: Lucia Vander Ploeg, Eunice Dagel. Royale Meadows, Sioux Center: Hermina Diekevers.

#### **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 or trinityhospers@gmail.com **Call:** 712-737-4542 **Text:** 712-201-3090

# PASTORAL CARE TEAM

The Pastoral Care Team provides care, support, and ministry to various needs and life situations. At present, the team exists to care for individuals who are in care facilities, homebound or hospitalized.

## Orange City Pastoral Care Team:

Sandi Čarlson, Anita Cirulis, Karen Clark, Dave and Sandy Harmelink, Dave and Lonna Kluis, and Art Van Riesen.

Team Coordinators: Julie Andersen (juliekandersen87@gmail. com) & Bob De Boer (bobbyd.db@gmail.com)

#### Hospers Pastoral Care Team:

Jeanne Den Hartog, Betty Johnson, Will Vander Ploeg, and Orv Van Roekel.

Team Coordinator: Kurt Bush (kurtbush1@gmail.com)

# LOCAL NEEDS TEAM

Trinity's Local Needs Team assists people at Trinity and in the community with immediate, emergency, and/or unexpected needs.

Part of what it means to be the body of Christ is that we recognize we all have needs. Admitting that you need help is not a sign of weakness. It points to our interdependence as brothers and sisters in Christ. Beyond potential impact of the coronavirus on physical, mental and emotional health, we know that this crisis will have economic impact on our nation and community. So we want to "be inventive in helping each other out", as Paul puts it in Romans 12. As we face the economic impact in coming days, weeks and months, this is an opportunity for us to both give help and receive help.

#### **Financial Support**

If you are facing financial challenges (or if you find yourself in this place at some point in the future), please let us know. You can contact Pastor Bob (bobbyd.db@gmail.com) or fill out a local needs request form at **connectwithtrinity.com/needs** so that our Local Needs Team can come alongside you.

## **Grocery Delivery**

If you are in need of someone to pick up groceries for you, please contact Ashley Stanislav at ashley.stanislav@gmail.com or 712-395-8739.

#### Community Food Pantry

We have a wonderful community food pantry located at American Reformed Church. If you want to go pick up food, please call ahead at 712-737-4430.

# CONNECT

#### <u>Contact Us / Receive Updates:</u>

Online: connectwithtrinity.com Follow us on Facebook and Instagram Call the church office: 712.737.4542 Text us: 712.201.3090 Email updates: connectwithtrinity.com/sign-up

# 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, sign up for more information at connectwithtrinity.com/sign-up.

## **Trinity Daily Bible Podcast:**

We created the Trinity Daily Bible podcast as a way for staff and leaders to share scripture and hope. A new podcast is uploaded every weekday at 5:00am. We encourage you to listen to this during your morning devotions or at any point throughout your day. Find the podcast on Spotify, Anchor, Google Podcasts, and RadioPublic.

# **ONE CHURCH, TWO LOCATIONS**

The Church is not a building but a community of people. While there are some slight differences between our campuses, what unites us is our shared mission to connect people with God, others, and the world. In this season, even as we are dispersed for worship in many locations, remember that you are connected to a larger body in Christ by the Spirit.

# Orange City Campus

Sunday morning worship is at 9:30 and 10:50 online, and at 9:30 on Facebook.

## Hospers Campus

Sunday morning worship is at 9:30 online and on Facebook.





# May 31, 2020

# WELCOME!

Welcome to Trinity Church! In this season, Sundays at Trinity look a little different than usual. There will come a time when we're able to physically gather together for worship again. Until then, we encourage you to connect with us online for livestream worship. If you're new to Trinity, let us know! We'd love to connect with you and find a place for you to get connected at Trinity in this season.

Today is Pentecost, the Sunday we celebrate that key moment in the Christian story when the promised Holy Spirit was poured out on all believers as they gathered in Jerusalem. A rush of wind. Flaming tongues of fire. People praising God in their own languages, and others able to understand them! Often we refer to Pentecost as "the birthday of the New Testament church!" But who is the Holy Spirit? What does the Holy Spirit do? And why is the Holy Spirit so important? These are the key questions **Pastor Brian Keepers** will explore today as we look at what Jesus says about the promised Holy Spirit in chapters 14 & 15 of John's Gospel.

# <u>Orange City Campus</u>

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# ANNOUNCEMENTS

# EMOTIONALLY HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS

Join us for a 40 day journey this summer! We invite you to engage with Peter Scazzero's devotional "Emotionally Healthy Relationships Day by Day" in conjunction with our upcoming sermon series. In this series, "Intended for Good: God's Providence in Hard Times", we will look at the story of Joseph in Genesis. One of the themes from Joseph's story involves broken relationships. Our hope is that this devotional will provide an opportunity for you to engage with God daily as you reflect on your own relationships, and the ways they might grow in emotionally healthy ways. You're encouraged to order this book now before we begin on June 7. Visit our online sign up for a link to order the book, to let us know that you're participating, and to express interest in the possibility of taking part in a Zoom or in-person gathering to share what you're learning and hearing from the Lord through this process.

# COMMUNITY PRAYER GATHERING

You are invited to a monthly community prayer gathering with a global focus on **Wednesday, June 3** from 7:30-8:30pm via Zoom. Find a link to the Zoom meeting on the Facebook group "Sioux County community global prayer meeting". The global focus is the country of Chad and the local focus is the PIECE program.

# STORIES OF HOPE

We are sharing stories of hope with each other and with others online as a way to point to Jesus, our one true hope. If you have a story of hope to share, email us at trinityoc@gmail.com. In a season of so much anxiety, we'd love to share stories of hope with each other and with others online as a way to point to Jesus, our one true hope.

## MISSIONARY CONNECTIONS

Trinity's Missionary Care Team is working to help individuals and families connect more closely with the mission partners we support through mutually supportive relationships. **If you would like more information or would like to get involved, please visit our online sign up.** 

## 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. Kids are encouraged to attend one morning on **June 3 or June 5 from 9:30-11am** on the green space at the Trinity Orange City campus.The target age group for this event is 7-10 years old. Parents are welcome to stay and participate or drop off kids and leave. **Please sign up to attend online. Sign up is limited and social distancing guidelines will be followed.** 

## **GIVE ONLINE - LOCAL NEEDS FUND**

If you would like to give directly to Trinity's Local Needs Fund, you can do so on our online giving platform. Trinity's Local Needs Team assists people at Trinity and in the community with immediate, emergency, and/or unexpected needs. We are looking to expand this fund as we anticipate greater needs in the community from COVID-19.

#### INSPIRATION HILLS CAMP-IN-A-BOX

Trinity will cover the full price for campers who would like to receive a Camp-in-a-Box from Inspiration Hills this summer. If your child was previously registered for camp, follow directions on the email you received from Inspiration Hills on 4/30. If your child would like to register, visit inspirationhills. org. When you fill out the registration, indicate Trinity Church Orange City as your home church, If you have any questions, please contact Laurie Kurtz at kurtz.laurie@gmail.com.

# **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

Trinity is looking to hire a few part-time housekeepers to help keep our Orange City campus clean and welcoming. These are 10-15 hour a week positions that are flexible to fit within a variety of schedules. **Find more details at connectwith-trinity.com/employment.** 

## TRINITY OFFICE CLOSED

The church office is currently closed as staff have been encouraged to work from home. Someone will be in the building to answer the phone, and staff will continue to regularly check their email.

# **TODAY'S WORSHIP**

# TODAY'S MESSAGE

# The Promise of the Holy Spirit

John 14 & 15 (select verses)

"Christ Be Magnified" "Spirit Of The Living God" Prayer "Speak O Lord" Message

"Holy Holy Holy"

# **ONLINE GIVING**

Although we are not able to physically pass the offering plates today, you can continue to give to God's work at Trinity in numerous ways online:

## CONNECTWITHTRINITY.COM

You can give a one-time or ongoing gift at connectwithtrinity.com.

## TEXT

You can text-to-give by texting an amount to 84321.

#### CHURCH CENTER APP

Download the "church center app" on your phone or device and give through the app. (This is the easiest way to give online.)

Please email **Laurie Kurtz** at kurtz.laurie@gmail.com if you have any questions or would like help with the online giving process.

# SERVE

#### CURRENT OPPORTUNITIES

Find a current list of available service opportunities online at connectwithtrinity.com/sign-up.

## MINISTRY TEAMS

Fill out a connection form at connectwithtrinity.com/serve if you'd like to serve with any of our ministry teams. (ex: Nursery, Children's Ministry, Youth Ministry, Hospitality Team, Tech Team, Worship Team.)