PRAYER

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

Pray for **Palmer Boerhave**, daughter of Dakota and Alex, who was baptized today.

Pray for **Dakota and Alex Boerhave** who were received as members at Trinity today.

We extend our sympathies to **Clayton and Deb Korver and family** in the passing of Clayon's mom, Anita Korver, on August 9.

We extend our sympathies to Lila & Scott Simmelink and Mark and Jodi Vander Zwaag in the passing of their brother-in-law/uncle, Clifford Vander Zwaag from Aurora, Colorado. Cliff passed away after a 7-year battle with cancer. Cliff & Audrey (Lila's sister) lived in Orange City for many years before moving to Colorado. If you'd like to send a card: 7895 South Zante Ct., Aurora, CO 80116

Please pray for **Lila Simmelink** as she continues in her recovery from knee replacement surgery. Pray for good pain control and successful rehab.

Please pray for **Tommy Albers** as he has deployed.

Please pray for **Grant De Nooy** as he has deployed.

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, Joyce Van Gorp. Good Samaritan Society, LeMars: Donna Koenig, 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 Campus Pastoral Care Team:

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

Team Coordinator: Julie Andersen (juliekandersen87@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, this is an opportunity for us to both give help and receive help.

Financial Support

If you are facing financial challenges, please 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

Contact Us / Receive Updates:

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

First Time Guests/Visitors:

If you're here for the first time, we would love to connect with you! Please text 'Welcome' to 712-210-3090 and stop by the Welcome Center after the service. We'd love the opportunity to meet you, and we have a gift to say thanks for being our guest. We're grateful you chose to worship with us today and we hope you are blessed by our time together.

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.

ONE CHURCH, TWO LOCATIONS

The Church is not a building but a community of people. Whether online or in-person, the people of Trinity gather at multiple times and in different locations throughout the week. 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. We invite you to try whatever campus or worship service experience works best for you and your family.

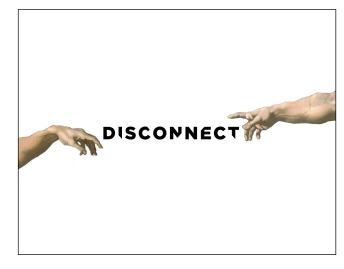
Orange City Campus

Sunday morning worship is at 9:00 and 10:30.

Hospers Campus

Sunday morning worship is at 9:30.





August 23, 2020

WELCOME!

Welcome to Trinity Church! Whether you're joining us online or on-campus, we're grateful you chose to worship with us today. We pray that all who enter our doors would experience the life-changing, eternity-altering love of God through Jesus. If you're new to Trinity, stop by the Welcome Center! We'd love the opportunity to meet you. We're glad you're here!

disConnect: Finding Purpose in Serving

Six months ago, our lives dramatically changed with Covid-19. So much was disrupted, including our rhythms and routines. While this gave some of us an opportunity to slow down, many of us also feel disconnected—from others, from our church family, maybe even from God.

Today, in this final sermon of the series, **Pastor Brian Keepers** will explore with us how we can find purpose and connection in using our gifts and passions to serve. In Mark's Gospel we'll see how Jesus redefines greatness and shows his disciples that in God's kingdom, the way up is really the way down! When we take up the cross and follow Jesus, we find a deep sense of joy and purpose in living a lifestyle of service for the good of others and for God's glory. This is the heart of what it means to connect with God's redemptive work in the world.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW: TRIADS & SPIRITUAL PRACTICES

We are launching our fall sermon series in the book of Ephesians on September 13. With this series, we invite you to continue exploring and engaging spiritual practices in community. Every week we will recommend a spiritual practice for you to engage. We encourage you to engage the spiritual practice and gather together weekly with two other people in a triad. We envision this triad will be a place to authentically share and encourage one another as you practice the presence of God and one another. Sign up online to be added to our weekly email list, to let us know you're participating, or to be placed in a triad. (Our weekly emails will explain spiritual practices, ideas on how to engage the practices, and question prompts for your triad.) Please sign up by September 7 if you'd like to be placed in a triad.

CANOE TRIP (MEN'S RETREAT)

Join us for 4 days/3 nights of canoeing, portaging, camping and solitude in the Boundary Waters at Mink Lake Camp near Grand Marais, Minnesota. We plan to leave Wednesday, Sept. 23 (early morning) and return Sunday, Sept. 27 (evening). The \$325 trip cost covers the canoes, camping gear, and food at Mink Lake Camp/on the canoe trip. (Financial assistance is available by request.) Sign up online at connectwithtrinity.com. Registration closes on September 6. If you have questions, please contact Patrick Giannantonio at 712-541-0668 or hwpatrx@aol.com.

GRAVEL/MOUNTAIN BIKING TRIP (MEN'S RETREAT)

Join us on a trip up to Mink Lake Camp (near Grand Marais, Minnesota) with our mission partner Coldwater Foundation where we will ride some of the finest, most scenic roads & trails in the country. We plan to leave Thursday, Sept. 24 and return Sunday, Sept. 27 (evening). Trip cost is \$150. Sign up online at connectwithtrinity.com. Registration closes on September 6. If you have any questions, please contact Marlon Haverdink at 712-454-0328 or marlon@nwciowa.edu.

FAMILY WORSHIP VENUE

We are offering a **family worship experience in the chil- dren's ministry area** during each of our services. In this venue, families are invited to view a live feed of the service in the K-2 area while their kids color, do puzzles, or play in one of the 8 side classrooms. Our hope is that this will offer parents with small kids an opportunity to worship in the facility with space for their kids to play nearby. If this worship venue is appealing to you or your family, we invite you to try it out.

LOCAL WOMEN'S RETREAT

Women ages 11+ are invited to a women's retreat at Immanuel CRC (Orange City) on **Saturday, September 12 from 8:30am to 4:00pm.** This event is hosted by women from multiple churches in Sioux County. Search 'Women of Renewal' on Facebook, Instagram, or eventbrite.com for more

NEW MOBILE FOOD PANRY

Trinity's Local Needs Team is excited to begin offering a monthly mobile food pantry to the Orange City community starting today! Food insecurity is a challenge for many families in our community and we want to meet people where they are at and offer them support on a monthly basis. There are two ways for the congregation to become involved with Trinity's mobile food bank. **First, we need donations.** We know that to turn this into a long-term, thriving ministry we will need ongoing support. **We also need volunteers to package boxes.** If you're interested in volunteering, please go to the sign ups page on Trinity's website. Thank you for your support of this exciting new way to support our community!

WHEELCHAIR MINISTRY

Trinity is partnering with Hope Haven to help build the padded parts of wheelchairs that are sent to children and adults in need all over the world. Sign up online at connectwithtrinity. com for more information or to serve with this ministry. If you would like to sponsor a wheelchair, visit www.hopehaven.org/ wheelchair-sponsorship.

PASTOR KURT'S INSTALLATION SERVICE

Our Hospers Campus Pastor, Kurt Bush, will be installed as a minister of word and sacrament **TODAY** (**Sunday, August 23**) at 4pm. All are invited to attend this installation service at the Trinity Hospers campus. After the service there will be a community open house of the remodeled Hospers Campus facility. We are offering tours inside and a cake/ice cream social from 5-6:30pm.

VIRTUAL PRAYER WALK

We invite you to join us in a virtual prayer walk as we cover our schools, colleges, administrators, professors, teachers, support staff, students and their families in prayer. Would you and your family take the opportunity to pray for the schools and colleges in our communities? You can participate any way you feel comfortable: Pray from your house, or drive to the schools and pray on-campus. Encourage your kids to pray for their classmates and teachers. Find a prayer guide online at connectwithtrinity.com.

KEEPERS BABY SHOWER

A few family friends are organizing a baby shower open house for Emma Keepers on **Sunday, September 13 from 2-4pm** in the church fellowship hall. All are invited to attend this very casual, come and go shower. (Light refreshments will be served.) Emma and Brayden are registered at Target and Babylist.com. If you have questions, please contact Carrie Anderson at parisummer@hotmail.com.

TODAY'S WORSHIP

"Christ Be Magnified"
"Take My Life And Let It Be"
"Goodness Of God"

Baptism

Offering/Announcements

Message

ONLINE GIVING

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.)

TODAY'S MESSAGE

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Mark 10:39-45

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