PRAYER

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

Monthly Mission Focus | Uganda

Pray for our mission partners **Titus & Mary Baraka** in Uganda as they navigate ministry in this season of COVID. Pray for wisdom in how to safely regather for church, the staff at Hope Christian High School who are without a salary due to COVID, and for the ability and resources to care for their members and students who are in desperate need.

We extend our sympathies to the family of **Jim Van Roekel**, who passed away on October 21.

We extend our sympathies to the family of **Jeanette Van Voorst**, who passed away on October 19.

Congratulations to **Emma Keepers & Brayden Christoffel** on the birth of their daughter, **Luna Jean**, who was born on October 15.

Congratulations to **Russ Adams** for being named lowa's Superintendent of the Year! Please continue to pray for all of our teachers and school leaders in this season.

Pray for **Bev Heemstra** as she is in the hospital with COVID.

Jeff Barker had a knee replacement surgery on Tuesday. Please pray for a quick and smooth recovery.

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

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

Pray for **Pam Heemstra**, Cal and Bev Heemstra's niece and Scott Heemstra's cousin, as she has been trying new treatments for lymphoma cancer.

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



Please recycle this bulletin. Thank you!

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.

Mobile Food Pantry

In August Trinity's Local Needs Team started a new mobile food pantry to meet people where they're at and offer support on a monthly basis. For more information about this new ministry, reach out to Ashley Stanislav (ashley.stanislav@gmail.com) or Josh Van Es (jgvanes@yahoo.com).

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/signups

First Time Guests/Visitors:

If you're here for the first time, we would love to connect with you! Please text 'Welcome' to 712-201-3090 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

Join us for worship on Sunday mornings at 9:00 & 10:30.

Hospers Campus

Join us for worship on Sunday mornings at 9:00 & 10:30.

TRINITYCHURCH Connecting with God, others, and the world



October 25, 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!

Resilient Faith: Walking in New Clothes

In Ephesians 1-3 we have been learning how to run toward fulfillment of God's purpose. Running with grace, prayer, and power of Christ in us. For it is by grace we have been saved through faith—and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God. The last few weeks we have been learning about whose we are and who we are in Christ. This week Paul challenges us as followers of Jesus to walk worthy of our calling and live out the gospel. **Pastor Kristin Brouwer** will explore with us this morning how it takes daily resilience to put on new clothes of Christ.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

WOMEN'S MINISTRY SERVICE PROJECT

Women of Trinity, join us on **Saturday, October 31** as we sort coats and other winter gear at Zestos. Kids 8+ are welcome to participate. Please sign up ahead of time so we know you'll be joining us! Find more details and the sign up registration at connectwithtrinity.com/signups.

OCTOBER MISSION FOCUS

In the month of October, we ask you to pray with us for our mission partners in Africa: Titus & Mary Baraka, John & Lynne Hubers, and Rowland & Jane Van Es. Visit connectwithtrinity.com/missions to see specific prayer requests and to learn more about their work.

HAITI CHRISTMAS BAGS

Our K-5th grade students are collecting presents for Haitian children through our mission partner United Christians International. There is a table outside of the Kid's Area where you can sign up. **Bags need to be filled and returned by November 1 so we can mail them in time for Christmas.** Filled bags can be placed at the collection area near the Kid's Area. If you want to give a monetary donation to cover shipping, you can put it in the gold box labeled "Haiti Shipping" or bring it to the church office.

FASTING PRAYER | WEDNESDAY

Over the next few weeks (through November 18), we will gather together in the sanctuary on **Wednesdays from** 12:10-12:50 for a time of fasting and prayer. We fast to seek the Lord, His strength and His vision.

MEMBERSHIP AT TRINITY

If you are interested in becoming a member at Trinity and partnering with what God is doing in our midst, join us on **Sunday, Nov. 15** from 10-11:30am in Adult Rooms 3&4. Please sign up ahead of time at connectwithtrinity.com/signups.

BAPTISM AT TRINITY

If you would like to be baptized or are interested in baptizing your child at Trinity, join us on **Sunday, November 22** at 10:00am in Adult Room 1. Please sign up ahead of time at connectwithtrinity.com/signups.

RESILIENT FAITH SPIRITUAL PRACTICES

Every week of our fall sermon series, we encourage you to engage a recommended spiritual practice. Find an explanation of each practice and ideas on how to engage them at **connectwithtrinity.com/discipleship**.

TRUNK OR TREAT | OCTOBER 28

Join us for a Trunk or Treat at the Trinity Orange City campus on Wednesday, October 28! Our 6th-12th grade students are organizing this event for families with kids 5th grade and younger. We invite kids to dress up if they'd like and join us in the parking lot for trick or treating and s'mores/treats by the outdoor arbor and fire pit. Trunk or treating will take place from 6:30-7:30pm. We are also excited to have an authentic Mexican food truck in the parking lot from 6-8pm. Bring some cash and come hungry!

COSTUME PARADE | OCTOBER 28

Before Trunk or Treating (from 6-6:30pm), join us at Landsmeer/Prairie Ridge for a costume parade around the outdoor perimeter of the facility. Residents will watch from their windows as we parade by in our costumes. Dress up and join us as we seek to spread some joy to these community members who are stuck in quarantine.

WOMEN'S COFFEE & CONVERSATION

Women of Trinity, please join us for Coffee & Conversation on **Wednesday, November 4 from 6:30-7:30pm** in the sanctuary. Please bring your Bible and a travel mug of your favorite hot beverage.

TABLE OF THANKSGIVING

Through the month of November, we invite you to visit our "table of thanksgiving" at the coffee cafe to **share with us what you are thankful for.** In this season, let's name together what we are grateful for and the ways that God has and continues to bless us, in ways both big and small.

SNACKS TO BLESS STUDENTS

We are putting together snack packs as a way to bless our college students in quarantine. If you'd like to be a part of blessing our students in this way, you can **leave donations in Julie's office** (across from the nursery). Snack ideas: microwavable soup/mac 'n cheese, popcorn, crackers, granola bars, chips, ramen, Gatorade, juice boxes, candy.

FCC COLLECTION DRIVE

Family Crisis Centers serves victims of domestic violence, homicides, and other violent crimes in our region. The statewide Victim Service Call Center is also part of FCC, serving all victims of crime across lowa, 24/7. This year, the pandemic has caused an increase in clients seeking services, and FCC supplies are running low. In honor of Domestic Violence Awareness Month, Trinity is hosting a collection drive! Feel free to take an item from the cornucopia in the fellowship hall during the month of October, **purchase the item listed, then return it by November 1**. Your donations will directly impact victims of crime in our communities! Thank you for your support!

TODAY'S WORSHIP

"I Am One" "Resurrecting" "Jesus Paid It All"

Offering/Announcements

Message

"I Am One"

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/signups.**

GIFTS/PASSIONS (FIND A PLACE TO SERVE)

Take 3 minutes to fill out a gifts & passions survey at **connectwithtrinity.com/serve** so we can help you get connected in a ministry area that you are passionate about. On this survey you will also have the opportunity to express interest in serving on specific ministry teams (ex: Nursery, Children's Ministry, Youth Ministry, Hospitality Team, Tech Team, Worship Team).

TODAY'S MESSAGE

Resilient Faith: Walking in New Clothes

Ephesians 4:17-32