

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD

Please return all packed shoeboxes by the end of the day today, **November 15**. This year, there is also an online packing/donation option! Contact Mandi Kramer (mandi.kramer@hotmail.com) with any questions.

CREATION CARE: HOW TO COMPOST

Join Jamie Prescott on **Monday, Nov. 23 at 7pm** as she teaches us about the environmental benefits of composting and how to start a compost in your own backyard. Composting food scraps is a simple way to eliminate methane, a harmful greenhouse gas that is released when food scraps are sent to landfills. We hope you'll join us as we seek out practical ways to be better stewards of the creation God has entrusted to us. Sign up at connectwithtrinity.com/signups.

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Thank you for your continued giving and support to and through the ministries of Trinity Church, and to those who have signed up for recurring online gifts. If you have any questions about how to set this up, please contact Laurie Kurtz in the church office or at kurtz.laurie@gmail.com. Here is a snapshot of Income vs Expenses for the Trinity Hospers Campus for the Fiscal year-to-date (7/1-11/11/20):

Income: \$39,932 | **Expenses:** \$46,650 | shortfall of: (\$6,718)

GREETERS & COFFEE HOSTS NEEDED

We are looking to expand our list of volunteer greeters and coffee hosts. If you are interested in serving in either of these ways, email Julie Andersen at juliekandersen87@gmail.com.

THANKSGIVING EVE SERVICE

Join us for a joint Thanksgiving Eve service with the Trinity Orange City campus on **Wednesday, Nov. 25 at 6:30pm**. We will gather together at the Orange City campus. Please bring along canned and non-perishable food items for the Food Pantry.

TABLE OF THANKSGIVING

Through the month of November, we invite you to visit our "table of thanksgiving" in the lobby 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.

FRIDAY MORNING COFFEE

All are invited to join us on **Friday mornings at 6:30am** as we host a time of connection in the Trinity Hospers fellowship hall. Invite a neighbor to join us for a cup of coffee as we seek to love and support each other and our community.



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WELCOME!

Welcome to Trinity Church! We're so glad you are joining us today, whether this is your first time worshipping with us or you have been with us for years. We pray that all who enter our doors would experience the life-changing, eternity-altering love of God through Jesus. Whether you're joining us online or on campus, thank you for being here!

Resilient Faith: Putting on God's Armor

In the last section of Paul's letter to the church in Ephesus, Paul invites his audience to put on "the whole armor of God." Today, **Pastor Kurt Bush** will help us explore how being covered in God's armor grows our resilience as we live the life of discipleship in and around Hospers. From the belt of truth, to the sword of the Spirit, we'll look at each piece of armor and how the whole set comes together in our lives. With the armor on, and in a posture of prayer, we partner with God in mission right here where we are!

Hospers Campus

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TODAY'S WORSHIP

"We Praise You"

"Our Great God"

"This Is My Father's World"

Offering/Announcements

Ephesians 6:10-24

Message: "Resilient Faith: Putting on God's Armor"

"Way Maker"

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY

Nursery (0-3 years old) - 10:30 service

Pre-K - 2nd Grade Programming - 10:30 service

WEDNESDAY

Fasting Prayer - 12:10-12:50pm (Orange City campus)

Kids Programming (K-5th grade) - 6:30-7:30pm

Middle School Youth Group - 6:30-7:30pm

High School Youth Group - 8:00-9:00pm (at the Orange City campus)

FRIDAY

Friday Morning Coffee - 6:30am

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).

PRAYER & PRAISE

Please pray for **Arlan and Laurie Kooiman** and **Alice Van Dyk** as they all continue to deal with COVID-19. May God grant them healing and rest.

Please remember in prayer **Bob Hayes** as he continues to recover and heal.

Please keep **Jean Van Roekel** in your prayers as she continues to rehab after her concussion.

Our community continues to feel the effects of COVID-19 in many ways. Please pray with all others affected either directly or indirectly. Pray too for leaders in the community, in the hospitals, the schools, and other organizations as they lead through a continually hard season

Please pray for those in our church and community that are confined to their homes or are experiencing the emotional strain of quarantine.

Bulletin Prayer Request:

If you would like a prayer request printed in the bulletin, please contact Jamie Prescott by Thursday at 9am or give permission to Pastor Kurt to share the request. **Email:** trinityhospers@gmail.com **Call:** 712-752-8444

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.

Hospers Campus 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.

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.