

PRAYER

Monthly Mission Focus | Romania

Please pray for Felipe and Janelle Silva in Romania. Pray for their recent church plant – may it become a light for the city and may each person and family that enters be transformed by the good news of Jesus Christ. Pray also for Felipe and Janelle as they take on new ministry roles with the church plant; for continued provision and guidance for their climbing gym and education center; and for energy, patience, perseverance, and wisdom while serving abroad with young children, far from family.

Pray for **Hayes Kelderman**, son of Austin and Josie, who was baptized today.

Pray for those who made profession of faith today: **Kady Hoekstra, Maddie Sanson, Teagan Tracy.**

Congratulations to **Matt & Amanda Long** on the birth of their son, **Theo Matthew**, who was born on December 6.

We express our sympathy to **Bev Heemstra and Scott & Kelly Heemstra and family** in the death of Cal Heemstra who passed away on December 5.

Please pray for **Don & Audrey Den Hartog**. Don's lungs are failing and he is in great pain. He is not doing well and is under hospice care in his home.

Pray for **Don Schreur** as he is in the hospital with covid.

Pray for **Blake Hoisington**, daughter of Jade & Heidi, as she is in the Colorado Fetal Care Center. Blake was born early on November 10 at 26 weeks.

Pray for **Gene Veltkamp** as he recovers from covid.

Please pray for **Tommy Albers & Grant De Nooy** as they are deployed.

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

Pray for those who are homebound: Prairie Ridge: **Dorothy Weiss, Margarita Lopez, Jo Leslie, Helena Ludens, Randy Cleveringa, Marian Clark, Ardie Hegstad.** Landsmeer: **Ann Den Hartog.** Pioneer Memorial Home: **Joyce Van Gorp.** Good Samaritan Society, LeMars: **Donna Koenig, Lois De Jong.** Happy Siesta, Remsen: **Bev Grienne.** Lakeside Senior Care, Emmetsburg: **Anna Beth Magee.** Fieldcrest, Sheldon: **Lucia Vander Ploeg, Eunice Dagel.** Royale Meadows, Sioux Center: **Hermina Diekevers.** Pleasant Acres, Hull: **Carol Bras.**

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, and Dave and Lonna Kluis.

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 impact of the coronavirus on physical, mental and emotional health, this crisis has had 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. 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

Trinity's mobile food pantry meets people where they're at to offer support on a monthly basis. We are looking for donations of black beans (1 lb. bag), pinto beans (1 lb. bag), potatoes, maseca, canned fruit, sugar (small bag), peanut butter, jelly, cereal, pasta noodles, pasta sauce, and vegetable oil. Donations can be left on the table outside of the front office.

For more information about this ministry, reach out to Ashley Stanislav (ashley.stanislav@gmail.com) or Josh Van Es (jgvanes@yahoo.com).

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/signup

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.



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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!

The Christmas Gospel: Good News for All People!

Having heard from Mark and Matthew's gospel, this week in our Advent series we focus on Luke's gospel. In Luke we receive the most detailed account of the birth narrative of Jesus which sets the stage for the forthcoming of God's grace. We find Luke telling us of the ways in which God's purposes and love show up to people on the fringes. Luke shows us that Good News comes to unlikely recipients who receive it with the great joy God intended. How might we, in our own unlikeliness, see the sign of the Savior? This Good News is for ALL people!

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