

PRAYER

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

In our prayers this week we give thanks for the gift of new life and also grieve the loss of those we have loved in 2020. We pray for those directly connected to Trinity as well as those in each of our own families and relationships who have experienced joy and sorrow in this way.

Pray for **Jana Veltkamp** as she recovers from surgery to remove a malignant mass in the mediastinum. Pray also for her husband, **Gene** who is recovering from COVID complications. He is home again after being hospitalized for over 2 months.

Pray for **Deb Korver** as she recovers from hip surgery.

Pray for **Ann Sanson** as she has been hospitalized in Council Bluffs with kidney concerns.

Pray for **Courtney Joiner** as she recovers from jaw surgery.

Pray for **Blake Hoisington**, daughter of Jade & Heidi, as she is in the Colorado Fetal Care Center. We give praise that Blake is growing and making improvements! Please pray for continued health and strength.

Please pray for **Tommy Albers, Grant De Nooy, and Mark Van Voorst** as they are deployed.

Pray for those who are homebound: Prairie Ridge: **Dorothy Weiss, Margarita Lopez, Jo Leslie, Helena Ludens, Randy Clevering, Marian Clark, Ardie Hegstad, Fran Koets, Syl & Phyllis Scorza, Bev Heemstra.** Landsmeer: **Ann Den Hartog.** Pioneer Memorial Home: **Joyce Van Gorp.** Good Samaritan Society, Le Mars: **Donna Koenig.** Happy Siesta, Remsen: **Bev Grienke.** Lakeside Senior Care, Emmetsburg: **Anna Beth Magee.** Fieldcrest, Sheldon: **Lucia Vander Ploeg, Eunice Dagele.** Royale Meadows, Sioux Center: **Hermina Diekevers.** Pleasant Acres, Hull: **Carol Bras.**

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

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, masa, 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!

Ruth: The Power to Let Go

In a culture where we often feel the pressure to be "extraordinary" and "do great things," the Old Testament book of Ruth shows us that God often does his best work through ordinary people in everyday relationships. The Bible is not a record of a great person serving God but a great God who works through ordinary and flawed people! Today, as we begin this new sermon series on the story of Ruth and Naomi, we will explore how God does his extraordinary work through times of pain and loss. As hard as times of loss can be, we come to a deeper understanding of who we are and who God is. We also discover a power to let go and step into the new thing God has for us.

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