

PRAYER

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

Pray for all of the foster families in our church and community who have opened their homes and hearts to foster children. Pray for health in relationships, for patience, for encouragement, and that God's spirit would rest with everyone involved—children, biological families, foster families, social workers.

Pray for **Davis DeJong** as he is away from home for 8 weeks for military officers training.

Please pray for **Pat Muyskens** as she is on hospice care.

"We want to say a big "thank you" to our Trinity Church family for all the prayers, support, visits, cards, etc. we received while going through covid, cancer, and treatments. I was able to finish radiation treatments on Friday. (I got to ring the bell!) Gene continues with his therapy and is making slow progress. We have seen God's hand working all along the way and are reminded everyday how good our God is. God is good all the time!" - Gene & Jana Veltkamp

Please pray for **Tommy Albers** and **Grant De Nooy** as they are deployed, and for **Jaime Miranda** as he is actively serving.

Pray for those who are homebound: Prairie Ridge: **Dorothy Weiss, Margarita Lopez, Jo Leslie, Helena Ludens, Randy Cleveringa, Marian Clark, Ardie Hegstad, Fran Koets, Syl & Phyllis Scorza, Bev Heemstra, Bev Grienne.** Landsmeer: **Ann Den Hartog, Ron & Ann Sanson.** Pioneer Memorial Home: **Joyce Van Gorp.** Good Samaritan Society, Le Mars: **Donna Koenig.** Lakeside Senior Care, Emmetsburg: **Anna Beth Magee.** Fieldcrest, Sheldon: **Lucia Vander Ploeg, Eunice Dagele.** Royale Meadows, Sioux Center: **Herminda 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), rice, maseca, canned fruit (with pull tabs), sugar (small bag), peanut butter, jelly, cereal, pasta noodles, pasta sauce, and vegetable oil. Donations can be left on the table outside of the K-5 children's area.

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/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.



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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!

Uncharted: What Do You Want?

Have we confined Jesus in the name of personal comfort and convenience? When we read the Gospel of Mark, we encounter a Jesus who is not "meek and mild" but courageous and resolute—silencing demons, calming storms, healing the sick, preaching wildly and passionately about God's kingdom, which is exploding in the present. Jesus is not a docile Messiah. And he calls us as his disciples to follow him into uncharted territory—joining God's kingdom movement with reckless abandon.

As we head into Holy Week, Mark's gospel is climbing to its climax. Today, we see Jesus perform one last miracle, healing a blind man named Bartimaeus, before he enters into Jerusalem. Jesus asks Bartimaeus this probing question, which he asks us all: "What do you want me to do for you?" The surprise in the story is that Bartimaeus, this blind beggar, gives us a powerful picture of what true discipleship looks like as we follow Jesus into the uncharted territory of God's kingdom.

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