

## PRAYER

As a staff, how can we be praying for you? Let us know at [connectwithtrinity.com/prayer](https://connectwithtrinity.com/prayer).

### Monthly Mission Focus | Canada

Please pray for Jennifer Lucking as she serves survivors of human trafficking and sexual exploitation as Executive Director at Restorations Second Stage Homes. Pray for support, comfort, hope and peace for survivors in their journey of healing from trauma and exploitation. Pray also for strength and resiliency for the Restorations team as they respond to the varied needs of survivors; that the Restorations team embraces a posture of seeking wisdom and being bold in making decisions—especially, as they move towards opening their new house; and for patience and understanding for Jennifer's family (Mark, Amy, and Malcolm) as they support her work.

Congratulations to **Taylor & Dulce Van Wechel** on the birth of their daughter, **Liliana Louise**, who was born on May 10.

Please pray for **Grant De Nooy** as he is 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: **Ron & Ann Sanson.** Pioneer Memorial Home: **Joyce Van Gorp.** Good Samaritan Society, Le Mars: **Donna Koenig.** Fieldcrest, Sheldon: **Eunice Dagele.**

### 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](mailto: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](mailto: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](https://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](mailto: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](mailto:ashley.stanislav@gmail.com)) or Josh Van Es ([jgvanes@yahoo.com](mailto:jgvanes@yahoo.com)).

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### Contact Us / Receive Updates:

Online: [connectwithtrinity.com](https://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](https://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](https://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.



**May 16, 2021**

## 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!

### Cultivate: The Fruit of Generosity

As we continue our sermon series on the fruit of the Spirit, today **Pastor Brian Keepers** will explore with us the spiritual fruit of generosity. One of the defining marks of the early church is that they lived with "glad and generous hearts, praising God and having the good will of all the people" (Acts 2:46-47). Why is practicing generosity so important for disciples of Jesus? What happens when we open our hearts and hands to be generous? This is what we'll talk about today. While generosity includes our finances, it's so much more. It's really about the freedom and joy that comes with living every aspect of our lives in response to God's grace!

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