

PRAYER

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

We express our sympathy to **Riley and Tiffany Huizenga** in the passing of Riley's dad, Joel Huizenga, on December 28.

Jan Vander Zwaag recently moved back to Orange City. She is in Countryside #4 at Prairie Ridge.

Pray for **Laurie Ann Anderson** as she recovers from knee replacement surgery.

Pray that **Muriel Brumels** would get relief from the pain in her back and leg.

Pray for **Bev Grienke** as she recovers from surgery at the Orange City Area Health System.

Pray for **Ann Sanson** as she experiences health challenges.

Please pray for the refugee situation and the chaos and unrest currently happening in Afghanistan and other areas of the Middle East.

Pray for those who are homebound: June Bouma. Prairie Ridge: **Dorothy Weiss, Margarita Lopez, Helena Ludens, Randy Cleveringa, Marian Clark, Ardie Hegstad, Fran Koets, Bev Heemstra, Bev Grienke, June Vanden Berge, Jan Vander Zwaag.** Landsmeer: **Ron and Ann Sanson, Phyllis Scorza.** Pioneer Memorial Home: **Joyce Van Gorp.** 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 **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, Marilyn Feekes, 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.

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, masa, 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 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/adults.

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 8:10, 9:00 and 10:30.

Hospers Campus

Join us for worship on Sunday mornings at 9:00.



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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!

"The Blessing of an Everlasting God in Lasting Circumstances"

When the calendar flips from one year to the next, sometimes we find ourselves wishing things looked different. Some circumstances or situations hang on, even when the calendar tells us we are entering a new year. We often talk about leaving the old behind. These enduring circumstances and situations could be defined as "lasting." They are long-lived, remaining, and deep-rooted. When the new year comes and we long for "lasting" things to be different, how do we enter the new year? We can look to the ever-lasting God in our lasting circumstances. Today **Michelle Christy**, Director of Adult Discipleship, will explore the words of Moses' blessing in Deuteronomy 33:24-29 as Israel stood on the precipice of a new and promised land. How might we receive words of blessing grounded in the Everlasting God that enables us to enter the new year with hope, even in our lasting circumstances?

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