ANNOUNCEMENTS

DISCERNMENT GROUPS

The Leadership Team is hosting "discernment groups" throughout February to create a safe and courageous space to **discern together God's will regarding Trinity's future relationship with the RCA** (our denomination). Information will be shared, and space given to engage in dialogue with one another, listening to the Holy Spirit in community. Sign up online or with the printed sign up at the coffee bar in the lobby. **This week, there is a gathering at the Hospers campus on Thursday, February 17.**

FAITHWALKING MODULE 1

Tools and equipping to gain freedom from past wounds, grow in emotional maturity, and live on mission with God. Beginning February 23 for 10 weeks, we'll meet at the Orange City campus on Wednesdays from 6:30-7:30pm. Pastor Brian Keepers and Pastor Kurt Bush are facilitating. Cost is \$50. **Sign up at connectwithtrinity.com/signups by February 14.**

3RD ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF | MARCH 13

Join us on **Sunday, March 13 at 5pm** for our 3rd annual Chili Cook-Off! We will gather together in the fellowship hall. Please sign up online at **connectwithtrinity.com/signups** to bring your best batch of chili and/or cinnamon rolls. All are welcome! A freewill donation will be taken for Erin Karr and family.

HOME REPAIR PROJECT IN HOSPERS

We have a really great opportunity to **bless one of our neighbors with a few small home repairs!** This includes light demo work, sheetrock work, and finishing work that will be done over the next few Saturdays. We need your help! If you'd like to help us bless our neighbor on any of these days: 2/19, 2/26, 3/5 or 3/12, please contact Naboth Netten (712-230-2343) or Pat Mai (7120-229-2822).

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Thank you, Trinity family, for a strong ending to 2021 and a great start to 2022. Every gift matters and makes a difference. Thank you for your continued faithfulness in supporting the work and ministry of Trinity Church. Here is a Stewardship update for our Fiscal Year (7/1/21- 1/31/22):

Overall: Hospers Campus: Income \$913,295 \$90,166
Expenses \$853,974 \$112,976
Target Budget \$992,434 \$122,388

YOUTH MISSIONS BANQUET - THANK YOU

Thank you for supporting our high school mission trip at the youth missions banquet last Sunday! Thanks to your generosity, we raised \$4,000. Your support matters to us—thank you for donating!



FEBRUARY 13, 2022

Connecting with God, others, and the world



WELCOME!

HOSPERS CAMPUS

Welcome to Trinity Church! We are one church in two locations—Hospers and Orange City. While there are some slight differences between our campuses, what unites us is our shared mission to partner with the Holy Spirit in connecting people with God, others and God's work in world. Whether this is your first time worshiping with us or you have been with us for years, we're so glad you're joining us today!

Come and See: "Openness to Change"

How might you classify your openness to change? For many of us, change is something we actively avoid. So it's interesting, isn't it, that in the Gospels Jesus brings change everywhere he goes. Today as we continue in our *Come & See* sermon series, we'll look together at one of Trinity's core values—the value of holding an openness to change. **Pastor Kurt Bush** will help us explore John's Gospel further, specifically a story of Jesus healing and restoring the sight of a man born blind. It's in this story that we see two distinctly different responses to change and transformation that help inform us on the appropriate posture to hold in the face of deep change and transformation found in the presence of Jesus.

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TODAY'S WORSHIP

"Graves Into Gardens"
"Open The Eyes Of My Heart"
"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Offering/Announcements

John 9:13-41

Message: "Openness to Change"

"Living Hope"

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY

Nursery (0-5 years old) - Available during the service. **Sunday School** (K-8th Grade) - 10:10-11:00am

WEDNESDAY

Kids Programming (K-5th grade) - 6:30-7:30pm Middle School Youth Group - 6:30-7:30pm (A shuttle leaves the Hospers campus at 6:10. Youth Group is at the Orange City campus.) High School Youth Group - 8:00-9:00pm (at the Orange City campus)

THURSDAY

Discernment Group Gathering - 7:00pm in the fellowship hall

SERVE

CURRENT OPPORTUNITIES

Find a current list of available service opportunities online at **connectwithtrinity.com/signups.**

GIFTS/PASSIONS (FIND A PLACE TO SERVE)

Take 3 minutes to fill out a gifts and passions survey at **connectwithtrinity. com/serve** so we can help you get connected in a ministry area that you are passionate about. On this survey you will also have the opportunity to express interest in serving on specific ministry teams (ex: Nursery, Children's Ministry, Youth Ministry, Hospitality Team, Tech Team, Worship Team).

PRAYER & PRAISE

Please continue to pray for **Erin Karr** and her family as they continue to wait and navigate Erin's health together.

Please keep **Betty Johnson** in your prayers as she recovers at home from a second surgery on her foot.

Join us in praying for **Harold Van Wettering** as he awaits a bone marrow biopsy.

Please keep **Jeanne Van Roekel** in your prayers as she continues to rehab after her concussion.

Please join us in praying for all who are feeling loss and pain, in what feels like a season filled with sickness and pain within our communities.

Please join us in praying for our leaders, the Leadership Team and each of our campus consistories, as they continue to lead in a challenging season.

Pray for those who are homebound: Carol Bras, Hermina Diekevers, Lucia Vander Ploeg, Alice Van Dyke.

Bulletin Prayer Request:

If you would like a prayer request printed in the bulletin, please email trinityhospers@gmail.com by Thursday at 9am or give permission to Pastor Kurt to share the request. **Email:** trinityhospers@gmail.com **Call:** (712) 752-8444

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, hospitalized, undergoing surgery, or navigating critical health conditions and diagnoses.

Hospers Campus Pastoral Care Team:

Betty Johnson, Will Vander Ploeg and Orv Van Roekel.

Team Coordinator: Kurt Bush (kurtbush1@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. 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.