

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CHRISTMAS BREAK | KIDS & YOUTH

Kids & youth programming will resume on Wednesday, January 11.

DONATIONS FOR HAITI

As a church we are collecting items to help fill a container to be shipped to our mission partners Kristie & JeanJean at UCI in Haiti. **Please bring donations to the table by our missions wall by Sunday, January 22.** Thank you!

- peanut butter, granola bars, CLIF bars (protein source for school children)
- shoes (tennis shoes or black close-toed shoes for school children)
- tools (hand or power tools)
- clothing (gently used clothing for warm climate)
- monetary donations (to purchase protein)

TRINITY FOOD PANTRY DONATIONS

This month, Trinity's food pantry is especially in need of maseca corn flour (4 lb bag), vegetable oil (32 oz), and cans of peaches or pears (29 oz). **Please leave donations outside of our front office by Tuesday, January 17.**

PASTORAL SABBATICAL

Pastor Brian and Pastor Kurt both received a grant from the RCA and Lilly Foundation to take a 3-week mini-sabbatical as a way of experiencing a time of rest and renewal. Pastor Brian is taking his December 26 through January 15 and Pastor Kurt will take his January 23 through February 13. **See our digital bulletin to read more about this** or pick up a hard copy at the Welcome Center. If you have questions about any of this, please contact Dave Van Den Brink (VP of congregation) or Naboth Netten (Hospers Leadership Team representative).

HOST AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT THIS SUMMER

World Team is looking for families in Sioux County to host students from Spain this summer. (Many families from Trinity served as hosts last summer.) The goal is for students to improve their English speaking abilities, learn about American culture, and experience life with a family where authentic faith is lived out daily. Dates: June 29-July 28. Families with school-age kids at home are preferred. To learn more, contact Tim Tjernagel at 978-494-7763 / tim.tjernagel@worldteam.org.

CHURCH MAILBOXES

We're looking to revamp our church mailboxes (on the west end of the fellowship hall). If you'd like to continue using a mailbox or would like to have a mailbox, please call the church office or email connectwithtrinity@gmail.com and we will assign a mailbox for you. Mailboxes are available for both members and regular attenders.

COMMUNION ELEMENTS

Our sacraments and membership team is looking for donations of fresh grapes and bread to display on our communion table every Sunday. (Bread can be homemade or store-bought.) If you'd like to help provide these donations on a rotating basis, contact Ben Vos at ben.d.vos@gmail.com.

TRINITYCHURCH

Connecting with God, others, and the world

ORANGE CITY CAMPUS

JANUARY 8, 2023

WELCOME!

If you're here for the first time, we'd 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.

SERVICE TIMES

8:15 // 9:00 // 10:30 (The 8:15 Early Service is a quieter, more reflective and liturgical service with weekly communion.)

KIDS & YOUTH

Nursery (0-3 yrs old) is available during worship today. **Kids Worship** (ages 4 to 5th grade) and **6-8th Sunday School** will resume January 15.

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Text: **(712) 201-3090**

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

"House Of The Lord"
"Yet Not I But Through Christ In Me"

Offering/Announcements

"You Hold It All Together"

Message | Mark DeYounge
"The Joy of the Lord is our Strength"
Matthew 17:1-9

Communion

"Be Thou My Vision"



FIND A PLACE TO SERVE

Visit connectwithtrinity.com/serve to fill out a gifts + passions survey and express interest in serving on specific ministry teams (ex: Nursery, Children's Ministry, Youth Ministry, Hospitality, Tech, Worship).

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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

THE RUTHLESS ELIMINATION OF HURRY

Are you living life at a pace that is unsustainable—tired of feeling like you never have enough time? Join Pastor Brian for a **new Wednesday night class starting January 11**, where we'll engage John Mark Comer's practical book *The Ruthless Elimination of Hurry*. This 5-week study will meet at 6:30pm in Adult Rooms 3/4. Even if you've already read the book—join us as we practice its key lessons in community! Books are available for \$17 at the Welcome Center. Sign up on our website.

UPCOMING EVENTS

MEMBERSHIP AT TRINITY | JANUARY 15

If you are interested in becoming a member at Trinity and partnering with what God is doing in our midst, join us on Sunday, January 15 from 9-10:30am in the youth room. **Register at connectwithtrinity.com/signups by January 8 at noon.**

THE REST OF GOD | SUNDAY MORNING STUDY

So many of us feel hurried and exhausted, moving from one thing to the next. Even after "time off" for the holidays, we don't feel refreshed. What if the real problem isn't that we need more time to get it all done, but instead a healthier rhythm for our lives? Join Barb Dewald and Dallas Johnson for a study of the book *The Rest of God: Restoring Your Soul by Restoring Sabbath*. This will correspond with our sermon series, *A Sabbath Heart*, and **begins Sunday, January 15 at 9:15am** in Adult Rooms 3/4. Books are available for \$11 at the Welcome Center. Sign up on our website.

CHURCH POTLUCK | JANUARY 15

All are invited to join us for a potluck in the fellowship hall on Sunday, January 15! We will start serving at 11:30am. No main dish will be provided. **Please bring a main dish, side dish, or dessert to share!**

FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S GROUP | JANUARY 20

Men of Trinity, join Pastor Brian and our men's ministry team as we begin a **new men's group that will meet on Friday mornings at 6:00**, starting January 20. The goal of this group is to develop meaningful friendship together. We're going to start by reading John Mark Comer's *The Ruthless Elimination of Hurry*. If you plan to join us for this 5-week study, sign up on our website and order a copy of the book before we start. (Books are available at the Welcome Center for \$17.)

BAPTISM AT TRINITY | JANUARY 22

If you would like to be baptized or are interested in baptizing your child at Trinity, join us on Sunday, January 22 from 10-10:30am in the youth room. **Register at connectwithtrinity.com/signups by January 15.**

WOMEN'S FITNESS CLASS | FEBRUARY 2

Women of Trinity, join us for our next women's ministry event on Thursday, February 2 from 6:30-8:00pm in the youth room (Orange City campus). Tanya Rowenhorst will lead us in a **workout and devotional, and then we'll have a make your own smoothie bar**. Sign up on our website if you plan to join us!

PRAYER

How can we be praying for you? Let us know at connectwithtrinity.com/prayer.

Pray for **Gene Schutt** as he is hospitalized in Sioux Falls.

Pray for **Betty Korver**, that we would put her situation in the Lord's hands and trust that His timing is perfect.

Dexter Wiese has begun three rounds of chemo, which will last 9 weeks, to treat lymph node cancer. Please pray for Dexter and his family as they take the necessary steps in this process.

Pray for those who are homebound: **June Bouma**. Prairie Ridge: **Margarita Lopez, Randy Cleveringa, Marian Clark, Fran Koets, Bev Heemstra, Bev Grienke, June Vanden Berge, Gordon Brumels, Al Dew, Jeanne Feekes, Joyce Van Gorp**. Landsmeer: **Phyllis Scorza**. Happy Siesta, Remsen: **Eunice Dage**.

Bulletin Prayer Request:

If you would like a prayer request printed in the bulletin, please contact the church office by Thursday at 8am 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 and support to various needs and life situations. The team exists to care for individuals who are in care facilities, homebound or hospitalized: **Sandi Carlson, Anita Cirulis, Marilyn Feekes, Jake Moss, Julie Andersen** (Coordinator) - 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. Questions? Reach out to Logan Huisman (lhuisman@fcs.cc), Sara Nessa (saranessa11@gmail.com), or Val Stokes (vstokes@nwciowa.edu).

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.

Monthly Food Pantry: Donations of dried black beans (1 lb. bag), dried pinto beans (1 lb. bag), rice (1 lb. bag), maseca (4 lb. bag), canned fruit, sugar (4 lb. bag), peanut butter, cereal, spaghetti noodles, canned pasta sauce, and vegetable oil (32 oz) can be left outside of the front office.