ANNOUNCEMENTS

2024 UGANDA MISSION TRIP | LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP!

Trinity is considering a trip to Uganda next summer with our mission partners Titus & Mary Baraka. **The team and details will be finalized mid-January** so please sign up online to indicate your interest and/or contact Barb at bkdewald28@gmail. com with questions by January 14.

KIDS HOPE USA | K-5TH GRADE MENTORING

We are **partnering with MOC-FV to match mentors from Trinity with at-risk students at the elementary school.** (At-risk meaning something has happened in their family like a change, broken home, tragedy, etc.) Mentors will visit the elementary school for an hour each week (February - May), to build a one-on-one relationship with their student. To learn more about this ministry or to serve as a mentor, sign up on our website. Questions? Contact Melinda Netten at melnet@mail.com.

COFFEE MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Our hospitality team is looking for two volunteers to serve coffee **once a month from 8:15-9:15am**. If this is a role you can fill, please see Julie at the Welcome Center or email juliekandersen87@gmail.com.

FAMILY EVENT FUNDRAISER | CHRISTIAN COMEDIAN

Laurie Ann Anderson is organizing a freewill donation fundraiser **to help local families with ongoing medical costs.** Christian comedian and ventriloquist Taylor Mason will provide clean comedy that's perfect for any age on Saturday, January 20 at 7pm (at the Unity Christian Event Center). All are invited!

LOST & FOUND

Some cleaning and reorganizing has been done in the cafe area. Many cups and containers were found. Please look at the lost & found table (outside of our front office) to see if anything belongs to you. Thank you!

HELPING HANDS MINISTRY

Being the body of Christ involves lending a hand when needed to those around us. Sometimes assistance is needed with rides, moving/packing/cleaning, household projects or repair, a meal, etc. Sign up on our website to receive updates as needs arise, then **respond to requests that match your schedule and abilities.**

TRINITYCHURCH

ORANGE CITY CAMPUS

JANUARY 14, 2024

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

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

KIDS & YOUTH

Nursery (0-3 yrs old) and Kids Worship (ages 4 to 5th grade) are offered during the 9:00 & 10:30 services. **6-8th Sunday** School meets at 10:30.

CONNECT

trinityoc@gmail.com Call: (712) 737-4542 Text: (712) 201-3090 Follow us on Facebook and Instagram Sign up for Email Updates at connectwithtrinity.com/signups

ORDER OF WORSHIP

"Who You Say I Am" "Only A Holy God"

Offering/Announcements

"Before The Throne Of God Above"

Message | Pastor Brian Keepers "Blessed to be a Blessing: When Trouble Comes..." Genesis 12:10 - 13:4

"In Christ Alone"



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).

THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

JOINING GOD'S MISSION | NEW 5-WEEK STUDY

Join Pastor Brian for a 5-week study titled *Where Do I Come In? Joining God's Mission.* This study is **for ordinary people who want to see their busy, everyday lives as an opportunity to be on mission with God.** Wednesdays at 6:30pm. Purchase a book (\$10) at the Welcome Center. Sign up online if you plan to join us!

FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S STUDY

Men of Trinity, join us on **Fridays from 6:00-7:00am (January 12 - March 8)** as we study *The Deeply Formed Life* by Rich Villodas. A limited number of books are available for purchase in the church office for \$14. Learn more + sign up online!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Women of Trinity, join us as we study the Bible together! We started studying *Story Thru the Bible (New Testament)* in the fall, and will continue our study January 17 - April 24. The invitation is open for new women to join anytime! We will meet at our Orange City campus on **Wednesdays at 6:30pm**. Learn more + sign up online!

UPCOMING EVENTS

MEMBERSHIP AT TRINITY | JANUARY 21

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 21 from 9-10:30am in the youth room. **Register online by January 14 at noon**.

BAPTISM AT TRINITY | JANUARY 28

If you would like to be baptized or are interested in baptizing your child at Trinity, join us on Sunday, January 28 from 10-10:30am in the youth room. **Register online by January 21 at noon.**

FAMILY FUN NIGHT | JANUARY 28

All are invited to join us for a Family Fun Night at our Hospers campus on Sunday, January 28! **We will start with a potluck at 5pm**. Please bring along a hot OR cold dish to share. After the potluck there will be trivia for the adults and a movie for the kids in the sanctuary. Come join us for a night of FUN!

SUNDAY MORNING STUDY | SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINES

Starting January 28, join us for a study of *The Good and Beautiful Life* by James Bryan Smith on Sundays at 10:30am (Adult Rooms 3&4). Led by Michael & Lindsay Simmelink, **we will put our spiritual disciplines into practice** through learning, practice and reflection. If you plan to join us, sign up online! A limited number of books are available for purchase (\$15) at the Welcome Center.

DOG SLED RACE SERVICE OPPORTUNITY | NEW DATE!

Every year, our men's ministry assists Coldwater Foundation at the annual Gunflint Mail Run Dog Sled Race (Grand Marais, MN). This race is an all-day event for dog sledders all over North America. Cost is \$75. **This event is confirmed for Feb 9-11.** Ten spots are available. Register online by Jan 30.

PRAYER

Davi Hoebelheinrich was in the hospital with RSV for a few days, and is now doing much better at home.

Lila Simmelink has recovered well from pneumonia, received a port on Monday and her first treatment for CAD on Thursday. The next treatment will be Thursday, January 18, then every 2 weeks thereafter. Please pray that the infusions are effective and go well, for safety on the roads, strength and peace for the journey. Thank you very much for your faithful prayers and support with cards, meals, and visits. God is faithful! Lila & Scott

Pray for those who were impacted by earthquakes in Japan, including our mission partners **Nathan & Nozomi Brownell** and **Abraham & Sayuri Kist-Okazaki**.

Pray for Linda Feikema as she recovers from a hip replacement.

Ron Katje has started treatment for non-Hodgkins lymphoma. He will have infusions for 6 months, and then will take medication for another year. Please join us in praying for Ron and Judy as they begin this journey.

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

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

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 comes alongside people at Trinity and in the community who have immediate, emergency and/or unexpected needs. Seeking to be the body of Christ, Trinity lends a helping hand through volunteers and through partnering with local ministries. Questions? Reach out to Logan Huisman (Ihuisman@fcs.cc), Val Stokes (vstokes@nwciowa.edu), or the church office.

Financial & Practical Support: If you have an immediate, emergency, or unexpected need with finances, rides, moving/packing/cleaning, household projects or repair, food insecurity, etc., please fill out a request form at **connectwithtrinity. com/needs** so that our Local Needs Team can come alongside you.