

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 2024/2025 LEADERSHIP SLATE + BUDGET

Here is our proposed 2024-2025 leadership slate for the **Orange City Consistory**: Shay Davis & Joel Carlson (Elders), Candace Van Marel, Kellie Lancaster, Tyler Kallemeyn (Deacons). **Leadership Team**: Dave Van Den Brink, Naboth Netten, Dan Swier (Leadership Elders), Dave Mars, Kim Jongerius, and Laura Evink (Leadership Deacons). **Voting** for the 2024/2025 budget & consistory will happen on Sunday, June 2. Members can vote to approve the leadership slate and budget at Trinity or ahead of time via an electronic ballot. Paper absentee ballots are available at the Welcome Center. There will be **two congregational feedback sessions** to preview the budget, ask questions, and give feedback on Sunday, May 19 at 10:15am, and Sunday, May 26 at 9:00am.

### NOTES OF ENCOURAGEMENT NEEDED

We are looking for notes of encouragement for the pastors who will attend our 3-day pastors conference in Uganda this June. **We have 60 pastors who still need a note.** Cards are available at the table by the missions wall. Please consider writing an extra note ASAP to ensure that each pastor receives a card. Questions? See Julie Andersen at the Welcome Center. Thank you!

### ORANGE CITY FOOD PANTRY

The Orange City Food Pantry, in partnership with Trinity, **served 61 households in April.** Thank you to all who continue to donate items, to our volunteers who transport donations, and to the volunteers who serve at our monthly distributions. Learn more about this ministry at [connectwithtrinity.com/localneeds](http://connectwithtrinity.com/localneeds).

### INSPIRATION HILLS SUMMER CAMP

Registration is open! If your child is interested in attending one of the Inspiration Hills camps, **Trinity will help cover 1/2 of the cost of the basic camp fee** (\$207.50 max). When you fill out the registration, indicate Trinity Reformed Church as your home church, and send in payment for your half of the camp, plus any incidental costs. Trinity will be billed directly from Inspiration Hills for the balance due. If you have any questions, contact Laurie Kurtz in the church office at 712-737-4542.

### FREEZER MEAL MINISTRY

Trinity's freezer meal ministry provides meals for families/individuals who have been hospitalized, had a baby, or are homebound. If you would like to join this ministry and prepare meals as needs arise, please contact Julie at [juliekandersen87@gmail.com](mailto:juliekandersen87@gmail.com).

## ONLINE GIVING

You can give to God's work at Trinity with a one-time or ongoing gift at **[connectwithtrinity.com/give](http://connectwithtrinity.com/give)**, through the **Church Center App**, or through **Venmo** @TrinityChurch201. Email **[kurtz.laurie@gmail.com](mailto:kurtz.laurie@gmail.com)** with questions or for help with the online giving process.

# TRINITYCHURCH

Connecting with God, others, and the world

ORANGE CITY CAMPUS

MAY 19, 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.

### ORDER OF WORSHIP

*"Holy Spirit"*  
*"Holy Forever"*

Offering/Announcements

Baptism

*"Holy Holy Holy"*

Message | Pastor Brian Keepers  
*"Set Free...to Live by the Spirit"*  
Galatians 5:16-26

*"Spirit Of The Living God"*

### 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](mailto: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](http://connectwithtrinity.com/signups)

### FIND A PLACE TO SERVE

Visit **[connectwithtrinity.com/serve](http://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).

201 St. Paul Ave SE Orange City, IA 51041 | [connectwithtrinity.com](http://connectwithtrinity.com)

## THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

### TULIP FESTIVAL COMMUNITY WORSHIP

There will be a community service today at 11am in Windmill Park, where Pastor Ben Vos will be preaching. Blankets and lawn chairs are encouraged for seating. Rain location: First Reformed Church (Orange City).

### MEN'S MINISTRY LUNCHTIME DEVOTIONS

Men of Trinity, join us this summer for a connection opportunity. We'll meet in Trinity's outdoor shelterhouse on the first and third Tuesday of the month from 12-1pm. Please bring your own lunch and a Bible. **Our next event is on May 21.**

### WEDNESDAY MORNING PRAYER

Beginning on May 22, join us at Trinity on **Wednesday mornings from 9:30-10:30am** in Adult Room 1 to pray for our church, community, and world. Come at 9:00am if you wish to join for coffee and fellowship before prayer.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### BAPTISM AT TRINITY | MAY 26

If you would like to be baptized or are interested in baptizing your child at Trinity, join us on Sunday, May 26 from 10-10:30am in the youth room. **Register online by May 19 at noon.**

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY LUNCHTIME DEVOTIONS

The women's ministry team invites you to join us for lunch on **Wednesday, June 12.** We'll meet in Trinity's outdoor shelterhouse from 12-1pm. Please bring your own lunch and a Bible.

### INSPIRE COMMUNITY WORSHIP

This summer, you're invited to join us at Trinity Hospers for Inspire Community Worship! We'll gather on Thursdays at 7:00pm (June 13, July 11, August 8) on our outside green space. This come-and-go event is **an opportunity for our community to gather together and meet neighbors**, worship, and enjoy lemonade and cookies. Please bring a chair.

### SUMMER VBS | JUNE 25-27

**Kids:** Join us for our Trinity Kids VBS June 25-27! Our theme is CAMPTENDO: Powering up in Christ! This event is for kids who will be entering kindergarten through 6th grade in the 2024-2025 school year.

**Volunteers:** Adults and helpers, **we can't do this without you.** We hope you will partner with us to make this event possible! If you are unable to join us the week of VBS but would still like to help, consider serving on our decorations team.

**Donations:** If you have any large boxes (fridge-sized) you'd be willing to donate, please drop them off in the Kids Area. We are also in need of snacks! Sign up to serve, attend, or donate snacks at [connectwithtrinity.com/signups](https://connectwithtrinity.com/signups).

## PRAYER

How can we be praying for you? Let us know at [connectwithtrinity.com/prayer](https://connectwithtrinity.com/prayer).

Pray for **Evelyn Pettus**, daughter of Chris & Kaitlin, who was baptized today.

Congratulations to **Noah & Meredith Hop** on the birth of their daughter, **Lainey Joy**, who was born on May 9.

Pray for our **Uganda Team** (Julie Andersen, Mary Beth Breen, Michelle Christy, Anna Evink, Laura Evink, Kay Joiner, and Brian Keepers) as they serve, lead, and learn in Uganda May 27-June 10.

We celebrate with **Ron Katje** that his non-Hodgkins lymphoma has been reduced to half the size it was six months ago! Ron has a few more months of chemo pills.

### **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](mailto:trinityoc@gmail.com) **Call:** (712) 737-4542 **Text:** (712) 201-3090

Pray for those who are homebound: **June Bouma**. Prairie Ridge: **Marian Clark, Fran Koets, Bev Grienke, June Vanden Berge, Gordon Brumels, Al Dew, Jeanne Feekes, Joyce Van Gorp, Chuck & Arlene Lubbers**. Landsmeer: **Phyllis Scorza**.

## 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](mailto: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 Val Stokes ([vstokes@nwciowa.edu](mailto: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](https://connectwithtrinity.com/needs) so that our Local Needs Team can come alongside you.

**Orange City Food Pantry:** Find a list of requested donations and learn about volunteer opportunities at [connectwithtrinity.com/localneeds](https://connectwithtrinity.com/localneeds). Distribution is on the 4th Saturday of each month from 9am-noon (at American Reformed Church).