

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### KIDS MINISTRY DATES

Today is the last day of Sunday Kids Ministry programming, and April 30 is the last Wednesday night Kids Ministry programming for the school year. Thank you to all the students and volunteers who helped make this year a great one!

### SHELVES OF HOPE

Thank you for your continued support of the Hospers food box ministry, Shelves of Hope! The ministry is continuing to serve many families in the area and your contributions are truly making a difference in their lives. The Shelves of Hope ministry is needing donations of **black beans, maseca, white rice, flour, sugar, juice, cake mixes, boxes of cereal, and vegetable oil**. Trinity is also asking for donations of one pound tubes of ground beef or you may designate a monetary gifts to "Shelves of Hope - meat." The food box distribution is available every third Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm. Please use the back door of the church.

### PASTORAL SEARCH UPDATE

Trinity is pleased to share that the search team has finished second-round interviews with candidates for the Pastor of Spiritual Formation and Missions. There is still a bit more process to be done, but next steps include the final candidate being presented to the Leadership Team and Consistory, as well as opportunities for interaction with staff and congregation. More information will be shared soon. Members of the search team are: Joel Carlson, Barb Dewald, Greg Elliott, Pastor Brian Keepers, Amanda Keller, Tanya Rowenhorst, Dan Swier and Amy Wiersema.

### TULIP FESTIVAL CARNIVAL WORKER LUNCH

As in past years, Trinity has the opportunity to welcome and **bleed the Tulip Festival carnival workers by hosting and serving a meal** at Windmill Park on May 14! This event needs 12 dozen bars/cookies, three volunteers to transport supplies and set up, and 15 volunteers to serve and eat with guests. The meal will be served from 12-1pm. **Sign up to help online** or through the QR code on the front of this bulletin.

### LEGO VBS | JUNE 17-19

**Kids:** Join the Trinity Kids VBS on June 17-19! This year's theme is LEGO: Building the Kingdom of God! This event is for kids who will be entering Kindergarten through 5th grade in the 2025-2026 school year.

**Volunteers:** Adults and helpers, VBS can't happen 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.

**To serve or attend, please sign up online** or through the QR code on the front of this bulletin.



Connecting with God, others, and the world

HOSPERS CAMPUS

APRIL 27, 2025

## WELCOME!

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 worshipping with us or you have been with us for years, we're so glad you're joining us today!

### WORSHIP

9:00 am

### KIDS & YOUTH

**Nursery** (0-3 yrs old) is offered during the service.

**K-8th Sunday School** meets at 10:15 am.

### CONNECT

Scan the QR code to connect with Trinity and sign up for opportunities!



### ORDER OF WORSHIP

*"You've Already Won"*

*"Reckless Love"*

Offering/Announcements

*"Abide"*

Message | Pastor Michael Fahrenbruch

*"Who is My Neighbor?"*

Luke 10:25-37

*"Build My Life"*

### FIND A PLACE TO SERVE

Scan the QR code 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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## UPCOMING EVENTS

### MISSION LUNCH FOR SOUTH AMERICA TRIP | TODAY

Today **from 11:45-1 pm on the Orange City campus**, hear from Pastor Brian, Rick Clark and Alicia Beaver on their **South American Pastor's Conference trip**. Enjoy a light lunch and **learn more about how God is at work in the global south** and how Trinity can be involved.

### COMMUNITY CHILI COOK-OFF | TODAY

All are welcome to the Hospers Community Building tonight **from 5-7 pm** to enjoy a chili cook-off! Come and vote for your favorite chili. Prizes will be awarded for the crowd favorites, and there will be a **free-will donation** to raise funds for those affected by the recent house fires in the Hospers community.

### WEDNESDAY NIGHT DISCIPLESHP

**Kids Discipleship** (K-5th grade) - 6:30-7:30 pm

**Middle School Youth Group** - 6:30-7:30 pm on the Orange City campus

**High School Youth Group** - 8:00-9:00 pm on the Orange City campus

### KIDS MINISTRY END OF THE YEAR CELEBRATION | APRIL 30

On April 30 from **6:30-7:30 pm on the Hospers campus**, celebrate God's work through the Wednesday night Kids Ministry (JAM: Jesus and Me). Hear what the kids have learned and see how they've served this year! Third graders will be presented with Bibles and light refreshments will be served.

### FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S BIBLE STUDY

Men of all ages: Join Pastor Brian and the Men's Ministry on Fridays at 6-7 am on the Orange City campus with coffee and donuts. The group is currently reading "Delighting in the Trinity: An Introduction to the Christian Faith" by Michael Reeves.

### ALL TOGETHER POTLUCK | MAY 4

As one church in two location, enjoy fellowship and food together at the All Together potluck on **May 4 at 11:45 am** following the second service on the **Orange City campus**. If able, please bring 1-2 dishes to share at this event.

## PRAYER & PRAISE

Pray for **Lucia Vander Ploeg** as she has been placed on hospice care.

### Bulletin Prayer Request:

If you would like a prayer request printed in the bulletin, please contact Trinity Church by Thursday at 8am. **Email:** [trinityhospers@gmail.com](mailto:trinityhospers@gmail.com)

**Call:** (712) 737-4542

### Pastoral Care Request:

Please contact Trinity Church with any pastoral care requests.

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## LOCAL NEEDS TEAM

Our Local Needs Team assists people at Trinity and in the community with immediate, emergency and/or unexpected needs. If you're facing financial challenges, fill out a local needs request form at **[connectwithtrinity.com/needs](https://connectwithtrinity.com/needs)** so that our Local Needs Team can come alongside you.

## ONLINE GIVING

You can give to God's work at Trinity with a one-time or ongoing gift at **[connectwithtrinity.com/give](https://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.