ANNOUNCEMENTS

SMALL GROUP OPPORTUNITIES

Another way you can engage with the sermon series book "STEPS" is in a small group setting. If you're not currently in a small group and would like to see what it's like, this opportunity is for you! Reach out to Pastor Missy or Pastor Michael if interested.

VOICING THE WORD: READING SCRIPTURE WELL IN WORSHIP

Are you interested in participating in worship as a reader of Scripture? Do you want to grow your confidence in reading aloud? Join Laurel Koerner on **September 28 from 9 - 10:15 am** in Rooms 3 & 4 on the Orange City campus to receive practical tools that help honor the Word by expressing it with care. **Sign up online** or through the QR code on the front of this bulletin for this opportunity!

BOOK SIGNING WITH WITH PASTOR KURT BUSH

On September 28 at 2:30 pm in the Fellowship Hall on the Orange City campus, there will be a special celebration for the publication of the new book "Live Fully, Lead Authentically" by Pastors Kurt Bush and Chris Godfredsen. Come to hear from the authors and get a copy of your book signed! Books will be available for purchase at the event or through your preferred bookseller.

LOOKING FOR A FEW SUNDAY KIDS MINISTRY VOLUNTEERS

Trinity is needing **four volunteers to be one-on-one buddies** for the kids on Sunday mornings. Specifically three for first service and one for second service. If this is something that fits your gifts and you feel called to do, please connect with Ruth at the Welcome Center or email her at ruth@connectwithtrinity.com.

LOCAL NEEDS TEAM

Seeking to be the body of Christ, Trinity's Local Needs Team comes alongside people at Trinity and in the community who have immediate, emergency and/or unexpected needs. Questions? Reach out to Val Stokes (vstokes@nwciowa.edu), Candace Van Marel (candacevanmarel@gmail.com), or the church office.

Orange City Food Pantry: The Food Pantry is open the 4th Saturday of each month from 9-11:30 am, located in American Reformed Church (enter by parking lot door). A full list of needed donations is located on the table by the church office. Thank you for continued generosity to this ministry.

TRINITYCHURCH

Connecting with God, others, and the world

ORANGE CITY CAMPUS **SEPTEMBER 14, 2025**

WELCOME!

If you're here for the first time, please connect with us! You can text 'Welcome' to (712) 201-3090 or stop by the Welcome Center after the service. We'd love the opportunity to meet you, and we're grateful you chose to worship with us today. 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) is offered during the 9:00 & 10:30 services. **6th-12th Bible Study** meets at 10:30.

CONNECT

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

ORDER OF WORSHIP

"Be Glad"

"In Christ Alone"

Offering/Announcements

"Lean On The Everlasting Arms"

Message | Pastor Brian Keepers
"Steps: The Solution (God Can!)"
Romans 7:14-8:2

"Abide"



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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THIS WEEK AT TRINITY

SUNDAY MORNING BOOK STUDY

There is a current book study at 10:30 am on Sundays in Rooms 3 & 4 for the duration of the sermon series discussing the book "STEPS" by John Ortberg. This study is also offered on Wednesdays at 6:30-7:30 pm. Books are available to purchase at the Welcome Center for $15.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DISCIPLESHIP

STEPS Book Study - 6:30-7:30 pm
Kids Discipleship (K-5th grade) - 6:30-7:30 pm
Middle School Youth Group - 6:30-7:30 pm
High School Youth Group - 8:00-9:00 pm

BAND OF BROTHERS FRIDAY MORNING MEN'S STUDY

Men of all ages: Join the Men's Ministry on **Fridays** at **6-7 am** on the **Orange City campus** for connection, discussions, coffee and donuts! For this fall, the group will be reading through "STEPS" by John Ortberg as the fall sermon series will also be engaging this content. Men are welcome to join any Friday, and you can **sign up online** or through the QR code on the front of this bulletin **to receive emails for updates and information**.

PRESCHOOLERS AND PARENTS | BEGINS SEPTEMBER 19

A **new program** is being offered **for preschoolers and parents on Friday mornings at 9:30 am**, starting this Friday, as a time to play, sing, and learn about Jesus together—plus coffee and connection for parents! (This is in place of Wednesday nights for preschoolers this year.) **Please register your children online** or through the QR on the front of this bulletin. If you have any questions, please connect with Ruth at the Welcome Center or via email at ruth@connectwithtrinity.com.

UPCOMING EVENTS

YOUNG ADULT CAMPFIRE & CORNHOLE | SEPTEMBER 21

The annual kick off event for the Young Adult ministry is happening on **September 21 at 5 pm** on the Orange City campus. Come for the campfire, s'mores, hot dogs; stay for the community and intense bean bag tournament! **Sign up online** or through the QR code on the front of this bulletin to let Trinity know you're coming and especially if you'd like to be in the bean bag toss tournament.

MISSION PARTNER VISIT AND LUNCH | SEPTEMBER 28

All are invited to hear from our mission partners on September 28 at the 9 or 10:30 services on the Orange City campus, and a light lunch will be offered at 11:45 am while they share more about their mission work. (Name is not listed due to the sensitive nature of where they serve.)

ONLINE GIVING

You can give to God's work at Trinity with a one-time or ongoing gift at **connectwithtrinity.com/give**, through the **Church Center App**, or through **Venmo** @TrinityChurch201. Email **kurtz.laurie@gmail.com** with questions.

PRAYER

How can we be praying for you? Let us know at **connectwithtrinity.com/prayer** or scan the QR code on the front page.

Congratulations to **Jonathan & Makenna (Davis) Guffey** on their wedding in North Carolina on September 6.

Congratulations to **Joe & Bekah Vander Stelt** on the birth of their daughter, **Savvy Lynn**, who was born on August 29.

Congratulations to **Eric & Dallas Bourdo** on the birth of their daughter, **Josephine Dallas**, who was born on August 30.

Congratulations to **Victor & Nicole Mena** on the birth of their daughter, **Ophelia Ruth**, who was born on September 2. Pray for their family as Ophelia is currently staying in the NICU in Sioux Falls.

Pray for **Dan Lassen and family** as Dan's father, **Gaylen**, passed away on September 3.

Pray for **Penny Willison and Hunter Buss** and Penny's father passed away on September 7.

Pray for **the families of Ashton and Bryleigh Koob**, grandchildren of Jerry and Mary Beth Reuvers, and the **families of Kolten Hofmeyer** for the sudden and tragic loss of these dear ones. Pray also for **Luke Lancaster** who remains hospitalized.

Pray for **Rev. Don DeGlopper** and his wife, **Cindy**, and **their family** as Don, a former pastor at Trinity, has been diagnosed with Alzheimers. Don is still doing well and would welcome calls, messages and visits.

Pray for **Tom Kamp** as he recovering from thyroid surgery.

Pray for **Jake Nessa and his family** as a couple more cancer spots were discovered and he resumes treatment.

Pray for **Nick & Cindy deVries** as Nick is being treated for advanced stomach and esophageal cancer.

Pray for **Devon Myers and family** as Devon's father, **Josh Myers**, is recovering from multiple brain surgeries.

Pray for **Dave & Lonna Kluis** as Dave continues radiation treatment.

Pray for **Ron Katje** as he continues treatment for a cancer spot on in his esophagus.

Pray for **Lucia Vander Ploeg** as she remains in hospice care.

Pray for those who are homebound. Prairie Ridge: **June Bouma, Gordon Brumels, Al Dew, Fred Dykstra, Jeanne Feekes, Bev Grienke, Brian Mulder, June Vanden Berge, Joyce Van Gorp, Pete Van Peursem.** Landsmeer: **Audrey Den Hartog, Lorraine Krommendyk, Phyllis Scorza.**