ANNOUNCEMENTS

YOUTH TRAVELING LOCK-INS

It's time to register your youth group student for the annual **traveling lock-in**! This year, the middle school traveling lock-in is happening on November 1-2, and the high school traveling lock-in is on November 22-23. **Visit the event online** or through the QR code on the front of this bulletin **for more details and to register**!

SIGN UP FOR DINNER GROUPS

Get to know others at Trinity by gathering around the table for a shared meal! **All ages and life stages are invited to sign up** for Dinner Groups: college students, families, people new-to-Trinity, and lifelong members! Trinity will create the groups and allow your group to find a time to meet together. **Sign up** as one or a collective (spouse, family, friend) online or through the QR code on the front of this bulletin **by October 8.**

OPEN POSITIONS AT TRINITY

Trinity has **three open staff positions** at the moment. If you or anyone you know would be interested in our Hospers campus pastor, connection coordinator, or kitchen coordinator position, **please visit connectwithtrinity.com/employment for more details** and instructions to apply.

SHELVES OF HOPE

Shelves of Hope is a ministry to distribute groceries and household items for the community of Hospers. **Check the poster in the Narthex for ways you can support this ministry!** Shelves of Hope distribution is available every third Thursday of the month at 6:30 pm. Please share this information with those in the community!

TRUNKS FOR TRUNK OR TREAT EVENT

Trinity's annual fall outreach event, Trunk or Treat, is partnering with the city of Hospers this year! Taking place on October 29 from 6-8pm, Trinity is **looking for people to join the fun and host a trunk**! If interested, please contact Miranda or email her at miranda@connectwithtrinity.com. If you are worried about coming up with a game/theme, Trinity Hospers has multiple games available to use!

PASTOR BRIAN'S 50TH BIRTHDAY PARTY INVITATION

You're invited to celebrate Pastor Brian's 50th birthday on October 11 from 5:30-8:00pm at the Keepers' residence (707 Fairway Court, Alton). If you're able, please bring a lawn chair and an appetizer to share! This is "come when you can, leave when you must" birthday party. No gifts but your presence! If you'd really like to give a gift, Pastor Brian is doing a fundraiser for World Relief to help people who are displaced and most vulnerable. You can make a donation at worldrelief.org. We hope you'll be able to join us!

TRINITYCHURCH

Connecting with God, others, and the world

HOSPERS CAMPUS **OCTOBER 5, 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 worshiping 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-12th grade Sunday School meets at 10:15.

CONNECT

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

ORDER OF WORSHIP

"You Hold It All Together"

"Endless Praise"

Offering/Announcements

"Build My Life"

Message | Pastor Michael Fahrenbruch
"STEP 6: The Preparation - Became Entirely Ready"
Matthew 25:1-13

Communion

"My King Forever"



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

SUNDAY MORNING BOOK STUDY

There is a current book study on Sundays at 10:15 am for the duration of the sermon series discussing the book "STEPS" by John Ortberg.

KIDS HOPE USA LUNCH & LEARN | TODAY

If you're interested in learning more about the impact the Kids Hope USA program has on the lives of children in our community, please enjoy a lunch today **at 11:45 am on the Orange City campus**.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY CAMPFIRE | OCTOBER 6

Women of all ages are invited to a **campfire** on October 6 **at 7 pm** at the Orange City campus fire pit! Bring a camping chair and come for a time of singing, sharing, and s'mores. Invite a friend, and no sign up is required!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT MEAL | OCTOBER 8

People of all ages and life stages are invited to enjoy a meal on October 8 from 5:30-6:30 pm on the Orange City campus. The menu is taco salads, apples, and cake!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DISCIPLESHIP

STEPS Book Study - 6:30-7:30 pm on the Orange City campus
JAM: Jesus And Me (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

MEN'S MINSITRY BURRITO BLAST | OCTOBER 9

The next Men's Ministry event, The Burrito Blast, is on Thursday, October 9 from **5:30-8:30 pm at the Le Mars Sportsman Club**! For $25, enjoy catered burritos and one round of clays (additional rounds are $7). Bring shells, a lawn chair, and a shotgun if you have one. **Sign up online** or through the QR code on the front of this bulletin, and invite a friend!

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! The group is currently reading through "STEPS" by John Ortberg. Men are welcome to join any Friday, and you can **sign up online to receive emails for updates and information**.

FRIDAY MORNING PARENTS AND PRESCHOOLERS

A **new program** is being offered **for preschoolers and parents on Friday mornings at 9:30 am** as a time to play, sing, and learn about Jesus together—plus coffee and connection for parents!

MISSION PARTNER LUNCH | OCTOBER 12

All are invited to enjoy a light lunch and hear from **Derek & Joan Brower on October 12** at 11:45 am in the Youth Room on the Orange City campus as they share about their recent mission work in Hungary.

PRAYER & PRAISE

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

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

Congratulations to **Sesfel Medrano & Zeus Plaza** and their families as they prepare for their upcoming wedding, taking place on September 29 in Davao City, Philippines. Please pray for safe travels as Bing & Sesfel Medrano travel to, from, and around the Philippines.

Pray for **Larry De Boer** as he is recovering from surgery in Sioux Falls due to a head injury.

Pray for the **family of Gordon Brumels** as he passed away on September 22.

Pray for **Tom Kamp** as he will have another surgery at the end of October to hopefully find the rest of the cancer that is growing in his neck. Please pray for answers for he and Melissa as they continue this journey.

Pray for **Jake Nessa and his family** as Jake finished chemo treatment and will visit the Mayo Clinic regarding recovery and further treatment options if necessary.

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 those who are homebound. Prairie Ridge: **June Bouma, 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.**

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** so that our Local Needs Team can come alongside you.