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Trinity Lutheran Church

"Connecting our Community with Christ" by being disciples who are "All In"...



This Weekend in Worship – October 23, 2022 Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost

Preacher: Pastor Thomas Cowell **Organist:** Pam Gogerty

Saturday: Pastor Mark Resner Choir Director: Courtney Mondragon

<u>5:00 PM</u>

Elder: Clint Ehlers

<u>8:00 AM</u>

Greeters:	Ron & Kathy Bichel	Reader:	
Elders:	Carl Westling	Ushers:	
Acolyte:	Mason Green		
Video:	Rick Bitterman, Nick DePue		

10:45 AM

Greeters:Volunteer NeededElders:Al Gaedke, Kevin RashAcolyte:Volunteer Needed

er: John Kern rs: John Rutledge Arlen Nyman Jacob DePue Jason DePue

Reader: Melissa Lentz Ushers: Tom Bjustrom Dean Schultz Todd Stowater *Volunteer Needed*

Altar Flowers: Dan & Sandy Danielsen (in honor of 50th anniversary)

> Lift High the Cross Sponsors: Norm & Sandy Hinz

Dial – A – Devotion Reader: Sharon Divis (*This week*) Dan Hagg (*Next week*)

News & Notes for October 23, 2022

Partnership Call Process Update

NEW LOCATION!!!

A Partnership Voters Meeting will be Sunday, Oct 30 at 1:30 in Trinity's <u>SANCTUARY</u> to vote on the call committee's recommendation to call **Pastor Jonathan Meyer** of Holy Cross Lutheran Church of O'Fallon, Missouri as our Partnership Associate Pastor. If questions, please speak with a committee member or Pastor Cowell.

Mark Your Calendars

Join us for a Baby Shower honoring Jacob & Sherri (Zeller) Berte in the Trinity Life Center October 29 from 9-11 am. Registered at Target.

Join us for the Annual IOWAY Celebration & Ellie's Retirement at St. Paul's in Ft. Dodge on Sunday, Nov 6 from 2-6pm. Please register at <u>surveymonkey.com/r/IOWAY2022</u> or contact Ellie Menz at 515-370-1159.

Trinity Quilting Convocation - TLC Quilters invite you to our 1st Quilting Convocation on Saturday, Nov 12th from 9am-4pm in the Life Center. Join us in fellowship with other Christian quilters, participate in hands-on demonstrations, observe new quilting techniques, and learn more about operating a Christian quilting organization. Register by Nov 1st. Find out more at www.trinityalgona.org/tlc-quilters .

Sunday Adult Bible Study is looking for volunteer leaders. Sign up for a Sunday and a topic in the narthex. Materials available in office.

Young Adult Bible Study (post-high school) is every 2nd & 4th Sunday at **6:30** pm in the old parsonage next to Zion in LuVerne. Contact Pastor Steve Struecker (320-2014) with questions.

Supporting God's Work

Ian Hurricane Relief: To provide financial support, please make a check to IDW-Ian Relief and mail to Iowa District West, 409 Kenyon Road

Suite B, Fort Dodge, IA 50501; or give online via <u>www.idwlcms.org</u> (click "Donate" at top of page). Ellie Menz, IDW Disaster Response Coordinator

Halloween Hoagies – October 29 & 30: LYF youth will be making ham or turkey hoagies to raise funds for their activities. Meals are \$6 and include chips and a cookie. Order by October 23. Order forms are in the narthex. Thank You for supporting the future of our church!

Sanctuary Sound System: We still need about \$21,000 (of the \$250,000)! Consider contributing via Endowment envelope (TV Ministry), or our website or app (Sound System Upgrade).

IOWAY Donations can be placed in the bin in the office lobby. These items are always needed: <u>Adults & Children</u> – hats, mittens, socks, & underwear; <u>Hygiene Items</u> – wash cloths, soap, shampoo, toothpaste, & toothbrushes.

Thank You to all who support God's work here at Trinity. To give online, visit <u>trinityalgona.org/give</u>, our app, or text TrinityAlgona to 888-364-4483.

Ways to Serve

Deliver Meals on Wheels: Please consider giving of your time to help deliver Meals on Wheels during November. To help, please sign up in the narthex or contact Kathy Bichel at 320-5864.

Funeral Ushers Needed! Funeral ushers are not assigned, but are called when needed to ask if able to serve. Contact the church office to volunteer!

Greeter Coordinator Needed to set up greeter schedule. Contact the church office if interested.

Additional Volunteers are Needed to serve as Readers, Greeters, Ushers, Altar Guild, etc. Please contact the church office to sign up or request changes. Thank you to all who serve in this way!

Sponsor Altar Flowers or Lift High the Cross

radio broadcast for 2023 – sign up in the narthex.

Choir Rehearsals are Wednesdays at 7 pm in the sanctuary. We always welcome new singers!

Greeters - Choose Your Date & Service Time! If you'd like to serve as a greeter, there is a signup sheet in the narthex for the remainder of 2022.

TLC Quilters need flat sheets. Thanks sew much for helping us help others in need!

Youth Corner

TASK (Trinity After School for Kids) has

begun for students kindergarten through 6th grade. Registration materials are available on our website: trinityalgona.org/task or from the church office. Contact Marcia (200-9047) for more info.

Stay Connected

New Contact Information? Please contact the church office with changes to update our records.

Request Emailed News Bulletins & Calendars

by sending a message to office@trinityalgona.org

Flocknote keeps you in touch with us via text and email. Text TrinityAlgona to 84576 or visit us online at <u>Flocknote.com/TrinityAlgona</u>

The Trinity App can be downloaded in your device's app store or at <u>http://get.theapp.co/3tfq</u>

Miscellaneous & Resources

Greeting Cards are available in the church basement card case area (outside the elevator).

The Brochure Rack by the elevator contains booklets on Christian faith and life. Feel free to take these for yourself or share them with friends.

For Urgent After-Hours Pastoral Care, please call Pastor Cowell (319-464-5548). For other needs, please leave a message at the church office. If you or someone you know are no longer able to get to church and would like **home communion** or a **pastoral visit**, please contact Pastor Cowell.

Building Healthy Families: Did You Know? "It's more important what God thinks of you than what others think of you." How often have you heard (or said) these words? Yet so often we slip into the habit of living for the approval of others. In Matthew 6, Jesus tells us not to do things for the approval of men. In the same chapter, He assures us that our Father, who sees and knows us inside out, is the One who can and will meet all our needs, including our need to be recognized, valued, and loved. Whew! What a relief! Life begins to look different (and much better!) when seen through the eyes of faith in our loving, gracious, living and forgiving God. Live in the light of that great love this week! www.LutheranFamilyService.org

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This Week at Trinity

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Sunday	. 8:00 am Worship
(Oct 23)	8:00 am Live-Stream Worship (YouTube, Facebook, Trinity App)
	9:15 am Hymn Sing <i>(Life Center)</i>
	9:30 am Adult Bible Study (Life Center)
	9:30 am Sunday School (meet in Sanctuary)
	10:45 am Worship with Communion
Monday	7:00 & 9:30 am Women's Bible Study (Conference Room)
Tuesday	. 8:30 am & 1:00 pm Quilting (Basement)
-	9:00 am Sunday Worship Re-Broadcast (MC 3, AMU 20/918)
Wednesday	9:30 am Adult Bible Study (Conference Room)
-	6:30 pm Midweek (Sanctuary)
	6:30 pm LYF (Upper Room)
	7:00 pm Choir (Sanctuary/Balcony)
Thursday	. 8:30 am & 1:00 pm Quilting (Basement)
Saturday	. 5:00 pm Worship
Sunday	. 8:00 am Worship
	8:00 am Live-Stream Worship (YouTube, Facebook, Trinity App)
	9:30 am Adult Bible Study (Life Center)
	9:30 am Sunday School (meet in Sanctuary)
	10:45 am Worship
	1:30 pm Partnership Voters Meeting (Trinity Sanctuary)

In Our Prayers -

Those Battling Cancer: Wayne Anderson, Kurt Williams, Sherman Ubben, Carol Hagg, Dee Hoover, Pastor Gary Dehnke, Connie Moss, Julie Mack, Arla Gifford, Cherann Eden, Lesia Ubben, Sherry Peter, Bradley Bjustrom, Ryan McGuire, Ethan Fairbanks, Duane Lieb, Carol Capesius, Jason Breig, Ken Wolf, Chris Rochleau, Amy Gerdts, Jane Nettleton

Ongoing Health Concerns: Julie Pesicka, Mary Reddel, Darren Gilmour, Lois Berhow, Jack Munch, Payton Robertson, Mary Vaudt, Karen Serrar, Etta Pergande, Vicky Grewe, Delores Hackbarth, Terry Struecker, Hazel Bleich, Marty Sellers, Gary Mullen, Barb Wempen, Pat Weishaar, Susanna Bredehoeft, Delores Calhoun, Gary Reynolds, Jamie Totten, Delores Long, John Berninghaus, Don Lee, Stacy Metzen, Janine Kraft, Ruth Stumme, Larry Gade, Wes Brynsaas, Lori Boyken, Diane (Bahne) Struecker, Pastor Henry Friedrich, Megan (Huff) Immel, Pat Gronbach, Eulan Schuller, Bettie Ditsworth, Steve Bouressa, Cecil Wattermann, Samantha Olson

Hospitalized: Dave Nelson

Hurricane Ian Recovery

Trinity/St. John's Partnership and the Call Process

Worship Times Saturday 5:00 PM Sunday 8:00 am & 10:45 am

Adult Bible Class &

Sunday @ 9:30 am

Sunday Radio Ministry

The Lutheran Hour 7:05 am Lift High the Cross 8:30 am (KLGA 92.7)

<u>Trinity on TV</u>

MediaCom Ch. 3 AMU Ch. 918 Tuesday 9:00 am

Dial-A-Devotion

515-395-PRAY (7729)

Text/Email Updates

Text TrinityAlgona to 84576 Visit Flocknote.com/ TrinityAlgona

Trinity's Missionaries

Rev. Carl Hanson South Korea

<u>Trinity After School</u> <u>for Kids (TASK)</u>

After school childcare (contact church office for more information)

Live Stream & Download Bulletin

www.trinityalgona.org /livestream

Additional Resources www.trinityalgona.org /media