

This Week at Trinity

TODAY..... 8:00 am Worship
(Apr 8) 9:15 am Sunday School *(Kids meet in Basement)*
 9:15 am Childcare for Kids under 3 *(nursery)*
 9:15 am Adult Bible Study & Fellowship *(Life Center)*
 10:30 am Worship with Communion
 6:30 pm Discipleship 101 *(Conference Room)*

Monday..... 7:00 & 9:30 am Women's Bible Study *(Conference Room)*
 9:30 am Church Staff Meeting
 6:30 pm Quilting *(Basement)*

Tuesday..... 8:30 am & 1:00 pm Quilting *(Basement)*
 8:45 am Circuit Pastors @ Zion – Aryshire
 2:45 pm Good Samaritan Communion
 4:00 pm Algona Manor Communion
 7:30 pm BYOB (Bring Your Own Bible) Study *(Parsonage)*

Wednesday... 9:30 am Adult Bible Study *(Conference Room)*
 6:00 pm Bell Choir
 6:45 pm Midweek (Service Wednesday) & LYF
 7:00 pm Choir

Thursday..... 8:30 am & 1:00 pm Quilting *(Basement)*
 2:15 pm Good Sam Birthday Party

Saturday..... 5:00 pm Saturday Worship with Communion

Sunday..... 8:00 am Worship with Communion
 9:15 am Sunday School *(Kids meet in Basement)*
 9:15 am Childcare for Kids under 3 *(nursery)*
 9:15 am Adult Bible Study & Fellowship *(Life Center)*
 10:30 am Worship
 4:00 pm Little Lutheran Munchkins *(Life Center)*
 6:30 pm Discipleship 101 *(Conference Room)*

In Our Prayers

Cancer List: Ethan Fairbanks, Ron Baas, Sully McGuire, Bradley Bitterman, Anthony Keen, Perry Dau, Jane Nettleton, Anna Olsen, Amy Gerds, Dan Hannemann, Janice Elliot, Chris Rochleau, Jan Reffer

Ongoing Health Concerns: Jo Centgraf, Vicki Glawe, Doris Mueller, Helen Lieb, Mary Reddel, Samantha Olson, Judy Ludwig, Molly Bjustrom, Evan Cantu, Jane Dubberke, Douglas McGuire, Evelyn Voss, Betty Wilcox, Lucile Wattermann, Jacob DePue, Mason Studer, Hazel Bleich, Gene Meyer

Cecil Wattermann – adjustment to being at Good Samaritan
 Diane (Bahne) Struecker – surgery in Rochester for broken femur
 Dale Yunginger – knee replacement
 Virginia Looft – hospitalized in Algona

June Presthus – celebrating 95th birthday on April 11
 Susanna Bredehoeft – celebrating 76th birthday on April 14th

Worship Times

Saturday
 5:00 PM
Sunday
 8:00 AM
 10:30 AM

A nursery space is provided at the bottom of the basement steps. Ask an usher for assistance.

Adult Bible Class & Sunday School

Sunday @ 9:15 AM

Childcare is provided in the nursery area for parents who would like to attend Bible Class

Sunday Radio Ministry

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

Trinity on TV

MediaCom Ch. 3
 AMU Ch. 4
 Tuesday 9:00 am

Dial-A-Devotion

395-PRAY
 (395-7729)

Trinity's Missionaries

Rev. Andrew Schlund
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Trinity Lutheran Church

"Connecting our Community with Christ"



This Weekend in Worship – April 8, 2018 Second Sunday of Easter

Preacher: Pastor Tom Schlund

Organist: Pam Gogerty

Choir Director: Courtney Mondragon

5:00 PM

Elder: Jack Munch

Preacher: Pastor Thomas Cowell

8:00 AM

Greeters: Arlen & Janet Nyman

Reader: Ann Walker

Elder: Joe Gogerty

Ushers: Don Patton

Acolytes: Tyler Grant

Bruce Wolter

Kylie Skow

Marlyn Helmers

Kim Dreyer

10:30AM

Greeters: Carol & Nicole Burtis

Reader: Abby Groen

Elders: Jayme Lentz

Ushers: Orie Petersen

Levi Trauger

Kevin Rash

Acolytes: Hunter Thilges

Pete Waltz

Tony Curtis

Jerry Janssen

Altar Flowers:

Al & Cindy Gaedke *(35th anniversary)*
 Piano Flowers: June Presthus *(95th birthday)*

Lift High the Cross Sponsors:

Cecil & Lucile Wattermann

Dial - A - Devotion Reader:

Jane Dreyer (This week)

Cleo Benschoter (Next week)

Stewardship Report

Attendance Last Week

Maundy Thursday: 180


Good Friday: 206

Easter Sunrise: 55

Easter Festival: 594

Ways to Serve

April 9 - 13 Drivers are Rod & Rita Scuffham, Jennifer & Bruce Hackbarth, Diane (Tim) Struecker, and Jim & Kay Sparks. Drivers are still needed for the last three weeks of April. Please consider giving of your time to deliver a noon meal. There are four routes so four drivers will be needed weekly. If you have any questions or are willing to help out (even for part of a week), please contact Kate Samp at 515-320-4797.

 **April's IOWAY Collection** will be toothpaste and toothbrushes for Moulton Elementary in Des Moines. Please place in the box by the Life Center.

IOWAY - DES MOINES OUTREACH

IOWAY is hosting a Music/Crafts/Sports Camp on April 21st from 8am - noon for the children at Moulton Elementary, many of which are refugees. Many volunteers are needed. You can choose to help with sports, music, crafts, or food! Register online: surveymonkey.com/r/moulton_elementary or contact Ellie Menz at 515-370-1159 or ellie@iowadistrictwest.org. Items needed by the students: hygiene items, sweatpants, socks, and underwear for ages K-5th grade.

Polyester Stuffing is needed by the quilters, especially for the "Kids' Komfort Pillows". We will even take old pillows or other stuffed items to recycle into these new projects!



Service Wednesdays are coming up April 11th & 18th. We need lots of **fabric strips** 1 - 1½" wide by 7" long in **red** and/or **white** and/or **blue** for fabric wreaths. Measurements do not need to be exact. Or bring in fabric and we'll cut it up! Also, if you would like to **volunteer** to help at Service Wednesday, please contact Donna Gadbury at 341-0735.

It's Time to Spruce Up Outside! Bring your rakes and join us April 28th at 9:00 am for Trinity's spring outside clean-up day!



Mark Your Calendar

Discipleship 101: Do you know someone who's interested in what we believe? Would you like a refresher on the basics of the Christian faith? Join us for our new class starting on Sunday, April 8th at 6:30pm. Visit trinityalgona.org/membership for more information, to view the schedule, or to sign up; or contact the church office. Non-members will have the opportunity to join Trinity at the conclusion of the class.

The C.A.R.E. Team Quilt Show has a new date - Saturday, October 6th. All Quilters that were ready to show, please consider sharing your talents again. New quilters are always welcome. Thank you!

Youth Corner

Little Lutheran Munchkins (grades 3-5) will meet Sunday April 15 from 4-6pm in the Life Center for pizza, games, and activities.



A **Fort Frenzy** trip with bowling and laser tag is on the calendar for April 22 at 1:00pm for CIA/LYF Youth. Sign up in the Narthex!

Miscellaneous Information

Easter Lilies: Thanks to all who purchased Easter Lilies to beautify our sanctuary in memory of loved ones! Please take your lilies home today. Any not taken today will be given away/disposed of.

Pictorial Directories: Please check the back cover of your directory for your name. If you accidentally picked up the wrong one, please return it to the church office.

Confirmation Cards and Napkins, as well as various other cards and napkins are available in the card case area in the church basement.

What's that Big Blue Baby Bottle for?

Cornerstone for Life Pregnancy Resource Center (located at 714 E State St, here in Algona) offers life affirming choices and resources to women and families before, during, and after pregnancy by providing a network of Christian care. You can help support this program by filling the bottle with change, bills, and checks. For more information, call 515-341-1780, or find their website CornerstoneForLifePRC.com. Brochures are available next to the bottle!



Building Healthy Families

Don't assume that the next generation believes what you believe about faith. The book, *Soul Searching: The Religious and Spiritual Lives of American Teenagers*, authors Smith & Denton report an alarming conclusion: "The majority of teenagers are incredibly inarticulate about their faith, religious beliefs and practices, and its place in their lives. The de facto dominant religion among contemporary U.S. teenagers is what they call 'Moralistic Therapeutic Deism': A God exists

who created and orders the world and watches over human life on earth; God wants people to be good, nice, and fair to each other, as taught in the Bible and by most world religions; the central goal of life is to be happy and to feel good about oneself; God does not need to be particularly involved in one's life except when God is needed to resolve a problem; and good people go to heaven when they die." Parents and grandparents, use this information to start a conversation with your children and their friends today! LFSiowa.org



Thank you for all the prayers for me as I was undergoing open-heart surgery to remove a benign tumor on the mitral valve. Your cards, phone calls and visits made the days brighter. The prayers for healing have been answered and I am doing well and will begin cardiac rehab next week. Cecil is now a resident at Good Samaritan and due to his Alzheimer's is having a difficult time understanding why he needs to be there. Please continue to pray that he will find peace living there. Feel free to stop in at the lower level to chat with him. ~ Lucile and Cecil Wattermann

A HUGE thank you to the congregation of Trinity for your support of our youth LYF and CIA programs through your food donations and participation in the Easter breakfast. We appreciate your support. ~The Trinity Youth

Thank you to the youth and parents who helped with the Easter breakfast. We had a lot of great help in the kitchen working to make the breakfast a success. ~The Youth Board