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WELCOME!

We are a servant church in the ❤️ of Mason City, Iowa.

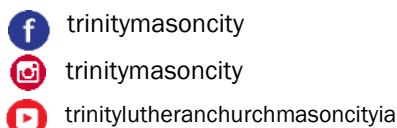
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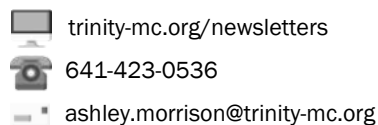
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The Trinity Connection informs the members of Trinity Lutheran Church about the church's mission, and people, helping them to grow in faith and commitment to Jesus Christ.



Front Page: Lou Ann Rossler, Denise Lind, and Marilyn Lind at Lou Ann's Retirement Reception May 11, 2025

One amazing gift Trinity offers its young people is the chance to attend a week of summer Bible camp. Trinity offers all youth members a \$300 scholarship to help cover the cost of summer camp. Even better, they can bring a friend, and we offer the friend a \$300 scholarship as well. Here are just a few sentences from the numerous thank you notes we received last year:



Pastor Daniel Hanson
PASTOR OF SPIRITUAL GROWTH

- "I'm so thankful Trinity was able to help me go to Riverside!"
- "Thank you for the prayers and help with attending Riverside Bible Camp this year."
- "I had a blast at camp and really grew a lot closer to God."
- "I loved having the opportunity to attend with a friend, and I know she is thankful for the opportunity to go."
- "I loved God time and Bible study."
- "I grew my faith in Jesus."
- "Prayer night, Bible study, and God time all brought me so much closer to God and Jesus."
- "I can't wait to attend next year!"
- "I'll be back next year!"

Last year, our camp scholarship funds began to dwindle, and we brought this need to the congregation with a challenge to raise \$15,000 by Easter. Drum-roll.... together we blew past that goal and raised \$20,073 for camp scholarships!! This means 67 youth will have the opportunity to attend camp in the future. Thank you so much for your generosity and for making summer camp financially possible for many families.

Last year, 30 Trinity youth and friends attended summer Bible camp. So far, this year, we have 36 signed up to attend and we hope more will sign up. Thank you for making this possible! Please hold these young people and all camp staff in your prayers. If you are still interested in summer camp, it is not too late to register or receive a scholarship!

I'm excited for the amazing work God will do through summer camp this year!

- **Pastor Daniel**

Semi-Annual Meeting

Sunday, June 29, 2025

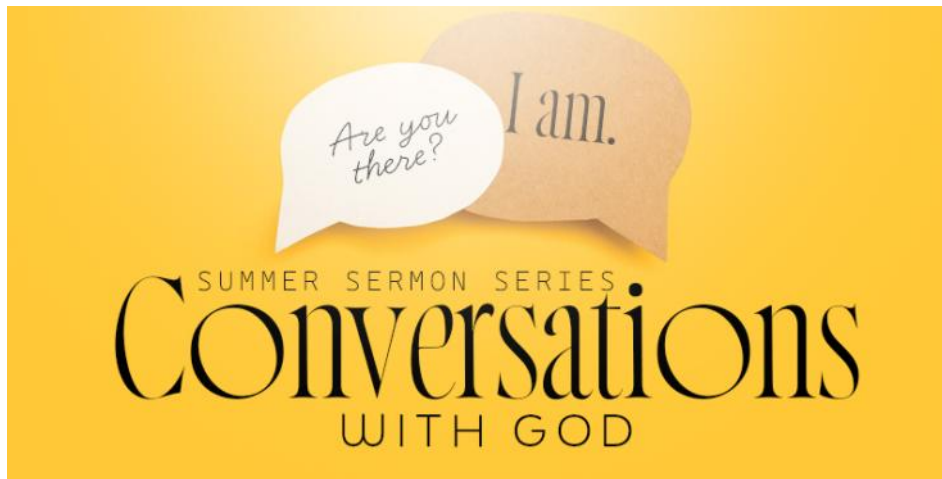
10:00 AM | Trinity Fellowship Hall

Join us for updates on Trinity's Strategic Initiatives, staff and ministry updates, and our annual financial

review. **Meeting is open to all but must be a member to be eligible to vote.** For more information, please visit

[TRINITY-MC.ORG/EVENT/SEMI-ANNUAL-MEETING-2025](https://trinity-mc.org/event/semi-annual-meeting-2025).





Join us as we explore how God engages people through powerful moments of dialogue, decision, and divine direction. Each week, we will examine a different biblical character or moment where a conversation with God—spoken, implied, or lived out—shaped lives, communities, and futures.

From the poetic voice of Wisdom crying out in Proverbs, to Elijah's encounter with God's whisper on the mountain, to Elisha's bold requests and the healing of a foreign general, we see how divine conversation often surprises, confronts, and transforms. In the visions of the prophet Amos, we witness God's fierce dialogue with injustice, and in Jesus' teaching on prayer in Luke 11, we are drawn into the heart of what it means to approach God with persistence and trust.

Whether you're asking for guidance, wrestling with justice, or simply learning to listen, *Conversations with God* invites you into deeper relationship with the One who speaks into every season of life.

DATES AND TOPICS

Wisdom

June 14-15
Proverbs 8

The Healing of Naaman

July 5-6
2 Kings 5

God Speaks Through Silence

June 21-22
1 Kings 19

A Plumb Line

July 12-13
Amos 7

Elijah Ascends to Heaven

June 28-29
2 Kings 2

The Basket of Summer Fruit

July 19-20
Amos 8

Jesus, Teach Us to Pray

July 26-27
Luke 11

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church Celebrates 100!

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church (2502 South Jefferson Ave, Mason City) is celebrating 100 years on June 22! All are invited to the celebration worship service at 9:30 AM followed by lunch, historical exhibits and tours.



DO YOU BELIEVE IN BELIEVE? A Ted Lasso Bible Study

Heard about this mustached man named Ted Lasso? Want to read our way through Romans (and a Psalm) while doing a Ted Lasso Bible Study this summer? We're going to offer a Ted Lasso focused Bible Study here at Trinity Lutheran Church this summer. Join us on Wednesday nights starting June 4 while we watch an episode weekly, and then have a coordinating Bible Study. We'll gather at 6:00 PM and conclude around 7:45 PM weekly. Feel free to bring drinks and snacks. If you can't make the meeting, join us for a follow along series via email. Let Dani Vogel, our Youth Director, know if you plan to attend at dani.vogel@trinity-mc.org. Or call 641-423-0536. This is an adult bible study, however, youth age 13 and up are welcome.

Trinity Kids & Friends Camp Attendees

JUNE 2025

Please pray for a safe and exciting time at camp in June!

Ella Bolinder	Stelle Johnson
Aubrey Stark	Calah Saunders
Oliver Lindsay	Jack Dettmer
Alayna Johnson	

 Congratulations
TO OUR CLASS OF 2025!

TO LEARN MORE ABOUT
OUR GRADUATING CLASS,
PLEASE VISIT
[TRINITY-MC.ORG/
BACCALAUREATE-2025](http://TRINITY-MC.ORG/BACCALAUREATE-2025)

Join us for our **Baccalaureate**
service on June 1, 2025, at
9:00 AM!

Thank You for Supporting the Tab Collection Project

A heartfelt thank you to everyone who continues to support the beverage tab collection project! In 2024, our combined efforts filled 154 plastic tubs. That totaled 2,706,072 tabs, weighing in at 2,399 pounds. With 1,128 tabs making up a pound, our collection raised nearly \$2,000 to help provide wheelchairs and prosthetics for children in need at the Shriner's Hospital!

I'm especially grateful to Gretta and Margo Miller who religiously (no pun intended) managed the tabs when we were unable to attend church on Sundays. Please keep saving your tabs as this is an ongoing project! With sincere appreciation—thank you, thank you, and thank you!

-Toni Erickson



Trinity Youth Learns Pickle Ball

During the last session of the Wednesday Night Alive 2024-2025 season, youth attendees learned to play pickle ball! These brave kids took instruction from Ms. Deb Nielsen, Mason City's Pickle Ball Club board member, Pickleball Ambassador for Iowa, and Trinity member! Awesome job, kiddos!

2025-2026 Scholarship Recipients

The scholarship committee awarded scholarships and grants to 29 students for the 2025-2026 academic year in the amount of \$109,525.

Congratulations to the following students:

Receiving MB Lien Scholarships:

Maggie Berding, Alleigha Casey, Jackson Everist, Brandt Haakenstad, Thomas Haas, Janae Hansen, Adeline Lief, Macy Schlitter, Jack Englin, Maggie Gerriets, Reed Kruger, Abigail Latham, Madeline Petersen, Hale Rhodes, Annika Shallberg, Jennaya Everist, Carlos Freeman, MaKenna Hansen, Jace Rhodes, Bennett Suntken, Becky Elsbernd and Nicole Kiefer.

Receiving Moen Scholarships:

Noah Honn, Carter Ledoux, Jackson Morud, David Roman, Grace Berding, Amanda Blanchard, and Eric Farland

Receiving R. Dutcher Scholarships:

Maggie Berding, Alleigha Casey, Brandt Haakenstad, Thomas Haas, Janae Hansen, Noah Honn, Carter Ledoux, Adeline Lief, Jackson Morud, David Roman, and Macy Schlitter

Receiving Eller Scholarships:

Maggie Berding and Amanda Blanchard

Receiving Seminary Scholarships:

Nicole Kiefer and Becky Elsbernd

If you'd like to learn more about our scholarships, please visit
TRINITY-MC.ORG/SCHOLARSHIPS/

AGE 3 - GRADE 6

Vacation Bible School and Day Camp 2025

June 9–11, 2025 | Age 3–K: 9:00 – 11:00 AM

Grades 1–6: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM (Bring sack lunch)

Camp Riverside counselors will lead. Bring a friend. Register online at trinity-mc.org or stop in the office for a registration form. Please register as soon as possible.

Special Events during day of Camp Week —————

MIDDLE SCHOOL NIGHT: Monday, June 9, 7:00 PM, Trinity Lutheran Church

HIGH SCHOOL NIGHT: Tuesday, June 10, 7:00 PM, Trinity Lutheran Church

EVERYONE: Wednesday, June 11, 5:00 PM, Closing Celebration followed by supper at Trinity Lutheran Church.

GRADES 1 - 6: Thursday, June 12 Field Trip to Camp Riverside in Story City, IA



Vacation Bible School Help Wanted!

Preschool Bible School needs helpers. Time is 9:00 - 11:00 AM, June 9 - 11. Contact Education Director, Marty Greder ASAP if you can help! 423-0536; or marty.greder@trinity-mc.org.

GRADES 5 - 6

Chill Out Movie Night

Thursday, June 19, 2025 | 6:30 PM (to 9:00 PM) | Trinity Fellowship Hall

Students going into grades 5-6th are invited to a Chill Out Movie Night at Trinity on June



MIDDLE SCHOOL FAMILIES

Parent Prayer Group and Playdate

Tuesday, June 17, 2025 | 12:00 PM | West Park

Connections to God's Word, prayer, and a caring network are amazing assets for parents. All parents of Middle school youth are encouraged to gather as we read a book *Honest Prayers for Mama Bears* to guide our Bible reading and discussion. Please reply to carol.dettmer@trinity-mc.org by June 10 to make sure there is a copy of the book available for you. Several copies will be on hand. This first of three sessions will be at West Park on June 17 from noon to 1:00 PM. Children are welcome to come and play while the parents meet. Bring your own lunch if you would like!

GRADE 5 - 8

Middle School Goes to Lost Island

Monday, July 28, 2025 | 9:00 AM | Trinity Parking Lot

All 5th-8th graders are welcome to ride the bus to Lost Island Waterpark in Waterloo on Monday, July 28. **Friends and family are welcome!** Cost is \$40 per person, and scholarships are available by asking. Everyone is asked to bring a cold lunch that we will eat together. Water and sunscreen will be supplied. Any questions please email carol.dettmer@trinity-mc.org. Sign up here: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/508054DACAE22A6F94-57002262-lost>



ALL AGES

Troop 14/12 Ice Cream Social

Sunday, June 8, 2025 | 1:00 PM | Fellowship Hall

Join us for our yearly Ice Cream Social to help provide the Scouting experience and to help participants pay for summer camp!

Sugar Plum Preschool

BY MICHELLE SPROUT MURRAY

Most Trinity members may be familiar with Sugar Plum Preschool, which is housed just beyond the Library at Trinity. Many Trinity members may have children currently enrolled in the preschool, and many may have actually attended Sugar Plum themselves. For a



FOSTER GRANDMA DAWN, MICHELLE ALBERTSON, CAROL JARA

preschool to have lasted over 50 years is quite an accomplishment and is definitely a story worth telling. "Watching each child grow throughout the year and knowing you played a part in their growth is the best feeling," says Teresa MacDougall, one of the past paraprofessionals at Sugar Plum Preschool. Jenny Mikkelsen, a former lead teacher and director of Sugar Plum, agreed as she loved "being with the kids and being their first teacher!" Rachel Morris, also a former Sugar Plum teacher, said, "It was a joy to guide [the young children] in their social, emotional, academic and motor development." One of the first directors of this special place is Colleen Dutcher, who said people commonly call her the first director, but she "was actually the second, following a woman who was there the first couple years until her husband transferred jobs and they moved to Des Moines." Her sentiment toward her favorite part of Sugar Plum almost mirrors the others. "Seeing kids blossom and develop and grow their little personalities" was a special part of her role. Dutcher added, "Working with children is so special. It's such a part of your life!" Current Director/Teacher, Carol Jara, said that "it's fun to see how [the kids] change from September to May.



PAST SUGAR PLUM TEACHERS,
ELAINE BRAUN AND COLLEEN DUTCHER

They learn to share, play with their friends and use their imagination." Sugar Plum's current teacher assistant, Michelle Albertson, agrees. "It's fun to see how much kids grow and change over the school year!"

How did this preschool become affiliated with Trinity in the first place? According to Dutcher, it started in January 1967 when "four men were hoping to get a Christian preschool started. Wally Smeby and Glen Allen were two of them." She continued, "The first year after being approved by the state, kids started coming."

Mikkelsen added, "We have always been very proud of our reputation as a wonderful, early learning experience for children ages 3-5. We've also been very proud of our heritage at Trinity Lutheran Church. We have had a wonderful partnership that has endured many changes and challenges throughout the years. Sugar Plum also began the collaboration with the Mason City YMCA in 2009 and became an official program of the Y in 2012."

Jara said, "I appreciate the friendliness of Trinity with using their building. The staff is always friendly! It's such a great space that we have and it's fun when people wander down here to see what we're doing!" Throughout Sugar Plum's 58 years, the directors and teacher assistants have nurtured children and provided guidance as their very first teachers. They've watched kids come in at the beginning of the year, playing independently, and "at the end of the year, the kids are learning to share, play with friends and use their imagination," according to Jara. Some of the current class likes to play circus, astronauts, "plumbers fixing the sink," cooks, doctors, and moms and dads. In other words, creativity abounds! Jara said, "Kids just need to be kids! A lot of what we teach is social skills and learning through play." Albertson said, "We encourage kids to think creatively."

Whatever Sugar Plum has done over the years is working. From the curriculum including opening time with songs and finger plays, to activity time (including science, art, large motor activities and dramatic play), snack time, center or station time, music, and show and tell, class time always included a story and free play. Jara and Albertson shared a story about a little boy who was going to Disneyland with his family. He cried because he was going to miss school. "Don't do anything without me!" he pleaded to his Sugar Plum teachers before he left. This story says it all. Sugar Plum is not only a place, but very much a feeling of being cared for and included.





STUDENTS BEING CREATIVE

In all of Sugar Plum's years, the directors and teachers have become close friends and sing each other's praises. Dutcher taught with her assistant director, Joan Bantz throughout her 14 years there.

"She was just the sweetest little gal to work with and so good with the children!" Dutcher gushed. The two kept in touch until Bantz's death a few years ago.

Dutcher also mentioned, "One of the loveliest teachers was Elaine Braun." Braun was Morris's associate and the two took over when Dutcher and Bantz retired. Mikkelsen and

MacDougall also still get together when they can "for a Diet Coke and to catch up!" said Mikkelsen. Jara pointed out that their foster grandma, "Grandma Dawn," is such an important part of their program as she "develops special relationships with the kids, and they miss her if she is gone. She's a blessing to us!"

The teachers not only are skilled in early childhood knowledge but have worked together exceptionally well to teach young children the fine art of being a human...and they made sure their young students were ready to start kindergarten by the time they left Sugar Plum.

From kids running down the hallway with huge smiles ready to start their day to the hugs received by the teachers at the end of the day, the memories MacDougall has of her time at Sugar Plum go beyond the classroom. Some stand-out memories happened sitting on the bench in the alley, waiting for parents to pick up their children. MacDougall utilized those moments of waiting time singing songs and telling stories with her young students.

As for Dutcher, who is now 97, the memories are plentiful...and lasting.

She remembers "all the wonderful children who went to Sugar Plum and how well so many of them have done." Some have gone on to be doctors and lawyers, "and we even have a Federal judge!" she exclaimed.

For a preschool that used to be Sugar Plum Tree Preschool with a logo of a child sitting under a tree, Dutcher said, "That was too much of a long title and somewhere along the line, we just dropped the 'tree!'" Jara and Albertson have saved a couple tiny sweatshirts with this first name emblazoned on it, along with a box full of memorabilia from years past. They showed some of the contents of the treasures the box held, and to my delight, I recognized the little red-haired boy standing in the back row with a grin I love to this day. Sure enough, Sugar Plum Tree (and Mrs. Bantz, Mrs. Braun and Mrs. Dutcher) helped nurture that boy into a great human being and the one with whom I chose to spend my life. Thanks for the many wonderful nurturing years, Sugar Plum!†

If you'd like to learn more about Sugar Plum Pre-School, please visit <https://masoncityymca.org/sugarplum-preschool/>.



STUDENTS MAKING NEW FRIENDS



Rotating Art Gallery

The students of Sugar Plum Preschool share their creative artwork with us in the Rotating Art Gallery in May and June. Sugar Plum Preschool has been housed at Trinity Lutheran Church since 1967. It partnered with the Mason City Family YMCA in 2009 and became an official program in the spring of 2012. .

"Thanks" from a Grateful Heart

Just a note of thanks for all the beautiful cards, gifts and words of appreciation! Most importantly I'm going to remember your kindness, support and the incredible friendships! Receiving two standing ovations - I'm truly blessed!!

It's been a pleasure to serve along side of you throughout these years and I'm excited for this new chapter in my life - let the adventures begin!

YOU ALL ARE SWEETIES!!!

— Lou Ann Rossler



Blood Pressure Checks

Sunday blood pressure checks resume in September. If you would like your blood pressure checked during the week, please contact Parish Nurse Becky Elsbernd.

Narcan Training

Wednesday, June 25, 2025

2:00 PM or 5:00 PM

Trinity Room 208

Narcan can save a life that is cut short by an overdose of opioids including heroin, fentanyl, and prescription pain medications like oxycodone and hydrocodone. Learn how a simple nasal spray can reverse the effects quickly. Through a grant, Prairie Ridge provides training and a dose of Narcan for all participants. Attend this training and be prepared!



Centering Prayer

First and Third Mondays of the Month at 9:00 AM

Trinity Room 322 & Zoom

Centering Prayer is a form of silent prayer that enhances and nurtures our relationships with God, one another and all of creation. If you'd like to participate online via Zoom, please contact the church at 641-423-0536, or visit trinity-mc.org/centering-prayer/ and fill out the online form! Login details will be emailed directly to you!

Gathering For Those with Diminished Vision

Monday, June 16, 2025 | 2:00 PM | Trinity Library

You are invited to attend a gathering for people who are living with diminished vision. Come to support and learn from each other! We will meet in the library on Monday, June 16 at 2:00 PM.

Bike to Breakfast

Wednesday, June 18, 2025

8:30 AM | Legacy Golf Parking Lot

Join Trinity members and friends for a bike ride on the Trolley Trail to the Seven Stars Family Restaurant in Clear Lake for breakfast on Wednesday, June 18. We embark from the Legacy Golf Parking Lot (3331 19th St SW, Mason City) at 8:30 AM. Approximately 12 miles total. Bring money to pay for your meal. **Weather permitting.**



Learn to Crochet

Tuesday, June 17, 2025 | 10:45 AM | Trinity Room 307

Come and learn how to crotchet with help from the prayer shawl ministry volunteers. All ages welcome. Yarn and crotchet hooks provided for beginners.



Rejoicing Spirits

Wednesday, June 18, 2025

5:00 PM | Trinity Fellowship Hall

Rejoicing Spirits is inclusive of all ages and abilities as we connect with God and one another. Join us on Wednesday, June 18, as we learn about the parable of the sower through camp-style music, interactive skit,

and prayer. Following the worship service, enjoy pizza and root beer floats for a free-will donation.

Canoe/Kayak At Lime Creek

Friday, June 27, 2025

8:30 AM | Lime Creek Nature Center

Join us at Lime Creek Nature Center for canoeing and kayaking. Provided is a short introduction on boat safety and paddling, canoe/kayak and life jacket. Group will meet by the gate at the end of Nature Center Road. Weather permitting. All ages are welcome. RSVP by Monday, June 23rd. **Space is limited to 30.**



Journey Groups

Women 50-60 years of Age

Monday, June 23 | 6:30 PM
The Gathering Space

Women 60-70 years of Age

Monday, June 30 at 6:30 PM
The Gathering Space

Journeying into the second half of life brings its own challenges and joys....launching children, retirement, caring for aging parents, rediscovering your purpose, just to name a few. The journey is not meant to be taken alone but instead be an opportunity to cultivate friendships and foster faith. To help you connect with others and navigate this new phase of life, two Journey Groups are meeting once a month this summer in the Gathering Space. Light refreshments provided.



Psalms and Smoothies

Second and Fourth Monday of the Month (During the Summer)

9:00 AM | Elsbernd Farm (19050 Thrush Ave., Mason City, IA)
Psalm 34:8 O taste and see that the LORD is good; happy are those who take refuge in him.

The Psalms are a collection of poetry that describe the nature of God. The authors express their emotions ranging from lament to joy. You are invited to come and sit with the Psalms this summer as we listen to how the Spirit is speaking to us personally. Come to the backyard where we will be meeting in the gazebo or the garden with a Psalm and a smoothie, rain or shine!

Sculpture Walk

Monday, June 30, 2025

8:15 AM | Trinity's East Entrance
Join a group of walkers to check out the new sculptures on the River City Sculptures on Parade route. Plan for this approximately two mile walk to take approximately 1 ½ hours with lots of stops along the way. **Weather permitting.**



Book Discussion

Monday, July 14, 2025

1:00 PM | The Gathering Space

Our next book **The Measure** by Nikki Erlick poses the question: how do you measure your life? Every adult worldwide receives a box on their doorstep that contains a string, measuring the remaining duration of the recipient's life.

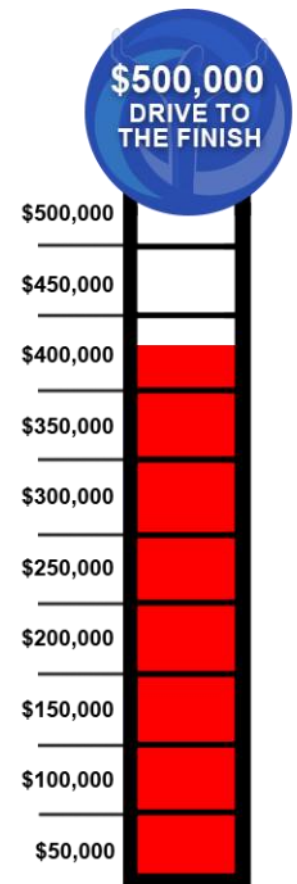
Erlick explores the philosophical questions raised by such

knowledge, as well as the social, cultural, and political implications. *The Measure* is an ambitious, invigorating story about family, friendship, hope, and destiny that encourages us to live life to the fullest. **Multiple copies are available to check out from Trinity's Church Office.**

T150

Construction Loan

Trinity continues to pay on the remaining construction loan for the T150 building renovations, technology upgrades, and our mission project. Thanks to the ongoing generosity of many, we have been able to make loan payments from special gifts alone and not the general budget. Trinity's mission and outreach continue to be blessed by this \$4.5 million project. To make a gift, go to trinity-mc.org/trinity-at-150 or write "T150" on your check or envelope.



Total \$ Rec'd to Date - \$4,095,804

Loan Balance - \$136,611

Loan Interest Paid to Date - \$164,763

Trinity Welcomes New Administrative Assistant

Trinity's new Administrative Assistant to Congregational Life is a familiar face to Trinity!

Denise Lind grew up in Mason City and was a Trinity member almost since birth. She canoed the Boundary Waters & traveled to the Kansas City Conference with the youth group, toured to Canada with the choir, and joined the trip to Scandinavia before graduating. Some of her favorite memories include: having her dad as a teacher for Sunday School, attending the Mother/Daughter Banquet with her mom, and singing for all services at Easter with the Brass Ensemble. She's been back several times these last 40 years away... "just enough" to appreciate everything with fresh eyes. The many familiar faces as well as the many new faces she sees around are a treat for her. Denise is happy to be back in Mason City and looks forward to serving the people of Trinity Lutheran. Make sure to stop by the church office to say hi and give her a great Trinity welcome back home! Denise officially begins June 10, 2025.



Denise Lind Welcome Reception

Sunday, June 15, 2025

10:00 AM | The Gathering Space

Join us as we welcome Denise Lind to our team!

New Members Spring 2025

The following people completed our **Belong and Grow** membership class, and were received at 9:00 AM worship as new members on Sunday, May 4, 2025



Jane Anthony

Jane lived in Albert Lea, MN for 49 years. She worked at the Albert Lea Community Child Care Center for 29 years, and Head Start/Early Head Start after that. She enjoys reading and sewing. She's involved in the AmeriCorps Senior Foster Grandparent Program.

Joel & Jeannine Larson

Joel worked for White Farm and Fox River Mills. He is now retired. He enjoys golf, yard work, wood-working, and reading. Jeannine worked for Mason City Clinic. She is now retired. She enjoys quilting, crafts, and yard work.



The Lingbeeks

(Rustin, Lyndsay, Aubrey, Jay, and Kinsey)

Rustin is a civil engineer, and Lyndsay works with Mercy One as a home visitor for pre-natal to 5 year olds. They enjoy spending time with family, their children's activities, and playing board games.



Johnathan Morrison

Johnathan owns and operates *Mattress By Appointment* in Mason City. Johnathan is a retired career hockey official, having worked at nearly every level, around the globe. He and his wife, Ashley, have a daughter named Hattie. They enjoy traveling, being active, and hanging out with friends and family.



Linda Schluter

Linda is a retired Nurse Practitioner. She now volunteers for ISU County Extension, and the Habitat for Humanity (RE)store. She enjoys camping, walking, riding her bike, reading, quilting. Linda also enjoys trying and seeing new things!



If you would like to learn more about membership at Trinity, please visit trinity-mc.org/membership.

**Sunday, June 1, 2025****

8:00 AM	Grade 12 (Seniors) Breakfast	TFH
9:00 AM	Worship— <i>Baccalaureate 2025**</i>	TC
10:30 AM	Worship**	TS

Monday, June 2, 2025

9:00 AM	Centering Prayer	TR322/Zoom
9:00 AM	Trinity at Community Kitchen	CK

Wednesday, June 4, 2025

All Day	Walk A Way	
7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study	TFH
8:30 AM	Women's Bible Study	TL
6:00 PM	Ted Lasso Bible Study	TLC

Thursday, June 5, 2025

All Day	Walk A Way	
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Friday, June 6, 2025

All Day	Walk A Way	
8:00 PM	Trinity Softball Game	FHC

Saturday, June 7, 2025

5:00 PM	Worship	TS
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Sunday, June 8, 2025

9:00 AM	Outdoor Worship	TC
10:30 AM	Worship	TS
1:00 PM	Boy Scout Ice Cream Social	TFH

Monday, June 9, 2025

9:00 - 11:00 AM	Vacation Bible School (Age 3 to K)	TLC
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	VBS Day Camp (Grades 1-6)	TLC
9:00 AM	Psalms and Smoothies	EF
9:00 AM	Rolling Bandages for Global Health	TFH

Tuesday, June 10, 2025

9:00 - 11:00 AM	Vacation Bible School (Age 3 to K)	TLC
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	VBS Day Camp (Grades 1-6)	TLC

Wednesday, June 11, 2025

7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study	FH
8:30 AM	Women's Bible Study	TL
9:00 - 11:00 AM	Vacation Bible School (Age 3 to K)	TLC
9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	VBS Day Camp (Grades 1-6)	TLC
9:30 AM	Lydia Bible Study	TR208
5:00 PM	VBS Day Camp Celebration	TGS
6:00 PM	Ted Lasso Bible Study	TLC

Thursday, June 12, 2025

9:00 AM - 1:00 PM	Vacation Bible School (Field Trip)	TLC
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Friday, June 13, 2025

8:00 PM	Trinity Softball Game	FHC
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Saturday, June 14, 2025

5:00 PM	Worship**	TS
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Sunday, June 15, 2025

9:00 AM	Outdoor Worship**	TC
10:00 AM	Denise Lind Welcome Reception	TGS
10:30 AM	Worship**	TS

Monday, June 16, 2025

9:00 AM	Trinity Quilters	TFH
9:00 AM	Centering Prayer	TR322/Zoom
10:00 AM	Healing Touch Exchange (<i>HTSM Team</i>)	TR321
2:00 PM	People with Diminished Vision	TL

Tuesday, June 17, 2025

10:45 AM	Prayer Shawl Ministry	TR307
12:00 PM	Parent Prayer Group and Playdate	WP

Wednesday, June 18, 2025

7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study	FH
8:30 AM	Bike to Breakfast	MCCC
8:30 AM	Women's Bible Study	TL
2:00 PM	Cancer Support Group	TR300/Zoom
5:00 PM	Rejoicing Spirits	TFH
6:00 PM	Ted Lasso Bible Study	TLC

Thursday, June 19, 2025

6:30 PM	Chill Out Movie Night (Middle School)	TFH
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Friday, June 20, 2025

6:30 PM	Trinity Softball Game	FHC
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Saturday, June 21, 2025

5:00 PM	Worship	TS
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Sunday, June 22, 2025

9:00 AM	Outdoor Worship	TC
10:30 AM	Worship	TS

Monday, June 23, 2025

9:00 AM	Trinity Quilters	TFH
9:00 AM	Psalms and Smoothies	EF
6:30 PM	Journey Group (50-60 Yr. Olds)	TGS

Tuesday, June 24, 2025

9:30 AM	Caregivers Support Group	TR300/Zoom
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Wednesday, June 25, 2025

7:00 AM	Men's Bible Study	FH
8:30 AM	Women's Bible Study	TL
2:00 PM	Narcan Training	TR208
4:00 PM	Trinity at Community Kitchen	CK
5:00 PM	Narcan Training	TR208
6:00 PM	Ted Lasso Bible Study	TLC

Friday, June 27, 2025

8:30 AM	Canoe/Kayak at Lime Creek	LC
6:30 PM	Trinity Softball Game	FHC
8:00 PM	Trinity Softball Game	FHC

Saturday, June 28, 2025

5:00 PM	Worship++	TS
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Sunday, June 29, 2025

9:00 AM	Outdoor Worship++	TC
10:30 AM	Worship++	TS

Monday, June 30, 2025

8:15 AM	Sculpture Walk	TEE
6:30 PM	Journey Group (60-70 Yr. Olds)	TGS

CALENDAR KEY

TLC - Trinity Lutheran Church (Various locations in the building) / **TFH** - Trinity Fellowship Hall

TR - Trinity Room (Number) / **TGS** - Trinity Gathering Space / **TS** - Trinity Sanctuary / **TPL** - Trinity Parking Lot

TEW - Trinity Education Wing / **CK** - Community Kitchen / **YTFB** - YouTube & Facebook

TC - Trinity Courtyard / **TEE** - Trinity East Entrance / **WP** - West Park / **FHC** - Fredrick Hanford Complex / **EF** - Elsbernd Farm

****** Holy Communion Served **++** Rite of Healing



We are called to share God's healing love through Christ's forgiveness and our personal servanthood.

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9:00 AM to 5:00 PM M-Th
8:00 AM to 4:00 PM F

WORSHIP

SANCTUARY

- **Saturdays 5:00 PM** | Sanctuary
Traditional Service
- **Sundays 9:00 AM** | Courtyard
Contemporary Service
- **Sundays 10:30 AM** | Sanctuary
& Online - Livestreamed on
Facebook and YouTube,
or listen live on KCMR 97.9 FM
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Traditional Service

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