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



Front Page: Trinity's Vacation Bible School in the Sanctuary

Listening: A Mode of Grace

At the end of my first week with you all at Trinity, I was given the advice, "It's all about listening better. Everyone wants to be heard." This was one of those words of advice that seemed to give life to an unarticulated idea. Now a few weeks in, this idea of listening seems to surround me. Listening is a practical mode of ministry that can easily be taken for granted. In the midst of a busy world where the ambient noise surrounding our hearts and minds may be deafening, I found great hope in listening, found here at Trinity.



Jack Willrett
TRINITY
SUMMER INTERN

To listen to another is to say, "You Are." "You are worthy of my time, my attention, and my care." I am led to reflect when Moses petitions God to provide a name for the divine so that he may present God's name to the Israelites. God replies, "I AM" (Gen 3:14). To be an Israelite listening to the name of God is to know that the divine is present and real. It is as if God is saying "I am worthy of your attention." Listening thus becomes a divine act. As we listen, we know God is present. This divine action of listening is taken up again in Matthew when Jesus explains why he uses parables. Quoting Isaiah, Jesus says, "The reason I use parables is that in seeing some do not understand, and hearing they do not listen," (Matt 13:13). To listen with a divine ear is a means of God's grace. When we listen, we profess that God is present. It is my belief that when we listen, the statement of "I Am Worthy" from Genesis is delivered to those whom we listen to. Since it is God who professed worthiness, and from God's sacrifice on the cross we are made worthy, when we listen, we profess a statement of "You are worthy," and are taking part in the abundant grace of God.

As I have come to find out, there are lots of events going on here at Trinity. It is a blessing to be able to participate in a church that is actively proclaiming Christ's love in many modes and dreaming about how the church may continue to serve. This planning creates lots of points that demand our attention. Yet on Sunday, I am moved by the inner stillness as we listen together. While the birds and ambient car noise create a general hum that suggests Mother Nature is well and alive, the presence of us gathered in body and or spirit gives me an assurance that Trinity not only proclaims a God of now and tomorrow but also proclaims a God who listens deeply and calls us worthy. Amidst cars, booming organs, singing birds and those things which demand our attention, we are able to gather, to listen to the spirit, and pray for one another. I am moved by your ministry of listening and find great wisdom and hope here. May we continue to listen as we praise a God who listens thoroughly.

- Jack Willrett

Summer Guest Preachers at Trinity

We are blessed to welcome several guest preachers to Trinity this summer:

- Pastor Tom Dettmer - July 18-19
- Dr. Norma Cook Everist - July 25-26
- Jack Willrett (Trinity's Summer Intern) - August 8-9 & August 29-30

We give thanks for these gifted leaders and invite you to join us in worship throughout the summer!

TRINITY COMMUNITY

**BLOCK
PARTY****SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2026**

11:45 AM - 1:30 PM

Food, fellowship and fun!

Save the Date!

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**Youth and Family
Staffing Updates**

The past year was a year of transition for youth ministry at Trinity. After spending the past several months in discernment, we are reshaping the roles of our Youth and Family staff around age groups.

Carol Dettmer will serve as our Director of Children and Family Ministry. This position will focus on ministry for children age birth through sixth grade and their parents. She will continue to plan and administer Sunday School.

Dani Vogel will serve as Director of Middle School and High School Ministry. This position will focus on ministry for Middle School and High School youth, partnering with Pastor Daniel for Confirmation ministry.

We are deeply grateful for Carol and Dani's gifts for ministry and for all the ways they witness Christ's love to all youth at Trinity!

**Rhonda Schmidtke
Welcome Reception****Sunday, July 12, 2026****10:00 AM** | Gathering Space

Join us in warmly welcoming Rhonda Schmidtke to the Trinity staff team as our new Parish Administrator! We invite you to meet Rhonda between services on Sunday, July 12. Be sure to stop by, introduce yourself, and extend a warm Trinity welcome!

**Pastor Jim Magelssen -
Ordination Anniversary****Sunday, July 5, 2026****9:00 AM Service** | Trinity Courtyard

This summer marks 55 years since the ordination of Pastor Jim Magelssen, former Senior Pastor of Trinity. We will recognize Jim and give thanks for his faithful ministry on Sunday, July 5, at the 9:00 AM service.

Before serving at Trinity from 2001–2012, Jim served congregations in Pepin, Clintonville, and Hayward, Wisconsin, and was a member of the synod staff of the Northwest Synod of Wisconsin. Join us as we celebrate this milestone and give thanks for Jim's many years of faithful service in Christ's church.

Please Pray for Trinity Youth Going to Camp

Trinity is very generous to support youth to attend Bible camp with camp scholarships. The campers experience a Spirit-filled, safe, accepting, nurturing, active, and super fun week! Please lift up the following youth as they attend Bible camps in July: **Alayna, Claire, Stella, Ginny, Adilynn, Calah, Jude, Oliver, Mabel, Lorelai, Jamie, Adaliz, Lennon, Evelynnn, Aubrey, McKenna, Claire, Colton, Jack, Lucille, and Lanie.**

Thank you!

Thank You to All!

I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to Gretta and Margo Miller for their assistance in collecting the many tabs that you have so generously donated to the Shriners Hospitals.

These donations help provide wheelchairs and prosthetic devices for children in need, making a meaningful difference in their lives.

Your continued support and generosity are truly appreciated. I cannot thank Gretta, Margo, and all of you enough for your ongoing commitment to this worthwhile cause.

Every tab collected helps, and your kindness does not go unnoticed. Please contact me with a phone call or text if you have any questions. Toni Erickson, 641-430-2275.

Board Game Day

Monday, July 20, 2026

1:00 PM | The Gathering Space

Please sign up if you are able to play board games on Monday, July 20 from 1:00 - 3:30 PM. All Trinity members are welcome, especially students entering grade 3-6 are invited. Friends are welcome! Any questions, please contact Carol Dettmer at carol.dettmer@trinity-mc.org. Please sign up with this link by Sunday, July 19. <https://forms.gle/6GY-hUYqi8SevXPqD8> Thank you!



Confirmation Classes

Starting Fall 2026

Grounded in scripture, theology, and Christian community, Confirmation is a communal education journey for 7th and 8th grade middle schoolers to explore and grow in their faith. New students, contact Pastor Daniel at

daniel.hanson@trinity-mc.org) to sign up!

Sugar Plum Preschool

Each weekday at Trinity, the joyful sounds of learning and laughter remind us what a gift Sugar Plum Preschool is to our community. With small classes, gentle guidance, and teachers who truly know each child, little ones grow in confidence, kindness, and curiosity.



Do you know a young child ready to begin their learning journey? Please consider enrolling your child or sharing this special program with a friend. For more info: masoncityymca.org/sugarplum-preschool.



Lost Island Waterpark All-Youth Trip

Wednesday, August 5, 2026

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM | Trinity Parking Lot Meet-Up All Trinity Youth are invited to **Lost Island Waterpark** in Waterloo! Fifth-graders and older may

attend without parents. Younger kiddos are welcome with an adult/parent chaperone. Bus transportation will be provided with admission to the park for \$40 each person. Please sign up now so we can secure a bus! Friends are always welcome! Thank you. <https://forms.gle/hWubDFLEH8Xu1kUS8>



Young Bakers

14 elementary kids made cookies for Sunday worship treats (and many to take home too!) on Thursday, June 25. Sprinkles, anyone?

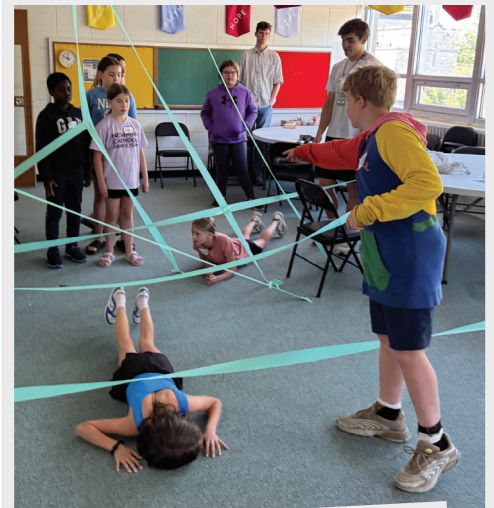


TO KNOW HIS NAME

Thank You to VBS Volunteers
Thank you to all the Trinity volunteers who made our VBS run smoothly, safely, and spiritually uplifting!



Registration: Linda Hunt
Housing for Riverside staff:
Tom & Betsy Kirby, Ed & Shelley Casey
Preschool Lead Teacher:
Stacie Mellman



Preschool Helpers: Barb Jarshaw, Rachel Symonds, Gretta Miller
Lead Shepherds: Amanda Blanchard, William Samson, Jack Willrett
School-Age Helpers: Piper Hesley, Perrin Echelberger, Mila Ruge, Evelyn Hunt, Jay Lingbeek, Aubrey Otto, McKenna Schlitter





Grease Musical Trip

Sunday, July 12, 2026

11:30 AM | TLC Parking Lot

Hope you can join us for a fun day attending the Musical "Grease" at the Osage Summerstock Theatre in Osage, Iowa, with reserved tickets for the 1:00 PM performance. We will depart from the Trinity parking lot at 11:30am. On the way home we will stop at the "Old County Seat Bar and Grill" for dinner in Mitchell, Iowa and expect to return to Trinity by approximately 7:00 PM. Cost is \$40 per person which covers the ticket and bus fee. Dinner is on your own. There is a sign-up sheet by the office and it is limited to 30 people!

Global Health

Ministries Bus Trip

Friday, August 7, 2026

7:00 AM | TLC Parking Lot

Bus tour to the Global Missions warehouse. They will give us a guided tour of the operations, costs of the shipments, where their hospitals are and how the materials that we provide are used. Then after a great lunch, we will visit the LWR warehouse where they "bale" our quilts, blankets, box the school bags, and infant care kits. We have been asked to put this trip together as it is so interesting and fun.

2026 C3 Conference: Abiding, Belonging, Creative, Collaborative, Congregations

Leaders from across the NE Iowa Synod gathered in Waverly on June 6 for worship, learning and fellowship. Trinity had 6 attendees – here are reflections from two of those members:



BISHOP KEVIN JONES

"The C3 conference started with worship. The opening litany began with Bishop Jones leading with 'Spirit of the Living God, you breathe life into the church and call us into one body.' The congregation of attendees had the response. 'Gather us in, Holy Spirit, and make us one.'

Perhaps it was where I was sitting or the acoustics of the sanctuary, but to my ears this line was loud—really loud. It was recited with gusto. It was uttered with commitment. It was spoken in a community with other strangers who gave up a Saturday to learn... Most in the pews were essentially strangers to one another. Gathered by the Spirit to be made one. Just like the disciples. A diverse group coming together in the Spirit.

The sessions were an education in "Building Resilient Rural Communities" as they shrink in population. The focus was on creating a continued sense of belonging through building connections and bridging with other community members to increase the perception of the quality of life. That same concept applies to the church as we face shrinkage. Build quality of life and a sense of belonging by building connections/bridges with people while accepting the changes in our community. Gathered by the Spirit to be made one. Thanks for sending me."

- Janet Christensen

"I was not surprised at the comments of how Iowa is changing. Aging demographics across Iowa (I believe 2nd oldest in the US). Population migration to the metro-areas which have larger job markets and other lifestyle opportunities. Now, retired parents sometimes follow their kids there too. Changes in farming practices (larger farms and fewer farming families) are reducing rural populations. Today's busy life-style often puts Sunday morning church in second place with some families (sports, travel, shopping). Cost-creep is affecting church survival. Small churches are the first to feel this.

A tough set of challenges... But I felt Bishop Kevin's approach is the right one. Offering a 'hand' and asking how the Synod can 'help' smaller congregations face and adapt to the reality of a changing Iowa - trying to open doors between congregations, share support services and find new ways of staying connected and maintaining congregations... All of this makes me all the more grateful to be at church like Trinity."

- Craig Miller

Meet Trinity's New Intern, Jack Willrett

BY MICHELLE MURRAY

Jack Willrett is difficult NOT to notice. A very tall young man with dark curly hair, kind eyes and a smile as welcoming as they come, Willrett is Trinity's new intern who is here May 26 through August 30. Willrett is a religion major at Wartburg College and will be entering his senior year this fall. A Mason City native and 2023 Newman grad, he is close to home this summer and is loving it.

Why intern here? Besides being from Mason City, Willrett said, "I've never been a part of Trinity, but I wanted to see a monolith of what a large church should aspire to be, and looking from the outside...and now from the inside...Trinity is just that."

Willrett sings in the Wartburg Choir, along with other Trinity members, such as Maggie Gerrietts. He talked to Maggie at length about church, about Trinity, about the internship possibility, and of course, she had great things to say! After doing two other internships at smaller churches (Asbury United Methodist Church in Lake Mills and Northwood United Methodist Church), Willrett wanted to have an experience in a larger church. "I wanted another experience in liturgical core Lutheran tradition that is reimagining outward-facing ministry for the ever-changing world," he explained.

He is unique in the fact that he "has a Catholic education, a Methodist practice, and Lutheran confessions." He joined Redeemer Lutheran Church in Waverly which encouraged questions, and he said he appreciated that about the ELCA. This affirmed his Lutheran faith even more, and Willrett said, "The mission behind ELCA is for me!"

What does he do as an intern at Trinity? "Anything and everything!" Willrett laughed. One of the biggest "job descriptions" he has is listening. He listens to processes. He listens to individuals' experiences as faithful practitioners. He observes different committees. Recently, he has been on some visitations, and he was able to practice his listening skills there as well.

He mentioned a buzzword of understanding "church polity," which has to do with the organizational structure used to lead and administer a church. "I'm begin-

ning to find my feet and slowly beginning to run," he said. "I helped with Vacation Bible School and I'm a liturgist on Sunday mornings."

Planning the block party and "preaching a little" are the two big plans for Willrett by the end of his internship. For now, he is working on remembering the names of 50 many people at Trinity.

What are his plans after Wartburg? "I've begun candidacy to be a rostered minister of word and sacrament," he said. "Regardless of where I go, I seek ordination in the ELCA."

Willrett has a wealth of experience behind him. He has been the youth director for two years at Trinity Methodist Church in Charles City, and he has the knowledge of several different church denominations as a base from which to draw.

Willrett has a twin brother, Holden, who is also his college roommate, as well as a fellow singer in the Wartburg Choir. Their parents are Heidi and Brian Willrett of Mason City. Four more years of seminary after Wartburg, and Willrett will be searching for a home church.

"I'm so excited to be here!" he said. "It's a privilege and a dream come true. I look forward to getting to know people. Hearing individuals' stories about Trinity is phenomenal!"

Please welcome Jack when you see him. Odds are good you'll receive a genuinely warm and winning smile...and a great listening ear. We are glad you are with us, Jack! †



JACK WILLRETT

Centering Prayer

First and Third Mondays of the Month | 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.

Volunteers Needed to Help Clean Carpets

Trinity's Buildings and Grounds Committee is in need of volunteers to help clean Trinity's numerous carpets. Numerous projects will be available to sign up for as early as the middle of June. Sign up for one or all! If you are interested in helping, please contact Ellie Koester at 641-420-5497.



Family Support Group **Tuesday, July 28, 2026**

6:45 PM to 7:45 PM
Trinity Room 208
NAMI Family Support Groups are free, confidential and safe groups of families helping other families who live with mental health challenges. It's a caring group of individuals helping one another by utilizing their collective lived experience and learned wisdom. For more information contact support group facilitators Michelle Horst at m_horst@hotmail.com or Crystal Pischel at cpischel72@gmail.com.



Thursday, August 6, 2026

12:00 PM / Trinity Fellowship Hall / Age 80+
Lunch and Worship with Holy Communion

The Senior Summer Luncheon will be held on Thursday, August 6, at noon in the Trinity Fellowship Hall. All members who aren't able to participate in the life of the church the way they want to are invited to attend. This group includes persons that are limited by health issues or depend on someone to get them to church, homebound, those living in elderly housing facilities and members over 80 years of age. Guests are also welcome. Please call the church office to RSVP. We are also in need of volunteers to help with transportation, set-up, serving, and clean up for the luncheon. If you would like to help in some way, please sign up or call the church office at 641-423-0536.

PEAK: Parents of Estranged Adult Kids **Wednesday, July 8, 15, 22, and 29, 2026**

2:30 PM | Trinity Library

This four-session "recovery group" will meet at 2:30 PM on Wednesdays July 8, 15, 22, 29 in the library at Trinity Lutheran Church. The causes of estrangement are varied, but the heartache is felt by all. Facilitated by Pastor Beverly Butler, this group provides a space for parents to receive support and to discover meaning in their lives apart from their identity as parents as they move toward recovery from parental trauma. If this is your situation, please join us and know that you are not alone!



Bike to Church Sunday **Sunday, July 12, 2026**

Do you normally drive to church? Save some gas by leaving your car in the garage. Take this opportunity to hop on your bike and ride to church on Sunday, July 12 for Trinity's Bike to Church Sunday. If you are attending the 9:00 AM service, please park your bikes by the evergreen tree in the courtyard for a special blessing. Chairs and water will be available for all cyclists at the outdoor worship service.

Evening Bike Ride

Thursday, July 9, 2026

6:00 PM | Trinity Parking Lot

Join us on an evening bike ride on Thursday, July 9 at 6:00 PM. Meet in the Trinity Parking Lot for a biking adventure on hard surface trails and streets. Weather permitting.



Psalms & Smoothies

Monday, July 13 & 27, 2026

9:00 AM | Elsbernd Farm, 19050 Thrush Ave

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. We will meet at the Elsbernd Farm, 19050 Thrush Ave. in Mason City, on the second and fourth Monday of the month in June at 9:00 a.m., weather permitting. Come to the backyard where we will be meeting in the gazebo.

Book Discussion

Monday, July 13, 2026

1:00 PM | Gathering Space

Join our July discussion group on the feel-good book *Night of Miracles* by Elizabeth Berg. It is a heartwarming novel following the residents of Mason, Missouri, as they seek connection, love, and healing. The story centers on Lucille, an elderly woman running popular baking classes, who finds new purpose by helping her neighbors, including a divorced newcomer and a young family facing a tragic health crisis. Multiple copies are available to check out from Trinity's church office.



Rejoicing Spirits

Wednesday, July 15, 2026

5:00 PM | Fellowship Hall

Rejoicing Spirits is inclusive of all ages and abilities as we connect with God and one another. Join us on Wednesday, July 15, as we learn about the miracle of Jesus walking on water through camp-style music, interactive skit, and prayer. Following the worship

service, enjoy pizza and root beer floats for a free-will donation.

Caregivers Support Group

Tuesday, July 28, 2026

9:30 AM | Trinity Lutheran Church Room 300 & Zoom

Individuals providing care for loved ones in any capacity (whether it is at home, in a care facility, or from a distance) are welcome to attend to receive support and information. The facilitators are Becky Elsbernd, Parish Nurse at Trinity Lutheran Church, and Pundeep Kaur, Family Caregiver Specialist at Elderbridge. If you are interested in attending via Zoom, call Trinity's office at 641-423-0536 for log-in information.



Care Ministry Appreciation

Ice Cream Buffet

Thursday, July 9, 2026

2:00 PM | Fellowship Hall

All Care Ministry Volunteers and potential volunteers are invited to the Care Ministry Appreciation Ice Cream Buffet on July 9 at 2:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall! We appreciate all the ways the Care Ministry Volunteers reach out in care and support of our congregation. There will be an opportunity for fellowship and experiential learning. Anyone interested in becoming a new Care Ministry volunteer can stay for a brief training. You are welcome to bring a friend or spouse. Please RSVP to the church office by Tuesday, July 7.



Learn to Crochet

Tuesday, July 21, 2026

10:45 AM / Trin. Room 307

Come and learn how to crochet with help from the Prayer Shawl Ministry volunteers. All ages welcome. Yarn and crochet hooks provided for beginners.

Prayerground

During the 9:00 AM outdoor worship, we will be setting up a prayerground (prayer playground) for families with young children. Look for the blankets set out in the back corner. We will have a cart with quiet (ish) activities each week. We are grateful to set up a space that welcomes children to be a part of worship whose bodies need to move and play!

Rotating Art Gallery

OUR TOWN, OUR STORIES

by Marty Greder
May - July 2026

Before Marty Greder was Director of Education at Trinity, she was a writer/photographer for the Mason City *Globe Gazette*. The Rotating Art Gallery at Trinity will feature her articles and photos that captured historical events in north Iowa from the late 80's to early 90's.



Boy Scouts

Ice Cream Social Sunday, July 12, 2026

12:00 PM | Fellowship Hall
Join the Boy Scouts for their annual Ice Cream Social! Get your \$3.00 ticket at the door and enjoy a special ice cream dessert and a drink. Join us anytime from 12:00 PM to 4:00 PM.

Kylie Hansen and Nathan Elsbernd Recital

Monday, August 3, 2026

7:00 PM | Trinity Sanctuary

Join us for a special evening of music with Kylie Hansen and Nathan Elsbernd. Featuring works by Amy Beach, Schumann, Debussy, Dominick Argento, and more! Mark your calendars for Monday, August 3, at 7:00 PM for a one-hour performance and reception afterwards. We hope to see you there!



bags, and infant care kits. We have been asked to put this trip together as it is so interesting and fun to attend!

Global Health Ministries

Bus Trip

Friday, August 7, 2026

7:00 AM | TLC Parking Lot

Bus tour to the Global Missions warehouse. They will give us a guided tour of the operations, costs of the shipments, where their hospitals are and how the materials that we provide are used. Then after a great lunch, we will visit the LWR warehouse where they "bale" our quilts, blankets, box the school

Bily Clocks Museum Trip

Wednesday, August 26, 2026

11:30 AM | Trinity Parking Lot

In August, we plan to visit the Bily Clocks Museum in Spillville, Iowa. We will also be able to see the Inwood Ballroom and the Saint Wenceslaus Catholic Church. We leave by 8:00 AM on Wednesday, August 26, and will be stopping for a late lunch on the way home. There is a \$30 fee for the bus and tours (Subject to change). There will be a sign-up sheet later with more info and to reserve your spot. Mark your calendars and join in on the fun!



New Member Class

Thursday, September 17 at 6:30 PM **OR**

Sunday, October 11 at 1:30 PM

(Choose one session)

Looking for a church home? A place to belong? Interested in learning more about Trinity's life and mission, or whether this might be the place



to connect and grow? Pastor Dan Gerrietts leads an interactive class for those exploring membership or wondering if Trinity is right for them. This is the only session one attends to prepare for membership. Learn about our mission commitments and the faith expressions that ground us. Take a tour of the building. Meet other people! Please call the church office to register for the class, or visit trinity-mc.org/membership/ to register online!



Wednesday, July 1, 2026

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study TFH
 8:30 AM Women's Bible Study TL

Friday, July 3, 2026

ALL DAY OFFICES CLOSED - Holiday TLC

Saturday, July 4, 2026

5:00 PM Worship** TS

Sunday, July 5, 2026

9:00 AM Outdoor Worship** TS
 (Pastor Jim Magelssen Recognized)
 10:30 AM Worship** TS

Monday, July 6, 2026

9:00 AM Trinity at Community Kitchen CK
 9:00 AM Centering Prayer TR322/Zoom
 9:30 AM Altar Guild TLC

Wednesday, July 8, 2026

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study TFH
 8:30 AM Women's Bible Study TL
 2:30 PM PEAK Support Group TL

Thursday, July 9, 2026

2:00 PM Care Ministry Ice Cream Buffet TFH
 6:00 PM Evening Bike Ride TPL

Saturday, July 11, 2026

5:00 PM Worship TS

Sunday, July 12, 2026 - Bike to Church Sunday

9:00 AM Outdoor Worship TS
 10:00 AM Schmidtke Welcome Reception TGS
 10:30 AM Worship TS
 11:30 AM Grease Musical Trip TPL
 12:00 PM Boy Scouts Ice Cream Social TFH

Monday, July 13, 2026

9:00 AM Psalms & Smoothies EF
 9:00 AM Rolling Bandages for GH TFH
 1:00 PM Book Discussion TGS

Wednesday, July 15, 2026

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study TFH
 8:30 AM Women's Bible Study TL
 2:00 PM Cancer Support Group TR300 & Zoom
 2:30 PM PEAK Support Group TL
 5:00 PM Rejoicing Spirits TFH

Saturday, July 18, 2026

5:00 PM Worship** TS

Sunday, July 19, 2026

9:00 AM Outdoor Worship** TCY
 10:00 AM Blood Pressure Checks TGS
 10:30 AM Worship** TS

Monday, July 20, 2026

9:00 AM Trinity Quilters TFH
 9:00 AM Centering Prayer TR322/Zoom
 10:00 AM Healing Touch Exchange TR321
 1:00 PM Board Game Day TGS

Tuesday, July 21, 2026

10:45 AM Prayer Shawl Ministry TR307

Wednesday, July 22, 2026

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study TFH
 8:30 AM Women's Bible Study TL
 2:30 PM PEAK Support Group TL
 4:00 PM Trinity at Community Kitchen CK

Saturday, July 25, 2026

5:00 PM Worship TS

Sunday, July 26, 2026

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

Monday, July 27, 2026

9:00 AM Psalms & Smoothies EF
 9:00 AM Trinity Quilters TFH

Tuesday, July 28, 2026

9:30 AM Caregiver Support Group TR300/ Zoom
 6:30 PM Chronic Pain Support Group TLC

Wednesday, July 29, 2026

7:00 AM Men's Bible Study TFH
 8:30 AM Women's Bible Study TL
 2:30 PM PEAK Support Group TL

CALENDAR KEY

TLC - Trinity Lutheran Church (Various Locations) / **TFH** - Trinity Fellowship Hall / **TR** - Trinity Room (Number)
TGS - Trinity Gathering Space / **TS** - Trinity Sanctuary / **TPL** - Trinity Parking Lot / **TEW** - Trinity Education Wing
TC - Trinity Chapel / **CK** - Community Kitchen / **YTFB** - YouTube & Facebook / **TCY** - Trinity Courtyard
VL - Various Locations / **EF** - Elsbernd Farm
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