



FEBRUARY 17-18, 2024

HIGHLIGHTS

WORSHIP SERVICE TIMES: 5 p.m. on Saturday. 8 a.m., 10:45 a.m. on Sunday.

WELCOME HOME

On behalf of Pastors Golter and Schilling, Trinity Lutheran would like to welcome you home — to God’s House. If you would like to learn more about Trinity, please include any questions you might have on your attendance card which can be found on the tables as you enter the Fellowship Hall. Attendance cards can be placed in the baskets on the tables as you enter the Fellowship Hall or in the offering plate. We would love to hear from you.

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you are in need of prayers, please fill out the green Prayer Card on the table as you enter the Fellowship Hall. Cards can be placed in the baskets on the table. If you would like to meet with one of our pastors, contact the church office (563-323-8001) to set up an appointment.

LIVE-STREAMS

Trinity live-streams its 8 a.m. Sunday worship service. You can watch the live-stream by going to YouTube and searching Trinity Lutheran Davenport Iowa. Our Trinity School chapel service also is live-streamed on Wednesdays at 8:30 a.m. Just go to YouTube.com and search Trinity Lutheran Davenport Iowa.

FOLLOW US

Stay up to date with all things Trinity—including all the updates to our campus — by following us on Facebook (facebook.com/trinitydavenportia). If you would like to join our email communication list, contact Tim Leibold at timothy.leibold@trinitydavenport.org.

LET’S GO ON

Back in October, Trinity faced a lot of unknowns.

Worship services were moved to Trinity’s Fellowship Hall on Oct. 14-15 because the start of renovations to the church.

There were concerns.

Would there be enough room to accommodate everyone?

Would there be enough – comfortable – seating?

How could we replicate the chancel area?

What about music and incorporating choirs?

What about fellowship time – and doughnuts?

What about Christmas services?

When will we be able to go back to the church?

On Feb. 17-18, almost six months to the day Trinity moved to the Fellowship Hall for services, the congregation will be re-entering its new-look sanctuary.

“You don’t see many construction projects that have gone as smooth as this one,” shared Dave Westfall, who was hired by the Aspen Group to be the on-site project manager for Trinity’s renovations. “The flow of contractors, timing and the weather couldn’t have cooperated any better.”

New windows, flooring, pews, exterior and interior paint and roof were included in the renovations.

While we celebrate this step in the process, there’s more to be done – classroom window replacement in the north wing, along with updates to the gym.

We walk by faith. Let’s go on.

MIDWEEK LENTEN SERVICES

Trinity will be having services during the Wednesdays in Lent. Services will be at noon and 6:30 p.m. in the sanctuary. The theme of our Wednesday Lenten services is Ashes to Ashes. The Wednesday Lenten service will be live-streamed on YouTube.

DINNER

There will be a Lenten dinner on Feb. 21 in the Fellowship Hall starting at 5 p.m.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

EVENT	DAY/TIME	PLACE
Women's Bible study	Tues./9:30 a.m.	Church Library
Lectionary Bible study	Tues./6:30 p.m.	
God's Workmanship	Tues./6:30 p.m.	Church Library
Prayer Team	Wed./9 a.m.	Church Library
Zechariah Bible study	Wed./9:30 a.m.	Fellowship Hall
Lenten Service	Wed./noon	Sanctuary
Lenten Dinner	Wed./5 p.m.	Fellowship Hall
Confirmation	Wed./5:30 p.m.	Science room
Lenten Service	Wed./6:30 p.m.	Sanctuary
High School Youth	Wed./8 p.m.	Youth Room

FLOWERS

Flowers for services have been donated by the Altar Guild. Typically we refrain from having flowers on the altar during Lent, yet for this occasion we give thanks to God through the addition of flowers to enhance the beautification of the newly remodeled sanctuary.

STAFFING UPDATE

Trinity is pleased and excited to announce that Mr. Jason Specht has accepted our offer to join the Trinity staff as a Physical Education teacher and Athletic Director beginning next school year. Jason and his wife, Lindsey, are longtime members of Trinity and have three children who attend our school. Most recently, Jason has been a teacher in Davenport Community Schools. Before becoming a teacher, Jason served as the director of youth sports in a city recreation department. Recently Jason completed the coursework to add a P.E. endorsement to his Iowa Teaching License. Jason is excited to join our team and is anxious to get started. Please join in giving him a hearty Trinity welcome!

LOVE OFFERING

Trinity's Mission Team is beginning a Love Offering during the month of February. The purpose of the offering is to purchase four laptop computers for the Escuela Luterana la Concordia in Palmar Arriba, Dominican Republic. The new technology will allow teachers to better serve their students.

BLANKET BASH

Trinity's Women in Mission will be hosting a Blanket Bash on Feb. 25 from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Fleece will be provided. Blankets will be donated to One Eighty for the youth they serve.

CONCORDIA CHOIR

The Concordia Theological Seminary Kantorei choir will be visiting Trinity on March 2. The choir will be singing during the 5 p.m. service on March 2. The Kantorei is a men's choir of students studying for the pastoral ministry at Concordia Theological Seminary, Fort Wayne, Indiana, directed by Kantor Kevin Hildebrand.

LUTHERAN RESOURCE

Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, Ill., and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. You can listen at your convenience at issuesetc.org.

ONLINE GIVING



Did you know that Trinity Lutheran has a safe and secure way to give online? While in camera mode, scan your electronic device over the QR code, and it will take you to Trinity's online giving page.

SUNDAY SCHOOL, BIBLE STUDIES

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON: A servant's mission—Isaac and Rebekah (Genesis 24-1-4, 10-28, 50-67)

SUNDAY SCHOOL ROOM LOCATIONS

Age level	Meeting space
2-year-olds	Nursery
Preschool-kindergarten	Room 141
First-second grade	Room 142
Third-fourth grade	Room 144
Fifth-eighth grade	Science room
High School	Youth Room

BIBLE STUDY ROOM LOCATIONS

Study	Leader	Meeting space
Woke study	Pastor Golter	Fellowship Hall
Hymnody study	Riley Sindt	School library
Anxiety study	Julie Abramowski	Room 204

SEEKING A PIANO

Trinity is seeking a gently but lovingly used baby grand piano for our choir loft. We are looking for something between 5-7 feet long, preferably a Yamaha, Kawai, or other Asian made model, in sound mechanical condition. If you have one or know of anyone who is selling one, please let Riley Sindt or Pastor Golter know.

FEEDING THE HUNGRY

On January 29, Trinity members Kurt and Shana Schindler and Shana's sister, Tina, Dave Helfrich, and Greg and Marilyn Meyer served dinner for 35 hungry people at the Churches United meal site at Zion Lutheran Church on Marquette Street. The menu included pulled chicken, mac and cheese, fruit and dessert. Thank you for your servant hearts and your generosity. Our next opportunity to serve will be April 29. Contact Pam and Ken Stotmeister if you are interested in serving.

GREEN FOOD BOX

Trinity's green Free Little Food Pantry is still in operation. The box—located in the lower parking lot off Marquette Street, has been established for a "take what you need, leave what you want."

GENEROSITY MESSAGE

God the Father cares for Jesus even in the midst of His temptation in the wilderness (Mark 1:13). God cares for us in every situation. Jesus realized this and always acted from the basis of trust in God the Father's provision. This is likewise the basis for our life lived in Christ.