



MARCH 2-3, 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.

## SANCTITY OF LIFE

Before I formed you in the womb, I knew you, before you were born, I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations. Jeremiah 1:5

The gift of life is precious.

What if ... a gift of life becomes abusive?

What if ... a gift of life becomes negligent?

What if ... a gift of life becomes mentally unstable?

What if ... a gift of life is unexpected?

What if ...

Is the gift of life still precious?

The message is made pretty clear.

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these. (Mark 12:30-31)

God’s Word is clear, and we as the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod affirm.

From the instant of conception to the end life, God loves each and every one of us. No matter the stage of life, we confess that every human being has a right to life, deserving dignity and love.

The Psalmist writes: Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

We are His! We are His people!

The gift of life is precious.

## DETAILS

Sarah Jansen will be presenting on the sanctity of life at 9:30 a.m. on March 3 in the Fellowship Hall.

## 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 March 6 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
God's Workmanship	Tues./3 p.m.	Church Library
Lectionary Bible study	Tues./6:30 p.m.	
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

## EASTER LILY

Trinity is taking orders for Easter lilies. Purchases can be made via an online link which was shared in this past week's Trinity Tidbits email. The deadline to place an order is March 24. The cost is \$17.

## LENTEN DINNERS

Trinity will be having Lenten Dinners during the Wednesdays in Lent. The dinners begin at 5 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. Listed are the ministries that will be serving dinners in the coming weeks:

Mar. 6: High School Youth  
Mar. 13: None scheduled (Spring Break)  
Mar. 20: LWML Soup Supper

## HOLY WEEK SERVICE SCHEDULE

**March 23:** Palm Sunday service at 5 p.m.  
**March 24:** Palm Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.  
**March 28:** Holy Thursday services at noon and 6:30 p.m.  
**March 29:** Good Friday services at noon and 6:30 p.m.  
**March 30:** Easter Vigil service at 5 p.m.  
**March 31:** Easter Sunday services at 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

## NEW BIBLE STUDY

How did the early church take the Good News to the world? We'll examine certain stories in the Book of Acts, looking at the story behind the story. Taught by Pastor Golter, beginning on March 10 at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

## LOVE OFFERING UPDATE

Trinity would like to thank all those who donated to the Love Offering. Funds raised through the Love Offering were used to purchase computers for schools in the Dominican Republic. The teaching staff in the Dominican Republic was truly thankful for these gifts. A special thank you to Miss Meyer, Miss Meyer's brother, along with Ted Krey in the Dominican Republic, for making the delivery possible.

## BLANKET BASH THANK YOU

Thank you to all those who donated fleece and helped tie blankets during last weekend's Blanket Bash. A total of 23 blankets were made and donated to One Eighty.

## 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—is "take what you need, leave what you want."

## 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 family grows.  
(Genesis 29:1-30)

## 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
History lesson	Pastor Golter	Fellowship Hall
Hymnody study	Riley Sindt	Choir loft
Anxiety study	Julie Abramowski	Room 204

## STAFFING UPDATE

Trinity School is still seeking teachers for the 2024-25 school year. Please remember to keep this process in your prayers.

## SPECIAL GUEST

Trinity will welcome missionary Erin MacKenzie – of the Dominican Republic—on March 19. There will be a Dominican Republic and Latin American Mission Supper at 5:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall, followed by a presentation by Erin at 6:30 p.m. There will be a sign up sheet in the narthex for the supper.

## GENEROSITY MESSAGE

**John 2:16 – And he told those who sold the pigeons, Take these things away; do not make my Father's house a house of trade.** The Lord's house is not a place to sell, but a place to receive and a place to give. It's not a place for our schemes and plans. Instead, the church is a place for the Lord's gracious giving and our faithful sacrifices in response.

## BUILDING UPDATE

Work is expected to begin in the school gym during Spring Break— March 11-15. Work will include fixing the cracks in the gym walls, and sound system repair. The gym also will be painted—at a time to be determined.

## MARCH FORUM

Trinity will be having a congregational forum on March 24 at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. More details regarding the forum will be shared.