



AUGUST 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 in the church pews. Attendance cards can be placed at the end of each pew or placed in the offering plate during the worship service. We would love to hear from you—and welcome the opportunity to connect with you.

PRAYER REQUESTS

If you are in need of prayers, please fill out the green Prayer Card located in the church pew racks. Cards can be placed in the offering plate. 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 and Sunday morning Bible study at 9:30 a.m.. 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. on YouTube.

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.

FORWARD WITH EXCELLENCE

For the past two-plus years, Trinity Lutheran has been pushing Let's Go and Let Us Go On.

The focus is moving forward with excellence.

Because of our sinful nature, there is no end point for excellence - it's unachievable.

"That's why we keep striving, doing everything that we do for the glory of God," Pastor Schilling shared. "We yearn for excellence, knowing that we have a great God and Savior."

Jessica Merritt – Trinity's new Director of Donor Development – heard a similar message during a Herzog training session she and Mr. Meyer attended this past month.

"The one thing we were told to never say to a potential donor is the word last or give the inclination that something was ending," Jessica shared.

"It's because there's always the next opportunity," Mr. Meyer shared. "Our work of sharing the Good News and telling people about Jesus is never done."

Our motivation comes from the Gospel.

Luke writes: And He called his 10 servants, and delivered them 10 pounds, and said unto them, "Do business till I come."

(Luke 19:13)

"The church is the power plant of everything that we do," Pastor Golter shared. "The Holy Spirit is always working through the Word and His people."

Let us go on with excellence.

WELCOME

This weekend, Trinity welcomes Iowa District East President Brian Saunders, who will be serving as our guest preacher. Trinity also would like to welcome all visitors to this weekend's worship services. If you are interested in learning more about Trinity, please contact our church office.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

EVENT	DAY/TIME	PLACE
Color Run	Today/6 p.m.	Soccer Field
Women's Bible study	Tues./9:30 a.m.	Church Library
Prayer Team	Wed./9 a.m.	Church Library
Midweek Bible study	Wed./9:30 a.m.	Fellowship Hall
Tiger Tipoff	Wed./5 p.m.	Trinity School
High School Youth	Wed./8 p.m.	Youth Room
Board of Directors	Thurs./6:30 p.m.	Church Library
First day of school	Fri./7:35 a.m.	School

FLOWERS

Altar flowers for this weekend are given by John and Janet Bremer in thankfulness to God and in celebration of their 49th wedding anniversary on August 17.

MEET TRINITY'S NEW FACULTY MEMBERS

On Aug. 18, Iowa District East President Brian Saunders will be taking part in our worship services, including serving as the guest preacher. As part of the services, there will be a commissioning and dedication of Trinity's faculty. There will be a reception to welcome Trinity's new faculty members after the 8 a.m. service in the Fellowship Hall.

BACK TO SCHOOL EVENTS

Trinity will be hosting several Back to School events.

On Aug. 17, there will be a blessing of backpacks for all students at the 5 p.m. worship service.

On Aug. 18, there will be a blessing of backpacks for all students at the 8 a.m. and 10:45 a.m. services. Trinity will be having its annual Color Run from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

On Aug. 21, Trinity will be having its Tiger Tipoff from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. The event is an opportunity for families to come and check out the school and drop off school supplies. Trinity's first day of school will be Aug. 23.

YOUTH PRESENTATION

On Aug. 25, Trinity's High School Youth will be sharing their experiences from their recent servant trip to Colorado. The presentation will be at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

NEW CYCLE OF BIBLE STUDIES

On Sept. 8, Trinity will begin a new cycle of Sunday morning Bible studies. Pastor Golter will be teaching a class on religion and politics in the Fellowship Hall, while Pastor Schilling will be leading a LifeLight Bible Study that will break up into small groups. Bible studies will begin at 9:30 a.m.

TRINITY SCHOOL IS HIRING

Trinity is seeking applicants for its Shining Stars after-school program. If you are interested in learning more, contact Emily Merritt at emily.merritt@trinitydavenport.org.

THANK YOU

Trinity would like to thank all those who helped with our Mulch Mania project on Saturday.

GOD'S WORKMANSHIP CLASS

Trinity will be having a God's Workmanship class, starting on Sept. 10. The class offers a deep dive into the Bible and also is available to those who are interested in becoming members at Trinity. If you are interested, call the church office.

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.

CONFIRMATION

Calling all seventh-eighth graders. Confirmation is formal instruction of the Christian faith by learning the chief teachings of God's Word, and how they apply to our lives. Classes will begin with a parent-student meeting on August 28 at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. If you know a seventh-eighth grader, encourage them to attend classes on Wednesdays. Contact Pastor Schilling with any questions at matthew.schilling@trinitydavenport.org.

TRANSFER THE BLESSINGS

Your LCMS Foundation Gift Planning Counselor has a great resource that outlines the basic elements of an estate plan and highlights decisions you will need to make along the path toward completion. He can help you begin thinking and praying about what you believe is your goal. To get started on your preparation, contact Scott Radden at (618) 977-4049 or Scott.Radden@lfn.org. There will also be cards in the pew racks to assist you in contacting Scott.

TRINITY TO WELCOME MISSIONARY

Trinity will welcome missionary Tirzah Krey on Sept. 4. Tirzah will be spending time in the school on Sept. 4, connecting with students and teachers. Beginning at 5:30 p.m. on Sept. 4, there will be an Ice Cream Social, where Tirzah will be sharing stories and experiences from the Dominican Republic.

CHOIR OPPORTUNITIES

Under the leadership of Riley Sindt – Trinity's Director of Music – Trinity is excited to announce that there will be several choirs offered this coming year. The choirs include: select men's choir, select women's choir, Trinity choir, Trinity ringers, brass ensemble. Trinity also is seeking rehearsal/sectional accompanist. If you have any questions, contact Riley Sindt at riley.sindt@trinitydavenport.org.

GENEROSITY MESSAGE

The wrath of a God is a real thing, and we would do well to reflect on this. We want to stay away from anything that would take us away from the Lord. As Mary replied to the angel Gabriel, "I am the handmaiden of the Lord, may it be to me according to your word" (Luke 1:38). We are the Lord's servants; therefore we cling to His Word.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Lutheran Living Communities - Davenport the Christian-based senior living community is looking for a dynamic and strategic Marketing/Hospitality Director to join our team. They will lead our marketing strategies and hospitality services. Interested? Contact the facility 563-391-5342 or find our job posting on [Indeed.com](https://www.indeed.com).