



OCTOBER 26-27, 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.

GENERATIONAL MOMENT

Trinity Lutheran’s generational moment marches on.

For Trinity students in fifth-eighth grade, having the opportunity to be involved in choir, band and athletics is music to their ears.

All three extra-curriculars are thriving – reaching participation numbers that haven’t been reached in some time.

“It’s fun to be a part of – just being around your friends,” shared a Trinity middle school student who participates in band and athletics.

Of the 156 Trinity students in fifth-eighth grade for the 2024-25 school year, 96 participate in band, 100 are participating in a fall sport, and 18 take part in Trinity’s after-school choir.

There’s a chance those numbers could grow even more, beginning with the 2026-27 school year, when fifth-eighth grade will be double-tracked.

Accommodations continue to help offset the growing interest – there’s still more work to be done.

More discussions related to the accommodations will be shared during a congregational forum on Nov. 3 at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

“It’s a great problem to have,” shared Trinity PE teacher/athletic director Jason Specht.

For Trinity families, it’s an educational, social, emotional and spiritual investment.

It’s part of Trinity’s commitment to excellence in Christ-center education.

It’s our calling – one of our guiding pillars.

We are: Chosen. Growing. Proclaiming. Crowned.

CONGREGATIONAL FORUM

Trinity Lutheran will be having a congregational forum on Nov. 3 at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The purpose of the forum is to provide church and school updates, along with having conversations regarding future planning and how to best utilize our facility space.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

EVENT	DAY/TIME	PLACE
Women's Bible study	Tues./9:30 a.m.	Church Library
God's Workmanship	Tues./6:30 p.m.	
Handbell choir	Tues./6:15 p.m.	Church balcony
Lectionary study	Tues./6:30 p.m.	Fellowship Hall
Select men's chorus	Tues./7:15 p.m.	Church
Trinity School chapel	Wed./8:30 a.m.	Church
Prayer Team	Wed./9 a.m.	Church Library
Midweek Bible study	Wed./9:30 a.m.	Fellowship Hall
Confirmation	Wed./6:30 p.m.	
Adult choir practice	Wed./6:30 p.m.	Church Balcony
High School Youth	Wed./8 p.m.	Youth Room

FLOWERS

Altar flowers for this weekend are provided by Janet and Elizabeth Gehle to the Glory of God for all His blessings and in memory of Loved Ones.

LIFELIGHT BIBLE STUDY

Trinity is offering a LifeLight Bible study on Sunday mornings at 9:30 a.m. LifeLight incorporates daily personal study, weekly small groups and a large presentation time. The study — led by Pastor Schilling — meets in the school library.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC PRESENTATION

There will be a special presentation on Sunday (Oct. 27) by our Dominican Republic mission team—Pastor Schilling, Carlos Roldan and Mark Jorgensen—at 9:30 a.m. in the Fellowship Hall.. They represented Trinity in early September, learning about the great mission work going on.

GUEST PREACHER

Dr. Brian Saunders, President of the Iowa District East, will be serving as Trinity's weekend guest preacher. He formerly served as pastor in Muscatine, Iowa, before his election to District President. He oversees the congregations and schools, encouraging faithfulness to doctrine and mission work. He also oversees the calling process for pastors and teachers. Trinity warmly welcomes him among us.

PRAYER TEAM REQUESTS

Trinity's Prayer Team asks for continued prayers for the upcoming November election. The Prayer Team also is encouraging everyone to register and vote.

MUSIC BINGO

Trinity is hosting a music bingo night on Nov. 26. All are invited to come and test their music and bingo skills. In addition to bingo, there will be food, fun and prizes. Bingo cards, which are \$10, can be purchased at the door. Doors open at 6:30 p.m., and bingo begins at 7 p.m.

YEAR-END GIFTS

In the coming weeks, you will be receiving materials—via mail and electronically -regarding ways you can share your year-end gifts with Trinity.

WORSHIP SERVICE, BIBLE STUDIES

Recordings from past worship services, Sunday morning Bible studies and Trinity school chapel services can be found on Trinity's website—trinitydavenport.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

Children's Sunday School begins on Sept. 8. Listed are the room locations.

Preschool-kindergarten	Room 141
First-second grade	Room 142
Third-fourth grade	Room 144
Fifth-eighth grade	Science room
High School	Youth Room by the gym

FALL CRAFT FAIR

Trinity will be hosting its annual Fall Craft Fair on Nov. 9 from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. More than 40 vendors are expected. In addition to the crafts, there will be home-made soups and apple dumplings for sale. The cost to attend is free.

2025-26 SCHOOL PREPARATIONS

Trinity is asking church and school families who will have preschooler for the 2025-26 school year to contact the school office so we can get you the information needed for the upcoming school year. If you already have filled out a form shared by email, there's no need to contact the school. Trinity will be opening its preschool application process to the public on Nov. 1

CHURCH WORKER APPRECIATION

October is Church Worker Appreciation Month. Trinity is blessed and thankful for its church and school staffs. Heavenly Father, please bring to our minds all those who serve us as pastors, deaconesses, teachers, and other church workers. Help us be mindful of their needs and to show support for them. Thank you, God, for placing these men and women in our lives. In Jesus' precious name we pray, Amen.

GENEROSITY MESSAGE

Romans 3:20 – "For by works of the law no human being will be justified in His sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin." The Law of God is good — it's just that we sinners cannot save ourselves by the Law. Salvation is a free gift of God because that is the only way we could ever be saved. The Law shows us God's holiness and thus our own sin. And now in Christ we can look at the Law and see it in a new light as well: as a guide for how to live a godly life in thanksgiving to God for His gracious forgiveness in Christ.

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