



DECEMBER 14-15, 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.

NATIVITY PIN DAY

Each December, Trinity's faculty and staff take part in a Nativity Pin Day.

Members of the faculty and staff make a monetary donation to a specific need to receive their laminated nativity pin, and the opportunity to wear jeans to school that day.

While getting to wear jeans and a nativity pin are perks, it's the giving back – to those in need – that makes the day and Christmas season special.

Funds received from this year's Nativity Pin Day will support the Hicks family.

As many of you may know, Kinsey Hicks, who is the mother of Trinity preschooler Harrison Hicks, was called home to heaven on Dec. 2.

"There have been some tear-ups, but we've tried to keep everything as normal and close to our regular routine as possible for Harrison since his return back to school," shared Lori Kilburg, who is Harrison's teacher.

This year, all are welcome to take part in Trinity's Nativity Pin Day – the last day to donate is Dec. 19.

Donations can be dropped off in the school office—or by the link that was shared via email and is posted on Trinity's Facebook page.

"Harrison's dad is so appreciative of all the support that he has received so far," Lori shared.

Please remember to keep the Hicks family in your prayers this Christmas season and beyond.

BIBLE STUDIES, SUNDAY SCHOOL

Trinity Lutheran offers two Sunday morning Bible studies and Children's Sunday School. All studies begin at 9:30 a.m. For more details about each Bible study and their locations, along with children's Sunday School room locations, check out the back page.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK

EVENT	DAY/TIME	PLACE
Christmas at Trinity	Dec. 15/3:30 p.m.	Church
Women's Bible study	Tues./9:30 a.m.	Church Library
Handbell choir practice	Tues./6:15 p.m.	Church
Lectionary study	Tues./6:30 p.m.	Fellowship Hall
Select men's choir	Tues./7:15 p.m.	Church
Trinity School chapel	Wed./8:30 a.m.	Church
Midweek Bible study	Wed./9:30 a.m.	Fellowship Hall
Advent service	Wed./noon	Church
Advent dinner	Wed./5 p.m.	Fellowship Hall
Advent service	Wed./6:30 p.m.	Church
High School Youth	Wed./8 p.m.	Youth Room
Board of Directors	Thurs./6:30 p.m.	Church Library

ADVENT SERVICES, DINNER

Trinity's final Advent services and dinner will be on Dec. 18. Services will be at noon and 6:30 p.m., while dinner will be served from 5 p.m. to 6:15 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

CHRISTMAS AT TRINITY MUSIC EVENT

Come join us on December 15 at 3:30 p.m. in the church for an afternoon of Advent and Christmas music presented by Trinity members. This event will feature the organ music and vocals of Riley Sindt, songs on the lute by Al Williams, flute music from Becky Hahn, and the vocal stylings of the Trinity Adult Choir. There will be hymns for you to sing along with! This event is free and open to the public. All are welcome!

POINSETTIAS

Trinity will once again be adorning our sanctuary with poinsettias. The cost is \$15/poinsettia. An order form link will be shared via email. The deadline to order is Dec. 16.

WINTER BLOOD DRIVE

Trinity's winter blood is underway. Donations can be made at the two Davenport donor sites — 5500 Lakeview Parkway and 1320 W. Kimberly Road. The Blood Drive will end on January 5. Appointments can be made by calling 800-747-5401.

STO DONATIONS

The Iowa Lutheran Student Tuition Organization (ILSTO) is accepting gifts that provide financial assistance to students. Donations need to be postmarked no later than December 31. Tax credits are available, but the closer you donate to the deadline please call to make sure credits are still available. You will receive a 75 percent tax credit on your Iowa taxes and 25 percent charitable contribution on your federal form. RMD/QCD are eligible for Iowa tax credits. For information about online donations to the ILSTO, go to iowalutheransto.com under the DONATE NOW tab.

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

SUNDAY MORNING STUDIES

Trinity offers two Sunday morning Bible studies. Listed are details and locations for each study. Both studies begin at 9:30 a.m.

LIFELIGHT: LifeLight incorporates daily personal study, weekly small groups and a large presentation time. The study is led by Pastor Schilling and meets in the school library.

JESUS AND THE BIBLE: Pastor Golter is leading a study—in the Fellowship Hall—exploring Jesus' use of the Bible.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Trinity will be having Christmas Eve services at 3 p.m., 5 p.m. and 7 p.m. There will be a Christmas Day service at 9 a.m.

MEMORY TREE

Trinity will have a Memory Tree located in the church entrances. Ornaments may be placed on the tree to honor loved ones who have been called home to Eternal Glory.

CHURCH OFFICE HOLIDAY HOURS

Trinity's church office will be closed from Dec. 24-Jan. 2 for the holidays.

LITTLE GREEN FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

Trinity's preschool classes are collecting winter apparel for their world changer project. Items can be dropped off in the boxes located at the school entrances and the Fellowship Hall. The last day to donate is Dec. 20.

LITTLE GREEN FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

Trinity is asking that all food donations made to the Little Green Food Pantry - located in the lower parking lot off of Marquette Street - be cans and dry food, nothing perishable.

CHRISTMAS AT TRINITY

DEC. 24 WORSHIP SERVICES: 3 p.m., 5 p.m., 7 p.m.

DEC. 25 WORSHIP SERVICE: 9 a.m.

