

JANUARY 18-19, 2025

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.

PARTNERS FROM AFAR

Whether it's at 1122 West Central Park in Davenport, Iowa, or some 2,000 miles away, Christ is present wherever His Word is taught in its truth and purity.

"We are all members of one body, no matter the tribe, race, or language," shared Erin Mackenzie, who is a missionary in Latin America and the Caribbean region.

Enriching and teaching are key.

"I'm led to believe that experiencing the Church in another part of the world and then sharing and building on those experiences can only enrich the church and school communities," shared Erin, who visited Trinity Lutheran last year, sharing her mission story.

This spring, Andrea Hussong, Jill Schmitzer and Rachel Meyer will spend time with teachers and students at the Escuela Luterana la Concordia in Palmar Arriba in the Dominican Republic.

"It's good to look beyond your own horizons," shared Mercedes, who is the principal at the Escuela Luterana la Concordia. "We all have something to teach each other, and I hope it inspires all to return to the classrooms with renewed love and fervor."

Trinity's partnership with the mission field in the Dominican Republic is thriving.

Trinity School and the Escuela Luterana la Concordia have had connections through zoom, while Trinity members and leaders have visited the Dominican Republic, gaining a better of understanding of how we can continue to work together.

"Within the framework, a school to school and church to church partnership can flourish in ways that will be transparent, purposeful, and mutually beneficial," Erin shared.

Even if it's some 2,000 miles away.

BIBLE STUDIES, SUNDAY SCHOOL

Trinity hosts two Sunday morning Bible studies, along with Children's Sunday School, starting at 9:30 a.m. Check out the details for each Bible study, along with room locations for Sunday School on the back page of the Highlights.

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK		
EVENT	DAY/TIME	PLACE
Blanket Bash	Sun./2 p.m.	Fellowship Hall
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
Confirmation class	Wed./6:30 p.m.	
Adult choir practice	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

FLOWERS

Altar flowers for last week and this weekend are provided by Tom and Young Jackson in thankfulness for the New Year.

NATIONAL LUTHERAN SCHOOLS WEEK

Trinity will be celebrating National Lutheran Schools week on Jan. 27-31. This year's theme is Endure. In addition to the daily dress-up days, students will take part in morning devotions, along with other activities. As part of the celebration, Trinity students and families will have the opportunity to donate items to Phil's Friends - a non-profit organization that provides support for families and individuals who are affected by cancer.

TRINITY SCHOOL ENROLLMENT

Plans are underway for the 2025-26 school year. If you know of anyone that might be interested in learning more about Trinity school and possible enrollment, please have them contact Jessica Merritt at the school at 563-322-5224 (ext. 126).

TRINITY SCHOOL WITHDRAWAL FORM

Trinity School families that are not planning to enroll their students for the 2025-26 school year must fill out a withdrawal form, which has been shared via email, to avoid being charged enrollment fees. The deadline to withdraw and avoid being charged enrollment fees is January 24.

TRINITY SEEKING TO FILL PARA POSITION

Trinity is accepting applications for its para-professional opening in first grade. Hours of work for the part-time position are 10:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. If you are interested or know of someone who might be interested, please contact Ms. Jensen at the school.

RATED G PODCAST

Episode 2 of Trinity's Rated G podcast has been shared. Give it a listen at YouTube—search Trinity Lutheran Davenport Iowa.

BLANKET BASH

The Trinity Women in Mission will be holding its annual Blanket Bash on January 19 from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall. The fleece will be provided; please bring a scissors.



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

Listed are the room locations for children's Sunday School, which begins at 9:30 a.m.

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 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.

HOW IS THE CHURCH TO LIVE AND ACT: Pastor Golter is leading a study—in the Fellowship Hall—exploring the Book of Ephesians.

GOD'S WORKMANSHIP

A new session of Trinity's God's Workmanship class will begin on Feb. 11 at 6:30 p.m. Contact the church office for more details and to get signed up.

GENEROSITY MESSAGE

John 2:3 – "When the wine ran out, the mother of Jesus said to Him, 'They have no wine." Behold the faith of Mary: she sees a problem and simply lays it before her Son and Lord: "They have no wine." She does not offer a proposed solution, she does not demand, she simply states her need and waits for the Lord's response. She trusts that the Lord is a giver, and she knows that He always provides. May such a faith be ours!

NO SCHOOL

There will be no school on Jan. 20 because of the Martin Luther King holiday. The church office also will be closed.

STAYING IN TOUCH

Are you receiving emails from Trinity Lutheran? If you are subscribed to Trinity's email listing but aren't receiving emails or would like to be added to our email list, contact Mr. Leibold at timothy.leibold@trinitydavenport.org.

CONTINUED IMPROVEMENTS

More improvements are happening throughout Trinity's facility. Most recently, the Activity Center kitchen was painted, switches and outlets were replaced. Doors and door frames by the gym also were painted. A special thank you to Travis Jansen, Kyle Smith and Eli Willard for all their work.