

SURROUNDING GOD’S PEOPLE IN PRAYER

A LOOK AHEAD TO WHAT’S HAPPENING	
MONDAY August 24	
TUESDAY August 25	9:00am: ESL Class (Covenant Room) 11:30am: Prayer Time (Worship Center) 6:00pm: Love INC Meal/Classes (Kitchen/Lower Level) 7:00pm: ESL Class (Matthew)
WEDNESDAY August 26	Van Surksum Wedding Set-up 8:30am: Prayer Time (Hope Room) 7:00pm: Connect Team Meeting (Praise Room)
THURSDAY August 27	Van Surksum Wedding Rehearsal 7:00pm: ESL Class (Agape Room/Matthew Room) 8:00pm: ESL Class (Agape Room)
FRIDAY August 28	Van Surksum Wedding
SATURDAY August 29	
SUNDAY August 30	9:30am: Worship Service led by Pastor Luke Johnston Mark 9:30-50 “Becoming Children Again” 10:45am: “Digging Deeper” Discussion (Praise Room) 6:00pm: Worship Service led by Pastor Luke Johnston Lord’s Day 16

From the Deacons				
Quick Glance at the Budget	Actual	Budgeted	Difference	Percent
General Fund– July	\$40,800.00	\$52,988.00	\$12,188.00	77%
General Fund– YTD through July	\$360,965.00	\$370,916.00	\$9,951.00	97%
Building Fund– May	\$27,635.00	\$10,572.00	\$17,063.00	261%
Building Fund– YTD through July	\$105,896.00	\$74,004.00	\$31,892.00	143%

Welcome to

TRINITY

CHRISTIAN REFORMED CHURCH



THE
GOSPEL OF
MARK

August 23, 2026

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WELCOME to Trinity Christian Reformed Church!



9:30AM Worship Service
Pastor Luke Johnston

GOD GATHERS US
Prelude
Welcome & Call to Worship
King of Kings
God’s Greeting/ Mutual Greetings
It is Well

GOD COVENANTS WITH US
Baptism Theodore Broersma
 Merrick Pollema

How Deep the Father’s Love
2nd Grade Bible Presentation
Offering
 “Flowers” Alexa Broersma
 Sienna Gulker
 Emma Kabongo

Morning Prayer

GOD NOURISHES US
Scripture Mark 9:14-29
Message “Inadequate”
Yet Not I But Through Christ in Me

GOD SENDS US
God’s Blessing
Thank You, Lord
Postlude

Our services are broadcast live and available online for viewing later.
Your attendance signifies your consent to potentially appear on video.

10:45am: “Digging Deeper” Discussion (Praise Room)

6:00PM Worship Service
Pastor Luke Johnston

GOD GATHERS US
Prelude
Welcome & Call to Worship
Amid the Thronging Worshipers
God’s Greeting/ Mutual Greetings
I Stand Amazed

GOD SUSTAINS US
Prayer of Confession and Thanksgiving
The Power of the Cross
Offering Update
Evening Prayer

GOD NOURISHES US
Scripture 1 Peter 2:24; Isaiah 53:12
 Acts 4:27-28; Galatians 3:13-14
 Lord’s Day 15
Message “The Suffering Servant”
In Christ Alone

GOD SENDS US
God’s Blessing
In Christ Alone
Postlude

(The offering will be received
at the doors as you leave.)

From your Council and Staff	This morning we celebrate the baptisms of Theodore Broersma, son of Brandon and Alexa, and Merrick Pollema, son of Carter and Jodi. We give thanks to God for these precious little ones. Next week Sunday we look forward to parking in the Lord’s Supper together as a body of Christ.
Men’s Discipleship Group	Pastor Luke will be leading a Bible study and theology discussion group on Wednesday mornings, from 6:30-7:30AM, beginning September 2, at Rooted Coffee here in Rock Valley. Ready to take the next step? All questions are welcome. Contact Pastor Luke.
GEMS	We are looking forward to a new season of GEMS! Registration deadline is September 1 so please be sure to get those turned in soon. Our kick-off is scheduled for September 16 at Riversbend Campground– more details to come! GEMS leaders will have a meeting on September 9 at Calvin CRC– see you there!
Share Our Faith	All women of our church are invited to join “Share Our Faith” Bible Study! We meet the 1st and 3rd Thursday morning of the month from 9:30-10:30 in the Agape Room, with our first meeting being held on September 17. We are grateful for Natalie Ysselstein, who will serve as our very gifted and spirit-led leader. If you are interested in joining or want more information, please connect with Pat Vander Pol (470-2235) or Lori Van Maanen (470-2329).
Prayer Opportunity	You are encouraged and invited to join us on Tuesday mornings for a time of silent prayer for our church and community. Come and go as it works for you from 11:30-12:30 in the Worship Center. This time and space allows for quiet time with the Lord, presenting our requests to Him and praising Him for His love and goodness without the distractions of the phone, work, and laundry.
Coffee Break	Coffee Break Bible Study is excited to start the fall session and women of ALL ages are encouraged to come and explore God’s Word together! Registration will be held on Tuesday, September 8 from 10-11AM at First CRC in Rock Valley. We meet weekly on Tuesdays with our first lesson on September 15. Light snack and coffee time starts at 9:45AM with small group study from 10-11AM. For questions or more information, please connect with Kerri Pollema (470-5440), Kathy Moos (541-7738) or Faye Kooima (470-4265). Come be part of something special in our community while growing in the knowledge and faith of our Lord!

SILAGE SEASON IS COMING!

Silage season is fast approaching, and it’s an awesome opportunity to support TCED. Last year we covered around 20 silage piles, and raised over \$60,000. This project alone is around 20% of our annual budget, and we expect the same this year! We’ll need all hands on deck—your help makes a big difference! Join us as a church community in this fundraised opportunity. Details will be sent out via text message as we receive them!

Care Group #7 is serving as our greeters and ushers in AUGUST.

Birthday Blessings

TODAY– August 23
Gwenevere Hengeveld (4)
Dale Kooima (4)
Payton Marks (9)
Ken Vander Ziel (5)
Darcy Van Holland (2)

MONDAY– August 24
Greg Blom (7)

TUESDAY– August 25
Sarah Vander Pol (6)
Kyler Van Surksum (7)

WEDNESDAY– August 26
Olivia Engbers (8)
Corwin Feenstra (2)
Terri Vanden Bosch (3)

THURSDAY– August 27
Theodore Karau (2)
Gideon Wielenga (7)

FRIDAY– August 28
Kenlee Buyert (1)

SATURDAY– August 29
Jon Heeringa (3)
Derek Kollis (3)
Rowen Van Engen (2)
Kyson Van Surksum (7)

OFFERING SCHEDULE
(2nd offering in the AM is for Trinity Christian Education)

TODAY– Bethel Ministries
August 30– Alpha Center
September 6– CRC Ministry Shares
September 13– Gifting for Missions
September 20– Mission Partner Support
September 27– ATLAS