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Worship Times

Saturday 5 PM

Sunday 8 & 10:30 AM

Adult Bible Class &

Sunday School

Sunday 9:15 AM

Sunday Radio Ministry

(KLG 92.7)

The Lutheran Hour

7:05 AM

Lift High the Cross

8:30 AM

Trinity on TV

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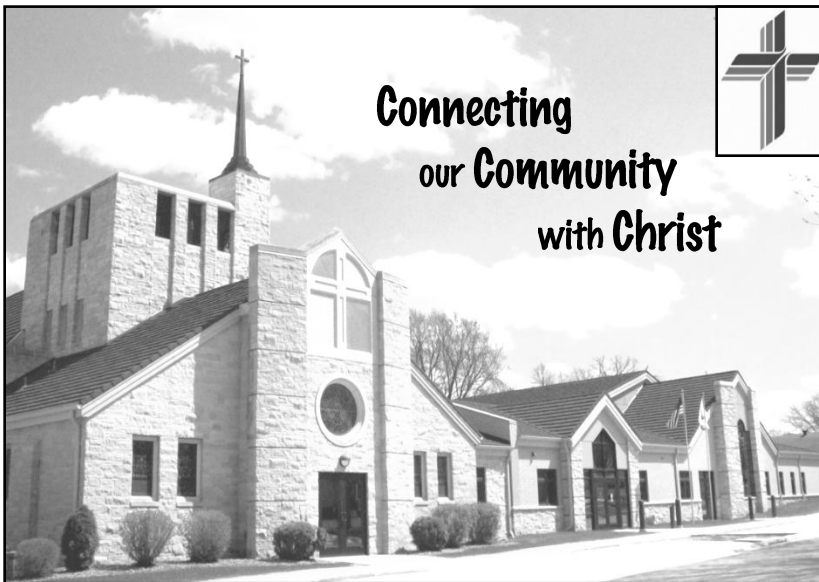
AMU Ch. 918

Tuesday 9 AM



Trinity Lutheran Church

Algona, Iowa | Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod



Connecting
our Community
with Christ



Third Sunday of Easter

Sunday, April 19, 2026

Preacher: Pastor Ben Dose

Organist: Pam Gogerty

Choir Director: Courtney Mondragon

5:00 PM

Elder: Aaron Siefken, Jay Bjuström

8:00 AM

Greeters: Paul & Marcia Kenne

Elders: Kurt Hankins, Matt Gerdis

Acolytes: Hannah Jenson, Natalie Bierstedt

Reader: Rita Scuffham

10:30 AM

Greeters: *Volunteer Needed*

Elders: Duane Berninghaus, Pete Waltz

Acolytes: Jayda Wittkopf, Zoe McGuire

Reader: Melissa Lentz

Ushers: Marlyn Helmers

Max Kading

Cohen Thilges

Volunteer Needed

Ushers: Kevin Rash

Pete Waltz

Jeff Wittkopf

Volunteer Needed

Altar Flowers: Don Patton (*in memory of Janice*)

Lift High the Cross Sponsors: Roger & Cheryl Cherland





TRINITY ALGONA

NEWS & NOTES FOR APRIL 19, 2026

CONFIRMATION

During Confirmation Today, 5 young women are professing their faith at our 10:30 AM service: *Grace Butz, Michayla Klein, Audrey Kuecker, Charlotte Patten, & Raegan Studer*. Congratulations Confirmands!



MARK YOUR CALENDARS

11th Annual Algona Prayer Breakfast: Join us on Thursday, May 7 at 6:30 AM for breakfast with a program from 7-7:45 AM in the Life Center. (*Free-will offering; checks payable to National Day of Prayer*)

Women's Bible Study (*Monday mornings*) has ended for the season & will resume in September.

SUPPORTING GOD'S WORK

IOWAY Donations Always Needed: hats, mittens, socks, underwear, wash cloths, soap, shampoo, toothpaste, & toothbrushes. Bring to office lobby.

Thank You to all who support God's work here at Trinity. Give online via trinityalgona.org/give, via our app, or text TrinityAlgona to 888-364-4483.

Flat Sheets and Old Tattered (well-loved) Quilts are needed by TLC Quilters. Thanks sew much for helping us help others in need!

Ways to Serve

Deliver Meals on Wheels: Please consider giving of your time to help deliver Meals on Wheels in **May**. To help, please sign up in the narthex or contact Kathy Bichel at 320-5864.



Bakers Needed! Pastries & bars are needed for Pastor's Conference here at Trinity May 4th & 5th. Kitchen help will also be needed. Please sign up in the narthex to help out! Contact Kathy Bichel (320-5864) with questions.

Education Board Members Needed! If interested, please contact Dee Dee Esser or one of the pastors.

A Food Box is located on the north side of the church. Members are invited to add food (no non-food items please) to help out those in need.



Time to Spruce Up Outside

Bring your rakes and join us April 22nd (Wednesday) at 6 PM for Trinity's spring outside clean-up day!

Greater Sign-Up Sheet is in the narthex. Please consider serving in this way.



TLC Quilters invite you to join them in the basement to help with their many projects on Tuesdays & Thursdays, anytime from 8 AM – 3 PM. No experience needed - just a willing heart!

YOUTH

Looking Ahead...

- May 3 – Last Day of Sunday School
- May 6 – Last Day of Midweek Class
- May 17 – Graduate Recognition (8:00 service)

IDW College Scholarships available for students attending an LCMS Concordia University or Seminary. Visit (idwlcms.org/forms-and-links.php) & click "Student Financial Aid". **Deadline: June 1.**

TASK Registration Materials (for PM Kgtn Prep – 5th Grade) at trinityalgona.org/task or church office. Contact Marcia (200-9047) for more info.

STAY CONNECTED

Update Contact Information (for yourself or your family) by contacting the church office.

For Emailed Bulletins & Calendars, email office@trinityalgona.org

For Flocknote Messages, text TrinityAlgona to 84576 or visit Flocknote.com/TrinityAlgona

Camp Okoboji News

Camp Okoboji Spring Volunteer Weekend is May 1-3. Share your time & talents to help us prepare camp for the busy summer ahead. Projects available for all abilities. Come for part of the time or the entire weekend – all help is appreciated! Room & board provided for volunteers! Contact the camp office (712-337-3325) for lodging arrangements & to sign up to help.



Attend Summer Camp! Jim & Kay Sparks have generously offered to cover 100% of the cost for each child attending camp this year. If your child would like to attend camp, please contact Jim Sparks (295-2943) or Michelle Stone (361-0714).

Register for Youth & Family Camp this summer at campokoboji.org or call 712-337-3325.

Camp Okoboji Summer Staff greatly needed! Youth (age 16+) and college students are invited to consider serving for an unforgettable summer at the lake. Complete application profile at nloma.org.

MISCELLANEOUS & RESOURCES

Grief Support Group - Hospice of the Heartland offering Grief Support group Wednesdays at 2 PM, Mar 25 – Apr 29 at KRHC Conf Room C.

Friendship Register Tips: Please include children (if present) as well as any family members serving during the service and be clear about which service you're attending. Be sure to greet your neighbors and welcome our visitors following the service!

Confirmation & Graduation Cards are on display in the card case area in the basement.

Learning Spanish / English to meet as arranged. Contact Lyle (320-6929) for questions / more info.

Pastoral Care on Demand - Need Prayer, Scripture, Communion, Absolution, or a listening ear? Call or text Pastor Nelson (608-464-5548) or Pastor Dose (712-790-0716) anytime for a visit.

Hospitalized? Please let us know if you or a loved one are hospitalized and would like a pastoral visit.



Building Healthy Families: Many of the challenges we face today as individuals, couples, or families are made worse by economic downturn, job loss, divorce, or other changes that make it difficult for available dollars to last to the next paycheck. Here's an important message: Don't ever let lack of finances be a barrier to calling LFS for support! A growing number of LCMS people are making monthly, quarterly, or annual gifts so that LFS can always say "Yes" when someone calls for help who doesn't have insurance or financial resources to cover the entire cost of care. LFS accepts most major insurances and offers a sliding fee scale for those without insurance. Pregnancy counseling is always provided with no fee. Don't hesitate to call. Learn more at LutheranFamilyService.org

Stewardship Moment: As the disciples recognized Jesus in the breaking of bread, we recognize Him in acts of generosity that open hearts and bring hope. *And their eyes were opened, and they recognized him. And he vanished from their sight. - Luke 24:31*



Easter Lilies - Thank you to all who supported our youth by purchasing Easter Lilies to beautify our sanctuary in memory of loved ones! Please take your lilies home today. Lilies not taken will be given away/disposed of soon.

This Week at Trinity

Sunday – (April 19)

- 8:00 am Worship with communion
- 8:00 am Live-Stream Worship (*YouTube, Facebook, Trinity App*)
- 9:15 am Sunday School / Adult Bible Class
- 10:30 am Worship with communion - **Confirmation**
- 2:00 pm LWML Spring Rally – St. Paul's, Garner
- 5:00 pm English for Spanish Speakers (*Online*)

Monday

- 7:00 am & 9:30 am **NO** Women's Bible Study (*Conference Room*)

Tuesday

- 8:30 am Quilting
- 9:00 am Sunday Worship Re-Broadcast (*MC 3, AMU 918*)
- 5:30 pm Learning Spanish (*As Arranged with Participants*)
- 7:00 pm Evening Bible Study (*Fireside Room*)

Wednesday

- 9:30 am Adult Bible Study (*Life Center*)
- 6:00 pm Spring Outside Clean-up
- 6:30 pm LYF (*Upper Room*), Midweek (*Life Center*)
- 7:30 pm Choir

Thursday

- 8:30 am Quilting

Saturday

- 5:00 pm Worship with communion

Sunday

- 8:00 am Worship with communion
- 8:00 am Live-Stream Worship (*YouTube, Facebook, Trinity App*)
- 9:15 am Sunday School (*Sanctuary*)
- 9:15 am Adult Bible Class (*Life Center*)
- 10:30 am Worship with communion
- 5:00 pm English for Spanish Speakers (*Online*)



In Our Prayers

Those Battling Cancer: Moni Westling, Terry Struecker, Vicki Piedras, Jamie PeCoy, Missy Rash, Joyce Gerber, Ian Shankland, Frank Rusch, Wayne Anderson, Connie Moss, Julie Mack, Ryan McGuire, Jason Breig, Jane Nettleton

Ongoing Health Concerns: Ernie Wolter, Zayn Feaster, Doris Meyer, Joyce Grandgenett, Scott Narveson, Scarlet Baker, Iris Hackbarth, Delores Glawe, John Holt, Vicki Boelman, Gene Sorenson, Pastor Bruce Boyce, Etta Pergande, Bill Dau, Gladys Johnson, Janine Kraft

Thanksgiving for Birth: Jack Henry on April 13 – son of Maria (Zeller) & Josh Edwards

Confirmands: Grace Butz, Michayla Klein, Audrey Kuecker, Charlotte Patten, & Raegan Studer

Trinity Shut-Ins

Trinity / St. John's Partnership

Trinity's Missionaries & Missions

Peace & Unity for our Nation

Collect of the Day: O God, through the humiliation of Your Son You raised up the fallen world. Grant to Your faithful people, rescued from the peril of everlasting death, perpetual gladness and eternal joys; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.



Stewardship Report for 4/12/26

Attendance: 133 (8:00) – 75 (10:30)

Weekly Giving: \$ 7,281.90

Weekly Budget: \$ 12,793.00

"THEY RECOGNIZED HIM IN THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD."



WWW.AGNUSDAY.ORG

YEAH, IT'S A MYSTERIOUS SENTENCE.



IT'S NOT CLEAR TO US HOW THAT ACTUALLY WORKED.



OH, I KNOW HOW IT WORKS! THE PASTOR SAYS "THIS IS MY BODY" AND THERE HE IS! I RECOGNIZE JESUS EVERY TIME!



LUKE 24:13-35