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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

MediaCom Ch. 3
AMU Ch. 918
Tuesday 9 AM



Trinity Lutheran Church

Algona, Iowa | Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod



Connecting
our Community
with Christ



Fourth Sunday of Easter

Sunday, April 26, 2026

Preacher: Pastor Briton Nelson

Organist: Pam Gogerty

Choir Director: Courtney Mondragon

5:00 PM

Elder: Jay Bjustrom

8:00 AM

Greeters: Janet Wiltgen

Elders: Dale Yunginger, Matt Gerdis

Acolytes: Beckett Riedesel, Emma McGuire

Reader: Chandra McMahan

10:30 AM

Greeters: *Volunteer Needed*

Elders: Douglas McGuire, Aaron Siefken

Acolytes: Audrey Kuecker, Karsyn Riggert

Reader: *Volunteer Needed*



Ushers: Marlyn Helmers

Max Kading

Cohen Thilges

Volunteer Needed

Ushers: Kevin Rash

Pete Waltz

Jeff Wittkopf

Volunteer Needed

Altar Flowers: Joanne Leek (*in memory of Toots & Alan*)

Lift High the Cross Sponsors: Jayme & Melissa Lentz



TRINITY ALGONA

NEWS & NOTES FOR APRIL 26, 2026

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*)

Afternoon LWML meets May 7 at 1:30 PM. Alona Berte & Laurel Anderson hosting. Please bring diapers/wipes for District Convention ingathering.

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



SUPPORTING GOD'S WORK

"Muffins for Mites" - Support Trinity's LWML Evening Circle by joining us for muffins & coffee during Bible Study between services **TODAY**. A mite box is available for donations to support their mission work, including local & global missions, community outreach, and service projects.

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

Meals on Wheels Drivers this

Week: Kate Samp, Kathy Bichel, & Joy Long.

Drivers are Still Needed 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.

Greeter 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)

May 19 – Last Day of TASK

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.**

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: *"I have learned now that while those who speak about one's miseries usually hurt, those who keep silence hurt more."* (C.S. Lewis) If you're alive and old enough to read this, you've probably experienced the deep pain of losing someone you love. The Gospel, God's

ministering through His Spirit, the support of a pastor, and the love of family & friends help us heal. But sometimes – for a variety of important reasons – the pain of grief doesn't resolve and we feel stuck. If this is true for you or someone you know, call us. Lutheran Family Service offers specialized care for complicated or unresolved grief that will help. Learn more at LutheranFamilyService.org

Stewardship Moment: The Good Shepherd provides abundantly; in thanksgiving, we manage His blessings to care for others in His name. *"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want."* - Psalm 23:1



Last Call for Lilies – Leftover Easter Lilies are located in the office lobby and may be taken home (even if you did not purchase one). Remaining lilies will be disposed of Monday.



THANK YOU!

Heartfelt Thanks! Jade and I were overwhelmed by the love and support from our congregations during the baby shower. Thank you to everyone who helped plan, attended, and continues to pray for us. We are so excited for everyone to meet our new child! Pastor, Jade, and Autumn Nelson

Your Response was Phenomenal!!! Thank you to all who stepped up for the "40 Days Challenge"! Donated items have already been dispersed & cash distributions will be determined at our May meeting.

Thank You to everyone who helped with outside Spring clean up this week!



This Week at Trinity

Sunday – (April 26)

- 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*)
- 5:00 pm SPARK

Monday

- 7:00 am & 9:30 am **NO** Women's Bible Study

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*)
- 6:30 pm LYF (*Upper Room*), Midweek (*Life Center*)
- 7:00 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, Douglas McGuire, 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, Pastor Bruce Boyce, Etta Pergande, Bill Dau, Gladys Johnson, Janine Kraft

Thanksgiving for Birth: Baylor Lee on April 14 – daughter of Ashton (Nyman) & Brent Butcher of Grinnell (grandparents Arlen & Janet Nyman)

Trinity Shut-Ins

Trinity / St. John's Partnership

Trinity's Missionaries & Missions

Peace & Unity for our Nation

Collect of the Day: Almighty God, merciful Father, since You have wakened from death the Shepherd of Your sheep, grant us Your Holy Spirit that when we hear the voice of our Shepherd we may know Him who calls us each by name and follow where He leads; through the same Jesus Christ, Your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.



...LEADS A GIVER'S HEART TO JESUS

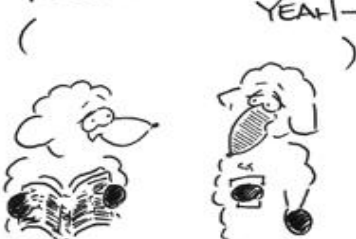
Stewardship Report for 4/19/26

Attendance: 37 (5:00) – 114 (8:00) – 157 (10:30)

Weekly Giving: \$ 8,450.59

Weekly Budget: \$ 12,793.00

I LOVE THE 23RD PSALM.



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THAT GOD COULD BRING US TO A PLACE WHERE WE CAN EVEN DINE WITH OUR ENEMIES...



WHOA! ARE YOU OUT OF YOUR MIND? THAT'S NOT IN THERE!



CONVERSION OF...

THANKS