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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
(KLGA 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

We have resumed our traditional Sunday Worship schedule of 8 & 10:30 am (holiday exceptions). Saturday Worship will continue at 5 pm (some exceptions).

Trinity Lutheran Church

Algona, Iowa | Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod



All Saints' Day

Sunday, November 1, 2026

Preacher: Pastor Ben Dose
Organist: Pam Gogerty
Choir Director: Courtney Mondragon
Soloist: Courtney Mondragon
Viola: Hannah Dose



5:00 PM
Elder: Jay Bjustrom

8:00 AM
Greeters: Paul & Marcia Kenne
Elders: Kurt Hankins, Dale Yunginger
Acolytes: Aidan Waugh, Emmet Wolter
Reader: Ann Walker
Ushers: Jason DePue, Nick DePue, Randy Roeber, *Volunteer Needed*

10:30 AM
Greeters: *Volunteer Needed*
Elders: Matt Gerdis, Duane Berninghaus
Acolytes: Ella Lauck, Natalee Hoover
Reader: Jayme Lentz
Ushers: Greg Penning, Aaron Siefken, John Studer, Scott Ziesman

Altar Flowers: Aaron & Kellie Siefken
Lift High the Cross Sponsors: Paul & Chandra McMahon

TRINITY ALGONA
NEWS & NOTES FOR NOVEMBER 1, 2026

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Afternoon LWML meets Thurs, Nov 5, 1:30 PM. Jeff Priebe hosting.

Evening LWML meets Thurs, Nov 5, 6:30 PM.



Grinchy Christmas Quilt Silent Auction will be November 6-19 featuring Grinch & Dr. Seuss quilts (with books), stockings, and pillowcases. Visit the office lobby to start your Christmas shopping early! Sponsored by the TLC Quilters. Proceeds will update Sunday School rooms. If questions, contact Barb Bitterman (341-1936) or Wanda Schwier (712-229-1917).

***RUTH* Women's Bible Study** is Monday mornings, 7 **OR** 9:30 AM in the Life Center Conference Room. Please contact Jane Dreyer (320-0490) if questions.

Tuesday Bible Study is studying ***JONAH*** on Tuesday evenings at 7 PM in the Fireside Room.



SUPPORTING GOD'S WORK

Christmas Tree Needed *(approx. 4-5' tall)* for Children's Christmas Program Dec 20. Would like to have tree early December for preparations. Contact Katie Patten (341-2623) for more info or to share tree. Thanks for helping make this special event memorable for our children!

Giving Envelopes Changes: If you'd like to begin receiving envelopes; or if you have envelopes but no longer need them, please contact the office.

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

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

Endowment Mercy Fund: For more info, please speak a Pastor or Endowment Steward.

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.

E-Giving: Missing a Sunday? Try online giving! Access at trinityalgona.org/give or scan this QR code and follow the instructions!

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.

Ways to Serve

A Custodial Position will be opening at the end of the year. Please contact Bahne Struecker (320-5062) for more info or to apply.



Time to get Ready for Winter! Join us on Saturday, November 7 at 9:30 AM for our **Fall Clean-Up Day.** Bring your rakes!



Like to Paint? Volunteers are needed to help paint the basement Sunday School rooms. If interested, please contact Barb Bitterman (341-1936) or Wanda Schwier (712-229-1917).



2027 Church Volunteer Lists – Additional Volunteers Needed! If you'd like to serve, make adjustments, or be taken off the 2027 schedules (or if you have questions), please contact the appropriate coordinator:

Ushers: Merrill Friedrich 320-4739
Greeters: Michelle Stone 361-0714
Altar Guild: Kate Samp 320-4797
Lay Readers: Church office 295-3518
Funeral Ushers: Church office 295-3518

If you would like to serve in any other way, please contact the church office so we can connect you with the appropriate person! Thank you to all who serve to help our services run more smoothly!

Sponsor Altar Flowers or Lift High the Cross radio broadcast for 2027 – sign up in the narthex



TASK Volunteers are Needed to help with our After School Program, 3:45 to 5:30 pm on school days, **especially on Wednesdays & Fridays**. Contact Marcia Kenne (200-9047) to volunteer.

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!



Funeral Ushers Needed! Contact the church office or Dale Yunginger (341-0632) to volunteer or 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 . Bulletins & calendars are also available on our website under "livestream".

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

YOUTH

Cherub Choir will sing on November 8.



Calling All Middle School or High School Musicians! Do you play an instrument or have a musical talent you'd like to share? We're looking for students interested in providing pre-service music before our Children's Christmas Program on December 20. This is a wonderful opportunity to use your gifts to help prepare hearts for the celebration of Christ's birth. If interested in participating, please contact Katie Patten for more information.

MISCELLANEOUS & RESOURCES

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!**



Reminder! Please remember to turn off lights when you are last to leave a room or area in the church. Thank you for helping to care for our facility and resources!

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.

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

Building Healthy Families: *More Than Just Saying "Thank You!"* Veterans Day provides an opportunity to thank the men and women who have served our country. But for some veterans, the challenges of military service don't end when they return home. Depression, post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD), and adjusting to civilian life can affect veterans and their families long after military service ends. This Veterans Day, let's do more than simply say "thank you." Let's show our appreciation! Do you know a veteran in your congregation, neighborhood, or community? Invite your family to think of a special way to show thanks. Write a note, share a homemade treat, invite them for coffee, or simply take time to listen to their stories—if they'd like to share. Show a veteran this week that their service is not forgotten, their sacrifices are appreciated, and they are valued and loved. LutheranFamilyService.org

Stewardship Moment: Grounded in the beatitudes of Christ, we receive His gifts with humility and use them in love for the vulnerable and needy. *"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven."– Matthew 5:3*

This Week at Trinity

Sunday – (November 1) **All Saints' Day**
8:00 am Worship
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
7:00 pm English for Spanish Speakers *(Google Meet)*

Monday
7:00 am & 9:30 am Women's Bible Study *(Conference Room)*

Tuesday
8:30 am Quilting
9:00 am Sunday Worship Re-Broadcast (*MC 3, AMU 918)*
1:15 pm Homestead Communion
7:00 pm Evening Bible Study *(Fireside Room)*

Wednesday
9:30 am Adult Bible Study *(Life Center)*
4:00 pm Learning Spanish *(As Arranged with Participants)*
6:00 pm Bell Choir *(Sanctuary)*
6:30 pm Midweek *(Life Center)* / LYF *(Upper Room)*
7:00 pm Choir *(Sanctuary)*



Thursday
8:30 am Quilting
1:30 pm Afternoon LWML
6:30 pm Evening LWML

Saturday
9:30 am Fall Cleanup
5:00 pm Worship

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In Our Prayers

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

Ongoing Health Concerns: Janette Zittritsch, Etta Pergande, Paul Smith, Jill Hoch, Doug Moss, Elora Nelson, Blair Sorenson, Stacy Metzen, Joyce Grandgenett, Scott Narveson, Scarlet Baker, Iris Hackbarth, Delores Glawe, Vicki Boelman, Pastor Bruce Boyce, Etta Pergande, Bill Dau, Janine Kraft

Hospitalized Following a Fall: Merril Friedrich

Trinity Shut-Ins

Trinity / St. John's Partnership

Trinity's Missionaries & Missions

Peace & Unity for our Nation

Collect of the Day: Almighty and everlasting God, You knit together Your faithful people of all times and places into one holy communion, the mystical body of Your Son, Jesus Christ. Grant us so to follow Your blessed saints in all virtuous and godly living that, together with them, we may come to the unspeakable joys You have prepared for those who love You; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

Christian Stewardship
...LEADS A GIVER'S HEART TO JESUS

Stewardship Report for 10/25/26

Attendance: 20 *(5:00)* **– 138** *(8:00)* **– 77** *(10:30)*
Weekly Giving: $ 8,724.60
Weekly Budget: $ 12,793.00

