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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

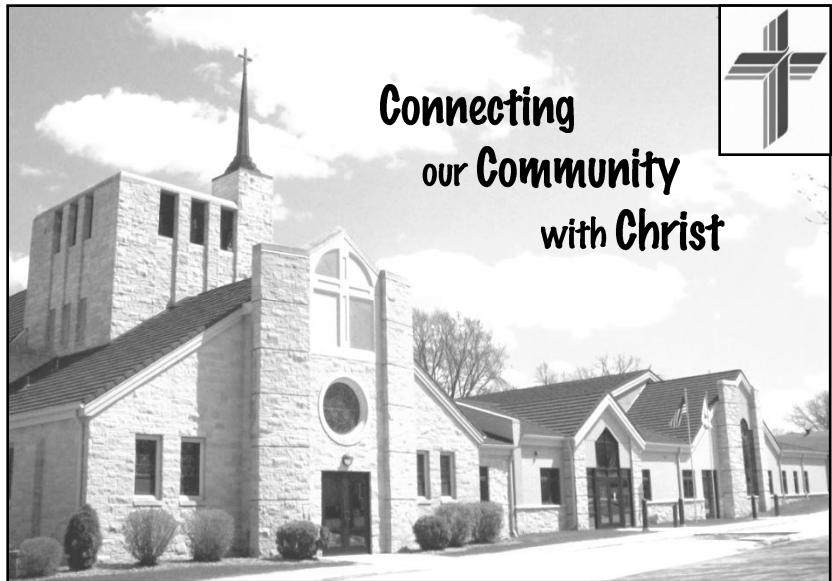
Trinity on TV

MediaCom Ch. 3
AMU Ch. 918
Tuesday 9 AM



Trinity Lutheran Church

Algona, Iowa | Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod



**Connecting
our Community
with Christ**



Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost Sunday, September 13, 2026

Preacher: Pastor Briton Nelson

Organist: Pam Gogerty

5:00 PM

Elder: Aaron Siefken

8:00 AM

Greeters: Paul & Marcia Kenne

Elders: Matt Gerdis, Kurt Hankins

Acolytes: Jraven Bell, Braxton Hager

Reader: *Volunteer Needed*

Ushers: Larry Hudson

Dale Yunginger

Volunteer Needed

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10:30 AM – Rally Day (on South Lawn)

Elders: Pete Waltz

Altar Flowers: Al & Nancy Jameson (*anniversary*)

Lift High the Cross Sponsors: Terry & Deb Meyer

(*in memory of George & Thelma Knoer*)

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TRINITY ALGONA

NEWS & NOTES FOR SEPTEMBER 13, 2026

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Sunday School Rally Day is at **10:30 AM**

Today (Sept 13) on the south lawn – meal will be **potluck**. We'll still have our regular weekend worship at 5 PM Saturday and 8 AM Sunday with Adult Bible Class at 9:15, but no Sunday School.



Women's Bible Study begins Monday, September 21 at 7 **OR** 9:30 AM in the Life Center Conference Room to study *RUTH*, "*A story of ordinary people in Bethlehem making the most of their bad situation – and finding God in the midst of it.*" Not sure... come join us and then decide! Please contact Jane Dreyer (320-0490) if you have questions or if you'd like to join us... we'd love to study *RUTH* with you!

New Member Welcome Recognition! We've recently added to our flock and we'd like to recognize these new members on September 27 at all services (new members only need to come to one service). We will also allow for fellowship time during Adult Bible Class to get acquainted.

Our Traditional Sunday Worship Schedule of 8:00 & 10:30 AM has resumed (holiday exceptions). Saturday worship continues at 5 PM (except during advent, lent, holiday, & wedding weekends).

SUPPORTING GOD'S WORK

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.

Woo Hoo!

2026 Mission Goals All missions goals have been met for this year. Thank you to all who have been supporting our missions!

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!

An Endowment Mercy Fund has been established as a way for our congregation to carry out Christ-centered mercy toward members of our congregation and those in our community who are facing times of hardship. For more information, please speak with one of our Pastors 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!



Ways to Serve

Task Volunteers are Needed to help with our TASK (Trinity After School for Kids) Program. TASK operates from 3:45 to 5:30 pm on school days following the Algona Community School calendar. Help out for a portion of a shift, an entire shift, or even multiple days! No experience needed – bring a friend to help! Middle School & High School students can earn cord hours the easy way – playing with kids! Contact Marcia Kenne (200-9047) for more information or to volunteer.
Sign-up sheet located in the narthex!

Make a
Joyful
noise
Unto
The
Lord!

Love Making a Joyful Noise? Trinity's choir & handbell choir will soon begin Wednesday evening rehearsals. We'd love to have you join us! If interested or you have questions, contact Pam Gogerty (341-4700) for choir or Donna Gadbury (341-0735) for bells.



IOWAY – Pasadena Trip: Decorate the Lutheran Hour float for the Rose Parade December 28 – January 3. Information sheets and registration forms are available in narthex.

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

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!



Harvest Table: Garden produce is available in the office lobby. Members may take any produce from this table for their personal use. Share God's bounty!



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.



Funeral Ushers Needed! This is not a rotation; you would be contacted when funerals arise to check your availability. Contact the church office or Dale Yunginger (341-0632) to volunteer or for more information.

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

TASK (Trinity After School for Kids) has begun for students Kindergarten Prep (PM) – 5th Grade. Find registration materials at trinityalgona.org/task or from the church office. Contact Marcia (200-9047) for more information.

Register for Sunday School, Midweek, SPARK, CIA, & LYF at trinityalgona.org/kids.

IDW Jr High Youth Gathering is October 24-25. Registration & \$50 deposit **due Sept 16**. **Adult Chaperones** needed. Contact Melissa (320-4661).

Adult Leaders needed for Upper Room Team. Contact Melissa (320-4661) or a pastor.

MISCELLANEOUS & RESOURCES

Algona Rotary's Annual Flight Breakfast will be Sunday, September 20 from 7am to 12:30 pm at the Algona Airport. Free Will Donation.

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!**

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

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

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.



Building Healthy Families: Want to be closer to your spouse, children, or grandchildren?

Praying as a couple or as a family is one of the most powerful and intimate things you can do together. Start simply by praying for things you're thankful for, things you need, or things you're worried about. Pray for people you know who are struggling. If you're not currently praying aloud together, consider the many positive impacts of doing so. You will be drawn closer to God, and to each other. Find a creative, practical, and free downloadable resource for fun ways to build prayer into you and your family's daily life, created by our friends at Concordia Center for the Family at concordiafamilystore.org/resources/p/family-prayer-handout. LutheranFamilyService.org

Stewardship Moment: Having received abundant mercy & forgiveness from God, we reflect His grace by forgiving others & showing compassion.

"Lord, how often will my brother sin against me, and I forgive him? As many as seven times?" Jesus said to him, "I do not say to you seven times, but seventy-seven times." – Matthew 18: 21–22



This Week at Trinity

Sunday – (September 13)

8:00 am Worship

8:00 am Live-Stream Worship (*YouTube, Facebook, Trinity App*)

9:15 am Adult Bible Class (*Life Center*)

10:30 am Worship – Rall Day (*South Lawn*)

11:30 am Rally Day Potluck

7:00 pm English for Spanish Speakers (*Google Meet*)

Tuesday

8:30 am Quilting

9:00 am Sunday Worship Re-Broadcast (*MC 3, AMU 918*)

6:00 pm Board of Ed Meeting

7:00 pm Youth Board Meeting

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*)

6:30 pm Midweek (*Life Center*)

6:30 pm LYF Kick-off Party

Thursday

8:30 am Quilting

5:45 pm Community Care

6:30 pm Boards / Committees

7:30 pm Church Council

Saturday

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: Jill Hoch, Doug Moss, Elora Nelson, Blair Sorenson, Stacy Metzen, Zayn Feaster, Joyce Grandgenett, Scott Narveson, Scarlet Baker, Iris Hackbarth, Delores Glawe, Vicki Boelman, Pastor Bruce Boyce, Etta Pergande, Bill Dau, Janine Kraft

Trinity Shut-Ins

Trinity / St. John's Partnership

Trinity's Missionaries & Missions

Peace & Unity for our Nation

Collect of the Day: O God, our refuge and strength, the author of all godliness, hear the devout prayers of Your Church, especially in times of persecution, and grant that what we ask in faith we may obtain; through Jesus Christ, our Lord, who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.



Stewardship Report for 9/6/26

Attendance: 222 (9:00)

Weekly Giving: \$ 8,721.05

Weekly Budget: \$ 12,793.00

WHAT IF JOSEPH HADN'T FORGIVEN THEM?



I SUPPOSE THAT'S A POSSIBILITY.



BUT MY HUNCH IS WE WOULDN'T HAVE THIS STORY IF HE HADN'T.



THE EDITOR ALWAYS GETS THAT LAST WORD, DON'T THEY.



ESPECIALLY THIS ONE.

