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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

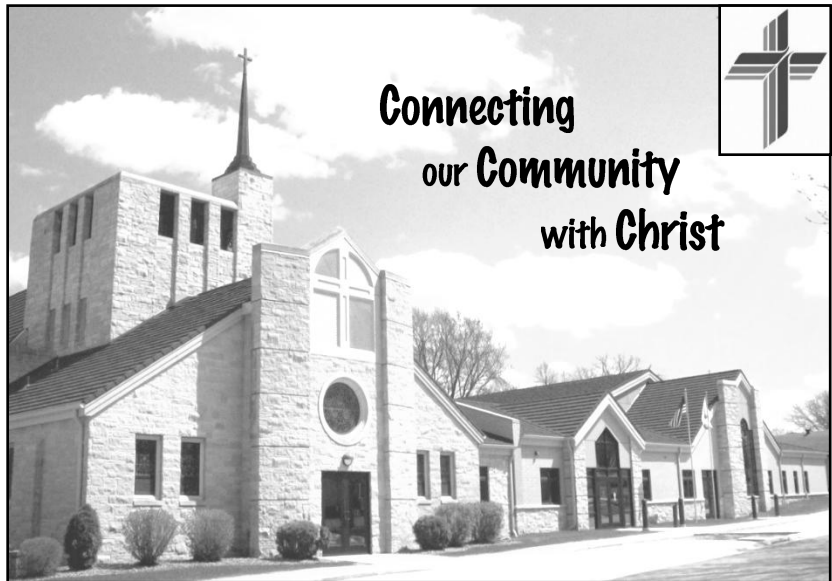
Trinity on TV

MediaCom Ch. 3
AMU Ch. 918
Tuesday 9 AM



Trinity Lutheran Church

Algona, Iowa | Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod



Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost Sunday, September 20, 2026

Preacher: Pastor Briton Nelson

Organist: Pam Gogerty

5:00 PM

Elder: Jay Bjustrom

8:00 AM

Greeters: Kurt & Lynette Hankins

Elders: Daryl Thompson, John Kern

Acolytes: Aidan Waugh, Beckett Riedesel

Reader: Chandra McMahon

Ushers: Larry Hudson

Dale Yunginger

Volunteer Needed

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10:30 AM

Greeters: Etta Pergande

Elders: Duane Berninghaus, Aaron Siefken

Acolytes: Zoe McGuire, Jayda Wittkopf

Reader: Melissa Lentz

Ushers: Al Gaedke

Levi Trauger

Volunteer Needed

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Altar Flowers: Janet Wiltgen (*in memory of Marilyn Simpson*)

Lift High the Cross Sponsors: Steve & Wanda Schwier

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TRINITY ALGONA

NEWS & NOTES FOR SEPTEMBER 20, 2026

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

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.

Life Chain 2026 in Algona (sponsored by Kossuth County Right to Life), will be Sunday, October 5th from 2-3 PM. Rain or shine, please meet at **1:30 PM** in Louscher's parking lot (310 E. Call St). Signs provided. This is an international hour of prayer for our nation and a peaceful, legal, & compassionate public witness on behalf of the unborn at risk of elective abortion. LIFE CHAIN participants will stand and pray on the sidewalks of major roadways in cities across the nation and Canada.

A New Member Class will be held **Tuesday evenings** at 6:30 PM, Oct 6 – Dec 15 for anyone interested in becoming a member of Trinity or St. John's as well as those who just want to brush up on the basics of their faith! Sign up in the narthex.

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.

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 those in our congregation and our community facing times of hardship. For more info, please speak a Pastors or Endowment Steward.

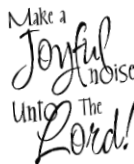
Thank You to all who support God's work here at Trinity. Give online via trinityalgona.org/give, via our app, or text TrinityAlgona to 888-364-4483.

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!**



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. **Choir begins Wed, Sept 23 at 7 pm in sanctuary.**



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@trinityalgonalga.org. Bulletins & calendars are also available on our website under "livestream".

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

YOUTH

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

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

Orders for Halloween Hoagies will be collected through October 4 for pick-up October 14 or 18. Order forms in narthex - **Support our Youth!**

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: Do you find that hurtful or disrespectful words sometimes come out of your mouth as you interact with your spouse or family? If so, know that continuing this habit unchecked is damaging to your relationships in ways that you might not even realize. Try memorizing this verse and call it to mind when you are tempted to bite at someone you love this week: *May the words of my mouth and the meditation of my heart be pleasing to you, O Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer. (Psalm 19:14)* You – and your relationships – will be better for it! LutheranFamilyService.org

Stewardship Moment: Recognizing that all we have belongs to God, we rejoice in His radical grace and respond with generous lives toward others. *"Am I not allowed to do what I choose with what belongs to me? Or do you begrudge my generosity?" – Matthew 20:15*



This Week at Trinity

Sunday – (September 20)

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*)

Tuesday

8:30 am Quilting

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

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 **NO** LYF (*Upper Room*)

7:00 pm Choir (*Sanctuary*) 🎵

Thursday

8:30 am Quilting

Saturday

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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

Baptism Thanksgiving: Gabriella Tello, daughter of Katelyn Presthus & Dominick Tello

Trinity Shut-Ins

Trinity / St. John's Partnership

Trinity's Missionaries & Missions

Peace & Unity for our Nation

Collect of the Day: Lord God, heavenly Father, since we cannot stand before You relying on anything we have done, help us trust in Your abiding grace and live according to Your Word; through Jesus Christ, Your Son, 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: 31 (5:00) – 116 (8:00) – 111 (10:30)

Weekly Giving: \$ 12,431.26

Weekly Budget: \$ 12,793.00

