

Welcome!

We are glad you are here! It is our sincere prayer that you will sense God's presence as you worship with us today. Our worship service is also broadcast live each week on WHTC radio (1450AM).

- Nursery is provided for infants through 3 year olds. Ask a greeter to direct you.
- Sunday School for ages 3 - adult is offered every Sunday from 11 am - noon.
- High School Youth Group meets every Sunday from 6 - 8 pm.
- Middle School Youth Group meets every Wednesday from 6:30 - 8 pm.

Please take a moment to sign the fellowship register during the offertory. If you are our guest, we would be delighted to send you information about Trinity Church.

If there is any way we can serve you, please do not hesitate to contact the church office (396-6526).

Meet the Pastoral Staff

Rev. Chris DeGraaf, Pastor
(chris@trinityrc.org)

Nancy Smith, Calling Pastor

Prayer Corner

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND PRAISE

- Happy Birthday to the following Trinity members who will be celebrating this week: Judy Groteler (4/27), Bill VanAuken (4/27), Chuck Cherrie (4/28), Jan VanAuken (4/28), Randy Busscher (4/29), Katie Stroop (4/29), Doug Schurman (5/2), Steve Schurman (5/2) and Arlene VandenBosch (5/2).
- Happy Anniversary this week to Andy & Audrey Behrmann (4/27), Gunther & Jeanette Olbrich (4/27) and Lynn & Phyllis Post (5/2).
- Congratulations to Kelsey Bos and Josh Reinhart who were engaged last weekend! They are planning a June 2011 wedding.

PRAYERS FOR HEALTH & HEALING

- Continued prayers are requested for Cheri Bos, Arie Mast, Mary VanMalsen, Alice VerSchure, Lucile Kooyers, Alice Kuyers, Fos Kooyers, Gunther & Jeanette Olbrich, Lynda Simmons, Marv Kroll, Bob & Janet Oosterbaan, Herm & Elaine Slager and Elizabeth, sister of Chuck Cherrie.

After Hours Emergency Telephone Number

396-6526

(press 2 & leave a message)

Prayer Corner

**PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH,
COMMUNITY, COUNTRY, WORLD**

- Please keep Irene Simonson and her family in special prayer. Irene is not doing well, and she is nearing the end of her struggle with Lou Gehrig's Disease. Pray for peace and comfort for Irene and the entire family.
- Bernice Derksen is Trinity's special care senior of the week. Please send cards and notes to: Resthaven Care Center, 280 W 40th St., Holland MI 49423.
- Adam Bird, cousin of Kevin Vollema is Trinity's serviceperson of the week. Adam serves in the Army Infantry.
- Kayla Borgman is Trinity's post high student of the week. Kayla is a student at Hope College. Her address is Champion Apartment #1, 36 W 12th St., Holland MI 49423 or contact her at kaylaborgman.blogspot.com.
- Rev. Linn Gann is Trinity's missionary for the month of April. Linn first traveled to India in 1998 to bring donations to Geegh Nursery School, which her great aunt, Mary Geegh, started as an RCA missionary. Since 2004 Linn has served through the RCA Mission Volunteer Program, building bridges between the Church of South India (CSI), RCA churches, businesses & individuals to provide programs & services that equip & empower the marginalized people of South India. Linn's key areas of focus are education to help break the cycle of poverty, empowerment through micro-enterprise initiatives, skills training & job creation, and the development of projects that promote a culture of mutual respect.

Trinity Reformed Church

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April 25, 2010

We Approach God

Welcoming Music Brethren, We Have Met to Worship (Haan)
Judy Koeman, Organist

Welcome and Greeting

Opening Prayer

Call to Worship Psalm 148:1-6

Songs of Praise *Here I Am to Worship* Praise Team/Congregation
All Creatures of Our God and King

Mission Update Holland Rescue Mission/Camp Rock Joe Guerra

Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer

Special Music All the Earth Will Sing Your Praises Praise Team

We Hear God's Word

Children's Message

Hymn *O How I Love Jesus (509)*

Scripture Reading Haggai 1:1-15

Message The House of God Rev. Chris DeGraaf

We Respond to God

Offering Jesus, The Very Thought of Thee (Haan)

Prayer of Blessing

Closing Song *Alleluia*

Departing Blessing

Departing Music *My Friends, May You Grow in Grace*

Ministry Highlights

This Morning Joe Guerra from the Holland Rescue Mission and Camp Rock is our special guest. God has blessed Joe with the opportunity to move into the mission as a missionary to the youth of Holland. We have the opportunity to hear Joe's story & learn of ways to support the mission and Joe's ministry there.

Worship Coordinator - Trinity Church is seeking a part-time Worship Coordinator who will work as a visionary leader to develop, equip, motivate and empower teams and leaders for worship, music, drama, technology and congregational singing. Applications will be accepted through the end of May. Updates will be given as the search process continues.

Birthdays and Anniversaries - Beginning today, all Trinity family birthdays and anniversaries for the week will be listed in the prayer corner of the bulletin, so that we may celebrate these special days with each other. Please contact the office with any additions or corrections you may be aware of. Thank you!

Church Directory - An updated name and address directory is in your church mailbox. An "in house" picture directory will be published in the near future, but your help is needed. If you did not submit a picture last fall for the "Welcome DeGraaf Family" publication, we need a picture of you. Please see the cover page of the name & address directory for more details. Thank you!

RCA Today Magazine - The current issue of RCA Today is available at the information counter by the office.

Youth and Kids Ministry

Only a Couple of Weeks Left! If you have a child/children who will be attending a Christian camp this summer, be sure to contact Dan Kriuthof before May 15. Trinity Church will pay 50% of the fee for an approved Christian camp (up to \$150.00), but requests **MUST** be submitted by May 15. After May 15, 25% of the camp cost will be covered. Questions? Call the church office (396-6526) or see Dan Kruithof.

Adult Ministry

100th Anniversary Celebration! There is still time for you to be a part of the Trinity 100th Anniversary Celebration planning team. The following meeting dates have been set: May 11, June 8, August 10 and September 14. All meetings are at 7 pm. If you have questions or need more information, please see Amanda Schurman, Brenda Busscher or Pastor Chris DeGraaf.

Family Ministry

Church Clean Up Day - On Saturday, May 1 everyone is invited to spend the morning "sprucing up" the church - inside and out. We will begin with breakfast at 8 am. There will be opportunities for everyone to be involved - bring the whole family! We will be done around noon. For breakfast planning purposes, please sign up **TODAY** at the information counter near the office. Questions? See Pastor Chris, Rick Fisher or give the office a call (396-6526).

CROP Walk 2010 - Thank you to all who participated yesterday in the Holland-Zeeland CROP Hunger Walk. If you missed Saturday's walk, you can still walk today at 1:30 pm at Beechwood Reformed Church. Food and money collected will make a difference in the lives of many around the world.

All Church Hot Dog Roast - Sign up now for an evening of food & fun on May 16 at 5:30 pm. here at church. Hot dogs, baked beans, potato salad, chips and frozen desserts will be provided. All you need to bring is a lawn chair & hot dog roasting forks if you have them. In case of rain, we will move inside to the gym. Don't miss out!!

Community Ministry

Do you have unwanted items that you'd like to get rid of? The Lakeshore Pregnancy Center is having a Benefit Yard Sale Friday April 30. Please drop donated items at the center at 339 S. River Ave. (14th St. & River) between 9am-5pm Mon-Thurs. You can help us make a difference in the community!

Coming up on Groundwork: Faith and Skepticism - It's easy for Christians to project the image of being all put together, of having all the answers. We don't want to share a message with others and admit that there are areas of confusion and doubt. In the upcoming series we're going to push some of the limits and engage in healthy discussion about the hard questions of our Christian faith. Tune in to WJQK 99.3 FM on Sundays at 7 am and WPNW 1260 AM on Sundays at 8 am and 5 pm, or listen online at GroundworkOnline.com.

Thank You

From Milt and Cheri Bos

Thank you Trinity, for all of the cards, letters, food, help, expressions of concern and most of all for the prayers in these last months. After a difficult surgery, it is amazing how quickly and how well Cheri is mending, and we both know that the members of Trinity contributed to our well-being in so many ways. Please continue to pray for us as we wait these next few months for all of the little hurdles and progress reports we will have to overcome. Trinity is such a blessing in our lives!

From The People Care Team

Thank you to everyone for all the food you brought to the all church potluck last Sunday. Thank you also to those who set up, helped in the kitchen and cleaned up. It was very much appreciated. It was a great turn out and a wonderful time of good food and fellowship.

From Heather Carson

I am extremely thankful to Trinity Church for your financial support for my summer internship with the Holland Rescue Mission Camp Rock. Please continue to pray for me and the entire Camp Rock staff, as well as the children who will be attending this summer. Thank you again!

This Week at Trinity

TODAY, APRIL 25

Worship, **9:30 am**

Sunday School for All Ages, **11 am**

High School Youth Group, **6 pm**

MONDAY, APRIL 26

Lydia/Ruth Circle, **9 am**

Cub Scout Meeting, **6 pm**

Trinity Men's Chorus Practice, **7 pm**

TUESDAY, APRIL 27

Pastoral Care Coordinator Meeting,
10 am

Adult Bible Study, **2 pm**

Home School Gym Time, **3 pm**

Men's Basketball, **7 pm**

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28

Men's Bible Study at

Western Seminary, **6:30 am**

Middle School Youth Group

End of Year Party, **6 pm**

Adult Choir Practice, **6:45 pm**

THURSDAY, APRIL 29

Women of the Word, **9:30 am**

Home School Gym Time, **11 am**

FRIDAY, APRIL 30

Middle School Lock-In, **7 pm**

SATURDAY, MAY 1

Church Breakfast & Clean Up Day,
8 am

Middle School Lock-In Concludes,
8:30 am

SUNDAY, MAY 2

Worship & Communion, **9:30 am**

Sunday School for All Ages, **11 am**

High School Youth Group

End of Year Beach Night, **5 pm**

Today's Servers

Greeters: Arlyne VanderWoude & Barb Bolks

Ushers: Del Kuipers & John Houting

Paul VanderStarre & Dan Kruithof

Nursery: Bob & Barb Long

Servers for May 2

Greeters: Merle & Alyda Boes

Ushers: Rob & Jeanne Dannenberg

Ed Borgman & Lara Helmus

Nursery: Anne VanderZiel & Laura VanderStarre