

Meet the Pastoral Staff

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Nancy Smith, Calling Pastor

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).

This Week at Trinity

TODAY, JANUARY 31

Worship, **9:30 am**
Praise Team Practice, **11 am**
Sunday School for All Ages, **11 am**
Middle School Returns from Retreat, **1:30 pm**
High School Youth Group, **6 pm**

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 1

Wavecrest Basketball Practice, **3:30 pm**
Finance & Stewardship Meeting, **7 pm**

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 2

Prayer Group Meeting, **10 am**
Adult Bible Study, **2 pm**
Home School Gym Time, **3 pm**
Men's Basketball, **7 pm**

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 3

Men's Bible Study at Western Seminary, **6:30 am**
Wavecrest Basketball Practice, **3:30 pm**
Middle School Youth Group, **6:30 pm**
Adult Choir Practice, **6:45 pm**

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 4

Women of the Word, **9:30 am**
Home School Gym Time, **11 am**
Community Kitchen @
Western Seminary, **11 am**

Consistory Meeting, **7 pm**

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 7

Worship & Communion, **9:30 am**
Praise Team Practice, **11 am**
Sunday School for All Ages, **11 am**
High School Youth Group, **6 pm**

Prayer Corner

PRAYERS OF SYMPATHY

- Sincere sympathy to Doris Welling & the Welling family, and Arlene & Marv VandenBosch on the passing of Pete Welling on January 24.
- Sincere sympathy to Ted & Muncie Boeve on the recent passing of Ted's sister, Delores Cliffman.

PRAYERS FOR HEALTH & HEALING

- Rachel Kleis underwent successful surgery on her pituitary gland last week in Ann Arbor.
- Julaine Knap underwent recent skin cancer surgery. She will have additional surgery in the near future.
- Lucile Kooyers is undergoing therapy at The Inn at Freedom Village.
- Elwood Rycenga continues with therapy at Resthaven. He also is struggling with a kidney stone & will have laser surgery on February 12.
- Please pray for continued healing for Lydia Anderson, Andrea Busscher, Mary Van Malsen & Bev DeKorte.
- Continued prayers are requested for Fos Kooyers, Bernice Derksen, Gunther & Jeanette Olbrich & Marv Kroll.

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH, COMMUNITY, COUNTRY, WORLD

- Happy Birthday to Paul Essenburg (February 2) and Les VanRy (February 7).
- Marilyn Kuipers is Trinity's special care senior of the week. Please send greetings to: 400 Parkside Drive, #114, Zeeland MI 49464.
- Please pray for Trinity's middle school students & leaders as they return from a weekend retreat at Camp Geneva.
- Matt Weikert, grandson of Wes & Nell Kiel is Trinity's serviceperson of the week. Matt is serving in the Army.
- Linn Gann is Trinity's missionary for the month of January. Linn works in South India, with a ministry focus of education and skills training & job creation. Her email address is linn@mpi-inc.org.
- Megan Myaard is Trinity's post high student of the week. Megan will be graduating from Cornerstone University this spring, and will get married June 19. Her address is Box 3619, Cornerstone University, 985 E Beltline Ave NE, Grand Rapids MI 49525.
- Please continue to pray for the relief efforts in Haiti, as people wait for food, water, housing and medical care. Pray especially for those who have lost family members and friends.

Thank You

From Rachel, Pat and Steve Kleis

Thank you so much to everyone who has been praying for us these past weeks and months. We are so grateful to all of you and to God for Rachel's successful surgery.

From Alice and Al Kooyers

Thank you to our church family for the many cards and expressions of sympathy on the passing of my brother.

After Hours Emergency Telephone Number

396-6526 (press 2 & leave a message)

Ministry Highlights

Haiti Relief - Thank you to everyone for the incredible response to the hygiene kits for Haiti. The high school youth group will be assembling the kits tonight. Watch next week's bulletin for a final total of kits sent to Reformed Church World Services.

100th Anniversary Celebration - Next year, Trinity will be celebrating 100 years of ministry! If you would like to be part of a committee to plan the celebration, please contact Pastor Chris this week.

Are You New to Trinity? Have you been around a while but have never become a member? Pastor Chris will be leading a Discovery Class for all those interested in becoming members of Trinity Church. In this class you will learn about the ministry of Trinity Church, what it means to be a follower of Jesus Christ and how you can be a part of God's mission. If you would like more information, contact Pastor Chris. The class will run from 11-noon on Sunday's from Feb. 21-March 21st.

Stewardship & Finance Team will meet tomorrow, Feb. 1 at 7:00 pm. If you are interested in this ministry area, you are welcome to join us. If you have questions please contact Paul VanderStarre or Pastor Chris.

Ministry Teams – Everyone is encouraged to explore serving on a ministry team. Watch the calendar (online and bulletin) for team meeting times. No need to “sign up” - just come to the meeting you are interested in.

Adult Ministry

Ladies Night Out - Thursday, Feb. 18 is the date for the next Ladies Night Out. As part of the activities, we will learn to make the adorable baby rag quilts that you may have seen at recent baby showers. Any donations of scraps of flannel would be appreciated. Dinner will begin at 5:30. Sign up at the information counter near the church office.

Family Ministry

Young Family Night - Families with young children, mark your calendar for an evening of food, fun and fellowship! On Friday, February 19 we will gather here at Trinity from 6-8 pm. Dinner will be provided, and yes, we want your kids to come too, as well as friends & neighbors. Please sign up at the information counter near the office. Questions? See Pastor Chris.

Community Ministry

Breakfast with Baby – The next breakfast will be Sat., Feb 13 at 10 am. Trinity & Engedi churches will provide food & volunteers for the morning. Please sign up at the information counter near the office to provide food or to work at the breakfast. Contact Jan VanAuken with questions. Needs this month include: diapers (newborn, 2, 3 & 4), wipes, misc. items (toys, bottles, baby lotion, shampoo, infant pain reliever, diaper rash cream, etc.), high chairs, cribs & a walker.

Serving at Trinity

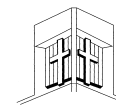
Today's Servers

Greeters: Vern & Leona Houting
Ushers: Paul & Dianne Moker
Steve Lundy & Karen DeBoer
Nursery: Jessica Myaard & Andrea Busscher

Servers for February 7

Greeters: Al & Alice Kooyers
Ushers: Bob & Barb Long
Rick Fisher & Dan Kruihof

January 31, 2010



Trinity Reformed Church

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We Approach God

Welcoming Music Jean Boes, Organist
Welcome and Greeting Rev. Chris DeGraaf
Songs of Praise *Because We Believe* Praise Team/Congregation
Be Thou My Vision

Prayer of Confession
Heavenly Father, we confess before you today our pride, selfishness, and lack of concern for the needs of others. We have wandered from your ways, wasted your gifts, and forgotten your love. Lord, we confess our sins, ask for your forgiveness, and look to you for strength for a new day. Forgive us by your great love shown to us in Jesus Christ the only Savior of the world. All this we ask in Jesus name. Amen

Song of Response *Grace Flows Down*

Assurance of Forgiveness

God's Will for Our Lives Matthew 22:37-40

Prayers of the People Bill Van Auken

We Hear God's Word

Children's Message

Hymn *Praise to the Lord, The Almighty (77)*

Scripture Reading Acts 2:1-4 (1692)

Message Marks of a Faithful Church: God Powered
Rev. Chris DeGraaf

Prayer of Blessing

We Respond to God

Special Music "Good to Me" Praise Team

Offering

Closing Song *All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name*

Departing Blessing

Departing Music