

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

After Hours Emergency Telephone Number

396-6526
(press 2 & leave a message)

This Week at Trinity

TODAY, MAY 9, MOTHER'S DAY

Worship, **9:30 am**

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

MONDAY, MAY 10

Cub Scout Meeting, **6 pm**

Spiritual Growth Meeting, **7 pm**

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

TUESDAY, MAY 11

Adult Bible Study, **2 pm**

Home School Gym Time, **3 pm**

People Care Team Meeting, **7 pm**

100th Anniversary Planning Meeting,
7 pm

WEDNESDAY, MAY 12

Men's Bible Study at

Western Seminary, **6:30 am**

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

THURSDAY, MAY 13

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

Home School Gym Time, **11 am**

Turning Pages Reading Group, **noon**

Worship Team Meeting, **7 pm**

FRIDAY, MAY 14

SATURDAY, MAY 15

SUNDAY, MAY 16

Worship with Rev. Marlin Vis,

9:30 am

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

All Church Hot Dog Roast, **5:30 pm**

Today's Servers

Greeters: Jerry & Lucille Kruithof

Ushers: Jeff & Marsha Myaard

Steve Lundy & Karen DeBoer

Nursery: Jeanne & Samantha Dannenberg

Servers for May 16

Greeters: Glen & Shirley Vereeke

Ushers: Jim & Karen Bos

Rick Fisher & Dan Kruithof

Nursery: Marsha & Michelle Myaard

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May 9, 2010 Mother's Day

We Seek God in Worship

Welcoming Music		Milt Bos, Organist
Call to Worship	Come Let Us Worship and Bow Down	Praise Team
Welcome and Greeting		
Opening Prayer		
Songs of Praise	<i>Because of Your Love</i> <i>How Great Thou Art</i>	Praise Team/Congregation
Call to Confession		
Prayer of Confession	Create in Me a Clean Heart	
Assurance of Forgiveness		
Prayers of the People and The Lord's Prayer		
	<i>We Hear the Word of God</i>	
Children's Message		
Hymn	<i>How Firm a Foundation (612)</i> <i>vs. 1,2,5</i>	
Scripture Reading	Haggai 2:10-23 (1469)	
Message	Overcoming Our Past Failures	Rev. Chris DeGraaf
Prayer of Blessing		
Special Music	In the Light	
	<i>We Respond to God's Call</i>	
Offering and Doxology		
Prayer of Blessing		
Hymn	<i>All the Way My Savior Leads Me (641)</i>	
Departing Blessing		
Departing Music		

Adult Ministry

Turning Pages Reading Group meets this Thursday, May 13 at noon in the café. We will begin our discussion of the book, *Mountains Beyond Mountains* by Tracy Kidder. This book explores the experiences of an American doctor who founded a health clinic in one of the most remote regions of Haiti. Books are provided free of charge. Bring a bag lunch and join us!

Team Meetings This Week - There are several opportunities this week to get involved in the life of Trinity Church through Ministry Teams. On Monday at 7 pm, Spiritual Growth Team will meet. On Tuesday, People Care Team and the Trinity 100th Anniversary Planning Team meet at 7 pm. Worship Team will meet on Thursday at 7 pm. If you are interested in learning more about any of these teams, please join us!

A Senior Breakfast for the students graduating from Wavecrest School and its staff is being hosted by Trinity Church on Thursday, June 10. Volunteers are needed to help with preparations the night before and with serving and clean-up the morning of the breakfast. If you can help at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, June 9, or 8:30 a.m. on Thursday, June 10, please sign up at the information counter near the church office.

Youth and Kids Ministry

This Saturday, May 15 Is the Deadline to get your request in to Dan Kruithof for the 50% (up to \$150.00) camp fee assistance for your child/children who will be attending a Christian camp this summer. After May 15, 25% of the camp cost will be covered.

Graduation Sunday - Sunday, May 23 is Graduation Sunday at Trinity. All graduates, please make every effort to be here that morning so we may honor and recognize you.

Community Ministry

Breakfast with Baby - The next breakfast will be Saturday, June 12 at 10 am at New Community Fourth Church, with Trinity serving and providing the food. Stay tuned for an opportunity to donate food and/or your time for that day. Needs this month: diapers (sz 3 & 4), wipes, new & gently used spring clothing (newborn - 2T), baby walker and highchairs.

Check out Camp Geneva! On Sunday May 16, Camp Geneva will host an open house from 2-4 pm. We'll have games for younger children, the pool will be open & you can explore the facilities and grounds before camp starts. It's a great chance to answer questions about camp, for new campers to get comfortable before they arrive & for returning campers to see what's new. (www.campgeneva.org)

Campbell's Labels for Education program helps provide needed resources for schools that collect these coupons & then redeem them for athletic equipment, art supplies & academic tools. Pullman Elementary School participates in this program & Trinity would like to help them reach their goals more quickly. Point coupons can be found on all Campbell's products including soups, chili, juices, gravies & beans, as well as SpaghettiO's, Swanson, V-8, Franco-American & Prego products. Clip out the graphic with a Campbell's Kid, Point Value & UPC code & place it in the square box on the information counter near the office.

Coming up on Groundwork: *Individualism and the Church*. It's easy to live in our own little worlds today. Personal computers, iPods, DVR's all allow us to choose what we want, when we want it. This growing individualism even affects our attitudes and behavior with respect to the church. Is there still a place for the church in this kind of world? Join the conversation. 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 Arie Mast

Thank you to my Trinity family for all the cards and prayers at the time of my surgery and recovery. Your love and concern for our family was appreciated.

Prayer Corner

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND PRAISE

- Happy Birthday to the following Trinity members who are celebrating this week: Blayne Libby (today, 5/9), Kristy Borgman (5/10), Gayle Scott (5/12), Kelli Anderson (5/13), Katie Wagner (5/13), Zoe DeGraaf (5/15), Joe Harrington (5/15), Alice Kuyers (5/15), Lori Borgman (5/17), Warren Kooyers (5/18) and Emiko Oonk (5/18).
- Happy Anniversary to Barry & Deb Kammeraad (5/16) and Warren & Lori Kooyers (5/16).

PRAYERS FOR HEALTH & HEALING

- Lois Hoving will undergo inpatient shoulder reconstruction surgery on Tuesday, May 11.
- Bev DeKorte has been struggling with health issues the past several weeks. Medication she was on for an infection caused injury to her Achilles tendon, resulting in severe pain & swelling.
- Please keep former Trinity Youth Pastor Kurt Henry and his family in your prayers. Kurt's mother, Jan Henry was recently diagnosed with advanced pancreatic cancer. She has begun chemotherapy treatments.
- Continued prayers are requested for Mary VanMalsen, Alice VerSchure, Lucile Kooyers, Alice Kuyers, Fos Kooyers, Gunther & Jeanette Olbrich, Marv Kroll and Herm & Elaine Slager.

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH, COMMUNITY, COUNTRY, WORLD

- Jack & Ella Essenburg are Trinity's special care senior couple of the week. Jack & Ella recently returned home from Florida, and Ella continues her recovery from a hip fracture. Please send cards and notes to: 333 E. Lakewood Blvd., Lot 172, Holland MI 49424.
- Garth Beavon, son of Trinity missionaries Keith & Mari Beavon is Trinity's serviceperson of the week. Garth is a judge advocate (lawyer) in the Army.
- Marlin and Sally Vis are Trinity's missionaries for the month of May. The Vis' ministry focus is hospitality and reconciliation in Jerusalem and Israel. They will be special guests at Trinity on Sunday, May 16. Cards & notes may be sent to: 8960 Mica Dr., Zeeland MI 49464 or mpmfvis@yahoo.com.

Ministry Highlights

Trinity Director of Youth Ministries - It is with great joy that we welcome Jonathan Wolters and his family to Trinity Church. Jonathan has accepted the position of Director of Youth Ministries, and will "officially" join the staff on June 1. Be sure to welcome & introduce yourself to Jonathan, Tabitha and their children Justin, Anya and Eli.

Thank You to everyone who came out last week Saturday for the church clean up day. It was a great morning of fellowship and hard work. The grounds and facility look wonderful!

Worship Coordinator - Trinity Church is seeking a part-time Worship Coordinator to work as a visionary leader to develop, equip, motivate & empower teams & leaders for worship, music, drama, technology & congregational singing. Applications will be accepted through the end of May. Stay tuned for updates as the search process continues. Questions? See Pastor Chris.

Reminder! Please pick up your updated name & address directory from your church mailbox TODAY! Pictures for our "in house" directory that will be published in the near future are due by next Sunday, May 16. You may submit a picture to the office, email to barbl@trinityrc.org, or if you need your picture taken, just stop in during office hours (Tues.-Thurs, 8am-4:30pm). Thank you!

Family Ministry

May 16 All Church Hot Dog Roast - Sign up now for next Sunday's time of food & fun 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!!