

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

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This Week at Trinity

TODAY, MAY 16

Worship, **9:30 am**

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

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

MONDAY, MAY 17

Volunteer Work Group, **9 am**

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

TUESDAY, MAY 18

Prayer Group Meeting, **10 am**

Adult Bible Study, **2 pm**

Home School Gym Time, **3 pm**

WEDNESDAY, MAY 19

Men's Bible Study at

Western Seminary, **6:30 am**

Adult Choir Picnic, **6 pm**

THURSDAY, MAY 20

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

Home School Gym Time, **11 am**

FRIDAY, MAY 21

Young Family Night, **6 pm**

SATURDAY, MAY 22

PENTECOST SUNDAY, MAY 23

Worship & Recognition of Graduates,
9:30 am

Today's Servers

Greeters: Glen & Shirley Vereeke

Ushers: Jim & Karen Bos

Rick Fisher & Dan Kruithof

Nursery: Marsha & Michelle Myaard

Servers for May 23

Greeters: Don & Karen Kane

Ushers: Jim & Linda Allen

Paul VanderStarre & Ed Borgman

Nursery: Carol DeBoer

Rachel VanderStarre

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May 16, 2010

We Seek God in Worship

Welcoming Music		Milt Bos, Organist
Welcome and Greeting		Pastor Chris DeGraaf
Call to Worship		
Opening Prayer		
Songs of Praise	<i>Blessed Be Your Name</i> <i>Hallelujah—Your Love is Amazing</i> <i>The Mountains Bow Down</i>	Praise Team/Congregation
Children's Message		
Prayers of the People		

We Hear the Word of God

Special Music	<i>God's Word Shall Stand</i>	Adult Choir
Scripture Reading	Acts 1:1-12 (1690)	
Message	Left Behind	Rev. Marlin Vis
Prayer of Blessing		
Hymn Response	<i>Have Thine Own Way, Lord (584)</i>	

We Respond to God's Call

Offering and Doxology		
Prayer of Blessing		
Closing Song	<i>We Will Dance</i>	Praise Team/Congregation
Departing Blessing		
Departing Music	<i>The Lord Bless You and Keep You</i>	Adult Choir

Adult Ministry

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.

Thank You

From Heather Carson

Thank you for your financial support for camp ROCK. I look forward to sharing my experiences with you from this summer. Please keep me and the entire staff in your prayers as we welcome our students in the coming weeks.

From Senior High Youth Group

Thank you for your financial support in helping us raise money for AquaClara. We raised about \$750 that will be used for water filters in Kenya and Guatemala.

100 Year Anniversary

We need your help! The Anniversary team is looking for items from the past 100 years of Trinity church. Do you have pictures, old bulletins, or historical items? We would love to see them and share them next year during our 100th anniversary celebration. Do you love history? We would love to have you help in organizing all of the information and items we collect. Please consider helping out in this way. If you would be willing to help please contact Amanda Schurman or Gretchen Fisher for more information. Our next meeting is on June 1 at 7:00pm, everyone is welcome.

Youth and Kids Ministry

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 (size 3 & 4), wipes, new & gently used spring clothing (newborn - 2T), baby walker and highchairs.

Camp Geneva Open House Today! Camp Geneva is hosting an open house today from 2-4 pm. We'll have games for younger children, the pool will be open & you can explore the facilities & 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.

American Red Cross Blood Drive - Donate blood and save a life! There will be a blood drive on May 28 from 10:30 am - 4:15 pm at Wavecrest Career Academy (our neighbors down the road). No appointment necessary, just come when you can. Thank you!

Coming up on Groundwork: Money and Faith. Money is a fact of life. Let's face it, we can't live without it; we need it not only to supply our basic needs, but to buy those things we want as well. But what about money: is it good, is it evil, or neutral? Is there a spiritual aspect to money or is it simply an economic tool? 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

Prayer Corner

PRAYERS OF THANKSGIVING AND PRAISE

- Happy Birthday to the following Trinity members who are celebrating this week: Lori Borgman (5/17), Warren Kooyers (5/18), Emiko Oonk (5/18), Kaitlyn Kelly (5/19), Dan Schrottenboer (5/19), Arlyne VanderWoude (5/20), Lou Teerman (5/21), Lee Teerman (5/23), Tyler Busscher (5/25), and Alice Kooyers (5/25)
- Happy anniversary today to Barry & Deb Kammeraad and Warren & Lori Kooyers. Other anniversaries this week: Jim & Linda Allen (5/20), Rodger & Phyllis Dalman (5/21), Adam & Nancy Smith (5/21), Wayne & Virginia DeWent (5/24), and Jim & Pat Spoor (5/25).

PRAYERS FOR HEALTH & HEALING

- Lois Hoving underwent shoulder reconstruction surgery on Tuesday, May 11.
- Continued prayers are requested for Bev DeKorte, Mary VanMalsen, Alice VerSchure, Lucile Kooyers, Alice Kuyers, Fos Kooyers, Gunther & Jeanette Olbrich, Marv Kroll, Herm & Elaine Slager and Jan Henry.

PRAYERS FOR OUR CHURCH, COMMUNITY, COUNTRY, WORLD

- Marilyn Ettema is Trinity's Special Care Senior of the week. Marilyn is a resident at Resthaven Warm Friend. Please send cards and notes to: 5 E 8th St, #525 Holland, MI 49423
- David Ritsema, grandson of the late Jack & Dorothy Ritsema is Trinity's Serviceperson of the week.
- 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. Cards & notes may be sent to: 8960 Mica Dr., Zeeland, MI 49464 or mpmfvis@yahoo.com

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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.

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. Stay tuned for updates as the search process continues. Questions? See Pastor Chris.

Family Ministry

All Church Hot Dog Roast today at 5:30 pm. here at church. Hot dogs, baked beans, potato salad, chips and frozen desserts will be provided. Remember to bring in a lawn chair & hot dog roasting forks if you have them. In case of rain, we will move inside to the gym.

Young Family Night - Mark your calendar & sign up for the Young Family Night on May 21. We'll start at 6 pm with dinner & then move on to some fun activities. Questions? See Pastor Chris.