#### **Announcements**

- A BIG Thank you to Paul Soulek and the Concordia Male Chorus for adding to our worship this morning!
- Thank you to the homes that hosted the choir last night!
- · Next Sunday is All Saints Sunday.
- Nominating Season is here! If you receive an email saying you have been nominated for a church office, please prayerfully consider accepting the nomination. The nominating committee meets next Sunday, Nov. 2 after worship. Members are: Rick Boyer, Brett Anderson, Ryan Noble, Mike Bockelman, Jon Burt and Justin DeBruin.
- The Church Council meets next Sunday, November 2 after worship.

Our Week With God							
Today:	9:15 am	Sunday School & No Bible Class					
	10:30 am	Worship (second offering for our LWML Mission Projects)					
	11:30 am	Potluck Dinner					
Wednesday:	5:15 pm	Catechism Supper					
	5:45 pm	Catechism					
Thursday:	10 am	Bible Study (book of Revelation)					
Saturday:	6 pm	Worship*					
Next Sunday: 9:15 am		Sunday School & Bible Class					
	10:30 am	Worship* (second offering for our missionaries, the Hansons)					
	11:30 am	Church Council meeting					

Elder serving in October: Jon Burt	Last Week Attendance: 113		
This week's servants:	Next week's servants:		
<b>Ushers:</b> Dave Zierke, Stan Hendricks,	<b>Ushers</b> : Denny Peters, Mike Bockelman,		
Justin Ortner, Jordan, Kade	Justin DeBruin, Addilyn, Emmalee, Logan		
<b>Greeters:</b> Tom & Jane Murren	<b>Greeters:</b> Brenda Watkins		
Acolyte: Aubrie, Arlett	Acolyte: Kezden, Zander		
Camera: Derek Allen	Camera: Derek Allen		
<u>A/V</u> : Larry Bauder	A/V: Tom Murren		
Accompanist: Paul Soulek	Accompanist: Tracy DeBruin		

2025 Yearly Budget		<b>\$238,998.00</b>		(Includes District Pledge of \$18,200)		
	H	OME	DISTRICT PLEDGE			
Budget to Date	\$	174,972.00	\$	14,406.00		
Amt. Needed/Week	\$	4,166.00	\$	343.00		
Amt. Last Sunday	\$	1,919.75	\$	125.00		
Amt. Received to Date	\$	155,519.98	\$	8,907.00		
Amt. Ahead (Behind)	\$	(19,452.02)	\$	(5,499.00)		

# Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church, LCMS

1103 Central Ave. Hawarden, IA 51023



## **Pastor Joshua Lowe**

# Reformation Sunday October 26, 2025

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#### Order of Service

Hymn # 578—stanza 4 sung by choir

Confession & Absolution pg 151

Introit—sung by choir

Hymn #555—stanza 9 sung by choir

Salutation & Collect of the Day

First Reading

Psalm 46—sung by choir

**Epistle** 

Alleluia & Verse pg 156

Holy Gospel

Hymn # 656—stanza 3 sung by choir

Sermon

Hymn #655

Apostle's Creed pg159

Prayer of the Church

Offering—choir sings

Hymn # 782

Lord's Prayer

Hymn # 645—stanza 2 sung by choir

Prayer

Benediction pg 166

Closing Hymn #585

Old Testament Revelation 14:6–7

<sup>6</sup>Then I saw another angel flying directly overhead, with an eternal gospel to proclaim to those who dwell on earth, to every nation and tribe and language and people. <sup>7</sup>And he said with a loud voice, "Fear God and give him glory, because the hour of his judgment has come, and worship him who made heaven and earth, the sea and the springs of water."

- **P** This is the Word of the Lord.
- Thanks be to God.

Epistle Romans 3:19–28

<sup>19</sup>Now we know that whatever the law says it speaks to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be stopped, and the whole world may be held accountable to God. <sup>20</sup>For by works of the law no human being will be justified in his sight, since through the law comes knowledge of sin.

<sup>21</sup>But now the righteousness of God has been manifested apart from the law, although the Law and the Prophets bear witness to it— <sup>22</sup>the righteousness of God through faith in Jesus Christ for all who believe. For there is no distinction: <sup>23</sup>for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God, <sup>24</sup>and are justified by his grace as a gift, through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus, <sup>25</sup>whom God put forward as a propitiation by his blood, to be received by faith. This was to show God's righteousness, because in his divine forbearance he had passed over former sins. <sup>26</sup>It was to show his righteousness at the present time, so that he might be just and the justifier of the one who has faith in Jesus.

<sup>27</sup>Then what becomes of our boasting? It is excluded. By what kind of law? By a law of works? No, but by the law of faith. <sup>28</sup>For we hold that one is justified by faith apart from works of the law.

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### Stewardship is Heart Work

#### October 26

"As the season turns, let us reflect on the fruit of our lives. Are we cultivating generosity, faithfulness, and service in all we do?"

**Verse:** "Let us not become weary in doing good, for at the proper time we will reap a harvest if we do not give up." — Galatians 6:9

Holy Gospel John 8:31–36

P The Holy Gospel according to St. John, the eighth chapter.



<sup>31</sup>So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed in him, "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, <sup>32</sup>and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free." <sup>33</sup>They answered him, "We are offspring of Abraham and have never been enslaved to anyone. How is it that you say, 'You will become free'?"

<sup>34</sup>Jesus answered them, "Truly, truly, I say to you, everyone who commits sin is a slave to sin. <sup>35</sup>The slave does not remain in the house forever; the son remains forever. <sup>36</sup>So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed."

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.



#### **IN OUR PRAYERS WE REMEMBER....**

We pray for our members: Cory Aldrich, Dorothy Olson, Dan Tentinger
We also pray for: Dylan Ver Hoeven (friend of JP and Holly Breugem),
Rev. Jonathan Riggert (friend of Pastor Lowe), Pete Kingma (husband of Kristi Kingma),
Rev. Dave Gruoner (friend of Pastor Lowe), Tonia Sommervold (daughter of
Brenda Watkins), Lisa Miller (daughter of Marge Dimmick), Levi Koopmans, Missy.
Gene Hiemstra, Gary Lorensen, Steven Fleming, Derrick Gall, Lois Brownlee,
Mary Ann Younie, Linda Greenhagen, John DeGroot (friends of Joyce Boerma), those in
extended-care facilities and Military Service Personnel: Dakota Allen, Calvin Hurtado,
Diego Hurtado, Ian McManaman, Wayne Toft, Kelan Utech, and Joshua Wilkens.