

Announcements

- Pastor Lowe and family will be gone from Nov. 24—Dec. 1. Please contact Pastor Boothby at St Pauls in Ireton if you are in need of pastoral care. 712-278-2324.
- Pastor Boothby will lead our worship next Sunday, November 30.
- Next Sunday is the first Sunday in Advent, the beginning of the new church year.
- No Catechism on Wednesday, November 26.
- No Bible Study on Thanksgiving Thursday.
- No Saturday worship on November 29.
- Sunday School will start at 9 AM on Nov. 30, Dec. 7, Dec. 14, and Dec. 21. Kids will be practicing for the Christmas Eve Service.

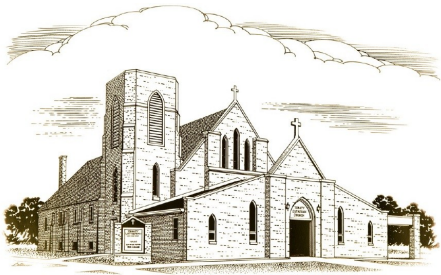
Our Week With God		
Today:	9:15 am	Sunday School & Bible Class
	10:30 am	Thanksgiving Worship* (second offering for LWML mission projects)
Wednesday:	NO Catechism	
Thursday:	NO Bible Study	
Saturday:	NO Worship	
Next Sunday:	9 am	Sunday School & Bible Class-9:15 am
	10:30 am	Worship (second offering for building renovations)

Elder serving in November: Denny Peters	Last Week Attendance: 146
This week’s servants:	Next week’s servants:
Ushers: Curt Anderson, Dave Huebner, Tom Murren, Levi, Lydia	Ushers: Bill Buryanek, Brice Buryanek, Jon Burt, Trevor Schelling, Paisley, Lukas
Greeters: Jon & Mindy Burt	Greeters:
Acolyte: Cooper, Lincoln	Acolyte: Riley, Wyatt
Camera: Derek Allen	Camera: Derek Allen
A/V: Brett Anderson	A/V: Curt Anderson
Accompanist: Tracy DeBruin	Accompanist: Tracy DeBruin

2025 Yearly Budget \$238,998.00 (Includes District Pledge of \$18,200)		
	HOME	DISTRICT PLEDGE
Budget to Date	\$ 191,636.00	\$ 15,778.00
Amt. Needed/Week	\$ 4,166.00	\$ 343.00
Amt. Last Sunday	\$ 3,549.13	\$ 285.00
Amt. Received to Date	\$ 170,354.60	\$ 9,912.00
Amt. Ahead (Behind)	\$ (21,281.40)	\$ (5,866.00)

Welcome to
Trinity Lutheran Church,
LCMS

1103 Central Ave.
Hawarden, IA 51023



Pastor Joshua Lowe

Last Sunday of the
Church Year
November 23, 2025

Recordings of Sunday services will be available on our Facebook page and website:
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Church Office: 712-551-2743
Prayer Chain: Jean Toft 712-551-6990
Office Manager: Lycia Anderson
Church Custodian: Eric Heuer
Facebook: Trinity Lutheran Church, Hawarden, IA

Order of Service

Hymn # 892
Invocation
Confession of Sins pg 184
Absolution pg 185
Opening Versicles pg 260
Old Testament Reading
Psalm 149
Epistle Reading
Hold Gospel
Responsory pg 263
Ten Commandments pg 264
Apostles’ Creed pg 264
Lord’s Prayer pg 264
The Third Petition
Children’s Sermon
Sermon Hymn #515
Sermon
Offering
Prayer pg 265
Jared & Kassy Boyer Confirmation
Collect of the Day
Collect for the Word pg 265
Morning Prayer pg 266
New Testament Canticle pg 266
Blessing pg 267
Closing Hymn #895

Old Testament

Isaiah 65:17–25

¹⁷“Behold, I create new heavens and a new earth, and the former things shall not be remembered or come into mind. ¹⁸But be glad and rejoice forever in that which I create;
for behold, I create Jerusalem to be a joy, and her people to be a gladness.
¹⁹I will rejoice in Jerusalem and be glad in my people; no more shall be heard in it the sound of weeping and the cry of distress. ²⁰No more shall there be in it an infant who lives but a few days, or an old man who does not fill out his days, for the young man shall die a hundred years old, and the sinner a hundred years old shall be accursed. ²¹They shall build houses and inhabit them; they shall plant vineyards and eat their fruit. ²²They shall not build and another inhabit; they shall not plant and another eat; for like the days of a tree shall the days of my people be, and my chosen shall long enjoy the work of their hands.
²³They shall not labor in vain or bear children for calamity, for they shall be the offspring of the blessed of the LORD, and their descendants with them. ²⁴Before they call I will answer;
while they are yet speaking I will hear. ²⁵The wolf and the lamb shall graze together; the lion shall eat straw like the ox, and dust shall be the serpent’s food. They shall not hurt or destroy in all my holy mountain,” says the LORD.

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

Epistle

1 Thessalonians 5:1–11

¹Now concerning the times and the seasons, brothers, you have no need to have anything written to you. ²For you yourselves are fully aware that the day of the Lord will come like a thief in the night. ³While people are saying, “There is peace and security,” then sudden destruction will come upon them as labor pains come upon a pregnant woman, and they will not escape. ⁴But you are not in darkness, brothers, for that day to surprise you like a thief. ⁵For you are all children of light, children of the day. We are not of the night or of the darkness. ⁶So then let us not sleep, as others do, but let us keep awake and be sober. ⁷For those who sleep, sleep at night, and those who get drunk, are drunk at night. ⁸But since we belong to the day, let us be sober, having put on the breastplate of faith and love, and for a helmet the hope of salvation. ⁹For God has not destined us for wrath, but to obtain salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ, ¹⁰who died for us so that whether we are awake or asleep we might live with him. ¹¹Therefore encourage one another and build one another up, just as you are doing.

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G Thanks be to God.

Holy Gospel

Matthew 25:1–13

P The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-fifth chapter.
G Glory to You, O Lord.

¹[Jesus said:] “The kingdom of heaven will be like ten virgins who took their lamps and went to meet the bridegroom. ²Five of them were foolish, and five were wise. ³For when the foolish took their lamps, they took no oil with them, ⁴but the wise took flasks of oil with their lamps. ⁵As the bridegroom was delayed, they all became drowsy and slept. ⁶But at midnight there was a cry, ‘Here is the bridegroom! Come out to meet him.’ ⁷Then all those virgins rose and trimmed their lamps. ⁸And the foolish said to the wise, ‘Give us some of your oil, for our lamps are going out.’ ⁹But the wise answered, saying, ‘Since there will not be enough for us and for you, go rather to the dealers and buy for yourselves.’ ¹⁰And while they were going to buy, the bridegroom came, and those who were ready went in with him to the marriage feast, and the door was shut. ¹¹Afterward the other virgins came also, saying, ‘Lord, lord, open to us.’ ¹²But he answered, ‘Truly, I say to you, I do not know you.’ ¹³Watch therefore, for you know neither the day nor the hour.”

P This is the Gospel of the Lord.
G Praise to You, O Christ.

IN OUR PRAYERS WE REMEMBER

We pray for our members: Cory Aldrich, Avis Sunderman, Dan Tentinger
We also pray for: Nash Koopmans (*son of Ross and Mollie Koopmans*),
Jesse Paul and Glenden Peterson (*family of Trudy Paul*), 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*), 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.