

## Announcements

- The nominating committee meets today after worship, to continue the nomination process for officers of the congregation. Committee includes: Derek Allen, Denny Peters, Ryan Noble, Jon Burt, Boe Boyer and Mike Kruid. If you are nominated, please prayerfully consider serving.
- The fundraising committee will be gathering recipes for a new cookbook for Trinity's 125th Anniversary! Forms to submit recipes are in the narthex.
- Trinity's Thanksgiving worship service will be next Sunday, November 24 at 10:30.
- There is no catechism class or Bible class on Wednesday, November 27th.

Our Week With God		
<b>Today:</b>	9:15 am	Sunday School, Bible Class (9:30 in the sanctuary)
	10:30 am	Worship* (2nd offering for our overseas missionaries)
	11:30 am	Nominating Committee meets
<b>Wednesday:</b>	5:15 pm	Catechism supper
	5:45 pm	Catechism
	7 pm	Bible Study
<b>Next Saturday:</b>	6 pm	Worship
<b>Next Sunday:</b>	9:15 am	Sunday School, Bible Class (9:30 in the sanctuary)
	10:30 am	Worship (Second offering for our LWML's mission projects)
	11:30 am	Nominating Committee meets IF needed

### Elder serving in November: Denny Peters

#### This week's servants:

Ushers: Bill Buryanek, Brice Buryanek, Jon Burt, Trevor Schelling, Paisley, Lukas

Greeters: Corinne Lowe and family

Acolyte: Bailey & Lesley

Camera: Derek Allen

A/V: Jon Burt

Accompanist: Sharon Wakeman

### Last Week Attendance 137

#### Next week's servants:

Ushers: Dave Aldrich, Stan Hendricks, Dave Zierke, Jordan, Justin, Kade

Greeters: Tom & Jane Murren

Acolyte: Lincoln & Kade

Camera: Derek Allen

A/V: Brett Anderson

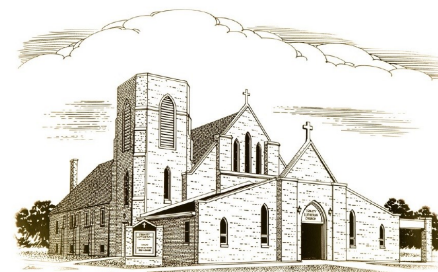
Accompanist: Tracy DeBruin

**2023 Yearly Budget \$232,383.64** *(Includes District Pledge of \$20,000)*

	HOME	DISTRICT PLEDGE
Budget to Date	\$ 179,696.00	\$ 16,896.00
Amt. Needed/Week	\$ 4,084.00	\$ 384.00
Amt. Last Sunday	\$ 5,381.75	\$ 225.00
Amt. Received to Date	\$ 157,596.44	\$ 9,086.00
<b>Amt. Ahead (Behind)</b>	<b>\$ (22,099.56)</b>	<b>\$ (7,810.00)</b>

# Welcome to Trinity Lutheran Church, LCMS

1103 Central Ave.  
Hawarden, IA



**Guests and visitors are asked to speak with Pastor Lowe prior to communing. Thank you.**

**Pastor Joshua Lowe**

**Twenty-fifth Sunday after  
Trinity  
November 17, 2024**

Recordings of Sunday services will be available on our Facebook page and website:

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## Old Testament

Exodus 32:1–20

<sup>1</sup>When the people saw that Moses delayed to come down from the mountain, the people gathered themselves together to Aaron and said to him, “Up, make us gods who shall go before us. As for this Moses, the man who brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we do not know what has become of him.” <sup>2</sup>So Aaron said to them, “Take off the rings of gold that are in the ears of your wives, your sons, and your daughters, and bring them to me.” <sup>3</sup>So all the people took off the rings of gold that were in their ears and brought them to Aaron. <sup>4</sup>And he received the gold from their hand and fashioned it with a graving tool and made a golden calf. And they said, “These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!” <sup>5</sup>When Aaron saw this, he built an altar before it. And Aaron made proclamation and said, “Tomorrow shall be a feast to the LORD.” <sup>6</sup>And they rose up early the next day and offered burnt offerings and brought peace offerings. And the people sat down to eat and drink and rose up to play.

<sup>7</sup>And the LORD said to Moses, “Go down, for your people, whom you brought up out of the land of Egypt, have corrupted themselves. <sup>8</sup>They have turned aside quickly out of the way that I commanded them. They have made for themselves a golden calf and have worshiped it and sacrificed to it and said, ‘These are your gods, O Israel, who brought you up out of the land of Egypt!’” <sup>9</sup>And the LORD said to Moses, “I have seen this people, and behold, it is a stiff-necked people. <sup>10</sup>Now therefore let me alone, that my wrath may burn hot against them and I may consume them, in order that I may make a great nation of you.”

<sup>11</sup>But Moses implored the LORD his God and said, “O LORD, why does your wrath burn hot against your people, whom you have brought out of the land of Egypt with great power and with a mighty hand? <sup>12</sup>Why should the Egyptians say, ‘With evil intent did he bring them out, to kill them in the mountains and to consume them from the face of the earth’? Turn from your burning anger and relent from this disaster against your people. <sup>13</sup>Remember Abraham, Isaac, and Israel, your servants, to whom you swore by your own self, and said to them, ‘I will multiply your offspring as the stars of heaven, and all this land that I have promised I will give to your offspring, and they shall inherit it forever.’” <sup>14</sup>And the LORD relented from the disaster that he had spoken of bringing on his people.

<sup>15</sup>Then Moses turned and went down from the mountain with the two tablets of the testimony in his hand, tablets that were written on both sides; on the front and on the back they were written.

<sup>16</sup>The tablets were the work of God, and the writing was the writing of God, engraved on the tablets. <sup>17</sup>When Joshua heard the noise of the people as they shouted, he said to Moses, “There is a noise of war in the camp.” <sup>18</sup>But he said, “It is not the sound of shouting for victory, or the sound of the cry of defeat, but the sound of singing that I hear.” <sup>19</sup>And as soon as he came near the camp and saw the calf and the dancing, Moses’ anger burned hot, and he threw the tablets out of his hands and broke them at the foot of the mountain. <sup>20</sup>He took the calf that they had made and burned it with fire and ground it to powder and scattered it on the water and made the people of Israel drink it.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Epistle

1 Thessalonians 4:13–18

<sup>13</sup>But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers, about those who are asleep, that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. <sup>14</sup>For since we believe that Jesus died and rose again, even so, through Jesus, God will bring with him those who have fallen asleep. <sup>15</sup>For this we declare to you by a word from the Lord, that we who are alive, who are left until the coming of the Lord, will not precede those who have fallen asleep. <sup>16</sup>For the Lord himself will descend from heaven with a cry of command, with the voice of an archangel, and with the sound of the trumpet of God. And the dead in Christ will rise first. <sup>17</sup>Then we who are alive, who are left, will be caught up together with them in the clouds to meet the Lord in the air, and so we will always be with the Lord.

<sup>18</sup>Therefore encourage one another with these words.

**P** This is the Word of the Lord.

**C** Thanks be to God.

## Holy Gospel

Matthew 24:15–28

**P** The Holy Gospel according to St. Matthew, the twenty-fourth chapter.



**C** Glo - ry be to Thee, O Lord.

<sup>15</sup>[Jesus said:] “When you see the abomination of desolation spoken of by the prophet Daniel, standing in the holy place (let the reader understand), <sup>16</sup>then let those who are in Judea flee to the mountains. <sup>17</sup>Let the one who is on the housetop not go down to take what is in his house, <sup>18</sup>and let the one who is in the field not turn back to take his cloak. <sup>19</sup>And alas for women who are pregnant and for those who are nursing infants in those days! <sup>20</sup>Pray that your flight may not be in winter or on a Sabbath. <sup>21</sup>For then there will be great tribulation, such as has not been from the beginning of the world until now, no, and never will be. <sup>22</sup>And if those days had not been cut short, no human being would be saved. But for the sake of the elect those days will be cut short. <sup>23</sup>Then if anyone says to you, ‘Look, here is the Christ!’ or ‘There he is!’ do not believe it. <sup>24</sup>For false christs and false prophets will arise and perform great signs and wonders, so as to lead astray, if possible, even the elect. <sup>25</sup>See, I have told you beforehand. <sup>26</sup>So, if they say to you, ‘Look, he is in the wilderness,’ do not go out. If they say, ‘Look, he is in the inner rooms,’ do not believe it. <sup>27</sup>For as the lightning comes from the east and shines as far as the west, so will be the coming of the Son of Man. <sup>28</sup>Wherever the corpse is, there the vultures will gather.”

**P** This is the Gospel of the Lord.



**C** Praise be to Thee, O Christ.

## IN OUR PRAYERS WE REMEMBER . . . .

**We pray for our members: Lester Janssen, Merry Landenberger, Karen Weyen**

**We also pray for: Donita Lieske, Levi Koopmans, James Driessen (*nephew of Brenda Finch*), Edith (Burkhart) Tyau (*friend of Carol Aldrich*), Duane Bonnema, Missy, Lisa Miller (*daughter of Marge Dimmick*), Gene Hiemstra, Steven Fleming, Derrick Gall, Lois Brownlee, Dale Kraayenbrink, Dynelle Downs, Linda Greenhagen (*friends of Joyce Boerma*), those in extended-care facilities and Military Service Personnel: Dakota Allen, Calvin Hurtado, Diego Hurtado, Ian McManaman, Wayne Toft, and Joshua Wilkens.**

**The family and friends of Gloria Green, who passed away.**