

# THE CHARGE IS THIS

The parable of the talents reminds us of the importance of hard work and fruitfulness while we wait for the return of Christ. God placed man in the garden as His viceregent to utilize, steward, and expand the elements of creation. He has likewise placed us in His kingdom for the same work, and it is fitting with His purposes that He would allocate His gifts according to how they are being managed most diligently. We are not to envy or wish we had the gifts of another, but rather, are charged with being thankful for the gifts God has given us, and use them as wisely and as diligently as we are able. As we do this, we can expect that He will continue to give us more gifts and opportunities to steward for our good and His glory.



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March 16th, 2025

Trinity Fellowship exists to herald the glory of  
God over all creation.

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“The Parable of the Talents”

Matthew 25:14-30

## Call to Worship: Psalm 99

- Prayer for Assistance
- Congregational Singing
- Receival of Membership: Devin & Rachel Ollinger

## Confession

- The Baptist Catechism: Q15
- Reading of the Law of God
  - Titus 2:1-10
- Assurance of Pardon
  - Titus 2:11-15
- Congregational Singing

## Consecration

- Congregational Prayer
- Offering
- Scripture Reading
  - Matthew 25:14-30
- Congregational Response
  - "Praise be to God"
- Sermon
  - "The Parable of the Talents"
- Prayer

## Communion

- April 6

## Comissioning

- Closing Song
- The Charge
- Benediction
  - 1 Corinthians 15:58

Next Week's Text: Matthew 25:31-46

## The Baptist Catechism: Q15

Q: What special act of providence did God exercise towards man in the estate wherein he was created?

A: When God had created man, he entered into a covenant of life with him upon condition of perfect obedience: forbidding him to eat of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, upon pain of death (Gal. 3:12; Gen. 2:17).

We practice Covenant Renewal Worship.

Call to Worship: God calls His people out of the world to gather in worship of Him.

Confession: God reminds us of our duty to Him and forgives us where we have sinned.

Consecration: God trains us for holiness and service through instruction by His Word.

Communion: God feeds us in order to strengthen us as we go back out into the world.

Commissioning: God gives us our mission as we depart.

At Trinity, we believe children are a gift from God, and we encourage families to see the importance of training them in the worship service. It is an opportunity to learn the songs, vocabulary, and rhythm of worship from young on.

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## Prayer and Praise Items:

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- Pray for how you can contribute to the purchase of Whitetail Meadow
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- Pray for the Bouwman's baby girl as she has a heart defect
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Junior Youth - Monday, March 17

- 7:30-9pm. Check youth chat for more details

Men's Theology Night - Tuesday, March 18

- 7:30pm, Check Men's chat for location

Senior Youth - Thursday, March 20

- 7:30pm. Check youth chat for more details

Trinity Women's Retreat - April 11-13, 2025

- Deadline to register is March 17

Cost is \$150, cheques can be made payable to Trinity Fellowship (give to Tanya Plett), or E-transfer, with note of retreat and name of person attending.

Speaker is Carole Pollard.

For more information contact Lorie Peters, Lori Plett, or Janneke Hamstra.

## Announcement from Fundraising Committee

Our plan is to organize some fundraisers, however the bulk of the money will have to come through writing (big) cheques.

Please prayerfully consider how much you can contribute.

March 16-23 has been designated for this. You can use E-transfer or (post-dated) cheques. If you prefer to pledge you can do that by using the pledge sheets available on the back table. Again, funds are needed by September.

Other plans for fundraising are:

Service guide. For young people of any age: Lize will collect information on what service you would like to offer. Church members can then 'hire' you in and the proceeds will be for the building fund.

Examples are: baby sitting, lawn mowing, window washing, baking cookies, relief milking, welding, equipment repair, or any other skill you might have.

Please prayerfully consider what you can offer and let Lize VanOort know.

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