

Announcements

- Today we dedicate the new piano, donated by the Huebner family in memory of Ardis Huebner, and the new red banners donated by Margaret Berg & family, and Barb Cain & family in memory of Marge Dimmick.
- Donations of Halloween candy are being accepted for Trunk or Treat. Leave in Pastor’s office.
- Christmas cards are now available for sale in the lower narthex.
- October is Pastor Appreciation Month.
- Remember: Saturday service time moves to 4:00 pm on November 7!
- Sunday Adult Bible Class will begin at 9:25 am each week.
- Remember Daylight Savings time begins next Sunday. “Fall back”

| Our Week With God |          |                                                              |
|-------------------|----------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| Today:            | 9:15 am  | Sunday School and Bible Class (9:25 am)                      |
|                   | 10:30 am | Worship (second offering for our LWML mission projects)      |
| Wednesday:        | 5:15 pm  | Catechism supper                                             |
|                   | 5:45 pm  | Catechism                                                    |
| Thursday:         | 10 am    | Bible Study                                                  |
| Saturday:         | 5 pm     | Worship*                                                     |
| Next Sunday:      | 9:15 am  | Sunday School and Bible Class (9:25 am)                      |
|                   | 10:30 am | Worship* (second offering for our missionaries, the Hansons) |

Elder serving in October: Ryan Noble

This week’s servants:

**Ushers:** Curt Anderson, Dave Huebner, Tom Murren, Levi, Lydia, Leslie, Reed

**Greeters:** Jon & Mindy Burt

**Acolyte:** Brayton, Reed

**Camera:** Derek Allen

**A/V:** Tom Murren

**Accompanist:** Tracy DeBruin

Last Week Attendance: 117

Next week’s servants:

**Ushers:** Bill Buryanek, Brice Buryanek, Jon Burt, Trevor Schelling, Lukas, Theron

**Greeters:** Bill & Sharilyn Buryanek

**Acolyte:** Theron, Lincoln

**Camera:** Derek Allen

**A/V:** Jon Burt

**Accompanist:** Peggy Christensen

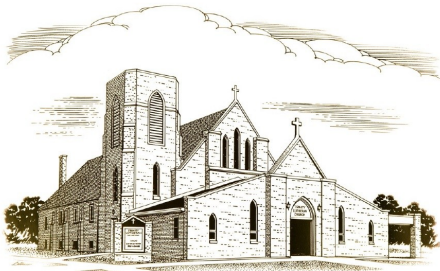
2025 Yearly Budget \$263,007.37 (Includes District Pledge of \$16,800)

| General Fund          |    |             |                                |
|-----------------------|----|-------------|--------------------------------|
| Budget to Date        | \$ | 212,320.00  |                                |
| Amt. Needed/Week      | \$ | 5,058.00    | Overseas Missionaries \$184.00 |
| Amt. Last Sunday      | \$ | 2,735.75    | Building Fund \$25.00          |
| Amt. Received to Date | \$ | 152,264.98  |                                |
| Amt. Ahead (Behind)   | \$ | (60,055.02) |                                |

Welcome to  
Trinity Lutheran Church,  
LCMS

1103 Central Ave.

Hawarden, IA 51023



Pastor Joshua Lowe

Reformation Sunday  
October 25, 2026

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

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Order of Service

Opening Hymn #656

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Introit

Kyrie pg 186

Hymn #947

Salutation and Collect of the Day

First Reading

Psalms 46

Epistle

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The Fifth Commandment

The Sixth Commandment

Children’s Sermon

Sermon Hymn #645

Sermon

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Offering

Prayer of the Church

Dedications

Lord’s Prayer

Closing Prayer

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## 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.

**G** Thanks be to God.

### Stewardship is Heart Work

October 25, 2026 – Reformation Sunday

Scripture: “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind... You shall love your neighbor as yourself.” — Matthew 22:37, 39

Stewardship Sentence: True stewardship is faith active in love, devoting all that we are to loving God and generously serving our neighbors.

## 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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## Holy Gospel

*John 8:31–36*

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



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

<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.



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

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

**We pray for our members: Luke Boyer, Donna Lorenzen, Joyce Peck, Anna Pulfrey, and Robert Upton**

**We also pray for: Jace Ericson** (*nephew of Bruce Bultman*), **George Ford** (*brother of Coya Night Pipe Zierke*), **Tom Lorenzen**, (*husband of Donna Lorenzen*), **Pat Hamilton** (*aunt of Mike Schurman*), **Brett Johnson** (*son of Steve Johnson*), **Candace Wallin** and **Jessica Hamilton** (*friends of Audree Olson*), **Jesse Paul** and **Glenden Peterson** (*family of Trudy Paul*), **Missy**.

**Gary Lorensen, Steven Fleming, Derrick Gall, Lois Brownlee, Linda Greenhagen**, (*friends of Joyce Boerma*), those in extended-care facilities and Military Service Personnel: **Diego Hurtado, Ian McManaman, Wayne Toft, Kelan Utech, and Joshua Wilkens**.