

Special Offering

The special offering for this Sunday is for the Building Fund. Please give as you are led.

Communion

On October 4th we will gather at the Lord's Table. Come, all who are sorry for their sins, who believe in the Lord Jesus as their Savior, have confessed his name, and desire to live in obedience to him. Come, for Christ our risen Lord invites you to fellowship with him at his table.

Thank you from the Ostendorfs

Wayne and Eleanor Ostendorf would like to thank the congregation for their help, support and prayers during this year. They especially want to thank those individuals who have taken care of their home and visited them after the derecho. God bless you.

Roots - Join us on **Wednesday, September 30th at 6:30 p.m.** at the church.

Online Series on Gifts that Reduce Taxes

Barnabas Foundation is offering this free, four-part online series. Through this series, Cindi Riemersma and Kurt Knoll will provide helpful tips for giving to your church and other ministries in ways that increase impact and reduce taxes. Giving Marketable Securities - Wednesday, October 14, 11:00 a.m.; Giving from an IRA - Wednesday, October 21, 11:00 a.m.; Giving Real Estate and Business Gifts - Wednesday, October 28, 11:00 a.m.; Giving Commodities and Other Property - Wednesday, November 4, 11:00 a.m. To learn more and to sign up go to <https://www.barnabasfoundation.com/reducetaxes>

RightNow Media Account

RightNow Media is an online app and website that has a library of online videos and Bible studies. Trinity CRC is providing each attendee a free membership to this resource. If you did not receive an email with the information on how to join, please contact Pastor Randy Raak at pastor@amestrinity.org.

Trinity Variety Show

Come to the Trinity CRC Variety Show on **October 7th at 6:30 p.m.** This intergenerational event will showcase entertainment of all types-share your specialty with us! Come participate, come watch and join the fun! **Email Laura Hufford to sign up.**

Pastor Randy Raak: pastor@amestrinity.org

Elder Care Groups are as follows: A-G = Tom Kuyper; H-K = Bill Frazier; L-S = Jim Hallihan; T-Z = Paul Kleinwolterink

Deacons: Donna Bergman, Andrew Friend, Mark Irvin, Tom Whitney

DENOMINATION ANNOUNCEMENTS

Back to God Ministries

CHEER UP CHAMY - Check out our children's programs at www.kidscorner.net. In this week's episode, "Cheer Up Chamy," it's time to rally the troops! Chamy needs everyone's help. It's up to Liz and Lucille and the gang to cheer her up after her parents' divorce. But how exactly do you do that? Listen now at kidscorner.net and subscribe to KC's weekly emails for future episodes. Download God's Got You Covered, an eBook to help kids and parents talk about divorce. kidscorner.net/activities

FAMILY FIRE - FAMILY FIRE is an online community exploring Spirit-led family, marriage, parenting, in-laws, blended families, and intimacy. Find encouraging articles and devotions at familyfire.com. Subscribe for regular email updates and connect with our Family Fire community on Facebook.

GROUNDWORK: BLOOD, SACRIFICES, AND FORGIVENESS - We don't offer sacrifices anymore. Join Groundwork in studying Leviticus 16:6-16, Leviticus 17:10-14, Hebrews 10:1-14, and Romans 3:21-26 with Groundwork to understand why the sacrificial system informs our relationship with God. Listen now at GroundworkOnline.com and subscribe to Groundwork's weekly emails for future episodes.

Faith Formation

At-home Faith Formation Tip - In *The Practice of Sabbath: In Rhythms of Rest*, Shelly Miller writes, "God's creation is a life-giving inhale for all of us, and Sabbath is the exhale." Wherever you are today, find a bit of God's creation to enjoy as you take time to "exhale." Look at a leaf with a magnifying glass. Sit and watch birds in flight. Look at the clouds overhead. Quiet your busy mind. Then read Psalm 148 for a taste of how all creation praises God. (For more on faith practices from Faith Formation Ministries, visit crcna.org/FaithFormation/Practices.)

Office of Social Justice

Virtual Church Between Borders Workshop: Oct. 6 - What does the Bible say about immigration? The CRC Office of Social Justice invites you to learn about the realities of immigration in the U.S. today through a biblical lens. Join our virtual workshop **Tuesday, October 6th** at 7 p.m.! Register at tinyurl.com/VCBB1