



Trinity Cares

Resource Guide



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No matter your season of life, we are here to walk with you. The Trinity Care Team is here to help you in leveraging the various seasons of life for the purpose of spiritual transformation. Trinity Church has been meeting the needs of individuals and families in the Greater Lansing area since the 1950s.

This guide provides information about resources located within our church and community. The digital version of the guide provides clickable links to the resources' websites.

Let love be genuine. Abhor what is evil; hold fast to what is good. Love one another with brotherly affection. Outdo one another in showing honor. Do not be slothful in zeal, be fervent in spirit, serve the Lord. Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Contribute to the needs of the saints and seek to show hospitality. Romans 12:9-13 ESV



and Christian Services

Assistance is available for housing support, education, employment, food, health care, mental health, substance abuse, personal and household items, clothing needs, nutritional help, aid for veterans, aid for the elderly, transportation, and much more, by contacting:

- Dial **211** or go to <u>mi211.org</u> *Available 24/7/365*
- Christian Services 517-394-5411 Monday-Thursday 9:15am-3:00pm

Baptisms

We offer an online class for those interested in being baptized at Trinity Church. This required class covers the Biblical basis for baptism along with how we, as disciples of Christ, can share the Gospel along with our own personal story. To sign up to be baptized, visit wearetrinity.com/baptism.

Cards of Encouragement

Our *Christian Card Ministry* sends cards to individuals who may need extra support and care during this season in their lives. If you know someone who might be encouraged to receive cards periodically or would like to be included yourself, please contact Pat Crosby at 517-282-3820. If you are requesting cards on behalf of someone else, please get their consent before sharing their information with us.

Care Guides for Adults

Care Guides are trained volunteers from Trinity who are available for those in need of someone to walk alongside them during a hard season of life. Care Guides provide a safe place to process life's disappointments and challenges with a Christ-centered, biblical focus. Request a free and confidential meeting with a Care Guide at wearetrinity.com/care-guides.

Celebrate Recovery

Celebrate Recovery is all about celebrating the healing and transformation found in Christ so that we can experience full life with Him! Find freedom from all kinds of hurts, habits, and hang-ups in a safe, caring community of others on the road to recovery. Participants work on a variety of issues including codependency, drug and alcohol addiction, abusive relationships, pornography addiction, food issues, anger or ANYTHING that stunts emotional and spiritual growth. Contact Christy at <u>christy.maniscalco@wearetrinity.com</u> or 517-272-3844 for more information.

Celebrate Recovery meets on Thursday evenings, with dinner at 6:00pm and large- and small-group gatherings from 7:00-9:15pm. Enter Door D on the south side of the church. Dinner is \$5 for adults and \$2 for children.

Counseling

You don't have to face life's challenges alone. If someone is in need of professional Christian counseling, contact:

Monarch Counseling517-930-3071Monarch Counseling, conveniently located inside TrinityChurch, has a team of Christian counselors ready to helpno matter your struggles.

Wellspring Counseling

You can also visit <u>psychologytoday.com</u> to view counselors' profiles and find a therapist by zip code. This site will provide information on local counselors' beliefs (especially helpful when looking for a Christian counselor), qualifications, specialties, fees, and more.

Crisis Center Helplines

Adult Abuse Resources	
Adult Protective Services (elder abuse)	517-887-9650
Elder Abuse, Exploitation, Neglect 24hr	800-996-6228

517-336-4335

Aging Information & Referrals	
Tri-County Office on Aging	517-887-1440
Child Abuse & Neglect	
Child Abuse Prevention Services	517-484-8444
Parent Helpline/Child Abuse 24hr	800-942-4357
Parents Anonymous 24hr	800-482-0747
Ingham County Protective Services 24hr	517-887-9450
Clinton County Protective Services	989-224-5500
after 5:00pm only	989-224-7684
Eaton County Protective Services	517-543-0860
after 5:00pm only	517-543-0863
Crisis Helplines	

Community Mental Health	
Emergency Services	517-372-8460
Listening Ear 24hr	517-337-1717
Runaway Assistance Program 24hr	800-292-4517
Eldercare	800-677-1116

Domestic Abuse

Local law enforcement agencies are always available when someone is being abused. Dial 911 for assistance.

EVE (End Violent Encounters) *24hr* 517-372-5572 Provides advice and shelter. Visit <u>eveinc.org</u>.

MSU Safe Place Relationship Violence & Stalking Program Priority given to MSU community, but help to anyone if there are openings. 517-355-1100 or <u>safeplace.msu.edu</u>.

SIREN/Eaton Shelter, Inc. Provides advice and transitional housing		517-543-0748
Confidential Crisis Lines 24h	nr	800-899-9997
		517-543-4915
Family Violence Prevention	Helpline 24hr	800-996-6228
Parent Helpline 24hr		800-942-4357
Legal Aid	517-394-3121 or	800-968-4445
Lawyer Referral & Informati	on Service	517-482-8816

Human Services Department - Family Indepen	dence Program
Clinton County	989-224-5500
Eaton County	517-543-0860
Ingham County	517-887-9400
Shiawassee County	517-725-3200
Mental & Medical Health Resources	
Child and Family Charities	517-882-4000
Community Mental Health Authority of	517-346-8460
Clinton, Eaton, and Ingham Counties	<u>ceicmh.org</u>
Cristo Rey Counseling & Guidance Program	517-372-4700
Great Lakes Counseling	616-414-1900
Ingham County Health Department	517-887-4300
Ingham County Mental Health Center 24hr	517-372-8460
Medical Access Program - Red Cross	517-484-7461
Mental Health Association of Michigan	800-482-9534
Wellspring Counseling	517-336-4335
Services for Refugees	
Catholic Refugee Services	517-323-4734
Samaritas	517-321-7663
Substance Abuse Treatment and Resources	
Alcoholics Anonymous 24hr	517-377-1444
Al-a-non 24hr	517-484-1977
Celebrate Recovery at Trinity Church	517-272-3844
Gateway Community Services (ages 12-20)	517-351-4000
Mid-Michigan Recovery Services	517-887-0226

Deacons Ministry

The Deacons of Trinity Church provide compassionate care for those in need. If you need assistance, please contact Jan Galloway at 517-272-3820 or <u>jan.galloway@wearetrinity.com</u> to discuss the situation and fill out an application.

Divorce Care and Support

DivorceCare

DivorceCare provides care and support to those experiencing separation and divorce. Through this group, individuals can find the support of others who also are processing hurt and disappointment over a broken marriage and gain renewed hope for the future. This group meets Sundays at 9:15am. Contact Amy Brown at <u>amy.brown@wearetrinity.com</u> for the most up-to-date meeting information.

Divorce Support for Children and Teens

Little Pieces Club and Little Pieces Club for Teens, two individual ministries of Trinity Church, offer care and support for children and teens impacted by divorce. For more information, contact Chris Pohlod at <u>chris.pohlod@gmail.com</u>.

Financial Counseling

Budget Counseling at Trinity Church

Our budget counselors provide individual help on establishing a budget and getting out of debt. Contact Jan Galloway at jan.galloway@wearetrinity.com for more information.

Financial Peace University at Trinity Church

Financial Peace University is a nine-week class to help you learn how to get out of debt and manage money the way God desires. Offered twice a year. For more information, contact Carolyn Kersten at <u>carolyn.kersten@wearetrinity.com</u>.

Lansing Financial Empowerment Center

The LFEC provides professional counselors who can help create a budget, reduce money stress, improve credit, pay down debt, access affordable bank accounts, and save money for the future. These services are free of charge with no income or residency requirements. To schedule an appointment go to <u>schedulicity.com/scheduling/LFECLP</u> or call 517-483-4550, Monday-Friday, 9:00am-5:00pm.

Food Assistance

Local agencies may provide meals at no charge. Please contact the agency for the most up-to-date information. Trinity Church also offers food boxes to people in need through our Deacon Ministry (see contact information on page 5).

Advent House Ministries Westminster Presbyterian 743 N. MLK, Lansing Saturdays - 8:00am, 11:30am, 4:30pm Sundays - 9:30am, 1:00pm, 5:00pm	517-485-4722
Calvary Christian Fellowship 5324 Millett Hwy, Lansing Visit <u>cclansing.com/services</u> 1st & 3rd Thursday - 12:00-1:30pm	517-372-9673
Central United Methodist Church 215 N Capital, Lansing Thursdays - 11:30am-12:30pm	517-485-9477
Christ Lutheran Community Soup Kitchen 122 S. Pennsylvania, Lansing Saturday - 11:30am-1:30pm	517-482-2252
Christ United Methodist Church 517 W Jolly, Lansing Mondays & Wednedays - 11:15am-12:30pm	517-394-2727
City Rescue Mission 613 E. Michigan, Lansing Daily - 6:30pm	517-485-0145
Cristo Rey Commmunity Cente r 1717 High St, Lansing Tuesdays & Thursdays - 11:30am-12:30pm	517-372-4700
Salvation Army 525 N Pennsylvania, Lansing Mondays & Fridays - 12:00-12:45pm	517-484-4424

Southside Community Soup Kitchen Galilee Baptist Church 2511 Reo Rd, Lansing Tuesdays & Thursdays - 11:30am-12:15pm	517-887-0770
Volunteers of America 430 N Larch, Lansing Monday-Friday - 7:30am, 11:30am, 4:30pm Saturdays & Sundays - 8:00am, 4:30pm	517-484-4414
Additional Food Assistance	
Ingham County Holt/Mason Eaton County	211 517-676-1065 517-543-5465

Clinton County Christian Services 989-224-6702 517-394-5411

Food Benefits Application Assistance

The Greater Lansing Foodbank can assist individuals in completing the application forms for food benefits and direct them to food distribution sites in the area.

The Greater Lansing Foodbank, 517-899-9457 or facebook.com/GLFoodBank1/events

Central Michigan 211 (available 24/7, 365) By phone: dial 211 or 866-561-2500 By text: text your zip code to 898-211

Food Pantry

The Deacons of Trinity Church maintain a food and personal needs pantry at the church. Personal items such as soap. toothpaste, toilet paper and deodorant and boxes of non-perishable foods are stocked there. Please call Jan at 517-272-3820 if you are in need of food or personal items.

Foster Care & Adoption Assistance

Trinity's *Open Arms Ministry* provides care and support to foster and adoptive families. Contact Carla Kelley at 517-699-2877 or <u>trinityopenarms@gmail.com</u> for more info.

Funerals

Trinity members or attenders who have lost a loved one and would like to hold a funeral or memorial service at Trinity Church may contact Michelle Gondal at <u>michelle.gondal@wearetrinity.com</u> or 517-272-3820.

Grief Support

GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences—the death of a loved one. Contact Amy Brown at <u>amy.brown@wearetrinity.com</u> for the most up-to-date meeting information.

Hospitalization

If someone from Trinity is hospitalized, you can let staff know by calling Pat Crosby at 517-272-3820.

Internationals

Go>Connect is a disciple-making community including students, scholars, singles, families and American friends who get together to connect, encourage and learn from one another. For more information, contact Angela Clark-Pohlod at <u>angela.clark-pohlod@wearetrinity.com</u>.

Marriage Enrichment Community

Trinity Church's *Marriage Enrichment Community* is a closeknit community committed to building healthy, vibrant marriage relationships. For more information, contact <u>amy.brown@wearetrinity.com</u> for more information.

Pornography Support

If you or someone you love struggles with pornography, there is hope and help available. *Celebrate Recovery* (see page 3) and **Covenant Eyes** at <u>covenanteyes.com</u> are organizations that can help with pornography addictions.

Prayer

Request to speak with a Prayer Team member about your prayer needs or submit prayer requests by filling out the form at <u>wearetrinity.com/prayer</u>.

Shelter Assistance

Contact the shelter for the most up-to-date information.

City Rescue Mission <i>for men</i> 613 E Michigan Ave, Lansing	517-485-0145
City Rescue Mission Maplewood Center <i>for women & children</i> 2216 S Cedar St, Lansing	517-485-0145
EVE (End Violent Encounters)	517-372-5572
Gateway Youth Services for ages 12-20	877-833-3689
Hannah's House for pregnant women 625 N Walnut, Lansing	517-482-5856
Haven House for families 121 Whitehills Dr, East Lansing	517-337-2731
Loaves & Fishes 831 N Sycamore St, Lansing	517-482-2099
SIREN/Eaton Shelter, Inc.	517-543-0748
Volunteers of America 430 N Larch St, Lansing	517-484-4414

Suicide Prevention Hotlines & Crisis Help

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 800-273-8255 English 888-628-9454 Spanish

Veterans Crisis Line

800-273-8255, option 1 Text 838-255

Crisis Text Line Text the word "Hello" to 741-741 Send a Facebook message to facebook.com/crisistextline

Vehicle Problems

The *GEAR Ministry* of Trinity Church may be able to provide car repair or maintenance to Trinity members or attenders in need. If you or someone you know might need assistance, please contact Jan Galloway at 517-272-3820 or jan.galloway@wearetrinity.com to discuss the situation and fill out an application.

Weddings

Trinity members or attenders who would like to be married at Trinity Church or by a Trinity Pastor may begin the process by filling out the form at <u>wearetrinity.com/wedding</u>. If you have questions or would like more information, contact Michelle Gondal at <u>michelle.gondal@wearetrinity.com</u> or 517-272-3820.



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