

COVID-19 UPDATE

In light of rising COVID-19 cases in Kansas, the Session has decided to move the target date for resuming in-person worship to September 13. We feel like this new date will coincide nicely with the school opening plan for Kansas as well as our Fall Christian Education kick-off events. When we get closer to the time of our target date for resuming in-person worship, look for emails, letters, and newsletter articles that will communicate our new worship procedures.

Church Office Procedures:

- The church office is closed to all except staff.
- Masks are required to enter the church and church office.
- Rev. Meredith, Karen Meenen, Kathy Welch and Becky Crowl are happy to meet via phone or ZOOM. Call to make an appointment.
- Thank you for helping keep our staff healthy!

This Sunday, we will celebrate communion in our online worship. If you wish to partake, please have elements ready (bread/juice; crackers/wine; etc.)

SHERYL DANIELS TO RETIRE

After nearly 16 and a half years of faithful service, our organist, Sheryl Daniels, has announced her retirement effective July 31st. Sheryl has provided excellence in worship musicianship during her time here. She has played for countless funerals and other occasions in the life of our church. Sheryl is also a good friend and person of deep abiding faith. Please join me in wishing Sheryl a fond farewell and blessings in her retirement!

To celebrate Sheryl, the Personnel Committee is holding a Card Shower. Please mail retirement cards to the CHURCH. We want to compile all the cards and give them to Sheryl at one time. The deadline for cards is August 14th.

PAGE TURNERS BOOK STUDY

Join us on Zoom at 1:30 Fridays. We are studying Richard Rohr's book, The Universal Christ. Contact Jenny Lee if you would like more information: jenny222lee@gmail.com. To join the group and receive a zoom invitation, contact Carol Thomas at ctmshm@gmail.com

SUMMER ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL ZOOM

Carol Thomas is the Zoom host and will start letting people in at 9:15 Sunday mornings.

9:20- share joys and concerns

9:30- lift up our joys and concerns in prayer

9:35- class begins

Summer Sunday school is a discussion using the lectionary that Pastor Mere will be using in worship. Carol Shannahan will facilitate the class. Scripture is sent out a day or two before class for those who would like to be ahead of the game.

WORSHIP LITURGISTS

Anyone interested in learning how to become a liturgist for worship, please contact Carol Shannahan at 785-559-8551 or carolsbutterflies1@gmail.com.



ISAIAH 55: 1-5 MATTHEW 14:13-21

Joys and Concerns - August 2, 2020

<u>Prayers for Families/Persons from Directory</u> Rotation

Matt Meenen

Michael, Madison, Aaron & Halle Meenen Sarah Meenen

Nuevo Calvario, Los Talpetates & Rio Los Bueyes, El Salvador

Prayer Focus Church of the Presbytery of Northern Ks:

Trinity Presbyterian - Topeka

<u>Prayers for the Ecumenical Church</u> Cameroon, Central African Republic, Equatorial Guinea

Ongoing Concerns:

Audrey Chestnut

Cheryl Lindstrom

Chuck Pullen

Jace Raines Jessie Zimmerman

John Eddy

Joyce Adcock

Judy and Carl Rundell

Nelson Spaulding

Neva Ebeling

Pam Oroke

Ralph Howard

Rose Fritz

Our troops overseas BECKY JONES' brother, Raleigh Carr, & friends, Janice Pechacek and Cheryl Arney; BECKY SCHOOLER'S sister-in-law, Jill; CAROL SHANNAHAN'S mother, Anita & friend, Janet; CARMEN RAINES' friend, Mark; DAVID AND JURAHEE SHRIVER'S SON, Andrew; JARON MARCUS' mother, Sherilyn; KAY AND RALPH HOWARD'S stepbrother and step-sister, Max & Betty Hall, and their niece, Marsha Albright; LOT WECKERLING and her son, William; LEAH FULTON'S sister-in-law, Shirley Mulkey; LETTIE KARLSON'S friend, K.C; LINDA DOLEZAL's mom, Dorothy Hall; LOU NELL GUSTAVSON's brother, John Mayfield; MARILYN LEINACKER'S daughter, Lisa; MARTHA MILLER'S father & mother, Robert & Phyllis Cordell; MARY NESTOR'S sister, Kay Fessler & nephew, David Fessler; NELSON SPAULDING'S daughter, Deborah Harris; PAT THOMBLISON'S son's colleague and friends of the Younger family, & friend Alyssa; RUTH & JIM JENKINS' sister, Donna; nephew, Glen Nielson, friends JP & Peter, daughter-in-law, Ali, niece, Debbie & 8-year old great, great niece, Kenzie; TONI FARRELL-HIGGINS mother, Loretta Farrell & her aunt, Esther Searls: WENDY PULLEN'S brother. Mike Rov & CHUCK PULLEN'S sister, Ruth

Winterton; ZIMMERMAN family

Trinity Presbyterian Church Prayers and Concerns

Please keep in prayer all of our friends and family. If you are in special need of prayer or a phone call, or would like yourself, family member, or loved one added to our prayer list, please email the church office or contact Rev. Meredith Kemp-Pappan, Kathy Welch (Parish Nurse), or Cathy Armstrong (Deacon Moderator). It is also helpful if you let us know if they or you would like pastoral care.

Grace and Peace, Pastor Mere

NEW ADDRESS OR PHONE NUMBER?

Have you changed your: <u>postal address</u> email address =,

or phone number (?

Please email or call the church office with the new information so we can stay connected with you.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE REMINDER

During this time of mandated precautions due to the COVID-19 virus, there will be no visits to hospitals, health care facilities (nursing home, assisted & independent living) or in-home visits unless there are extenuating circumstances.

All Trinity staff are available if needed. Please call or text their cell phones. You may also access current information about Trinity from our website (www.trinitypresbyterian.net) or calling the church office (272-2620) during business hours.

CE FALL CURRICULUM

(The following schedule will be the same whether it is in person or Zoom)

WELCOME BACK SUNDAY- SEPTEMBER 13

September 13- Speaker Laura Sidlinger
Laura will share her thoughts on our new theme
"Building and Maintaining Relationships"
September 20- we will begin our new curriculum:
The Walk, Five Essential Practices of the Christian Life by Adam Hamilton

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CHURCH STAFF

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Dir. of Christian Education & C	Outreach Karen Meenen
Parish Nurse	Kathy Welch
Church Secretary	Becky Crowl
Music Director	Brad Stipcak
Organist	Sheryl Daniels
Kevboardist	Jaron Marcus