**Trinity Presbyterian Church** 

January 17, 2021



THE trinity candle

### THIS SUNDAY - ONLINE WORSHIP

**REMINDER:** We have returned to online worship only due to the current upsurge in Covid-19 cases across the state and our community. We hope you will join us this Sunday **online**.

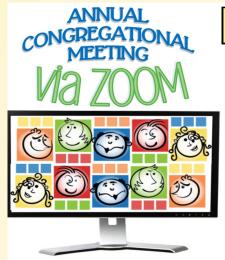
The worship service will begin at 10:30 am. You will be able to access it either on Facebook or on the Trinity website.

### LINKS to the online service:

https://www.facebook.com/TrinityTopeka/

https://trinitypresbyterian.net/facebook-live-stream-videos/

**NOTE:** Due to internet issues, the video might not always be uploaded to the Trinity website right at 10:30am. If you are having issues getting the worship video, wait 10-15 minutes and try refreshing the web page.



#### JANUARY 31 SUNDAY - 11:30 AM

The Annual Meeting of the Congregation will take place on Sunday, January 31, at 11:30am via ZOOM.

We will hear reports from Session committees, receive the 2021 budget, and take action regarding changes in the Terms of Call for Pastor Meredith.

If you are new to ZOOM, please contact Rev. Meredith or Karen Meenen and they will be happy to help set you up.

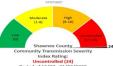
#### The link to join the Zoom Meeting is:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8234895951? pwd – eFFYbllhUHZIcmVYd05UKzk3REg0QT09

Meeting ID: 823 489 5951

Passcode: trinity

#### FOR THE SAFETY OF OUR CHURCH STAFF, DURING THE CONTINUED RISE IN POSITIVE COVID CASES: we must begin to more closely follow COVID guidelines. PLEASE REMEMBER the <u>church office is closed</u> TO ALL BUT PAID STAFF during normal work hours.



### If you need something FROM the office or must BRING an item TO the office:

• You must <u>call or email the church office</u> to set up arrangements to have your need accommodated. (see times below)

FROM: We can gather what you need, put it in a labeled bag, and leave it on the Welcome Desk for you to pick up. (Elders: this includes mail box contents.)
BRING TO: We ask you to SLIDE pledge envelopes under the office door. (*Please DO NOT ENTER the office.*) Larger items need to be left outside the office doors. (When you call we will discuss those details.)

#### TIME TO PICK UP/DROP OFF:

---If you don't have a code to enter the church, you'll need to come between 12:30-4:00p to be let in to pick up/drop off items <u>from the church lobby.</u> ---Those with codes must follow the same guidelines above, or can check their mailboxes without notice after 4:30pm week days & all day weekends.

 Masks <u>are required</u> in the church, including the office. The office phone number is (785) 272-2620.

Thank you for your considerate efforts to protect our Trinity Staff!



## 1 SAMUEL 3: 1-20 JOHN 1: 43-51

Joys and Concerns -Jan. 17, 2021

#### Prayers for Families/Persons from Directory Rotation

Lot Weckerling John Weisgerber Kathy Welch Nuevo Calvario, Los Talpetates & Rio Los Bueyes, El Salvador

# Prayer Focus Church of the Presbytery of Northern Ks:

Delia Presbyterian - Delia

#### **Prayers for the Ecumenical Church**

Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Yemen

### Sympathies:

Ann Shelton on the death of her mother, Pat Miller Art & Carrie Lancaster on the death of their brother in law Dale Bood & provers

their brother-in-law, Dale Reed & prayers for spouse, Jean Reed & family Barb & Jeff Koci on the death of her mother, Louise Cunningham Gerald Adcock on the death of his best friend's wife, Carol Jan Allen on the death of her husband, Bill Toni Farrell-Higgins on the death of her Aunt Esther Searls

#### New Concerns:

Brad Stipcak Helen Rhodes Jan Allen Kay Howard's friend, Marcia Rothmier Ruth Jenkins and her 8-year old great, great niece, Kenzie

#### **Ongoing Concerns:**

Audrey & Jacob Barnard and Marilyn Leinacker Carol Shannahan Cheryl Lindstrom Chuck Pullen Don & Carolyn Burns

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### ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Please join Adult Sunday school through Zoom every Sunday at 8:45.



### **Continues through February 14**

We will begin our 2021 year with a new book by Mike Slaughter, Made for a Miracle. Mike Slaughter examines the two components of every miracle: divine action and human responsibility. For a real miracle to take place, we must act with God, using the abilities

we have and directing them toward God's work in the world.

SPIRITUAL MIGRATION PAGE TURNERS BOOK STUDY- Zoom meeting at 1:30 on Fridays. On Friday, February 5, we will start the book THE GREAT SPIRITUAL MIGRATION- How the World's Largest Religion is Seeking a Better Way To Be Christian by Brian D. McLaren

TUESDAYS WITH THE WORD- Tuesday mornings at 9:00 AM. This is a Zoom fellowship and Bible study time with Pastor Mere. We use the Wired Word as a resource. Join us!

### TOPEKA IUMP

Trinity's justice ministry, Topeka JUMP, is in its research phase. Members are researching the new issue campaign, Mental Health/Addiction, and are also continuing to work on the issues of Affordable Housing, Predatory Lending and Transportation. The Violence Campaign, SAVE (Strategies Against Violence Everywhere), is in the maintenance phase. Earlier this year, JUMP got the County Commission put money in the 2021 budget to hire a project manager for SAVE and JUMP is pleased to report the County District Attorney's office has done so and the project manager will start work in January.

### MARTIN LUTHER KING EVENT

The 28th annual Whose Dream is it? Celebration will be conducted virtually this year in collaboration with the Martin Luther King, Jr., National Historical Park in Atlanta. The theme this year is "Whose dream is it? Where do we go from here, chaos or



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community?" Join the celebration at 5 p.m., this Monday, January 18, at: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/818163805663 or facebook.com/topekacp

## FREE SCHOOL LUNCHES

Because USD 501 children are returning to remote schooling on Mon. Jan. 18th. the Wednesday Free School Lunch program will not be available. During remote school, the district provides free food in a different format to the children. When children return to in-school status, we expect the Wednesday program to re-start.

### **OPERATION FOOD SECURE AT TRINITY**

The next distribution of free food boxes is: WEDNESDAY, JAN. 20th, 1:00PM, TRINITY PARKING LOT

Elaine, Mike & Vicky Alexander Jace Raines Jessie Zimmerman John Eddv Joyce Adcock Judy and Carl Rundell Natalya & Pat Thomblison & Kathleen Thompson Pam Oroke Robert Burtch Rose Fritz Wendy Pullen Our troops overseas Becky Jones' friends, Janice Pechacek & Cheryl Arney; Becky Schooler's sister-inlaw, Jill; Brad Stipcak's brother, Brett Stipcak & mother, Beverly; Carol Shannahan's friend. Janet: Carmen Raines' friend, Mark: Carolyn Burns' sister -in-law, Carol Jessop; Cathy Headworth's mother's (Laura Rolph) sister, Jniece Bell; Douglas Phenix; Elise Higgins' father-in-law, Bill Ward; Gerald and Joyce Adcock's aunt, Norma Jean; Iris Neuenswander's friend, Robin's family; Jaron Marcus' mother, Sherilyn; Kay & Ralph Howard's friends, Jo Miller, & Karen Swogger & daughter, Sarah, stepbrother, Max Hall, & niece, Marsha Albright & husband Doug; Leah Fulton's sister-inlaw, Shirley Mulkey; Lettie Karlson's friend, K.C; Maddie Mellies' stepfather, Dave Leinweber; Marilyn Leinacker's daughter, Lisa; Martha Miller's father & mother, Robert & Phyllis Cordell; Mary Nestor's sister, Kay Fessler; Michelle Sawtelle; Nelson Spaulding's daughter, Deborah Harris: Pat Thomblison's son's colleague & friends of the Younger family, & friend Alyssa; Portia Maxon's son, Joel Maxon: Ruth & Jim Jenkins' sister. Donna's grandson. Chase, nephew, Glen Nielson, friends JP & Peter, niece, Debbie; Toni Farrell-Higgins' mother, Loretta Farrell; Wendy Pullen's brother, Mike Roy, & friend, Gerald Manchester; Chuck Pullen's sister, Ruth Winterton & brother-inlaw. Bud Winterton; Zimmerman family

## WAYS TO GIVE TO TRINITY

### By personal check:

Mail it to-Trinity Presbyterian Church 4746 SW 21st Street Topeka, KS 66604

### **Online-Bank Bill Payment:**

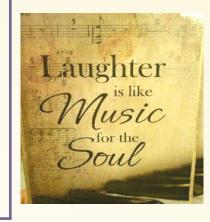
A service offered by most financial institutions, which creates automatic recurring or one-time gift payments electronically from your bank account. Designate Trinity as payee, and have payments sent to: *Trinity Presbyterian Church* 4746 SW 21st Street Topeka, KS 66604

### **Online-Trinity Giving:**

You can find this option on Trinity's website at <u>www.trinitypresbyterian.net</u>. Select the "Give" tab in the upper right portion of the screen and follow the instructions.

### 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



## TRINITY MEMBER DIRECTORY ONLINE

Visit Trinity's website at <u>www.trinitypresbyterian.net</u> to access the most recent directory update.

**CONGREGATION CARE REMINDER:** During this time 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. Call or text their cell phones. to access the most recent directory update. If you have forgotten the password, call or email the church office.



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## **CHURCH STAFF**

Pastor	Rev. Meredith Kemp-Pappan
Dir. of Christian Education & C	Dutreach Karen Meenen
Parish Nurse	Kathy Welch
Church Secretary	Becky Crowl
Music Director	Brad Stipcak
Keyboardist	Jaron Marcus