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**SUNDAY WORSHIP**  
**APRIL 4-18**  
**CONTINUES TO BE ONLINE**

Online worship 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.

**SUNDAY WORSHIP**  
**APRIL 25**

At the March Session meeting, the Session unanimously voted to **return to in-person worship** on Sunday, April 25.

Protocols for protecting health and well-being will be in place and masks will be still be required.

We will still live-stream worship for those who wish to worship with us remotely.

How ever you plan to join us, I look forward to seeing you! *Rev. Meredith*

Watch future issues of this weekly newsletter for in-person worship safety protocol information.



**MAUNDY THURSDAY**

April 1, 2021

7:00 p.m. ZOOM Service

Prayer Vigil to Follow

Join us in the Upper ZOOM for an online service of worship for Maundy Thursday. If you would like to participate in communion, you will need to prepare your elements (bread, crackers, wine, juice, etc.). A small candle will also be needed so that we can share the light of Christ. **Join the Zoom Meeting at:**  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8234895951?pwd=eFFYbllhUHZlcmVYd05UKzk3REg0QT09>  
Meeting ID: 823 489 5951 Passcode: trinity

Our (virtual) Prayer Vigil starts at 8 pm Thursday and continues through 7 am on Good Friday praying in the comfort of your home. To reserve a half hour or hour prayer time, contact Anton Ahrens at [antonf58@att.net](mailto:antonf58@att.net) or 785-232-2060.

**EASTER SUNDAY**

April 4, 2021

10:30 a.m.

Online Worship Service



## One Great Hour of Sharing



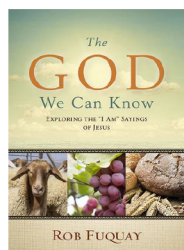
### **PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE**

**OUT OF CHAOS, HOPE**

Presbyterian Disaster Assistance (PDA) is the emergency and refugee program of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). It enables our congregations and mission partners to witness to the healing love of Christ through caring for communities adversely affected by crisis and catastrophic event. Find an interactive world map with OGHS recipients at [pcusa.org/oghsmap](http://pcusa.org/oghsmap).

In the first half of 2020 (1/1/20-6/30/20) PDA granted \$4.1 million as 487 grants in the United States and 57 countries. Of that, \$2.5 million was for COVID-19 response.

**Write checks to "Trinity Presbyterian Church" with "OGHS written on the memo line. You can also give to the OGHS through our website. Go to [www.trinitypresbyterian.net/give](http://www.trinitypresbyterian.net/give), there is an option to give to any of our special offerings. THANKS!**



Please join us in Adult Sunday School for our exploration of the "I Am" sayings of Jesus.

We are currently studying the book, *The God We Can Know* by Rob Fuquay.

This study will conclude on Sunday, April 4<sup>th</sup>.

This Zoom class begins at 8:45 with sharing and prayer, but you can enter the Zoom any time after 8:35. Class will conclude by 10:00.

## **ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL**

Are you asking yourself what does Adult Sunday School look like via Zoom? Here is a brief overview of how we spend our time together on Sunday mornings!

- 8:35 - Class opens for a time of fellowship
- 8:45 - We start with a time of sharing joys and concerns followed by prayer.
- 9:00 - Facilitator begins with a combination of scripture, discussion and a short video.
- 9:25 - Meet in small groups for further discussion of the lesson.
- 9:40 - Meet together for final thoughts and closing prayer, ending by 10:00.

Sunday School has a variety of components to help us study God's word, share and learn from each other and grow in our spiritual journey. **We invite you to please come and join us on Sunday mornings.**

## **PAGE TURNERS BOOK STUDY- FRIDAYS**

Join the Zoom meeting at 1:30 on Fridays. The new book we will begin studying soon is *The Book of Longings* by Sue Mont Kidd. If you are interested in joining us and getting a zoom invitation, please email Carol Thomas at [ctmshmg@gmail.com](mailto:ctmshmg@gmail.com).

## **TUESDAYS WITH THE WORD**

Tuesday mornings at 9:00am. This is a Zoom fellowship and Bible study time with Pastor Mere. We use the *Wired Word* as a resource. Join us! Email Pastor Mere at [Meredith@trinitypresbyterian.net](mailto:Meredith@trinitypresbyterian.net) to get a zoom invitation.

## **Joys and Concerns MAR. 28, 2021**

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

Laura Bell  
Martha Benignus  
Becky Bollinger & Kent, Alex,  
Ben & Cat Lathrop  
Nuevo Calvario, Los Talpetates  
& Rio Los Bueyes, El Salvador

### **Prayer Focus Church of the Presbytery of Northern Ks: First Presbyterian - Hill City**

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

Czech Republic, Poland, Slovakia

### **New Concerns:**

Ann Fincham  
Marilyn Watt

### **Ongoing Concerns:**

Audrey & Jacob Barnard and  
Marilyn Leinacker  
Carol Shannahan  
Carolyn Burns  
Cheryl Lindstrom  
Chuck Pullen  
Craig Neuenswander  
Doug Meenen  
Helen Rhodes  
Joyce Adcock  
Jessie Zimmerman  
John Eddy  
Kay Wildman  
Olive Ubel  
Pat Thomblison & Kathleen  
Thompson  
Pam Oroke  
Rose Fritz  
Ruth Jenkins

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## MISSION COMMITTEE

### FREE SCHOOL LUNCHES

USD 501 children have returned to the classroom, which means Trinity has returned to distributing free school lunches to children ages 1-18 years. "Grab 'n Go school lunches are given out on Wednesdays from 11a to 12p in the parking lot at Trinity Presbyterian Church when school is in session.

### OPERATION FOOD SECURE AT TRINITY

Trinity distributes food every other Wednesday during March and April. The boxes, provided by the USDA via the Topeka Rescue Mission, has food from farmers who are unable to sell as much of their product to restaurants during the Covid-19 pandemic shutdowns. We really appreciate all of our volunteers who come to help in rain, shine or freezing weather! Share this information: Wednesday, 1:00 PM in Trinity's parking lot on the following dates- **March 31 April 14 April 28**



### BUY THE CASE

The **Buy the Case** program has been fantastically supported this year. With the Donation forms still coming in, as of 3/23/21, we had orders for 151 cases of food!!! The orders are being taken directly to Doorstep as they come in, and they in turn give them out to those in need. We've actually delivered 1,967.8 pounds of food to DOORSTEP to be distributed!!!

In the middle of a pandemic crisis, Trinity has truly stepped up to support getting food to those in need. A **BIG THANKS** to all. We will continue to take orders throughout March, and deliver all of them to Doorstep, as well as any undesignated money that is received.

To participate this year: An order form is on page 5. Please fill it out by entering the quantity and cost of any of the listed food items. The completed form and your payment for the total amount of your order can be mailed, or brought to the church between 12:30p-4p M-F. (Call the church ahead of time to let us know you are coming.)

**Checks must be made to Trinity Presbyterian Church with "BUY THE CASE" in the memo line and sent in with the order form.**

Sally White

Our troops overseas

Ann Fincham's friend, Sam; Becky Jones' friends, Janice Pechacek & Cheryl Arney; Becky Schooler's sister-in-law, Jill; Brad Stipcak's mother, Beverly; Carol Shannahan's friend,

Janet; Carmen Raines' friend, Mark; Carolyn Burns' sister-in-law, Carol Jessop; Carrie & Art Lancaster's daughter, Grace Ray; Cathy Headworth's aunt, Jnièce Bell; Gerald and Joyce Adcock's Aunt Norma Jean; Iris Neuenswander's sister, Rosalee; Jaron Marcus' mother,

Sherilyn; Kay & Ralph Howard's stepbrother, Max Hall, nephew in-law Doug; Kay Wildman's niece, Renee Wohletz; Lettie Karlson's friend, K.C.; Maddie Mellies' stepfather, Dave

Leinweber; Marilyn Leinacker's daughter, Lisa; Mary Nestor's sister, Kay Fessler; Nelson Spaulding's daughter, Deborah Harris; Ruth & Jim Jenkins' 8-year old great, great niece,

Kenzie, sister, Donna's grandson, Chase, friends JP & Peter; Toni Farrell-Higgins' mother, Loretta Farrell; Wendy Pullen's friend, Gerald

Manchester; Zimmerman

family



**UPDATED (3-1-2021)  
TRINITY MEMBER  
DIRECTORY IS ONLINE**

Visit Trinity's website at  
[www.trinitypresbyterian.net](http://www.trinitypresbyterian.net)

to access the most  
recent directory update.

If you have forgotten the password,  
call or email the church office.

**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 [www.trinitypresbyterian.net](http://www.trinitypresbyterian.net).  
Select the "Give" tab in the upper right  
portion of the screen and follow the  
instructions.

*I think  
Happy  
be  
HAPPY*



**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

**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.



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**CHURCH STAFF**

Pastor .....Rev. Meredith Kemp-Pappan  
Dir. of Christian Education & Outreach..... Karen Meenen  
Parish Nurse ..... Kathy Welch  
Secretary..... Becky Crowl  
Music Director ..... Brad Stipcak  
Keyboardist .....Jaron Marcus  
Audio/Visual Technician.....Peter Sandquist

## Trinity Presbyterian Church Buy The Case

### Help fill the Doorstep pantry

Listed below are cases of food you may purchase at the discounted & no-tax price from **Apple Market** through the **Mission Committee**. Please select the product you want to buy, and put the **quantity** of cases. The price per case listed times the quantity would be filled in the **Total** column. Then list the **Total amount enclosed** at the bottom. Send it in and we will take care of getting the food to Doorstep.

**If you are sending a check, make it payable to “Trinity Presbyterian Church”, and put “Buy The Case” in the memo section of the check and list the check number on this form**

Case	Case price	Qty	Total
Canned Fruit	\$12.39		\$

Case	Case price	Qty	Total
Corn	\$12.29		\$

Case	Case price	Qty	Total
Cream of Mushroom Soup	\$12.59		\$

Egg Noodles	\$18.99		\$
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Hamburger Helper	\$11.79		\$
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Jelly	\$15.69		\$
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Macaroni	\$8.99		\$
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Peanut Butter	\$20.49		\$
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Peas	\$13.29		\$
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Pork n Beans	\$12.59		\$
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Rice	\$13.99		\$
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Spaghetti Sauce	\$11.99		\$
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Total amount enclosed \$ \_\_\_\_\_

If a check, check # \_\_\_\_\_

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

Place this order form, and payment in an envelope and send or take it to:  
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 4746 SW 21<sup>st</sup> Street  
 Topeka, KS 66604