

JOIN US FOR SUNDAY WORSHIP

JULY 4TH

IN-PERSON or ON-LINE

Church doors open at 10:10 a.m.
Worship will begin at 10:30 a.m.



Access the ON-LINE service on Facebook or on the Trinity website.

LINKS to the Livestream worship service:

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

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

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

Summer is here and we want you all to know about the summer adult Sunday school schedule. It will continue to be at **8:45 AM** on Sunday mornings via ZOOM. **IF** it changes to in person class, we will send that information out.

JULY 4- No Regular SUNDAY SCHOOL in observance of Independence Day

INSTEAD join us for a special showing of the film, "Genesis of Exodus". See page 2!

JULY 11- AUGUST 29

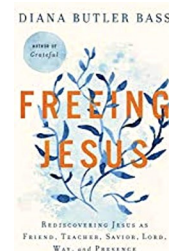
Laura Sidlinger, David Ross, and Jenny Lee will facilitate a Bible study using the Lectionary (a collection of scripture readings used as a guide for worship). During this time, we will explore different Bibles and adventure into understanding God's word and what God is asking of us.

SEPTEMBER 5- NO SUNDAY SCHOOL in observance of Labor Day

**If you are not on the zoom invitation list, please contact the church office to be added to the list.

PAGE TURNERS FRIDAY BOOK STUDY - NOTE LOCATION

Trinity's book group, Page Turners, will be starting a new book on Friday, July 16: Freeing Jesus by Diana Butler Bass. The group meets at Thornton Place at 1:30. Anyone interested in taking part can contact Carol Shannahan for directions or any questions. Thornton Place is off of 29th behind HyVee.



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 to get a ZOOM invitation.

“Genesis of Exodus” Film Showing

If you missed the showing of the film “**Genesis of Exodus**” on June 30th, don’t despair. You can still see it this weekend. We will hold a second showing of the film on this Sunday. The film was created to highlight the problems facing immigrants from El Salvador, Guatemala, and Honduras. Carmen Raines will act as facilitator to view the 50 minute film and discuss afterwards. It can be viewed in person in the sanctuary or online:

- ◆ Watch Facebook and email for online viewing options.
- ◆ Sunday, July 4, showtime is at 8:45 am in the sanctuary and online.
- ◆ Watch it on Facebook or [Trinity’s website](#).
- ◆ At the conclusion of the showing, we will open a Zoom meeting so that online and in-person participants can discuss the film. The zoom address is: _
- ◆ <https://zoom.us/j/91494518796?pwd=ZGtaREQxeTFXVWJpNmVjM0RFTnQwdz09>
- ◆ ZOOM passcode: **097527**

The film is interesting as a stand alone event, but also serves as a culmination of the Sunday School class, Ruth the Immigrant. Carmen has led adult Sunday School the last four weeks through a study of the book of Ruth. The class looked at the vulnerable widow Naomi and foreigner Ruth as these women made their way into the social fabric of Bethlehem. At the same time we explored the plight of people living in the Northern Triangle: Guatemala, Honduras, and El Salvador. We focused on root causes behind immigration, why people choose immigration, and what they experience on the journey and at the border.

If you would like to view the resources or the film privately, click on the links below.

[PCUSA news release about the film project.](#)

[Comprehensive Story Map](#) (This was the immigration resource used in class.)

[Genesis of Exodus film](#) (This is the film we will view again on Sunday.)

Carmen’s class slides for Ruth the Immigrant:

[Class 1 - Ruth and Immigration Introduction](#)

[Class 2 - The Foreigner, the Victims](#)

[Class 3 - Hospitality and The Journey](#)

[Class 4 - Inequality and What You Can Do](#)



Community in El Salvador -Randy Hobson



Market in a Mam Community -Randy Hobson



HARVESTERS
COMMUNITY FOOD NETWORK

Trinity has an exciting new opportunity to work with Harvesters!

Starting July 12, 2021, we will begin distributing food to help feed our community. We have made the commitment to distribute food on the second Monday of every month from 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm. (July 2021 - July 2022)

If you would like to volunteer, please contact Stan McAdoo. We need traffic directors, loaders, and counters.

CURRENT HARVESTER VOLUNTEERS - Important dates:

•**July 12** 10:30 am meet in Trinity parking lot for job assignments and orientation. Distribution will be from 12:00-1:00.

4 Independence Day
Liturgist: **Peggy McAdoo**
USHERS: **Marvin Burris & Dennis Williams**
8:45 AM ZOOM ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:30 AM **WORSHIP SERVICE - In Person/ Online**

5 *CHURCH OFFICE CLOSED
NO Sticks 'N String SR Group

6 9:00 AM NO Tuesday's with the Word via ZOOM
12:30 PM MISSION CMTE MTG ZOOM
4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm 13/14)
5:00 PM NO DEACON CMTE MTG

7 11:00 AM Free Summer School Meals (7 dys) Distr.
6:45 PM Esther Circle (P) lesson starts at 7

8 5:00 PM Yoga for the Young at Heart (Rm 13/14)

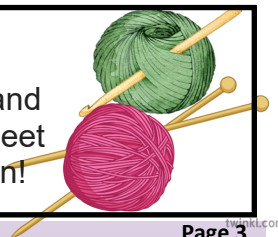
9 1:30 PM Page Turners Book Study (Thorton Place Chapel)
4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm 13/14)

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STICKS 'N STRING GROUP (is back to church!)

Sticks 'n String HAS RETURNED to the church parlor! They are clicking their needles and fellowshiping from 1 - 3 pm! They will also have a zoom invite if you would prefer to meet that way. Join us for some Creative needle work and (sometimes) hilarious conversation!



LOW IMPACT AEROBICS IS BACK



Tuesday and Friday at 4 p.m.
Rooms 13 and 14 in the basement

Starts Tuesday, June 8

Questions?

Contact Martha Huizenga at 785-273-2356

GRAB & GO SUMMER FREE MEALS

Trinity has been approved to continue as a site for USD 501 **FREE** meals distribution for children 1-18 years of age while school is out for the summer. The 7 breakfasts and 7 lunches, milk and juice is provided free through the Summer Food Service Program of USD 501. **ANY CHILD age 1-18** is eligible to receive these meals. No registration or enrollment in USD 501 is required. If you know of families with children, pass the word. The program continues through August 4.



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

For Grab & Go Summer Meal Distribution

Trinity needs volunteer teams to distribute the free meals to children through the summer. Each Wednesday, the prepared food is delivered to Trinity by USD 501. We need **2-3 volunteers** in the morning to bag the food and then help distribute the meals curbside between 11 a.m. and 12 noon. We need several teams set up will allow for flexibility with volunteers' come- and-go summer activities and vacation schedules. **If you are interested in volunteering, contact Peggy McAdoo, at 785-224-5113.**

Young at Heart



Thursdays at
5pm
Rooms 13 and
14 - Lower Level

Join us for Yoga at
your own level or
adaptation.
Contact: Vicky Walters

Hello Trinity members!

As part of the Worship Committee, I have volunteered to coordinate the volunteers for communion.

The plans are to start traditional communion the first Sunday in July. We will need two people to prepare, seven servers and two people to clean up. I would like to get volunteers for July, August and September.



You can respond by calling or texting me at 785-554-6253 or email me at carol.hornecker@gmail.com. There will be a sign up sheet on the bulletin board in the future. Thanks for your help with Communion at Trinity.

TRINITY NEWSLETTERS

When the COVID-19 pandemic hit hard, a decision was made to stop mailing hard copies of the Trinity newsletters to members and friends who had active email addresses. Sending those newsletters by email has turned out to be a money saver for the church. We appreciate your willingness to go “electronic” to reduce paper and printing costs.

While we will continue to send them electronically to the majority of readers, a limited number of hard copies of both the monthly E-newsletter, *The Talking Trinity*, and the weekly E-newsletter, *The Trinity Candle*, will now be available in the church lobby on Sundays when you join us for worship.

We encourage you all to read about the amazing programs at Trinity and work being done.

Joys and Concerns -July 4, 2021

Prayers for Families/Persons from Directory Rotation

Cindy Hall
Michael & Tamara Hampton
Al & Jerriene Harper
Nuevo Calvario, Los Talpetates & Rio Los Bueyes, El Salvador

Prayer Focus Church of the Presbytery of Northern Ks:

United Presbyterian Church - Oberlin

Prayers for the Ecumenical Church Sudan, South Sudan, Uganda

New Concerns:

John Eddy
Virginia Pelton

Ongoing Concerns:

Audrey & Jacob Barnard and Marilyn Leinacker
Carolyn Burns
Cheryl Lindstrom
Christa Sloop
Chuck Pullen
Claudia Jackson
Helen Rhodes
J Ricks
Joyce Adcock
Jessie Zimmerman
Jurahee Shriver
Kay Wildman
Marjorie Marrs
Marilyn Leinacker

Marilyn Watt
Olive Ubel
Pat Thomblison & Kathleen Thompson
Pam Oroke
Rose Fritz
Ruth Jenkins
Wanda Sorber
Our troops overseas
Becky Jones' friends, Janice Pechacek & Cheryl Arney; Becky Schooler's sister-in-law, Jill; Carol Shannahan's friend Lise Marie, her brother Danie & friend, Janet; Brad Stipcak's mother Beverly; brother Brett, sister-in-law Jaime Stipcak and nephew Riley Stipcak; Carmen Raines' friend, Mark and family friend, Gage; Carolyn Burns' sister-in-law, Carol Jessop; Carrie & Art Lancaster's daughter, Grace Ray; Cathy Headworth's aunt, Jniece Bell; Doug Meenen's foster brother, Bill West; Elise (Higgins') friend Katy Everitt 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-in-law, Susan Nestor and sister, Kay Fessler; Nelson Spaulding's daughter, Deborah Harris; Ruth & Jim Jenkins' friend, Laura Louna, brother-in-law, Jim, sister, Donna's grandson, Chase, friends JP & Peter, and great niece & husband, Michelle & Tony; Toni Farrell-Higgins' mother, Loretta Farrell; Wendy Pullen's friend, Gerald Manchester; Zimmerman family



TRINITY MEMBER DIRECTORY IS ONLINE

Visit Trinity's website at 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. 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



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