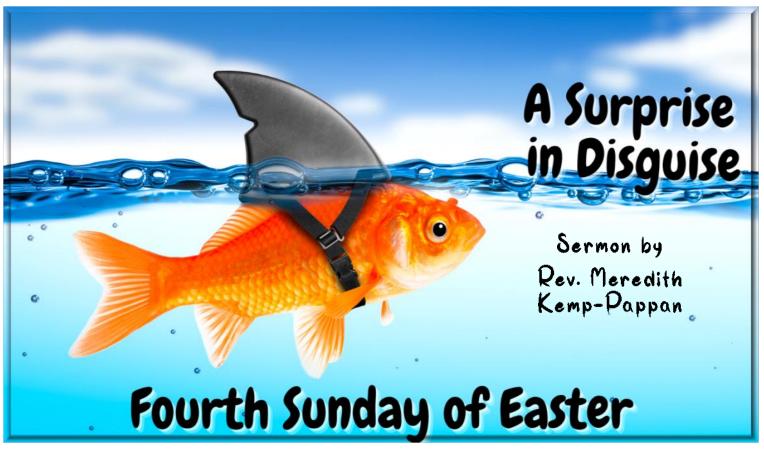
# Trinity Presbyterian Church May 8. 2021



Our worship service begins at 10:30 a.m.

Join us In-Person or watch our

Livestream service on Facebook at:

https://www.tacebook.com/TrinityTopeka/

or on our Trinity website at:

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

We welcome <u>Jace Raines</u> as liturgist this Sunday!

Jace is serving as liturgist in order to fulfill Confirmation requirements.

Jace will be confirmed during worship on May 22.

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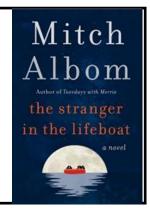


JOHN 10:22-30 ACTS 9:36-43

Please join us as we read and discuss the plot twists in The Stranger in the Lifeboat by Mitch Albom. We meet at 1:30 on PAGE TURNE Fridays at Thornton Place, 2901 SW Armstrong.

**COME TRY US OUT!** 

Questions? Contact Carol Thomas, 785-357-1472 🕏 or ctmshm@gmail.com



### TUESDAYS WITH THE WORD

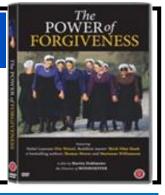
You are invited for coffee and spiritual fellowship time with Pastor Mere. We meet at 9:00 AM on Tuesdays, at the Cafe Quetzal coffee shop, 21st and Belle. Join us for this very casual time of fellowship.



### **ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL IN-PERSON ONLY** 9:30-10:15, FELLOWSHIP HALL

We continue our study of *The Power of Forgiveness*. We will study the healing power of forgiveness and discuss how forgiveness can transform our lives.

Facilitators: Jon Farrell-Higgins, and David Ross



# MAY 22, 2022 \*\*\*MARK YOUR CALENDARS\*

Join us on during worship as we will celebrate

our School graduations and promotions:

COLLEGE - Sarah Meenen; HIGH SCHOOL - Catherine Lathrop, Catherine Ndungu, Kero Zimmerman; EIGHTH GRADE - Jacob Barnard.

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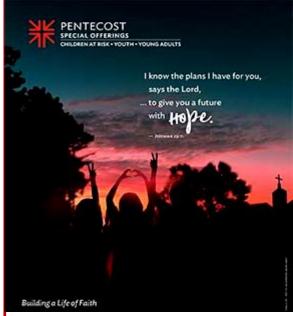
our 2021/2022 Confirmands:

Jacob Barnard & Jace Raines

If your graduate is not listed above, please contact Karen Meenen as soon as possible. A card basket will be available.







forget...WEAR RED on June 5!

#### PENTECOST SUNDAY - JUNE 5

This Year's Pentecost offering, to be received on June 5th, is designated to support ministry to Children and Youth. 40% of what is given will remain locally and has been designated to help support Trinity children and youth who attend Camp Heartland. The other 60% will go on to the Presbytery and General Assembly to help provide scholarships for Youth in our volunteer programs and under-served children in abusive situations and Presbyterian Children's homes

To donate, use the Pentecost envelopes provided in the pews AND WRITE "Pentecost" in the MEMO LINE on your check to ensure your donation appears on your Giving Statement.

Or, you can also give to the Pentecost offering through our website.

If you go to www.trinitypresbyterian.net/give, there is an option to give to any of our special offerings. We hope you'll participate in the offering and don't



### TRINITY DELEGATION TO VISIT **EL SALVADOR IN JUNE!**

A Trinity delegation (currently Anton Ahrens and Susan Stickley,) will be traveling to El Salvador the beginning of June. It's not too late to reserve your spot.

June 11-17, the delegation will visit the capital, San Salvador where we will learn about the joint ventures of the PCUSA and IRCES (the Reformed church of El Salvador), attend Sunday worship services at the Calvinist reformed church in Nuevo Calvario, and visit Los Talpetates and Rio Los Bueyes.



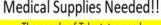
While in Talpetates, we will engage in visits with students of all ages, community leaders, and individuals who are supported by health and educational assistance from Trinity.

We will spend a whole day reviewing the progress of scholarship students

pictured here (supported by Trinity).

Each student will provide a certified copy of their latest transcript as well as a letter about how their studies are progressing. Another day in Talpetates will be spent visiting the K-8 school where two of the twelve teachers are supported by Trinity's budget. The school children will be given a "day off" to entertain the Topeka delegation with singing and dancing, fireworks and English practice.

Delegation members don't need to be able to speak Spanish, but should be interested in meeting people and participating in celebrations and parties. For more information, contact Anton Ahrens at 785-232-2060 or antonf58@att.net.



The people of Talpetates need > Tylenol, ➤ Multivitamin tablets ▶ Prenatal vitamins If you can provide any of these items, put them in the box located in the church entryway.









**HARVESTERS** food is distributed the 2nd Monday of every month at Trinity Presbyterian Church in the paved parking lot.

Distribution is on a first come/first served basis until all the food is given out. We start at 12 pm. The next drive is **Mon.**, **May 9** 

We are short volunteers for this drive. If you can help, please contact Stan McAdoo or call the church at 272-2620.

- **Topeka Rescue Mission (TRM)** would like Trinity to resume serving meals on the second Tuesday each month 4:45-6:45 at the main shelter (600 N.Kansas Ave). This was a practice prior to the pandemic. We will begin service on May 10. Five servers are needed each time. If you would be interested in serving in alternating months, contact Stan McAdoo at 785-224-5113.
- School Grab and Go meals for children will be dispensed on Fridays in June and July. Bags with 7 days of food will be dispensed between 11 a.m. and noon. More info to come!



The **Finance Committee** is pleased to announce that beginning in May, the ushers will resume passing the collection plates during the Sunday morning offering. The offering box will remain in the lobby for your convenience.

# TOPEKA JUMP - TRINITY'S JUSTICE MINISTRY IS INVITING YOU TO ITS NEHEMIAH ASSEMBLY.

It will be held Monday, May 9 at 7:00 at Lee Arena on Washburn University Campus. Come and support an increase in affordable housing and improved services for those experiencing a mental health crisis. A car pool from Trinity leaves at 6:15.





If you included a \$35.00 Per Capita pledge on your financial commitment card last October, the Stewardship Committee is reminding you to please make your payment with "per capita" on the memo line of your check. Contact Carol Shannahan if you need to check the status of your payment. You may also pay it forward for a Trinity member unable to pledge, by including a \$35.00 gift in their honor. Please note "per capita" on your payment.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 COMMUNION SUNDAY Liturgist: Connie Hubbell Sermon on the Steps: Carrie Lancaster USHERS: Marvin Burris & Dennis Williams 9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL ADULTS In- person only 9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL for Children & Youth in-person & online 10:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE - In Person/Online 11:30 AM Men's Fellowship Group Mtg (FH)	2 Day Care Teacher Appreciation Week 5/2-6 1:30 PM Sticks 'N String Group (Parlor) 6:00 PM PNK Meeting (Rm 14) (5:30p set-up)	3 9:00 AM Tuesday's with the Word (Cafe Quetzal) 10:00 AM Line Dance Lesson (FH) 12:30 PM MISSION CMTE MTG ZOOM 1:30 PM Office Staff Meeting (P) 4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm 13/14) 5:30 PM DEACON CMTE MTG - ZOOM		the Young at Heart (Rm 13/14) <b>6:15 PM</b> Handbell Choir Rehearsal	6 1:30 PM Page Turners Book Study (Thornton Place Chapel) 4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm 13/14)	7 9:00 AM Terminex
8 Liturgist: Jace Raines, 2021/2022 Confirmand Mother's Day Sermon on the Steps: Pat Thomblison USHERS: Susan Burris & Nancy Carpenter 9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL ADULTS In- person only 9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL for Children & Youth in-person & online 10:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE - In Person/Online 11:30 AM PEACEMAKING COMMITTEE MTG (Parlor)	1:30 PM Sticks 'N String Group (Parlor) 7:00 PM JUMP Nehemiah Assembly (Lee Arena/ Washburn Univ.)	1:30 PM Office Staff Meeting (P) 4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm 13/14) 6:00 PM PNK Meeting (Rm 14) (5:30p set-up) tentative 7:00 PM Square Dance lessons (FH, K) (6:30p set up)	Vail Moblile Health Clinic (Parking Lot) 4:45 PM Trinity Serves Meal at TRM (600 N. Ks. Ave.) 6:00 PM FINANCE CMTE MTG (P) 6:45 PM Flute Choir Rehearsal (S)	WORSHIP CMTE MTG via ZOOM 5:00 PM Yoga for the Young at Heart (Rm 13/14) 6:15 PM Handbell Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM PROPERTY CMTE MTG - ZOOM 7:30 PM Heritage Choir Rehearsal (S)	13 12:00 PM VISIONING CMTE MTG ZOOM 1:30 PM Page Turners Book Study (Thornton Place Chapel) 4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm 13/14)	14
15 Liturgist: Jacob Barnard, 2021/2022 Confirmand MONTHLY NEWSLETTER ARTICLE DEADLINE Sermon on the Steps: Janis Holiwell USHERS: Craig & Iris Neuenswander 9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL ADULTS Inperson only 9:30 AM SUNDAY SCHOOL for Children & Youth in-person & online 10:30 AM WORSHIP SERVICE - In Person/Online - NEW MEMBERS RECEIVED	16 SESSION PACKET REPORTS DUE AT NOON 1:30 PM Sticks 'N String Group (Parlor) 6:00 PM PNK Meeting (Rm 14) (5:30p set-up)	17 9:00 AM Tuesday's with the Word (Cafe Quetzal) 10:00 AM Line Dance Lesson (FH) 1:30 PM Office Staff Meeting (P) 4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm 13/14) 7:00 PM Square Dance lessons (FH, K) (6:30p set up)		(Rm 13/14)	1:30 PM Page	21 1:00 PM Lathrop Family Graduation Party (FH)
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### Joys and Concerns May 8, 2022

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

Al & Jerriene Harper Jane Hart Alden Hickman Nuevo Calvario, Los Talpetates & Rio Los Bueyes, El Salvador

# Prayer Focus Church of the Presbytery of Northern Ks:

First Presbyterian - Hiawatha

## Prayers for the Ecumenical Church

India, Pakistan, Sri Lanka

### **Ongoing Concerns:**

Ashley Young Carolyn Burns **Cheryl Lindstrom** Chuck Pullen **David Shriver** Devon Headworth & mom, Cathy Wasinger Helen Rhodes Iris Neuenswander Jessie Zimmerman John Eddy Joyce Adcock Judy and Carl Rundell Kay Wildman Marjorie Marrs Martha Benignus Pam Oroke Rose Fritz **Ruth Jenkins** Stan McAdoo Steve & Rose Timm's son

Wendy Pullen Our troops overseas Becky Jones' friends, Janice Pechacek and Cheryl Arney; Brad Stipcak's mother, Beverly, brother, Brett, sister-in-law, Jaime Stipcak, and nephew, Riley Stipcak; Carmen Raines' friend, Mark and family friend, Gage; Carol Shannahan's mother, Anita, & friend, Wanda; Carolyn Burns' sister-in-law, Carol Jessop; Carrie & Art Lancaster's daughter, Grace Ray; Cathy Headworth's aunt, Jniece Bell; Elise (Higgins') friend, Katy Everitt; Iris Neuenswander's sister, Rosalee; Jaron Marcus, his father, and mother, Sherilyn; Joann Hurt's daughter, Sara Grabil; Kay Wildman's niece, Renee Wohletz; Lettie Karlson's friend, K.C; Pat Thomblison's friend, Cathy Baer; Maddie Mellies' stepfather, Dave Leinweber; Mary Nestor's sister-in-law, Susan Nestor and sister, Kay Fessler; Laura Sidlinger's colleague's mother, Marty and family; Nelson Spaulding's daughter, Deborah Harris; Rev. Mike Kuner; Ruth & Jim Jenkins' nephew, Jimmy, friend, Laura Louna, & brother-in-law, Jim; Toni Farrell-Higgins' mother, Loretta Farrell & Son-in-Law; Zimmerman family



# FRIENDSHIP SQUARES

### **Square Dancing**







New Classes Begin May 10, 2022

Classes are held each Tuesday 7:00 – 9:00 PM

Location: FELLOWSHIP HALL Trinity Presbyterian Church 4746 SW 21st Street, Topeka, KS.

### For more information contact:

Dana Schirmer 785.554.7221 or schirmerdj@aol.co

### **FREE CLASSES**

Come and Join us

FAMILIES, COUPLES & SINGLES FITNESS, FUN, FELLOWSHIP & SOCIAL FOR ALL AGES

CASUAL ATTIRE COMFORTABLE SHOES!

NO EXPERIENCE NEEDED!

### We'll Come to You!

### **MAY 2022**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	F	FRIDAY	
Veterans Park NOTO 131 NE Laurent St Topeka, KS 66608	3 CRC-Avondale East 455 SE Golf Park Blvd Topeka, KS 66605	4 Central Park Community Center 1534 SW Clay St Topeka, KS 66604	5 Family of God 1231 NW Eugene St #7 Topeka, KS 66608	6		
Grace Cathedral 701 SW 8th Ave Topeka, KS 66603  Topeka, KS 66607  Topeka, KS 66607		11 Trinity Presbyterian 4746 SW 21st St Topeka, KS 66604	12 Children's Palace 601 NW Harrison St Topeka, KS 66608	13	Mobile Clinic Hours 9:00 a.m - 4:00 p.m.  Stormont Vail Health MOBILE CLINIC	
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CRC-Lundgren 1020 NE Forest Ave Topeka, KS 66616	24 Marian Dental 3164 SE 6th Ave Topeka, KS 66607	25 Trinity Presbyterian 4746 SW 21st St Topeka, KS 66604	26 St. John AME Church 600 SW Topeka Blvd Topeka, KS 66603	27	East Topeka Hi-Crest Central Topeka	
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### Make Your Appointment

If you do not have a primary doctor, please call (785) 270-4440 to reserve your appointment. Walk-in appointments only available if there are openings in the schedule.



### **Services Provided**

- Blood pressure check
   Annual screenings
- Diabetes screening
- Immunizations (including flu shots)
- Routine lab work
- Care for on-going chronic conditions



### **Payment Options**

We accept insurance and offer free or reduced pricing for uninsured and low-income patients.

Please Note: The 37-foot-long Mobile Clinic is ADA accessible and staffed by an Advanced Practice Provider and a Registered Nurse, both bi-lingual.

### PASTOR MIKE KUNER BENEFIT

(He was diagnosed with cancer last Fall and is undergoing treatments. After countless hospital and rehab stays, pain, and side affects from treatments, he has had to retire.)

May 7, 2022 Wakarusa Presbyterian Church 10135 S.W. Jordan Rd. Wakarusa, KS 66546

MEAL served Noon-2:30 p.m.

Pork Ioin sandwich, side, dessert and drink. Adults - \$8.00 Kids under 10 - \$4.00

QUILT RAFFLE tickets \$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00 Drawing at 3:30 p.m.

SILENT AUCTION

Noon until 3:15 p.m. LOTS of items to auction off!!

BINGO Begins promptly at 1 p.m. 10 games will be played. BINGO CARDS 1 pad=10 cards \$15

PRIZES!!! PRIZES!!! PRIZES!!!



### Presbytery of Northern Kansas

★ Favorites · April 26 at 12:01 PM · 🕙

Wakarusa Presbyterian Church is holding a benefit event for their retiring Pastor, Mike Kuner, on Saturday, May 7th. Pastor Kuner continues to fight his cancer diagnosis from last fall and the church is pitching in to help.

If you cannot make the event, you can venmo a donation to @Susan-Blanck-Harlan. Make sure you include your phone number with your chosen form of payment.





# Help youth begin life with a solid foundation of faith.

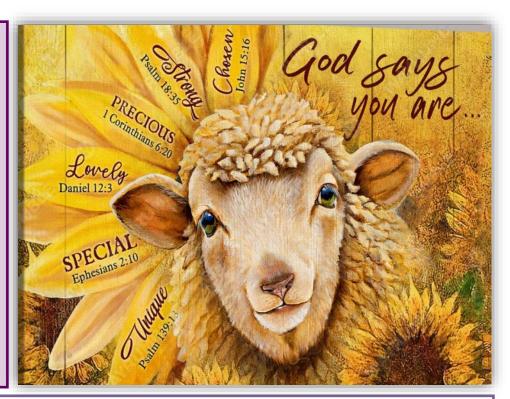
Psalm 71 testifies that a foundation of faith established during childhood helps ensure lifelong faith and service. The patterns and lessons established during these formative years continue to bear fruit throughout a person's life. By receiving the Pentecost Offering, you are nurturing the faith of those who are the church to come — children, youth, and young adults.

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# 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 Janis Holiwell (Deacon Moderator). It is also helpful if you let us know if they or you would like pastoral care.

Grace and Peace, Pastor Mere



### 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. Special Offerings can also be designated.

**NOTE:** This form of giving is especially *secure*. It won't be lost in the post office and can't be stolen from an outdoor mail box!

### Smile.Amazon.com:

Whenever you shop on AmazonSmile and select Trinity Presbyterian Church as your organization to support. 0.5% of your eligible purchases will go to Trinity.



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### **CHURCH STAFF**

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