Join Us May 22, 2022

GRADUATIONS and PROMOTIONS:

MASTER OF DIVINITY Carmen Raines
MASTER DEGREE/COLLEGE Sarah Meenen
HIGH SCHOOL Catherine Lathrop
Catherine Ndungu, Kero Zimmerman
EIGHTH GRADE Jacob Barnard

and 2021/2022 CONFIRMANDS:

Jacob Barnard
Jace Raines

A card basket will be available in the church lobby.

Trinity Presbyterian Church May 22, 2022 6th Sunday after Easter

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

Join us In-Person or watch our

bivestream service on Facebook at:

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

or on our Trinity website at:

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

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JOHN 14:23-29 ACTS 16:9-15

TUESDAYS WITH THE WORD

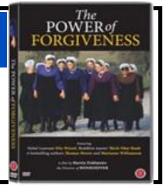
You are invited for coffee and spiritual fellowship time with Pastor Mere. We meet at 9:00 AM on Tuesdays. at the Cafe Quetzal coffee shop, 21st and Belle. Join us for this very casual time of fellowship.



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

Join us as we end our study of forgiveness through the NOOMA video Luggage. Rob Bell explores forgiveness and the freedom it brings. Facilitators: Jon Farrell-Higgins, and David Ross

Mark your calendars: no Adult Sunday School on May 29.



May 20th – We will finish *The Stranger in the Lifeboat* by Mitch Albom

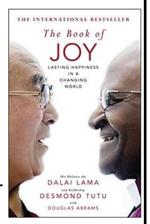
May 27th – No meeting

June 3rd – We will begin our new book: "The Book of Joy: Lasting

Happiness in a Changing World"

We meet at 1:30 on most Fridays at Thornton Place, 2901 SW Armstrong.

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



FRIENDSHIP SQUARES







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

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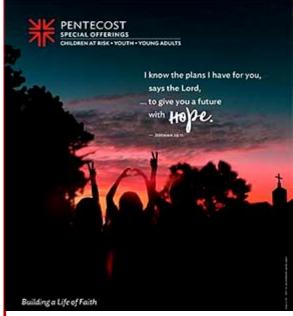




investing in our greatest resource

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.



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.

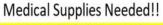


While in Talpetates, we will engage in visits with students of all ages, community leaders, and individuals who are supported by health and educational assistance from Trinity.

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 no later than 12 pm. The next drive is **Mon., June 13.** If you want to volunteer, 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.

GRAB & GO FREE SUMMER MEALS

Trinity has been approved to be a site for USD 501 FREE Grab & Go 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!

Pickup is at Trinity Presbyterian Church, 4746 SW 21st St. (21st & Sims) in the north parking lot between 11 am and noon every Friday in June and July (June 3, 10, 17, 24, July 1, 8, 15, 22 29).

Parents, grandparents or friends can pick the meals up. (Kids do not need to be present at pick up).

Did we remember to say FREE?!

Current Clothing Room Needs at Doorstep!

Queen Comforters Twin Comforters Queen Sheet Sets Men's Jeans

Men's Shorts - Size Small

Pots & Pans Hand Can Openers Kitchen electric mixers Baking Pans - variety

Donation hours are Mon/Wed/Fri from 9am - 2pm.

Please use the South door off the parking lot for donations. 1119 SW 10th Avenue, Topeka Ks (785) 357-5341

We ask that you do not leave donations outside of our building when we are closed. It becomes a parking lot mess.

We'll Come to You!

MAY 2022

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	F	RIDAY		
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			
9 Grace Cathedral 701 SW 8th Ave Topeka, KS 66603	Marian Dental 3164 SE 6th Ave 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 In Your Neighborhood stormontvail.org Location Color Key SW Topeka		
16 Garfield Park Community Center 1600 NE Quincy St Topeka, KS 66608	17 CRC-Avondale East 455 SE Golf Park Blvd Topeka, KS 66605	18 Central Park Community Center 1534 SW Clay St Topeka, KS 66604	19 Southern Hills Mennonite Church 511 SE 37th St Topeka, KS 66605	20			
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		
30 Veterans Park NOTO 131 NE Laurent St Topeka, KS 66608	31 CRC-Avondale East 455 SE Golf Park Blvd Topeka, KS 66605				Oakland North Topeka		



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.



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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	Appreciation Week 5/2-6	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	4 1:30 PM Mary Martha Circle (P) 6:45 PM Esther Circle (P) lesson starts at 7 6:45 PM Flute Choir Rehearsal (S)	the Young at Heart	6 1:30 PM Page Turners Book Study (Thornton Place Chapel) 4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm 13/14)	7 9:00 AM Terminex
Mtg (FH) 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)	Fellowship Hall & Parking Lot Reserved) 12:00 PM Harvesters Free Food Distribution (Parking Lot) First	10 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) 6:00 PM PNK Meeting (Rm 14) (5:30p set-up) tentative 7:00 PM Square Dance lessons (FH, K) (6:30p set up)	11 8:00 AM Stormont Vail Mobilie Health Clinic (Parking Lot) 2:30 PM M. Hancock (P) 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)	12 2:00 PM WORSHIP CMTE MTG via ZOOM 5:00 PM Yoga for the Young at Heart (Rm 13/14) 6:15 PM no Handbell Choir Rehearsal 6:30 PM no 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
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Joys and Concerns May 22, 2022

Prayers for Families/Persons from Directory Rotation

Connie Houser Ralph & Kay Howard Connie & Pat Hubbell Los Bueyes, El Salvador

Prayer Focus Church of the Presbytery of Northern Ks:

First Presbyterian - Hill City

Prayers for the Ecumenical Church Ray; Cathy Headworth's aunt,

Indian Ocean Islands: Comoros, Madagascar, Maldives, Mauritius, Seychelles

Ongoing Concerns:

Stan McAdoo

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**

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, Nuevo Calvario, Los Talpetates & Rio 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 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; Melissa Ansberry's mother, Gayle; Nelson Spaulding's daughter, Deborah Harris; Ruth & Jim Jenkins' nephew, Jimmy, friend, Laura Louna, & brother-in-law, Jim; Toni Farrell-Higgins' mother, Loretta Farrell & Son-in-Law; Zimmerman family

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PNK News/Events

Home Grown Pentecost Offering Video!



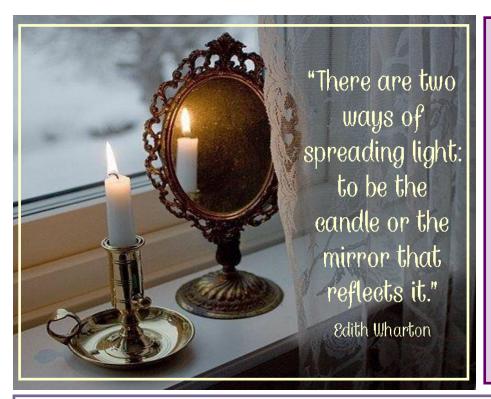
Trinity video makes PNK newsletter.

Check out this Pentecost Offering video from Jace Raines, a member of Trinity Presbyterian Church in Topeka and an active participant in PNK Youth programs.

Find it on the Videos page on the PNK website via the link below.

See it this Sunday in worship at Trinity! Two, hard
working, yard
crew
volunteers:
Michael Langfitt
and
Randall Scott.





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

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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.

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