

For Sunday, January 6, 2019

THE *trinity candle*
A Weekly Newsletter

"Glorify God, Share Christ's Love. Make New Disciples."

Trinity Presbyterian Church 4746 SW 21st Street Topeka, Kansas 66604 785 272-2620
9:30a.m. Sunday School Adult Bible Study Rev. Meredith Kemp-Pappan 10:30 Morning Worship Service

CAMP SUNDAY - JANUARY 6

January 6 is Camp Heartland Sunday. Michael Megraw from Camp Heartland will be at Trinity to share information about overnight camps, Traveling Day Camp, Grand Camp, Family Camp and meet with the Triniteens. Michael will be in the lobby before worship to answer your questions. Wear your camp attire or Camp Heartland t-shirt to church.

LUNCH BUNCH

Join us this Wednesday, January 9 at noon in the parlor for food and fellowship. Bring a dish to share if you are able.

LINE DANCE LESSONS

Starting this Monday, January 7, line dance lessons are coming to Trinity. Join us each Monday from 10-11 a.m. for line dance lessons in Fellowship Hall.

SQUARE DANCE LESSONS

Join us on Thursdays from 7:15 - 9:00 p.m. beginning January 17 in Fellowship Hall. Come by yourself or bring a friend. All are welcome. Questions? Contact Karen.

THIRD GRADE BIBLE PRESENTATION - JANUARY 20

On Sunday, January 20 third graders will receive a Bible during worship. A card basket will be available. The following third grader will be recognized: Cade Schoffelman. If you have a third grader who would like to receive a Bible on January 20 please contact Karen Meenen.

LEAVE YOUR POTLUCK CASSEROLE DISHES AT HOME - JANUARY 27 - ANNUAL MEETING

Plan to attend the annual meeting on January 27. Leave your pot luck casseroles at home. Triniteens will be serving lunch. A free will offering will be received to raise money for youth mission projects. Summer 2019 the Triniteens are attending Triennium.

CAMP SCHOLARSHIPS NEEDED

Sending a child to camp makes a great Christmas gift! Please consider helping to send a Trinity youth/child to summer camp at Heartland. We have several families who could use some financial assistance in order to send their child to camp. If you would be interested in making a donation to the camp fund, please contact Karen Meenen or Pastor Mere.

TRINITY'S 2019 BOOK OF LENTEN DEVOTIONALS

Please join Trinity's family and friends in writing a Lenten devotional for our 2019 Lenten Devotional Book. Our 2019 Lenten devotionals will focus on DOUBT. We stand in a long line of great people like John the Baptist who have experienced DOUBT. We can be confident that our DOUBT does not offend God. DOUBT is not displeasing to God, but is, instead, part of God's design for our lives. DOUBT is not a sign of weakness, but a sign of our humanity. Please share how doubt has played a role in your faith journey. Please send your devotionals to jenny222lee@gmail.com, OR put into Jenny Lee's box in the church office.

OUTSOURCING FINANCIAL FUNCTIONS

The Session has approved the outsourcing of Trinity's financial functions to a local CPA firm (Mikoleit, Inc.). Effective January 1, 2019, the disbursements/payments function will be outsourced, while effective January 1, 2020, the donations/contributions function will be outsourced. This phased approach will help us ease into the transition and mitigate the impact of this change upon the Finance Committee and church staff.

Trinity has been blessed with talented and dedicated volunteers who have served as Treasurer and Financial Secretary, and the congregation owes them a HUGE debt of gratitude for the significant time commitments they have made. Outsourcing will eliminate the potential of "burning out" volunteers, while also providing much-needed back-up in that more than one person at the CPA firm will have the capability to perform these functions.

TRIENNIUM - JULY 16-20, 2019

The Presbyterian Youth Triennium is a five day event for high school age youth (entering freshmen through graduated seniors). The Youth Triennium occurs every three years. The event is held at Purdue University and typically has more than 5,000 participants. We are accepting registration forms with a \$50 deposit.

TRIENNIUM SCHOLARSHIPS NEEDED

What a great Christmas gift to help send a youth to Triennium. We have several families who could use financial assistance. If you would be interested in making a donation, please contact Karen Meenen or Pastor Mere.

CHILDREN - INFANT THROUGH KINDERGARTEN

We invite and encourage families to bring all children in to Sunday worship services. After the Young People's Message, if parents wish to, infants through Kindergarten age children can be taken to the Nursery/Pre-school room until the end of worship.

SANCTUARY FLOWERS THIS SUNDAY

The flowers in the sanctuary dedicated to the glory of God by Peggy & Stan McAdoo.

SUNDAY WORSHIP VOLUNTEERS

Ushers: Ralph Howard, Craig Neuenswander, Jerry Thompson, Bruce Voigt
 Nursery Helpers: Bev Thompson, Iris Neuenswander
 Sound Room: Mary Nestor
 Video: Felishity Blubaugh
 Deacon of the Week: Anton Ahrens
 Liturgist: Marvin Burris

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WEEKLY GLANCE AT THE CALENDAR

For more calendar information, go to our website: www.trinitypresbyterian.net.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
<p>Epiphany</p> <p><u>9:15 AM Nursery Open</u> <u>9:30 AM Sunday School - All classes</u></p> <p><u>10:30 AM WORSHIP - CAMP SUNDAY</u></p> <p><u>11:30 AM</u> Un-decorate the Church</p> <p><u>4:00 PM THE HEAT (YOGA)(FH)</u></p>	<p>9:30 AM Mondays with Mere (Classic Bean)</p> <p>10:00 AM Line Dance Class (FH)</p> <p>12:00 PM Bible Bites (Bible Study) (P)</p> <p>12:00 PM THE HEAT Kickbox Fusion (FH)</p> <p>1:00 PM Sticks 'n String (P)</p> <p>5:00 PM MISSION CMTE (P)</p> <p>5:30 PM The HEAT Strong by ZUMBA (FH)</p> <p>6:00 PM ADULT CE MTG (Rm 12)</p> <p>6:15 PM The HEAT-Pilates Fusion (FH)</p> <p>6:30 PM CHILDREN'S CE MTG</p>	<p><u>10:00 AM Staff Meeting (P)</u></p> <p><u>12:00 PM The HEAT Yoga (FH)</u></p> <p><u>4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm 13/14)</u></p> <p><u>4:45 PM Serve at Rescue Mission</u></p> <p><u>5:30 PM THE HEAT-ZUMBA FITNESS (FH)</u></p> <p><u>6:10 PM Nursery Open</u></p> <p><u>6:15 PM THE HEAT-Cardio Interval (FH)</u></p> <p><u>7:00 PM PEACEMAKING Mtg (P)</u></p>	<p>9:30 JUMP Team mtg (P)</p> <p><u>12:00 PM Lunch Bunch (P)</u></p> <p><u>12:00 PM THE HEAT (Kickboxing) (FH)</u></p> <p><u>4:30 PM VISIONING Mtg (Parlor)</u></p> <p><u>6:00 PM FINANCE Mtg (12)</u></p> <p><u>6:00 PM Mindfulness and Meditation for all ages (S)</u></p> <p><u>6:00 PM Trinity Game Group (P)</u></p>	<p>4:30 PM VISIONING Mtg (Parlor)</p> <p>6:00 PM FINANCE Mtg (12)</p> <p>6:00 PM Mindfulness and Meditation for all ages (S)</p> <p>6:00 PM Trinity Game Group (P)</p> <p>10 11:00 AM R & R with the Word</p> <p>12:00 PM The HEAT-Pilates (FH)</p> <p>5:00 PM Yoga (Rm 13/14)</p> <p>5:30 PM The Heat Cardio Interval (FH)</p> <p>6:10 PM Nursery Open</p> <p>6:15 PM THE HEAT-ZUMBA FITNESS (FH)</p> <p>6:30 PM Hand Bell Choir Rehearsal (S)</p> <p>7:30 PM Choir Rehearsal (Rm 11)</p>	<p>12:00 PM Page Turners Book Study (Parlor)</p> <p>12:00 PM The HEAT Cardio Strength (FH)</p> <p>4:00 PM Aerobics (Rm13/14)</p>	<p>9:00 AM The HEAT-CARDIO REMIX (FH)</p> <p>12:00 PM PNK Youth Retreat</p>

Joys and Concerns – JANUARY 6, 2019

Prayers for Families/Persons from Directory Rotation

Norm & Claudia Jackson
 Barbara Jasper
 Jim & Ruth Jenkins
 Nuevo Calvario, Los Talpetates & Rio Los Bueyes, El Salvador

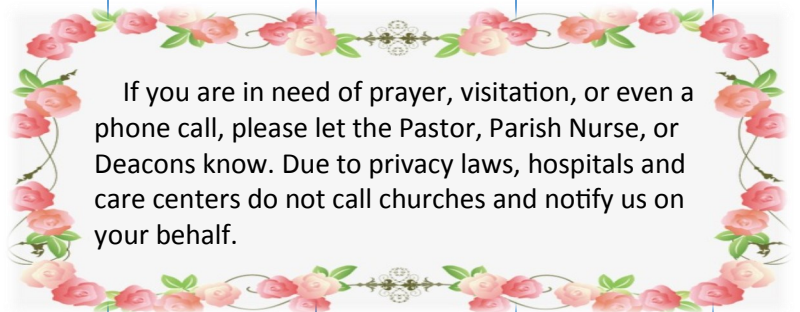
Prayer Focus Church of the Presbytery Of Northern

Ks:
 First Presbyterian - Narka, KS

New Concerns:

Ongoing Concerns:

Bill Allen
 Chuck Linn
 Dave Scheer
 Deacon Oroke
 Marjie Marrs
 J. and Pauly Ricks
 John Eddy
 Chuck Linn
 Joyce Adcock
 Judy Williams
 Laura Sidlinger
 Mary Kresie
 Muriel McClenny
 Nelson Spaulding
 Pam Oroke
 Rose and David Fritz
 Tim Tauer
Our troops overseas



If you are in need of prayer, visitation, or even a phone call, please let the Pastor, Parish Nurse, or Deacons know. Due to privacy laws, hospitals and care centers do not call churches and notify us on your behalf.

ANN MARIE SNOOK; BECKY JONES' daughter-in-law, Erin & friends, Janice Pechacek and Cheryl Arney; CARMEN RAINES friend, Lori Christensen; CAROL SHANNAHAN'S friends, Angela & Janet; CHERYL LINDSTROM'S daughter, Kirsten Khire; DONNA WHIPPLE'S friend, Mikal; DOUG MEENEN'S dad, Don; KAY HOWARD'S sister, Mary Carol; friend, Donna's grandson, Isaac and family; LETTIE CARLSON'S friend, K.C; MARILYN LEINACKER'S daughter, Lisa; MARTHA MILLER'S great-niece, Meleya and father, Robert Cordell; MARY NESTOR'S nephews, Bobby & David Fessler; MIT AND SUSAN WINTER'S niece, Jennifer Kidd; NELSON SPAULDING'S daughter, Deborah Harris; PAT THOMBLISON'S friends, Jason & Elise; PEG TOLLEFSON'S grandson, Christopher (Chris); RUTH & JIM JENKINS' Brother-in-Law, James Nielsen; friend, Vicky; VIRGINIA PELTON'S sister, Ruby Nauman; ZIMMERMAN family



Please keep in prayer all of our friends and family who are not able to be in worship with us. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Rev. Meredith Kemp-Pappan, Kathy Welch (Parish Nurse), or Susan Burris (Deacon Moderator).

