Welcome

Trinity United Methodist Church

Welcome to worship at Trinity. Our expectation is that worship will be a time where you experience a small taste of the incredible grace of God. Trinity is a church committed to open hearts, open minds and open doors. We believe there is a place for everyone in God’s family. Children are always welcome in worship and activity bags are available. For your convenience, a nursery is provided for young children. Ask an usher for hearing assisted devices.

Trinity is Not Your Ordinary Church
We live that out through three simple steps:

Loving  God and neighbor through vibrant worship
Growing  in faith through intentional small group study
Serving  God’s Kingdom through passion-based ministries

Contact Information
Trinity United Methodist Church  ~  901 E. Neal Ave.  ~  Salina, KS 67401
785-825-5270
website ~ www.triumc.org

To securely give online, scan the code.

Secure options:  online mobile app, text, swipe or call.

triumc.org/give
Worship begins with the Prelude

**Prelude**
- *The Old Rugged Cross*
  Gayle & Jane McMillen

**Lighting of the Candles**
- *(8:30)*
  Kyler Webb
- *(11:00)*
  Kadyn Beer

Words of Grace and Greeting

**Hymn of Praise #298**
- *When I Survey the Wonderous Cross*

**Call to Confession**
How much easier it is to criticize others than to see our own faults. How quickly we bemoan our suffering and struggles instead of rehearsing all our reasons for gratitude and joy. How often we cling to the past rather than heeding God’s call to new life. We are invited to confess our destructive attitudes.

**Prayer of Confession**
O God, whose upward call in Christ Jesus we have so often chosen to ignore, we confess that we settle for lesser goals while you summon us to embrace the realm of heaven. We seldom look beyond our own interests to the well-being of our sisters and brothers. We can see the wasteful acts of other people but not our own selfish habits. We exaggerate the contributions we make but ignore the sacrifices of others. We need forgiveness, O God. Do a new thing within and among us. Amen.

**Assurance of Forgiveness**
God summons us to return and welcomes us with joy. We are restored to full communion with the saints and are united in the heavenly call of Christ. Together, we find our horizons expanded and our priorities refined. God forgives us and sets before us once more the promise of fullness of life. Embrace God’s pardon with renewed faith and joy.

Children’s Time

Susan Higbee

**Prayer Concerns**
If you have a prayer concern, please fill out a prayer card on both sides. The pastors will gather the cards and share the information with the congregation before placing them on the altar. You may indicate that the prayer is not to be shared in worship by folding the prayer card in half.

Pastoral Prayer
- Pastoral Prayer
- Lord’s Prayer

**Offering**
- Mission Moment
- Offertory *God So Loved the World* Gayle & Jane McMillen
- **Response #2108** *O How He Loves You and Me*
- **Prayer of Dedication**

Beneficent God, we are glad for all the good things you have done for us. We count everything as loss before the surpassing value of knowing Jesus Christ. Receive our costly offerings and our best efforts, here dedicated for your use. May Christ be proclaimed and the poor be saved from the terrors of suffering and neglect. Fill the hearts of all your children with laughter and joy. To that end, bless our offerings. Amen.

**Anthem**
- *(8:30)* *Why Me Lord?*
  Folk Choir
- *(11:00)* *Sometimes I Feel Like A Motherless Child*
  Joelle Coachman—Pianist
Worship Attendants

Greeters
8:30 am  Wally & Lola Fair
         Doyle & Doris Turner
11:00 am  Garry & Morea Charvat
          Larry & Carolyn Werhan

Ushers
8:30 am  Ken Bowell
         Floyd & Zella Gwin
         Donley Jones
         Gary Stansberry
11:00 am  Ray Rock
          Ed & Sue Wehrmeister
          Ernie Yake

Scripture  Mark 14:26-31, 66-72
Hymn of Preparation  #289 (vs 1-2)  Ah, Holy Jesus
Message  Promises Kept, Promises Lost  Rev. Joe McMurray
**Hymn of Dedication  #288  Were You There
Dismissal with Blessing

**Stand As You Are Able

Volunteers Needed for the TUMC Prayer Team
“God so loved the world, He got involved.” Would you like to be involved? Join the TUMC Prayer team. We can use your help!
Contact Forrest Horton  785-823-5413

New Line Dance Lessons
Coming in April
7:00—8:00 PM  Starting April 12th
(4-5 week session) Family Life Center
No charge, but donations gladly accepted to the church
For questions or more information contact:
Connie Bossemeyer—cocaboss@cox.net—phone:785-201-2198

Piecemakers Quilters
Meets Tuesday, March 20th
8:30 to 2:30  Fellowship Hall
Join us to learn and share
Contacts: Judy Coachman  Judy.coachman@gmail.com
          Fran Swisher  stlstchn@yahoo.com

“The Party”
Sunday, March 25th  @  5:00 pm
Salina Art Cinema, 242 S. Santa Fe
Food, drinks, & discussion afterwards.
Bring a friend!
Hosted by Membership & Outreach

Healing & Wholeness Service
901 E. Neal  Tuesday, March 27th  7:00 pm
## BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK

### Short Term
- March 18
  - Ryan Gibson
  - Pat Masko
- March 19
  - Debbie Halderman
  - Taelor Hardesty
- March 20
  - Robert Lancaster
  - Jacob Wilson
- March 21
  - Pierce Gibson
  - Amanda Scogin
- March 22
  - Mike Kubik
- March 23
  - Pat Billups
  - Gavin DeVoe
  - Alex Engelland
- March 24
  - Emily Francis
  - Les Lankhorst
  - Chris Moddelmogg
  - Brent Turnquist
  - Jenny Watts
- March 25
  - Rick Hammon
  - Steve Rock
- March 26
  - Jaren Newman
  - Zoe Norton
  - Randall Tolbert
- March 27
  - Mike Everhart
  - Jacoby Holmes
  - Ava Holmes
  - Brady Snapp

### Long Term
- Charlotte Allen
- Norma Anderson
- Jodi Dubois Bertram
- Rhonda Blair
- Laura Bowman
- Mike Brehm
- Jeannenee Chapel
- Chandelle Classen
- Rod Clausen
- Bruce Dalton
- Rex Denison
- Henry Diehl
- Keith Drake
- Linda Freeland
- Helen Gregg
- Eric Helzer
- Jan Holmes
- Mary Horton
- Bob Killen
- Carol Knott
- Linda Lampe
- Diane Ludwig
- Rochelle Masterson
- Aaron McMillan
- Pastor Milton - Aguilar
  - CR
  - Cel Muff
  - Jeff Nichols
  - Pat Peterson
  - Kim Rea
  - Cal Reinke
  - Jase Rock
  - Brad Spears
  - Ed Swisher
  - Megan Wheeler
  - Jan Wilkes

### Annual Prayer Vigil
We encourage you to sign up to participate in our annual Prayer Vigil in the church Sanctuary. The Vigil will begin on March 29th, 2018 [Maundy Thursday] at 8:00 pm and go through 3:00 pm on March 30th, 2018 [ Good Friday]. Sign up sheet is posted. Contact Forrest Horton for more information at 785-493-5151. 

Forrest Horton

### Trinity VBS Registration Opens for all ages on Sunday, April 14
Trinity members and constituents get first chance at registration for Vacation Bible School. (NOTE: The preschool fills up fast! If you have a preschooler that is 3 years old by June 11 be sure to sign them up.) Registration forms for all ages will be available on April 15 outside both worship areas or online at triumc.org. Mark your calendars. VBS is June 11 – 15, 9am – Noon for 3 year olds – graduated 6th graders. Questions? Contact a planning team member: Tammy Dees, Joyce Stutterheim, Marion Barrow, Mandi Feil, Megan Gibson, Mary Ann David, Jo Lampe or Dottie Wallace.
**Easter Egg Party:** Saturday, March 31st, 9:30am-11:00am – Youth are invited to come and join the celebration, by leading a craft and hiding Easter eggs for the children’s annual Easter Party!

**Easter Sunrise Service:** Sunday, April 1, 6:45 am
Any youth are invited to attend the Easter Sunrise Service. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets. Breakfast will be served following the service.

**Youth Sunday Dress Rehearsal:** Saturday, April 7th, 9:00-10:30 am – Please join us in the sanctuary for a run through of the service and break-down of the different responsibilities.

**Save the Date:** Saturday, April 28th – Youth Lock-In
More details to come!

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**GARDEN PLOTS**
The church garden has (2) open plots left. They are approximately 15’ by 19’. The dues for a plot are $30 for the year (growing season). If you are interested in one, call Arlo Medley: (garden manager) at 785-822-8788.

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**Building Blocks Preschool Now Enrolling**
Building Blocks Preschool is now enrolling for the 2018-2019 school year. Enrollment is open to all church members and families. The $50.00 enrollment fee will be waived for all church members who enroll in our program. Please contact: April Saskowski for enrollment and program information at 785-577-9376.

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**Trinity Scholarship Applications Available through April 20**
Trinity will be offering college scholarships to Trinity high school seniors or current college students continuing their undergraduate studies. These scholarships will be for use during the 2018-2019 academic year at any college of the student’s choice. Applications for these scholarships are now available in the church office and on the church website at http://www.triumc.org/?page_id=1877&secret=ik3kca. The deadline for receipt of the completed scholarship application is the close of the business day on April 20, 2018.

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**SAVE THE DATE !**
Vacation Bible School: June 11-15, 9am—Noon.
Rolling River Rampage: Experience the Ride of a Lifetime with God!

**VBS Decorating Orientation: Wed., April 4, 5:45pm**
Meet with our decorating planning team to learn all about plans to change our building into a Rolling River Rampage that is perfect for children! There are many ways to help: Sign up for a room or hallway, take things home, prepare things with other volunteers on decorating work nights… Choose what works best for you! Questions? Contact our planning team: Mandi Feil, Megan Gibson or Mary Ann David.

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**Attendance for last Sunday:** 413
Sunday School: 162
Online Visitors: 26
**Sunday, March 18th**
5TH SUNDAY IN LENT

- 8:30 am Worship With Us
- 8:45 am Trinity Power Company
- 9:45 am Sunday School
- 9:50 am Worship With Us
- 11:00 am Worship With Us
- 12:00 pm WOW—at Tuscon’s
- 1:30 pm Cantata Practice
- 6:30 pm High School Youth Group

**Monday, March 19th**

- 9:45 am UMW Unit Meeting
- 6:30 pm Boy Scout Troop 214

**Tuesday, March 20th**

- 7:00 am IHOP Bible Study
- 8:30 am Piecemakers Quilt Group
- 9:00 am Tuesday Morning Bible Study
- 5:30 pm Scottish Rite Group
- 6:30 pm Mission & Social Concerns
- 7:00 pm Fellowship Basketball
- 7:00 pm The Road Back to You

**Wednesday, March 21st**

- 2:00 pm Trinity Sparklers
- 4:15 pm VBS Planning Team
- 6:15 pm Trinity Folk Choir
- 6:30 pm Middle School Youth Group
- 7:00 pm Cantata Practice
- 8:00 pm Bell Choir
- 8:00 pm Men’s Chorus

**Thursday, March 22nd**

- 10:00 am Worship Planning

**Saturday, March 23rd**

- MEXICO MISSION TRIP RETURNS

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**UMW NEWS**

The next UMW Unit meeting will be Monday, March 19th at 9:45 am in the Fellowship Hall I. Our featured speaker is Shelly Martin talking about Circles of the Heartland. Don't forget your quarters!

*Jan Everhart*

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**MARCH 25 /PALM SUNDAY / CANTATA**

“Hope in the Name of the Lord”
8:30AM 9:45AM 11:00AM

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**TRINITY STAFF**

Barry A. Dundas
Senior Pastor

Tammy Dees
Director of Christian Education

Lindsey Graber
Director of Youth Ministries

Cheryl Mitchell
Office Administrator

Marilla Colson
Church Secretary

Kim Bascom
Parish Nurse

Bill Sturges
Treasurer

Gayle & Jane McMillen
Music Directors

Darrel Dees
Chancel Choir Director

Joyce Stutterheim
Chancel Choir Director Emeritus

Melanie Bergstrom
Nursery Director

April Saskowski
Preschool Director

Keith Holmes
Director of Technology

Larry Homeier
Custodian