

TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Third Sunday After the Epiphany

January 21, 2018

Pianist Early – Galen Schmidtberger Late - Curtis Sander

Lector Early – Kristen Windscheffel Late – Ken Jeroue

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Everyone – PLEASE SIGN ATTENDANCE BOOK IN PEW

*Call To Worship

Leader: Praise the Lord, all you people.

People: We will praise the glory and power.

Leader: The Lord gives strength to his people.

People: And blesses them with peace.

*Opening Prayer

Lord, we know that you are our God, and we are your people. We know, too, that you will be with us through all the trials and tribulations of life. Yet our hearts still fear and our troubles threaten to overwhelm us. In this time of worship, may your Spirit revive our flagging faith and grant us that peace which passes all understanding. We pray in Jesus' name. Amen.

Opening Hymn "Praise the Name of Jesus" X 2 #2066

Prayer for Blessings & Concerns

Prayer Hymn "God is so Good" verses 1, 2, 3 #2056

Pastoral Prayer and The Lord's Prayer UMH #895

Pass the Peace: A Time of Greeting

Children's Time [The children are invited to come forward at this time]

Children's Song "O, How I Love Jesus" Chorus only - 2 times #170

The Giving of our Gifts

Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you." Luke 6:38

*Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow (Doxology) #95

*Offertory Prayer

Almighty God, bless these gifts, we pray, and use them and us to free others from the chains of fear that bind them because they do not trust in you. Amen

Special Music "Our Grateful Song" Choir

Scripture Reading I John 1:5-7 and Acts 2: 42-44

Message "Going to Church to Fellowship"

Closing Hymn "We Are the Church" verses 1, 2, 3 #558

*Benediction

*Postlude

Celebrating Our Faithfulness!

Worship Service Total...99 Early...44 Late ...55
Sunday School Total: 18... Children... 5 Youth...3 Adults...10
WOW Total: ...38 Children...19 Youth...11 Adults...4 Kitchen...4
MSUMYF Total:..14 Youth..11 Adults...3 HSUMYF Total:.. 4 Youth...3 Adults... 1

Music Minister Galen Schmidtberger
Organist, Pianist Curtis Sander
Sound System (8:30) Dale Weimaster
Sound System (10:30) Mike Blanke
Early Greeters (8:30) Dale & Joan Weimaster
Late Ushers (10:30) Duane Adams, Lisa Plante, Marie Hogan

In the interest of recycling paper, if you are not keeping your bulletin to remind you of the week's events, please leave it at the back of the Sanctuary for reuse at the 10:30 a.m. service.

Larry Mitchell	Prayer Concerns	Lea Reddig
Lee Anne Emmons	Sabina Powers	Kenny Pickens
Dorothy Hopper	Betty Brenner	Carolyn Pickens
Nancy Balloun	Elena Carson	Mary Keeler
Jan Bachar	Nash Karst	Cheryl Davis
Valerie Cook	Nancy (Poche') Stoppel	Scott Schultz
Kayla Alexander	Kay Shank	Conrad Banbury
Phyllis Bodine	Colleen Walizer	Russ Reynolds
Robert Walters	Donna Nungesser	Kay Morris
Jim Staab	Chad Fuller	Kevin Mravinec
Emily Waller	Mark Nuss	Larry Bernard
Tonya Morris	Leo Swords	Dave Johnson
Haley Chisholm	Barbara Kaiser	

Calendar this week:

Today	1:00 pm – Choir Practice
	2:00 pm – Care Center Services
Mon., Jan. 22	7:00 pm - Thrift Store Work Night
Tues., Jan. 23	7:00 pm - Advent Study
Wed., Jan. 24	5:15 pm – WOW
	6:00 pm – Middle School Youth Group
	6:30 pm – High School Youth Group
Fri., Jan. 26 – Sat., Jan 27	5 p.m. – 5 p.m. – Prayer Vigil at Otterbein United Methodist Church

Birthdays this week:

Jan. 21 Ashley Pulis
 Jan. 22 David Munday
 Jan. 23 Joan Underwood
 Jan. 26 Stacey Keller, Margaret Beagley, Julie Chegwidden, Merle Dunn

JANUARY OCC ITEM OF THE MONTH: Socks, lots and lots of socks! Our 2018 goal is 500 boxes so we need small, medium, large, boys, girls, white, gray, bright, striped socks! Put in decorated box in Chapel. Thank you!

Otterbein – Trinity UMC 24 Hour Prayer Vigil

Otterbein will host a 24 hour Prayer Vigil beginning on Friday, January 26 at 5:00 pm and going until Saturday, January 27 at 5:00 pm. We are looking for 2 people to sign up for each time slot on the sign-up sheet. Please list your name and phone number on the sheet. At the prayer vigil, there will be 4 prayer stations to move through during each hour long time slot.

Men's Encounter

The annual Men's Encounter will be February 9th thru the 11th in Salina. Please see the bulletin board at the back of the sanctuary for more information.



**Our Mission is to welcome all people in Christian love,
 and to nurture and encourage forgiveness and
 reconciliation through Biblical teaching.**

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 Russell, Kansas
 Reverend Ezekiel Koech
 8:30 a.m. & 10:30 a.m. Worship
 9:15 a.m. Sunday school
 January 21, 2018