

The Tower

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SUNDAY MORNING WORSHIP

8:45 AM Traditional Worship
in the Sanctuary

10:45 AM Contemporary Worship
in the Warner Wing

11:00 AM - The Connection Worship
in the Sanctuary

9:45 AM - Sunday School
in various classrooms

LENT SERIES:
The Seven Last Words of Christ

MARCH 10, 2019
"Father, forgive them"
8:45 - 10:45 - 11:00 AM

MARCH 17, 2019
"Today you will be in Paradise"
8:45 - 10:45 - 11:00 AM



ARE YOU READY TO GO? **TREE OF LIFE MINISTRY IN MISSION, SD** **MONDAY, AUGUST 26th - SATURDAY, AUGUST 31st**

If at first you don't succeed, try, try again! That's what my mom always said anyway. If you remember, Trinity UMC scheduled a Volunteer in Mission trip in March to Tree of Life Ministry in Mission, SD. We have rescheduled to August 26-31. That is good news because now we can open this up again and those who it didn't work for can go!

Tree of Life is a ministry of service, missions and outreach of the United Methodist Church. This trip will provide opportunities to raise awareness of Lakota culture and foster relationships with the Lakota People, and to help the most vulnerable members of the community meet their basic human needs in the Rosebud Lakota Reservation (Sicangu Oyate) and surrounding communities and rural areas.

You will have an opportunity to hear about the Lakota people this
Sunday, March 10 in the
Serendipity Sunday School Class, Room 20 at 9:45 AM,

when Rev. Bill Wain will talk about the history and culture of the Lakota people, and share a bit of his experiences and observations of life on a reservation. He is an Assistant Priest at Grace Episcopal Church and a member of the Rosebud Sioux Tribe; he grew up on that reservation and still has many family members living there.

United Methodist Volunteers In Mission (UMVIM) exists to promote, encourage and enable Christians to exemplify "Christian Love In Action". The aim is to achieve the Great Commission through providing short-term mission opportunities. This trip is for everyone - all ages (youth under 15 years must be accompanied by a parent or guardian) and skills, families or individuals. You can learn more about this trip in the meeting on March 10th in the Serendipity class or pick up a brochure from the office or visit with Pastor Lennie. We hope you will join us on the mission to follow Christ into all the world.

<u>ATTENDANCE</u>	<u>02/24/19</u>	<u>03/03/19</u>
Worship	347	245
Nursery	2	3
Total	349	248
Church School	174	105

UMW FELLOWSHIP

All women are invited to our Fellowship meeting,
Thursday, March 14 at 9:30 AM
downstairs in Borger Hall. Donna Davis from Bright House will be the guest speaker

LEAVING A LEGACY

Last year, we were tremendously blessed by receiving a very generous gift from the estate of Art and Margery Eveland.

These funds were directed to Trinity's Endowment Foundation where they will continue to accumulate earnings that will be used to support the many ministries of our church well into the future. What kind of legacy are *you* planning to leave? Are you preparing to be a blessing to your family, your church, and the other causes that you care about? Consider these questions and find answers by attending a free upcoming workshop offered by the Kansas Area United Methodist Foundation on **April 9, 10am-3pm, in Thorne Hall.** **Lunch will be provided.**

Register by going to our website www.trinityhutch.org or by contacting the Kansas Area United Methodist Foundation at 1-888-453-8405.

Special request:
ALWAYS WEAR YOUR NAMETAG

THANK YOU TRINITY CHURCH

for your support of the Fair Price Clothing Store in February. Your donations and help at the store is very much appreciated. LaVerna Shaw

LENTEN TREE

Lent is a time of self-reflection, a time to realign our lives and focus toward God.

SUNDAYS, MARCH 10 - APRIL 14

there will be Lenten trees in the coffee bar area and the Higher Ground entryway. You are invited to think of something you would like to give up to God, or take on as a way of drawing closer to Him. Please write it on the note cards provided and we will hang them on our Lenten trees as a visual reminder of our journey toward the Cross.



11:00 - THE CONNECTION

Is it time to come back to church? You are invited to join your brothers and sisters in Christ at the 11:00 AM traditional worship service which will be called "11:00 - The Connection". We will be focusing on connecting with God and the community of faith through our intentional worship.

In addition,

a Coffee Connection time will be held at 10:30 AM in Common Ground (the remodeled parlor).

This will be an informal time of hanging out with one another and connecting in new ways. Remember, everyone is important and needed in our church family.

SYMPATHY TO:

TO: Luann Frank in the loss of her mother.

TO: Susan Allam in the loss of her mother.

TO: Ron & Karen Wingfield in the loss of their daughter-in-law.

NOTICE:

If you do not tell the church office when you are in the hospital, your Pastors will not know. The hospital no longer makes this information available. Thank you.

POT LUCK DINNER

Sunday, March 31 at 12:00 PM in Thorne Hall

The Fellowship Committee is planning a pot luck dinner. Mark your calendar as we would love to have as many attend as possible. It's an awesome opportunity to meet others from TUMC that you may not otherwise meet.

We are still working on the details but hope you will bring a dish and join us. Your dish does not have to be elaborate, we just want you there for the fantastic experience of sharing in friendship and fellowship with others in our congregation.

MARCH Giving Corner
will benefit **BRIGHT HOUSE**
(formerly the Sexual Assault & Domestic Violence Center)

Suggested donation items are:

Personal hygiene products
Over-the-counter Medication
NEW clothing/undergarments
Body lotion
NEW pillows
Ethnic hair products
Hair brushes
Towels
Toothpaste
Razors
Deodorant
NEW (or used) scrubs
NEW sweat pants
Flip Flops



REMINDER:

YOUTH SUNDAY

is March 17th at the 10:45 AM
Worship Service.

They're coming.....



SUMMER CHURCH CAMP

Summer Church camp is often called Sunday School on steroids.

Church campers learn independence, meet positive role models, make lifelong friendships, have a blast and yes, encounter God. Many people in ministry report that they had a significant experience with God while at church camp.

There are 6 camps in the Great Plains Conference and each year approximately 25 kids from Trinity attend one of these camps. Camp fees range from \$45 to over \$350 and so your help is needed so that ALL of our students who want to, are able to go to camp. If you would like to help support our children and youth as they go to camp, **please drop your donation by the office or in the offering by Monday, April 15.** Designate CAMP FUND in the memo.

Camp Sunday will be Sunday, April 7.

On that day during worship, we will learn a little more about camping ministries. If you have a child wanting to attend camp, please contact Kerrie (kollenburger@sbcglobal.net) or Faye (fsummervill@sbcglobal.net) after you have registered your child. Trinity will then refund a portion of your fee. Funds will be available to help our actively participating children and youth.

Campers must be registered by Wednesday, May 1
in order to receive funds and get the best rate.



2019 SPECIAL OFFERINGS

March 31	UMCOR
April 7	Camp Sunday
April 21	Easter - HMS8 (Salthawk Support)
May 5	Native American Ministries
June 16	Peace with Justice
July 21	Salthawk Community Support
August 11	Trinity's Treasures
September 15	Benevolence Fund
October 6	World Communion
November 24	HCF Spiritual Life Center
December 1	United Methodist Student Day
December 24	Christmas Eve: Circles of Hope



They're coming.....

UMCOR - SPECIAL OFFERING

SUNDAY, March 31st

Provides survivors of natural disasters things like food, clean water, temporary shelter, hygiene supplies and basic items and things like that. Through your generous gift, you share the goodness of life with those who hurt.

SPRING FORWARD!

Don't forget to move your clock forward an hour on **Saturday, March 9th before going to bed.**

THE RENO CHORAL SOCIETY

presents

It's 81st performance of

Messiah

BY G.F. HANDEL

Sunday, March 31 @ 3:00 PM in the SANCTUARY

TICKETS: ADULT \$10.00 * STUDENT (K-8) \$5 * FAMILY PASS (AT THE DOOR) \$30





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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

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UMW "SPRING BLING"

(formerly the Arts & Antique Market)

SATURDAY, MARCH 16 from 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM

This is your opportunity to sort and clean out any purses and jewelry to donate to the 2019 SPRING BLING!



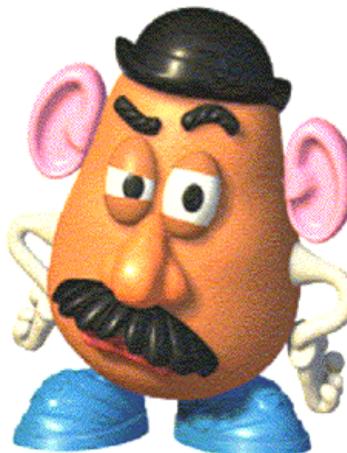
READY FOR A GREAT LUNCH?

PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE 31ST ANNUAL SERENDIPITY POTATO BAR

Sunday, March 17th in Thorne Hall from 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM.

Baked Potato with all the toppings, a drink, and the best dessert bar in town. Freewill offering.

Proceeds will go to the upcoming Youth Mission Trip.



**Don't be a dud,
 Come eat a spud!**