



SUNRISE NEWS AND VIEWS



PRAISE BE TO HIS GLORIOUS NAME FOREVER;
MAY THE WHOLE EARTH BE FILLED WITH HIS GLORY.

PSALM 72:19



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Martha's Musings



Summer's heat stayed with us much longer than seemed necessary this year! School was in session. Sunday School started back up. Our choirs are making beautiful music . . . and it was still hot! It's always difficult to think about moving on to the next season of our lives when the last season seems to hang on and on.

But fall is approaching. The temperatures have dropped. Leaves will soon be falling, and Sunrise is embracing the change. We are looking forward to a season of reflection and gratitude. We are embracing a new vision of our culture around us in Salina and Kansas. We are asking questions of how we can help our neighbors, our city, our country and the world.

Those questions lead us in many directions. First, our hearts break for the many victims of the hurricanes, floods and earthquakes. People have lost everything they own or ever had. As I write Puerto Rico is without power and basic supplies.

What can we do? How can we help? We can always give to Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. (Mark a check to Sunrise with the disaster you wish to help.) We can also help stuff storm buckets this Sunday. It's important for us to think about what we might need if our home was flooded! These buckets help us put our thoughts into reality.

But Sunrise is also thinking of our community. In this newsletter you will see opportunities to donate coats for kids for our Coat Closet as well as other opportunities to help and give. There will be a Mission Fair on Oct. 22 to offer us more opportunities to get involved.

Second, we can learn about our world and our community. Sunrise offers two great adult Sunday School classes. The discussion is always lively and enlightening. Join one and take time to learn more about the world and our neighborhood.

Third, Sunrise is embracing the season with our FALL FEST on October 8. Bring a pot luck side or dessert, the family and friends and enjoy an afternoon of corn mazes, pumpkin patch, fun, music and fellowship. We'll pray for great weather, and hope for lots of good food. It should be delightful!

Join us this month to give, to share, to learn, to worship and to have fun! It's what God calls us to do!

Love,
Martha

**"Join us for Fall
Fest on October 8."**



CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

God's Kids is off to a great start. Around 15 kids from Kindergarten through Fifth Grade meet each Wednesday to play games outside, enjoy a snack, pray, sing, hear a story, make a craft and have choir! What an afternoon! It's packed with fun things to do. This month God's Kids has focused on the qualities which make a good friend. We've talked about being kind and nice. We've practiced sharing. We have also talked about bullying. Some of our kids know what it means to be bullied. Unfortunately most of us

have also said unkind remarks or remained silent when others around us bullied someone. We are practicing how to be good friends who stand up for their friends. It's been a great month for God's Kids.

Youth Fellowship is a fun hour of games, friendship, sharing and talking about being a teen in today's world. Ann Zimmerman, Jack Gillam and Kim Cerny take turns leading Wednesday Youth. We've got a crowd of kids who like to share the events of their week together. Friends are always welcome.



Adult Faith Class in the Parlor Civility

Beginning Sunday October 29, we will be using material from the Thoughtful Christian to discuss Civility. Civility has long been a factor in Christianity and even in American politics but recently it seems our society suffers from an appalling lack of it. It is difficult to conceive of a different, better way of

thinking about politics and public debate when everyone is screaming at each other. Our three week study by James Calvin Davis considers ways to think about political discussion among people who disagree. Civility will be our topic October 29 - November 12. Bring your coffee and come join us.

Mission Committee News



News from Mission Committee

Through your pledges we give the Food Bank \$80/month, Ashby House \$80/month, Rescue Mission \$80/month, DVACK \$50/month, and Episcopal Cathedral Food Ministry \$25/month. We also help clients of the Circles of the Heartland with special needs.

We will have a Mission Fair October 22nd after church. We are asking the agencies we support every month to come so we can talk to them and they can tell us what they do.

We will have our 2nd Coat Closet Saturday, October 21st, 9 to 2. We are still collecting coats for school age children. Please wash them and put them in the coat barrel by the office.

The annual pumpkin sale for Castle will be Saturday, September 30th, 9 to 4.

We help with Free Commodity Distribution. The last one was September 20th; the next one will be in November.

The committee donated \$500 to DVACK so they can buy items for Welcome Bags they give to residents when they enter.

We are asking the Congregation to donate soaps and shampoos for the Central KS Mental Health Center.

October 1st is World Communion Day. The Peace and Global Witness Offering will be taken that day.

On October 1st after church service we will also be stuffing Cleanup Buckets for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance. We need more of everything at this time. The list is at the church, Facebook, and E News. You can buy the items or donate cash. Write check to Sunrise and write bucket supplies on memo line.

Anytime there is a disaster you can donate. Write check to Sunrise and write the disaster on the memo line.

Visit our bulletin board by the CE Office door. More mission opportunities are there. There are also reports on what we do as a denomination.

We are hosting 2 Alzheimer's disease Education for care givers. One will be October 16th at 6pm and the second one is November 13th at 6pm.

We are looking for more committee members. We meet the 1st Monday of the month. If you are interested, let us know. We do many things in God's name. We are hand and feet of God's.

Elders, Paul McAfee and Jean Drees



The CASTLE Project's 5th Annual Pumpkin Patch Sale

Saturday, September 30, 2017
9am to 4 pm

Sunrise Presbyterian Church
825 E Beloit

Many colored pumpkins, gourds, corn stalks, straw bales,
PLUS and other home baked items

Help Support CASTLE

There are many coupons around town, please save them.



Sunrise Coat Closet!!!



Hello friends and family of the community. We are pleased to inform you that the Coat Closet is back for year two after a successful opening year. This year we are going to beat the white blanket and the wind by having the drive in the fall. We strongly encourage the able to donate new or used coats to the drive so we can give away more than the 218 coats we did last year. Donations can be taken to the Pit Stop at 674 W. Cloud or 1805 S. 9th and we will accept donations from now until October 17th, 2017. During the collection period donators can take a snap (with the Snapchat mobile App) of themselves donating at one of the drop locations with the hash tag#coatcloset and use the snap to redeem 50% off their meal at *Gourmet To Go/ Loft Catering* located on E. Iron.

Drive Date: Saturday October 21, 2017

Drive Hours: 9am-2pm

Drive Location: 825 E. Beloit Salina, KS

Contact:malcolm23mapitout@gmail.com



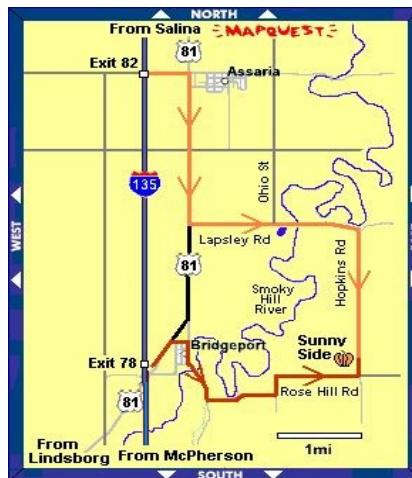


SUNRISE FALL FESTIVAL

EVERYONE is invited for food, fun and
Fall Festivities

Sunday, October 8th 4:00 – 7:00PM

Sunnyside Pumpkin Patch, Assaria KS



Join us for:

**Pot Luck: Hotdogs/drinks and
Hay Rack ride, Corn Maze,
Tableware provided, Bring Salad or Dessert
Pumpkin Patch and Music by Ann Zimmerman**

Cost \$6.00/adult

Children \$1.00/year of age up to 6

Financial Help Available

LET'S STUFF THE BUCKET FOR STORM VICTIMS!

Sunrise will celebrate World Communion Sunday, October 1 by stuffing storm bucket kits for victims! Presbyterian disaster Assistance keeps a warehouse of bucket kits ready to go in Ferncliff, Arkansas. With buckets going out to Texas and Florida storm victims, we need to help replenish the stock. PNK will deliver the buckets to Arkansas for us. The buckets, contain the basic needs anyone might use to begin cleaning storm muck out of their home. Here's how we all can help?

- Bring the items on the list to Sunrise and leave them on the large table in the hall.
- give money to cover the cost of supplies not donated. (mark your check "Storm Buckets")
- Join us -- young and old -- at Coffee Hour on October 1 to put the items in the buckets. We'll make an assembly line. children are very welcome to help.

Together, we can make a difference!



Cleanup Bucket

1-5 gallon bucket with resalable lid *(Value \$75)

5--scouring pads

7--sponges, assorted sizes

1--scrub brush

1-- pkg. cleaning towel (18 reusable, like Easy Wipes)

1--50 oz. or two 25 oz. bottle(s) of liquid laundry detergent

1--liquid concentrated household cleaner (like Lysol), 12 oz.

1--bottle liquid disinfectant dish soap (like Dawn), 24-28 oz.

1--1pkg. clothespins, 48-50 Clothesline, two 50 ft. or one 100 ft.

5-- dust masks

2 pair--latex gloves (like Playtex)

1 pair--work gloves

1-- 24 to 28 count roll heavy-duty trash bags (30-40 gallon, remove from carton)

1--bottle insect repellent (pump, drops, or lotion; not aerosol), 6-9 oz.

Please purchase all liquids in plastic bottles. Send only new, unopened materials. Put all items in the plastic bucket, packed securely to avoid damage during shipment, and seal lid with packing tape.

*Some local fast-food restaurants are willing to give pickle buckets (or other 5-gallon buckets with re-sealable lids) or offer them for a small fee. These can be washed out and used for the cleanup buckets.

Lafayette, Louisiana Disaster Response and Community Development

Presbytery of Northern Kansas

November 4-12, 2017

Trip Leaders: Bob and Rhoda Frasier

The Red Cross reported in Fall 2016: "Louisiana flood: Worst US disaster since Hurricane Sandy, and given Louisiana's topography, this recovery will be exceptionally slow."

PDA is asking for help and PNK is gathering a team!

Join us for this Mission Opportunity!

Registration Form This trip is open to any member, age 18 and over, of a Presbytery of Northern Kansas congregation. Please complete all the blanks.

Name: _____ Male() Female()

Address: _____
street or route town zip

email: _____

Phone Numbers: Home:() _____ Work:() _____

I certify that the above named person is a member of the _____ Church of
Name of church

City/Town

Pastor or Moderator of Session Signature

Your cost for this trip is \$75 per person. Plus, you will pay lodging for 2 nights and will be responsible for your own meals on both weekends. [Participants at their option may arrange flights or other travel at their expense.] The Stewardship and Mission Committee will contribute \$2,000 towards this mission trip for group travel, accommodations and other costs. **Please return your completed registration with your \$75 registration fee (checks payable to Presbytery of Northern Kansas) postmarked by October 1st to the Presbytery of Northern Kansas, PO Box 3287, Salina, KS 67402-3287.**

In the past, some participants have indicated a desire to fly at their own cost – please indicate here if you would prefer to fly or travel by van with the group so we can get an idea of travel preferences.

_____ I prefer to fly** (at my own cost) _____ I prefer to travel by van with the group

Schedule: date to be announced – Informational and Planning Meeting for all Trip Participants (Salina)
Saturday, November 4th – depart (early morning) from Salina – Travel Day
Sunday, November 5th – Travel Day – arrive at Volunteer Lodging Site, LA**
Monday, November 6th through Friday, November 10th – work at job site
Saturday, November 11th – depart (early morning) – Travel Day**
Sunday, November 12th – Travel Day – arrive back in Salina late afternoon

**Those opting for alternative travel arrangements should make plans in line with these times. [If you are flying, please check with the trip leaders before making flight arrangements to coordinate ground transportation.]

alzheimer's association

Living with Alzheimer's for Caregivers:

THE BASICS

The Basics: Memory loss, dementia, and Alzheimer's disease. Learn about how Alzheimer's disease or other dementias affects the brain, stages of disease, and effective communication strategies.

October 16, 2017

6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

I CAN'T DO THIS ANYMORE

Resources, monitoring care, and meaningful connections for the person with the disease and their families will be discussed.

November 13, 2017

6:00 – 7:30 p.m.

**Programs will be hosted by
Sunrise Presbyterian Church
825 E. Beloit St., Salina, KS**

Register by calling 1.800.272.3900

Questions? Contact Cindy Miller at cmiller1@alz.org

The mission of the Heart of America Chapter is to eliminate Alzheimer's disease through the advancement of research; to provide and enhance care and support for all affected; and to reduce the risk of dementia through the promotion of brain health.

Presented by the
Alzheimer's Association – Heart of America Chapter
Northeast Kansas Regional Office

EMPTY BOWLS



**11th ANNUAL FUNDRAISER
SOUP SUPPER**

Sunday, October 22

First Covenant Church

2625 E. Magnolia

5pm to 7pm

Join Us for a Meal and Help Fight Hunger

Menu includes, soup, bread, drink & dessert. Entertainment will be provided. Families and individuals of all ages are welcome!

Free will donations are accepted and appreciated in lieu of admission.

For more information visit: www.salinafood.org

Proceeds to benefit the Salina Emergency Aid Food Bank



In Service of The Church - October

October Lay Leaders



- 01 Tessa Bolen
- 08 Ken Miller
- 15 Rose Marie Merrill
- 22 Mary Lee Arnold
- 29 Jean Alsop



October Acolytes

- 01 Tacie Barrett
- 08 Riley Allmond
- 15 Paedyn Merrell
- 22 Allen Johnson
- 29 Paedyn Merrell

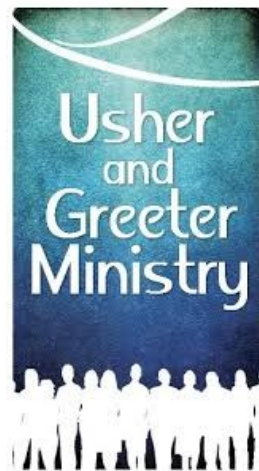


Attendance Register For September

3rd.....	84
10th.....	85
17th.....	102
24th.....	95

October Ushers

- * October 01
Dolli Winsky-Moreno
Kathryn Lee
- * October 08
Jean Burch
Dolli Winsky-Moreno
- * October 15
Lewis Reid
Gladys Reid
- * October 22
Pat Tomlins
Jean Burch
- * October 29
Kathryn Lee
Jean Reed



October Greeters

- East: Ruth Self
South: Le Ray Wilkie
- East: Betty Rasette
South:
- East: Pat Tomlins & Marilyn Griffith
South: Mary McCall & Jean Burch
- East: Dolli Winsky-Moreno
South: Kathryn Lee
- East: Jeff Merrill & Girls
South:

* Please ask 2 people from the congregation to help take up offering.

October Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 1 Allen Johnson
- 3 Don Schroeder
- 4 Jean Burch
- 5 Vicky Tuey
- 7 Dan & Tessa Bolen Anniversary
- 9 Lewis Reid
Mark Olson
Gina Sanders
Ruby McBee
- 13 Stephanie Cool
Nathan Zimmerman
- 14 Jim & Jo Ann Gile Anniversary
- 15 Brady McAfee
- 16 Sue Will
- 17 Lillian Sanders
- 18 Karia Nothern
Leslie Mangrum
Janet Atteberry



- 20 Cai Calvert
Maggie Gillam
- 21 Jack Chaney
- 22 Kylee Ayres
- 24 Susie Walker
- 25 Pam Cooper
Patti Breeding
- 27 Elaine Spellman
- 29 LaDonna Cox
- 31 Julie Parks



Did we make a mistake?

Please don't hesitate to let us know if we've left out anything such as birthdays and anniversaries, or if we have made a mistake or omission in the newsletter. We want to correct it! Thanks!



Do you have news?

If you have newsletter items to share, or have any comments or questions about the newsletter, please let me know! I hope you're all having a terrific month!

Edie Hurtig,
Newsletter Editor



American Red Cross

A simple act can change the lives of others. Thank you for allowing us to use your facility for our August Community Blood Drive. The next Blood Drive will be Oct. 23, 24, 25.

Rhonda Smith, Coordinator

Thank You

Thank You for your prayers and many cards and verbal expression of care and concern during my surgery and the passing of my Mom. Having the support of my Sunrise family was priceless!

Deana Horst

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Sunday Mornings

9:30 a.m. *Worship*
(Communion – First Sunday of Each Month)
10:30 a.m. *Fellowship*
10:45 a.m. *Sunday School for All (Off During Summer)*



General Office Hours:

8:00 am-12:00 pm, Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday, Friday
Wednesday 8 am-12 pm, & 1 pm-5 pm

Financial Office Hours:

10:00 am-12:00 pm, Monday & Thursday

Pastor: The Rev. Dr. Martha Murchison
Director of Music: Leslie Mangrum
Organist: Sue Will
Church Treasurer: JoAnn Gile
Financial Secretary: Karmel Spencer
Office Administrator & Newsletter Editor:
Edie Hurtig
Custodian: Greg Kerr