

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

MARCH 2018

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Upcoming Events

Date	Time	Activity
March 4th	9:30a.m.	Worship Service Communion Children's Sunday School
March 5th	6:30p.m.	Finance Committee
March 6th	6:30 p.m.	Bible Study
March 7th	7:00 p.m.	Session
March 11th	9:30 a.m.	Worship service Children's Sunday School
March 14th	6:00 p.m.	New Hope Parish Women's Gathering at Spudley's
March 18th	9:30 a.m.	Worship service Children's Sunday School
March 25th	9:30 a.m.	Worship service Installation off and ordination of new elders Children's Sunday School
March 28th	6:00 p.m.	Women's Group Potluck
March 29th	6:30 p.m.	Parish-Wide Maundy Thursday Service at Paola Presbyterian Church. A light supper will be serviced followed by the service

Secretary Snippets

Please have your **April 2018** newsletter information turned in information in by **March 22, 2018.**

Blessings,

Linda Prothe, Administrative Assistant



Keynote Speaker -- Danelle Crawford McKinney

Danelle is the first Dakota Sisseton-Wahpeton Dakota Oyate [pronounced oh-YAH-tay] woman ordained in the Presbyterian Church, (USA). Growing up in the non-geographic Presbytery of Dakota, her Native American culture plays an integral role in current social issues facing many American Indigenous people, in particularly Native American Christian young people. Danelle and her husband Ron have spent many years learning cultural traditions, values and customs in order to "bridge the language gap" between what they call mainstream Christianity and Native American spirituality. Danelle is currently working as a Student Rights Specialist at Haskell Indian Nations University and lives with her husband in Lawrence, KS.



DIRECTIONS: First Presbyterian is bounded by Walnut and Chestnut Streets on the north and south, US73/K7/K92 on the east and 5th Street on the west. There is on-street parking on Walnut, Chestnut and 5th Street. Parking is also available by the County Courthouse in the south lot at the northeast corner of 4th and Walnut across from the church. Handicapped parking is available in the church lot.

From the south on US73/K7 turn left at Spruce (K92) and right on 5th street. To access the church parking lot, take the one-way alley between the Methodist Church and the Carnegie Building. Traveling from the north turn right on Walnut then left on 5th and left into the alley.

Presbyterian Women in Heartland Presbytery

2018 Spring Gathering

Saturday • April 21

Celebrating Our Sacred Ground

First Presbyterian Church of Leavenworth

407 Walnut Street • Leavenworth, KS 66048 • 913-682-6891

8:15 Registration • Fellowship

9:00 Welcome • Worship with Holy Communion

10:00 Keynote Speaker, **DANELLE MCKINNEY**,
Student Rights Specialist at Haskell Indian Nations University

12:00 Lunch • Church Roll Call • Mission Projects
Horizons Drawing • Evaluations

We will be collecting books for young children for Native American Student Services in Lawrence and non-perishable items for the Haskell Community. Specifics TBA closer to the Gathering.

Questions?
Contact Chelly King
(913) 661-0374

Registration Form

Name _____

Church/City/State _____

Phone _____ Email _____

_____ *Yes, I need childcare*
_____ *Number of children*
Please bring a sack lunch for each child.
We must receive childcare requests by 4/9/18 for childcare to be provided.

****Cost: \$10****

Please make checks payable to:

PWHP

Return registration form and payment to:

Chelly King
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Registration Deadline is Monday, April 16, 2018



Presbyterian Women

Nurture Faith, Support Mission, Work for Justice & Peace, & Build Community

Upcoming Events and Meetings

March Happening

New Hope Parish Women Gathering

March 14, 2018

6:00 PM

Spudleys

Please see Cinda Atwater for more information

Osawatomie Presbyterian Women's Meeting

March 18, 2018

6:00 pm

Potluck at the Church

Mission Project

Sani Pads for young African women so that they may attend school. You may pick up patterns and instructions from Barbara Zuel . If you would like to help but cannot sew, we are also in need of cotton briefs in sizes small, medium and large, dark colors preferred. We will need them by March 28th, 2018.

April Happening

Easter Breakfast

8:15 AM

Church Basement

Fruit and Yogurt will be provided

Please see the sign-up sheet in the Narthex for

Sweet breads and Casseroles



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Upcoming Event and Meetings

April Happening Continued
Heartland Presbyterian Women Spring Gathering
Saturday April 21, 2018
First Presbyterian Church of Leavenworth Kansas
Registration Due April 16.2018
Cost \$10.00

Please find more information and registration in else where in the
newsletter

Osawatomie Presbyterian Women Group
April 25, 2018
6 :00 PM
Potluck at the Church

May Happening
Osawatomie Presbyterian Women Group
May 23, 2018
6 :00 PM
Potluck at the Church

Dear Friends,

My favorite memories of Easter are of times spent with my family and with my church family over the years. They have been times of great love as we celebrated the power of God's love that raised Jesus from the dead. There were wonderful Easter Egg Hunts at my grandparents' house and at church, Sunrise worship services at the cemetery and glorious worship services at church filled with wonderful music. Some years, our everyday lives were filled with great and positive things while other years they were filled with tough times and sorrow. Through them all, God's light and love filled our hearts with hope and joy.

I have always loved the promises of Easter: God's love is stronger than anything that we may face in this life or the life to come; life is stronger than death; love is stronger than hate.

I am very grateful to be able to spend this Easter with my family and with you, my church family. Thank you for being such a loving and caring community of faith to Sandy and me. We are so thankful for the time we have journeyed together.

May you have a joyous Easter and may God continue to bless us on this journey of faith.

Please join us for our Palm Sunday worship service on March 25, our Parish wide dinner and Maundy Thursday service at Paoli, March 29 at 6:30. Easter Sunday morning we will have our famous Easter Breakfast Fellowship and celebrate the resurrection of our Lord at our morning worship service. Christ is risen, He is risen indeed!

Yours in Christ,

Ron



SPECIAL OFFERINGS

ONE GREAT HOUR OF SHARING

The One Great Hour of Sharing Offering is collected February 14th through April 1st.

36% of this offering goes for Presbyterian Hunger Programs
32% of this offering goes for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance
32% of this offering goes for Self-Development of People

Loose the hands of injustice,
Share your bread with the hungry,
restorer of streets to live in.
“You shall be called repairers of the breach.”
Isaiah 5:8

Sharing Gods love with our neighbors in need around the world by providing relief for natural disasters, food for the hungry, and support for the poor and oppressed.

Faith **HOPE** *Love* **peace**

Worship with Rev. Ron Galvin

March	4	3 rd Sunday in Lent Communion
	11	4 th Sunday in Lent
	18	5 th Sunday in Lent
	25	Passion/Palm Sunday
	29	Maundy Thursday Parish-wide Service at Paola
	30	Good Friday Community Service
April	1	Easter Sunday
	8	2nd Sunday of Easter
	15	3rd Sunday of Easter
	22	4th Sunday of Easter
	29	5th Sunday of Easter



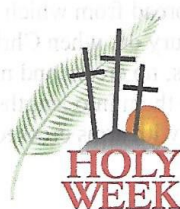
For God so loved the world that he  gave his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him may not perish but may have eternal life. John 3:16

"What is Passion Week / Holy Week?"

Passion Week (also known as Holy Week) is the time from Palm Sunday through Easter Sunday (Resurrection Sunday), the final seven days of Jesus' earthly ministry. It is referred to as Passion Week because in that time, Jesus Christ truly revealed His passion for us in the suffering He willingly went through on our behalf.

What is Palm Sunday?"

Just days before His Passion and Death, Jesus, entered Jerusalem. By this action, He was publicly Messiah. The Jewish people recognized His entry as prophecy about their king, coming to them seated donkey. The populace, sure that the Messiah had Roman domination, hailed Him as king. A large multitude gathered around Him and the crowd spread their cloaks on the road, while others spread palm branches. Palm branches, at the time of Christ, were symbols of goodness, well-being, and victory.



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"What is Maundy Thursday / Holy Thursday?"

Maundy Thursday is the day on which Jesus celebrated the Passover with His disciples. The Last Supper thereby instituted the Lord's Supper, Communion. Jesus washed the disciples' feet as an act of humility and service. The word *Maundy* is derived from the Latin word for "command" referring to the command Jesus gave to the disciples at the Last Supper, that they should love and serve one another.

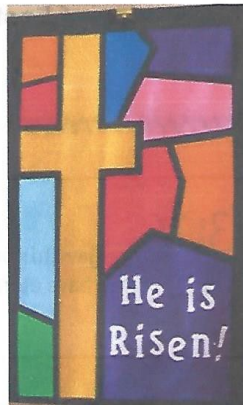
"What is Good Friday / Holy Friday?"

It is celebrated traditionally as the day on which Jesus was crucified. The results of Christ's death are very good! Rather than remembering Christ's death on a certain day, once a year, the Bible instructs us to remember Christ's death by observing the Lord's Supper. First Corinthians 11:24-26 declares, "...do this in remembrance of me...for whenever you eat this bread and drink this cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes."



"What is Easter Sunday?"

Most people understand that Easter Sunday has something to do with the resurrection of Jesus, but are confused as to how the resurrection is related to the Easter eggs and the Easter bunny. In order to make Christianity more attractive to non-Christians, the ancient Roman Catholic Church mixed the celebration of Jesus' resurrection with fertility rituals. These rituals are the As a result, many Christians feel celebrate Jesus' resurrection should Rather, something like more appropriate and biblical. Easter also as Resurrection of the



celebrations that involved spring source of the egg and bunny traditions. strongly that the day on which we not be referred to as "Easter Sunday." "Resurrection Sunday" would be far [The Presbyterian Church refers to Lord Sunday.]

[Got Questions Ministries at www.gotquestions.org]



Pretzels became associated with the Christian faith, symbolizing good luck. One story has it that the bread from which pretzels are made was the Christian Lenten bread from the fourth century on, when Christians kept a strict Lenten fast of no milk, no butter, no cheese, no eggs, no cream and no meat. The faithful made small breads of water, flour and salt, rolled them into lengths, and shaped them into crossed arms to remind themselves of prayer (praying with arms crossed across the chest was common).

Rejoice in hope, be patient in tribulation, be constant in prayer. Romans 12:12

MARCH 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
*Children's Sunday School meets after the children's time during worship service.						
<i>3rd Sunday in Lent</i> 4 Jim Mendel 9:30 a.m. Worship Service/ Communion *Children's Sunday School	5 6:30 p.m. Finance	6 6:30 p.m. Bible Study	7 7:00p.m. Session	8	9 Marianna Floyd	10
<i>4th Sunday in Lent</i> 11 Eileen Enscoe 9:30 a.m. Worship Service *Children's Sunday School	12 Alan Haag	13	14 6:00 p.m. Spudley's -New Hope Parish Women's Gathering 6:30 p.m. Christian Ed/	15 Lucas Folks Steve Short	16 Erica Johns	17
<i>5th Sunday in Lent</i> 18 Gena Riley 9:30 a.m. Worship Service *Children's Sunday School	19 Steve & Missy Polley Steve Folks	20 John Crain	21 Jackie Platt	22	23	24
<i>Palm Sunday</i> 25 9:30 a.m. Worship Service *Children's Sunday School	26	27	28 Sara Schwalm 6:00 p.m. Women's Group- Potluck	29 Parish-Wide Maundy Thursday Service at Paola Presbyterian Church. A light supper will be ser- viced followed by the service	30	31
Upcoming - April 1, 2018, 8:15 a.m. Easter Breakfast						