

SUNRISE NEWS AND VIEWS



Praise be to his glorious name forever;
may the whole earth be filled with his glory.



October



World Communion Sunday

The first Sunday in October is designated as **World Communion Sunday**, which “celebrates our oneness in Christ with all our brothers and sisters around the world.” (1) **This year on October 1 we will celebrate the Lord’s Supper** with other Christians in many different denominations around the world.

The **first Worldwide Communion Sunday celebration** occurred at **Shadyside Presbyterian Church in Pittsburgh, PA, in 1933** where Dr. Hugh Thompson Kerr served as pastor. In an excerpt from the October 7, 2002, issue of Presbyterian Outlook, John A. Dallas, a PCUSA pastor who has researched the history of World Communion Sunday, notes the following in his blog post:

Davitt S. Bell (the late Clerk of Session and church historian at Shadyside) recalled that **Dr. Kerr first conceived the notion of World Communion Sunday during his year as moderator of the General Assembly (1930)**. Dr. Kerr’s younger son, the Rev. Dr. Donald Craig Kerr, who is pastor emeritus of the Roland Park Presbyterian Church in Baltimore, was sixteen in 1933. He has related that World Communion Sunday grew out of the Division of Stewardship at Shadyside. It was their attempt to bring churches together in a service of Christian unity—in which everyone might receive both inspiration and information, and above all, to know how important the Church of Jesus Christ is, and how each congregation is interconnected one with another. **When I asked Donald Kerr how the idea of World Communion Sunday spread from that first service to the world wide practice of today, this is what he replied, (2)**

“The concept spread very slowly at the start. People did not give it a whole lot of thought. It was during the Second World War that the spirit caught hold, because we were trying to hold the world together. World Wide Communion symbolized the effort to hold things together, in a spiritual sense. It emphasized that we are one in the Spirit and the Gospel of Jesus Christ.” (2)

World Wide Communion Sunday was adopted by Presbyterians (PCUS) in 1936 and churches in other denominations were invited to celebrate with us. It wasn’t until 1940 that an organization that is now the National Council of Churches promoted it, that it became a widespread practice.

“Today World Communion Sunday is celebrated around the world, transcending boundaries of denomination, geography, and language.” (1)

Joyfully serving Christ with you!

Pastor Deb

Resources:

(1) <https://www.shadysidepres.org/about-world-communion-sunday/>

(2) <https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/worship/churchcalendar/world-communion-sunday/>

CELEBRATING GOD'S GIFTS OF MUSIC

CHOIR RESUMES!

Choir practice is on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m. We always welcome and enjoy having new voices join us, whether you sing with the choir every time or just once in awhile.

THE HANDBELLS RESUME PRACTICING AT A NEW TIME!

Handbells are moving their practice to Sunday mornings following worship and a short time for fellowship. Plan to say "hello" and grab a donut and some juice and show up for practice at 10:50 am on Sunday morning. If you are interested in learning how to play the handbells, we welcome you to visit, listen, and ask questions, any time.

NEWS BY
MATTHEW
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ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS IN THE PARLOR

The Adult Class has begun, meeting at 10:45 am in the church parlor. They are taking a look at The Lord's Prayer with materials featuring Pastor Adam Hamilton. Hamilton will help them explore each line of the prayer and it's meaning in the Bible. Join them in the parlor for "The Lord's Prayer: The Meaning and Power of the Prayer Jesus Taught." Everyone is always welcome.

RUBY MCBEE WILL TURN 100

Please celebrate with us on Oct 8 following worship, and share a card, greeting, or smile with Ruby as she turns 100 on October 9.



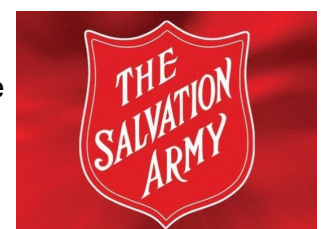
OCTOBER VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY: SERVING MEALS AT SALINA SALVATION ARMY!!

It is a joy for many in our Sunrise family to help serve meals to those who come to the Salvation Army to eat their dinner, during the month of October. One or two volunteers are needed each weekday from 4:00-5:30 pm (you may be released early if you're not busy!) That will be Mondays-Thursdays. That's a total of 18 days to choose from! You are welcome to go as a single or find a buddy to join you. Check your calendars and see what day/s might work for you to help!!

The current cook is Julio and his wife, Chris. They will appreciate any and all help we are able to provide! They will show you the window to serve from, and what you'll be serving. The Salvation Army is located at 1137 N. Santa Fe.

Please add your name to the sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board by the MPR. If you have questions contact Julie Parks.

Thank you!
Your Sunrise Deacons





Upcoming Events

October 5th 5:00 - 7:00pm	<i>STOCKTOBERFEST</i> <i>@ the Kirwin House</i>
October 24th @ 7:00pm	<i>Volunteer Appreciation Night</i> <i>at the Food Bank!</i>

PLEASE CONSIDER A LEGACY GIFT | Salina Emergency Aid Food Bank · 3

5th Sunday Potluck Dinner

Sunday, October 29th will be our fifth Sunday Potluck Dinner. Main course has not yet been determined. Watch for that information in the Oct 8th bulletin. Make plans to attend and enjoy good food and each other's company. Main course and table service will be provided. You only need to provide a side dish or dessert.

STEWARDSHIP AND FINANCE

That time of year is drawing near again...the Fall Season. We think about football, cider, colorful leaves, and Stewardship (right?).

The Sunrise Stewardship campaign will kick off in October and conclude in November. You will receive your Stewardship letter and pledge card in mid-October. If possible, we would appreciate your prayerful response by October 31. We will begin to put the 2024 budget together in early November. Stewardship Sunday will be November 19. On that day we will enjoy a meal together and dedicate our pledges. We hope to have the 2024 budget finalized in December and submitted to the Session for approval.

Thank you for your support of the mission and programs of Sunrise Presbyterian Church during 2023. We look forward to an inspiring and grateful 2024.

Dave Parks, Stewardship and Finance Moderator

DON'T FORGET

The Stewardship and Finance meeting on Monday, October 9 at 5:00.



FINANCIAL UPDATE

End of August, 2023	
Year to Date Income	\$ 132,368
Year to Date Expenses	<u>\$ 168,757</u>
Difference	\$ (36,389)

October 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1 9:30 Sunday Worship Communion 10:30 Fellowship 10:45 Sunday School 10:50 Bell Practice 3:00 Presbyterian Manor Worship	2 6:00 Worship Committee 7:00 Mission 6:30 Salina Chorale 8:00 AA	3 10:00 Nurture & Evangelism 11:00 Lectionary	4 8:30 PROFS 6:00 Choir Practice	5 11:30 Out to Lunch Bunch	6 7:00 Al-Anon 8:00 AA	7
8 9:30 Sunday Worship 10:30 Fellowship 10:45 Sunday School 10:50 Bell Practice 2:00 Grief Support	9 5:30 Stewardship Finance 6:30 Salina Chorale 8:00 AA	10 11:00 Lectionary 5:30 Building & Grounds	11 6:00 Project Salina Committee 6:00 Choir	12 4:00 pm Deacons	13 7:00 Al-Anon 8:00 AA	14
15 9:30 Sunday Worship 10:30 Fellowship 10:30 Blood Pressure Check 10:45 Sunday School 10:50 Bell Practice 2:00 Prayer Shawl	16 1:00 3rd Monday Book Study 6:30 Salina Chorale 8:00 AA	17 11:00 Lectionary	18 Newsletter Articles due 6:00 Choir	19 10:00 am Personnel	20 7:00 Al-Anon 8:00 AA	21
22 9:30 Sunday Worship 10:30 Fellowship 10:45 Sunday School 10:50 Bell Practice 2:00 pm Engaging Matthew 25 Film Series	23 6:00 Session 6:30 Salina Chorale 8:00 AA	24 11:00 Lectionary	25 12:00—6:30 Blood Drive 6:00 Choir	26 9:00 Circle 2:00 Circle at Katie's 12:00—6:30 Blood Drive	27 8:00—2:00 Blood Drive 7:00 Al-Anon 8:00 AA	28
29 9:30 Sunday Worship 10:30 Fellowship 10:45 Sunday School 10:50 Bell Practice 11:45 5th Sunday Potluck	30 6:30 Salina Chorale 8:00 AA	31 11:00 Lectionary	Pastor Deb out for study Leave			
Pastor Deb vacation						

SUNRISE NURSES



We purchased gently used wheels on one of the regular wheelchairs and a second transport wheelchair. We installed the wheels on the regular chair, the only one with legs that raise. If you have not had experience with wheelchairs, the regular ones are heavier and more difficult to lift in and out of a vehicle. They are built for using inside of hospitals, nursing facilities and homes, etc. The transport ones are narrower and go through bathroom doors. Funds from Trudy Chaney's memorial were used. One transport chair will be at the east parking lot door and the other by the sanctuary. They may be check out for short term use. Betty Kerr, Parish Nurse

ENGAGING MATTHEW 25 THROUGH FILM!



Current Issues Class is hosting Engaging Matthew 25 Through Film. Film series is the 4th Sunday afternoons at 2 pm. They meet in the little theater, at the end of the Education wing of the church. Please plan to attend. Films are as follows: October 22, 2:00 pm, "Selma" November 19, 2:00 pm, "Do the Right Thing" TBA, "The Hate You Give."

FROM THE STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE In Honor Of

Our "In Honor Of" program kind of came to a halt when the pandemic hit. It's time to honor those who have helped you, who are having a birthday, are having an anniversary, a graduation or any other reason you can think of to say thanks or congratulations to them.

Fill out the form and send it, along with your check, to Sunrise and we will announce your gift to your honoree in our next newsletter (unless you want to remain anonymous). Who are you thankful for? Show them you care by honoring them.

Dave Parks

SUNRISE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH A GIFT IN HONOR OF....

In Honor Of Katie Weis

Date 9/24/23

I would like to honor her because: _

Katie keeps the tables at Sunrise attractive, not only monthly but for special occasions and funerals. She is hostess every month for the afternoon Circle Bible study and always provides beverages and treats. She also prepares a lot of the food for the Salina Grace Resource Center and is a friendly server there.

Donor: One of her admirers

In Honor of

Meetings & Events

Every Sunday

Bell Practice 10:50 am

Every Tuesday

Lectionary Study 11:00 am

Every Wednesday

Choir Practice 6:00 pm

First Sunday

Communion

First Monday

Worship Committee 6:00 pm

Mission Committee 7:00 pm

First Tuesday

Nurture & Evangelism 10:00 am

First Wednesday

PROFS 8:30 am

First Thursday

Lunch Bunch 11:30 am

2nd Sunday

Grief Support 2:00 pm

2nd Monday

Stewardship & Finance 5:30 pm

3rd Sunday

Blood Pressure Check 10:45 am

Prayer Shawl Ministries 2:00pm

3rd Monday

Book Study 1:00 pm

3rd Wednesday

Current Issues Class 7:00 pm

4th Monday

Session 6:00 pm

4th Thursday (Sept-May)

Morning Circle 9:00 am

Afternoon Circle 2:00 pm

Periodically

Building & Grounds

Deacons

Personnel

Worship at Presbyterian Manor

Sunrise News

PROFS

PROFS will meet, Wednesday, October 4, at 8:30 am in the MPR.



OUT TO LUNCH BUNCH



The Out To Lunch Bunch will meet on Thursday, October 5 at The Iron Skillet, 2125 N 9th St, at 11:30 am.

Don't forget to RSVP to Patti Breeding.

Please come and enjoy fellowship and good food. Everyone is welcome!

BLOOD PRESSURE CHECK

The Nurses will do Blood Pressure Check on the 3rd Sunday of the month.



CURRENT ISSUES CLASS and FILM SERIES!



Current Issues class will meet October 18, 7:00pm in the parlor.

Please plan to come.

Film series will be held the 4th Sunday afternoons at 2 pm.

COFFEE HOUR

The Coffee Hour for October and November sign up sheets are on the bulletin board.



DISASTER FOOD GIVEAWAY & COMMODITIES



Sunrise served 95 families in the month of September. There will not be a distribution of Commodities in October.

Sylvia Phillips

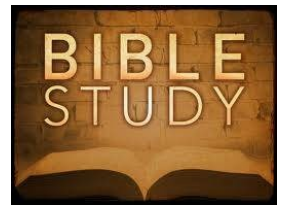


NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

Articles for the November Newsletter are due Wednesday, October 18.

LECTIONARY BIBLE STUDY

Tuesdays, 11:00 a.m.



Proper 21 (26) - **October 1, 2023**

Semi-Continuous - Exodus 17:1-7 and Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16

Complementary - Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32, Psalm 25:1-9, Philippians 2:1-13, Matthew 21:23-32

Proper 22 (27) - **October 8, 2023**

Semi-Continuous - Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20 and Psalm 19

Complementary - Isaiah 5:1-7, Psalm 80:7-15, Philippians 3:4b-14, Matthew 21:33-46

Proper 23 (28) - **October 15, 2023**

Semi-Continuous - Exodus 32:1-14 and Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23

Complementary - Isaiah 25:1-9, Psalm 23, Philippians 4:1-9, Matthew 22:1-14

Proper 24 (29) - **October 22, 2023**

Semi-Continuous - Exodus 33:12-23 and Psalm 99

Proper 25 (30) - **October 29, 2023**

Semi-Continuous - Deuteronomy 34:1-12 and Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17

Complementary - Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18, Psalm 1, 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8, Matthew 22:34-46

MORNING & AFTERNOON CIRCLES



Sunrise Women began Bible study September 28. All women are welcome to attend. The Morning Circle will meet at 9:00 at Presbyterian Manor. The afternoon circle will meet at Katie Weis' home at 2:00 pm. Both circles are using the Bible Study "Sacred Encounters" published by Presbyterian Church (USA). Study guides are available at the church office for \$11.00.



LECTIONARY STUDY GROUP

It's not too late to join the Lectionary Study group! They meet on Tuesdays at 11:00 am. Everyone is welcome.

AGENCY OF THE MONTH WOMEN HELPING WOMEN



Women Helping Women is an established fund through Greater Salina Community Foundation. This fund was created to fund relatively small items for women and their families who fall between the cracks of services provided by other local agencies.

Grants cannot exceed \$750. In the past fiscal year, WHW funded beds, car repairs, tires, dentures, teeth extractions, bed bug extermination, second hand washers and dryers, home security systems (domestic violence case), licensure fees and technical school tuition. The total of the 66 grants awarded was \$39,971.88.

A donation of \$500 over a 2-year period will enable you to become a Fairy Godmother. Women/girls under 30 will become Tinkerbells with a \$250 donation.

Any amount contributed is a tremendous boost to women living on the edge of poverty. Find us on Facebook at: Women Helping Women- A Fairy Godmother Fund.



FALL FIX-UP 2023

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

SATURDAY OCTOBER 14TH 8 AM TO NOON

Meet at project location, bring gloves, wear appropriate clothes & shoes for outdoor work. Children 12 & under must be accompanied by an adult.

Projects:

- **Ashby House** - 150 S. 8th St.
 - Campus clean-up & Landscaping
- **CHDO** - Corner of Hamilton & N. 9th St.
 - Scraping, Painting & Yard work
- **North Town** - Corner of N. 9th St. & N Broadway Blvd.
 - Landscaping at 5-Corners
- **North Town** - Corner of Hamilton & N. 9th St.
 - Painting front porches
- **Salina Downtown** - 112-114 S. Santa Fe Ave. (between Strand Plaza & Borolo Grill back patio)
 - Clear 46 planters & Add mulch
- **Salina Food Bank** - 255 S. Chicago
 - Mulching garden beds, Relocate a tree & Making holiday bags
- **Salina Rescue Mission** - 1716 Summers Rd.
 - Organize storage, Paint, Landscaping & Gardening
- **Smoky Hill River** - 570 YMCA Dr. (YMCA parking lot)
 - Trash clean-up at the Smoky Hill River
- **The Temple** - 336 S. Santa Fe Ave. (enter via north red door)
 - Clean the theatre & Paint the kitchen

Free Landfill Day for Saline County Residents 8 am to 2 pm

4292 S. Burma Rd. Some restrictions apply, visit salina-ks.org/landfill for more details.



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In Service of the Church - October

October Lay Leaders

October 1 Mark Zimmerman
 October 8 Marilyn Benyshek
 October 15 Conni Steininger
 October 22 Sarah Orr
 October 29 Pat Breeding



October Greeters

October 1
 East Door Katie Weis
 South Door Sara Orr

October 8
 East Door Linda Waggoner
 South Door Mary McCall

October 15
 East Door Judy Wooten
 South Door Sharon Herrington

October 22
 East Door Lewis & Gladys Reid
 South Door Ken Miller
 Cheryl Sweley

October 29
 East Door Carol Viar
 South Door Deena Horst



October Ushers

October 1 Judy Wooten
 Paul McAfee

October 8 Maurice & Betty Kerr

October 15 Kim Gillam
 Dean Atteberry

October 22 Paul McAfee
 Blaine McAfee

October 29 Karen Sutton
 LeAnn Blancho

Acolytes

October 1 Kolton & Kortney Flores

October 8 Lydia Schwan

October 15 Lydia Schwan

October 22 Kolton & Kortney Flores

October 29 Kolton & Kortney Flores

Presbyterian Manor Bus

October 1 Pat Breeding

October 8 Ed Viar

October 15 Dean Atteberry

October 22 Larry Buyse

October 29 Pat Breeding

Attendance Register For September

(Totals include YouTube view's)

Date	In Person	Youtube
3	62	25
10	74	11
17	72	30
24	57	34

October Birthdays & Anniversaries

October

- 1 Allen Johnson
- 3 Don Schroeder
- 4 Jean Burch
- 5 Vicky Tuey
- 6 Tom & Edie Hurtig Anniv
- 7 Dan & Tessa Bolen Anniv
- 9 Ruby McBee
Mark Olson
Lewis Reid
Jeff & Meredith Drees Anniv
- 13 Stephanie Cool
Nathan Zimmerman
Clara Lee
- 14 Jim & JoAnn Gile Anniv
- 15 Brady McAfee
- 16 Sue Will
- 17 Lillian Sanders
- 18 Janet Atteberry
Tacey Barrett
Karla Nothern
Lesie Mangrum
- 20 Cai Calvert
- 21 Vicki Moss
- 22 Kylee (Ayres) Stout
- 24 Suzie Walker
Kenny & Melanie Hancock Anniv
- 25 Patti Breeding
- 27 Elaine Spellman
- 28 Judy Wooten
- 29 LaDonna Cox
- 31 Julie Parks

AMERICAN RED CROSS



The Red Cross is experiencing a severe blood shortage as the number of trauma cases, organ transplants & elective surgeries rise – and deplete the U.S. blood supply. Patients need our help! This decline in blood donations is even more so than at the beginning of the COVID pandemic.

Salina's first responders will save lives both on and off the clock by partnering with the American Red Cross to help keep the community blood supply strong. Join first responders and Sunrise Presbyterian Church in saving lives at the annual Salina Battle of the Badges Blood Drive.

The next Blood Drive will be

- Wednesday, October 26, 12:00 pm to 6:30 pm
- Thursday, October 27, 12:00 pm to 6:30 pm
- Friday, October 28, 8:00 am to 2:00 pm.

Donors are urged to give blood and help meet the constant need for blood products for patients battling diseases and facing the unexpected. Everyone who comes to give will receive a T-shirt. You can make your appointment by calling 800-RED-CROSS, or go to www.redcrossblood.org, using sponsor word 'Salina'. Or call Teri Novotny at 316-558-7351.

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The CASTLE Project's 9th Annual Pumpkin Patch Sale

Saturday, September 30, 2023

9:00am to 3:00 pm

**Sunrise Presbyterian Church
825 E Beloit**

Many colored pumpkins, gourds,
corn stalks, straw bales,

PLUS cookies, muffins and other home baked items

Help Support CASTLE



Find us on
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Sunday Mornings

9:30 am in person and
Virtual Worship
10:30 am Fellowship
10:45 am Sunday School



Sunrise Presbyterian Church

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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: Rev. Deb Schmidt

Director of Music: Matthew Schwan

Director of Bell Choir: Matthew Schwan

Organist: Sue Will

Church Treasurer: JoAnn Gile

Financial Secretary: Karmel Spencer

Office Administrator: Edie Hurtig

Custodian: Greg Kerr