

# Sharing in Prayer

\* Walt Revey (friend of Marvin and Virginia Chaney), who is having several heart surgeries;

\* Jesse Brown;

\* Marsha Valentine-Miller (sister-in-law of Rick and Cheri Magee), who is recovering from a brain bleed;

\* The family of Rich Magee, who died March 22;

\* Cathy (friend of Rachelle Buck), who is dealing with an elderly mother;

\* Bill and Kathy Eble (neighbors of Virgil and Linda Florence), in the death of his father;

\* Dale Sass;

\* Tim Bliel and family (friend of Nancy Huffman)

## Our mission:

Making disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

## Our purpose:

Changing lives through

- humble service
- passionate worship
- extravagant generosity

## Our vision:

A community transformed by God's grace, for God's glory.

# April 2018

## NEWS BRIEFS

### Change of venue

A blip in our normal pattern of where we are when in worship: Worship will be in ER on April 8, sanctuary on April 15, ER on April 22, and sanctuary on April 29. We should be back to our normal schedule in May.

### The noisy offering for April

may go to the food pantry again, or to the pastor's discretionary fund (where it was originally designated for March, before it got diverted to the food pantry). Stay tuned!



### April Five Rivers District prayer list

April 1 — Ottawa: Trinity UMC/  
Richter UMC, Lori Stevens

April 8 — Fort Scott First UMC,  
Steve Cole

April 15 — Paola UMC,  
Andrea Beyer

April 22 — Melvern/Quenemo  
UMC, Daekyung Kim

April 29 — Wellsville/Clearfield  
UMC, Kathy Symes

### Change of address

Jesse Brown has moved to  
Baldwin City. His address is:  
Jesse Brown  
c/o Vintage Park  
#3 North Wing  
321 Crimson Avenue  
Baldwin City, KS 66006

Please join us for **Fifth Sunday  
Brunch** following  
the worship  
service on  
Sunday,  
April 29.

This will be a  
good time to  
visit with your  
church  
friends  
and family  
and enjoy  
some good  
food!



**FIFTH-SUNDAY  
BRUNCH**



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## Birthdays


Irene Peer	4/01
Landon Burdick	4/01
Bob Knabe	4/02
Becky Bonecutter	4/05
Sophie Jones	4/05
Larry Peer, Sr.	4/08
Jamie Buck	4/09
Linda Florence	4/09
Charles Drake	4/10
Brenda MacLachlan	4/15
Barbara Giebler	4/16
Alma White	4/22
Raylene Richards	4/28
Debbie Dinges	4/29
Dean Kerr	4/30



## Anniversaries

Josh and D'Lynn Stewart 4/01



Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<b>1</b>  9:00 Breakfast 10:00 Easter Egg Hunt 10:30 Worship (with OTCC)	<b>2</b> 7:00-9:00 OTCC Youth Group	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b> 5:00-6:30 Grace Café	<b>5</b> 6:15-7:00 Choir Rehearsal 7:00 OTCC Worship Team Rehearsal	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b> 6:00-9:00 Adult Game Night
<b>8</b> 9:00 Light Breakfast/ Faith Formation Classes 10:00 Worship 5:00 OTCC Worship	<b>9</b> 7:00-9:00 OTCC Youth Group	<b>10</b> 9:00 Prayer Circle	<b>11</b> 5:00-6:30 Grace Café	<b>12</b> 6:15-7:00 Choir Rehearsal 7:00 OTCC Worship Team Rehearsal	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> 8:45 UMW 11:00 Women on a Mission (GP)
<b>15</b> <i>Noisy Offering</i> 9:00 Light Breakfast/ Faith Formation Classes 10:00 Worship 5:00 OTCC Worship	<b>16</b> 7:00-9:00 OTCC Youth Group	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b> 5:00-6:30 Grace Café  <i>Newsletter Deadline</i>	<b>19</b> 6:15-7:00 Choir Rehearsal 7:00 OTCC Worship Team Rehearsal	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> 10:00-12:00 Food Pantry (GP)
<b>22</b> 9:00 Light Breakfast/ Faith Formation Classes 10:00 Worship 11:15 Roses & Thorns Reading Group	<b>23</b> 7:00-9:00 OTCC Youth Group	<b>24</b> 9:00 Prayer Circle	<b>25</b> 5:00-6:30 Grace Café	<b>26</b> 6:15-7:00 Choir Rehearsal 7:00 OTCC Worship Team Rehearsal	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b> 9:00 Light Breakfast/ Faith Formation Classes 10:00 Worship 11:15 5th Sunday Brunch 5:00 OTCC Worship	<b>30</b> 7:00-9:00 OTCC Youth Group	(GP) = Grace Place (OTCC) = Open Table Community Church				

Date	Nursery	Liturgist	Ushers/Greeters	Sunday "Closer"
04/01	Chris Kerr	Rachelle Buck	Alma White and Jackie Walker	Chuck and Margie Davis
04/08	Rita Jones	Sandy Stone		
04/15	Linda Florence	Chuck Davis	Bob and Sarah McTaggart	
04/22	Brenda MacLachlan	Rita Jones		
04/29	Rita Jones	Bob Knabe	TBA	