



First  
Presbyterian  
CHURCH SALINA

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Epiphany**  
**February 8, 2026**



***Shine***

Mike Moyers, 2013

\*for those who wish to stand

**Bold** print indicates congregational participation

Today's Liturgy written by Owen J. Gray for Presbyterian Outlook, 2026

**GATHERING AROUND GOD'S WORD**

PRELUDE

*Simple Gifts*

Held

WELCOME

Pastor Phil Price

\*please sign the act of friendship pad

BREATH PRAYER

*Inhale: "God was born."*

*Exhale: "I can rest in the beauty."*

CALL TO WORSHIP (adapted from Psalm 112)

One: People of God, praise the Lord!

**All: Praise the Lord! Happy are those who fear the Lord, those who greatly delight in his commandments.**

One: Their descendants will be mighty in the land; the generation of the upright will be blessed.

**All: Wealth and riches are in their houses, and their righteousness endures forever.**

One: We who gather are broken yet holy; sinners at heart, yet fully redeemed. We are God's very own, called together here this day.

**All: Let us sing. Let us pray. Let us join together in worship. Praise the Lord!**

\*OPENING HYMN

*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

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CALL TO CONFESSION

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**Gracious God, we confess that it is harder to do than we expected, this life of faith. You call us to be salt of the earth and to live lives of justice and righteousness and love. But our lives become busy. Following what others do is just easier. And sometimes the cost for doing what is right seems too high. One day, perhaps, we will commit more fully, but the status quo works better for us right now. Forgive us, we pray. Startle our senses and disrupt our routines. Renew in us the passion for doing what is right in your eyes, and inspire us to be sources of your light in the world. May we, like the prophets and the saints, act by faith no matter how high the cost.**

*TIME FOR SILENT PRAYER AND REFLECTION*

## ASSURANCE OF GRACE (Isaiah 58:6-9)

One: "Is not this the fast that I choose: to loose the bonds of injustice, to undo the straps of the yoke, to let the oppressed go free, and to break every yoke?"

**All: Is it not to share your bread with the hungry, and bring the homeless poor into your house; when you see the naked, to cover them and not to hide yourself from your own kin?**

One: Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your healing shall spring up quickly; your vindicator shall go before you; the glory of the Lord shall be your rear guard.

**All: Then you shall call, and the Lord will answer; you shall cry for help, and he will say, 'Here I am.'"**

One: We are blessed to know that very light which breaks forth. We know God's love and grace through Jesus Christ.

**All: Through Christ, our sins are forgiven, and we know new life. Thanks be to God! Amen.**

## \*RESPONSE TO FORGIVENESS

*Gloria Patri*

***Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost. As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be. World without end. Amen.***

## WELCOME THE CHILDREN

Heidi Paquin

***This, this is where children belong. Welcomed as part of the worshipping throng. Water, God's Word, bread and cup, prayer, and song: This is where children belong.***

## PROCLAIMING GOD'S WORD

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

#### SCRIPTURE READING

Isaiah 58:1-9a

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One: The grass withers, the flower fades; but the word of our God will stand for ever.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

#### ANTHEM

*Nearer My God to Thee*

Sorenson

One: This is God's word to us.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

## RESPONDING TO GOD'S WORD

**All: We believe: The life, death, resurrection, and promised coming of Jesus Christ has set the pattern for the church's mission. His human life involves the church in the common life of all people. His service to men and women commits the church to work for every form of human well-being. His suffering makes the church sensitive to all human suffering so that it sees the face of Christ in the faces of persons in every kind of need. His crucifixion discloses to the church God's judgment on the inhumanity that marks human relations, and the awful consequences of the church's own complicity in injustice. In the power of the risen Christ and the hope of his coming, the church sees the promise of God's renewal of human life in society and of God's victory over all wrong. The church follows this pattern in the form of its life and in the method of its action. So to live and serve is to confess Christ as Lord. Amen.**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

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OFFERTORY MUSIC

*Poeme*

Young

\*DOXOLOGY

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***Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise God all creatures here below;  
Praise God above, ye heavenly host;  
Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.***

\*OFFERTORY PRAYER

## **SENT OUT TO BEAR GOD'S WORD IN THE WORLD**

\*SENDING HYMN

*We All Are One in Mission*

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\*CHARGE AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

*Chancel Flowers are given by Jimmie & Mitzie Lewis  
in honor of their 71st Wedding Anniversary!*



### **TODAY'S VOLUNTEERS:**

Worship Assistant: *Peter Johnston*

Hospitality Host: *Barb Neustrom*

Ushers: *Lisa & Mark Speer*

# Weekly Glance

**SUNDAY, February 8:** 11:00am – Annual Congregational Mt.  
11:15am – Adult Class

**MONDAY, February 9:** Noon – Soundbites – Chelsey Eberwein

**WEDNESDAY, February 11:** Salina Grace meal prep & serve  
4:00pm – FBI  
6:30pm – God Squad  
6:30pm – Choir Practice

**THURSDAY, February 12:** 7:00am – HeBrews

**SUNDAY, February 15:** 9:00am – Adult Class  
10:00am – Worship, Sanctuary  
11:00am – Weekend Food Bags  
11:15am – Adult Class

## Stay for:

**Annual  
Congregational  
Meeting**



**February 8, 2026**

**FEBRUARY 9th SPEAKER**  
**Chelsey Eberwein**



Manager of Adolescent  
Services & Community  
Engagement,  
Central Kansas Foundation

**SOUNDBITES**  
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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## Looking Forward

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**FOR SUCH  
A TIME AS THIS**  
...  
**AN EMERGENCY  
DEVOTIONAL**  
...  
**HANNA REICHEL**

**ADULT ED**  
**BOOK STUDY**  
**SUNDAY'S 9:00 & 11:15AM**  
**FEB 1 - FEB 22**  
**CONFERENCE ROOM**  
**\$10/BOOK**

**SALINA  
SOUPER  
BOWL OF HOPE**

**COLLECTION**

**Way to Tackle Hunger, FPC!**

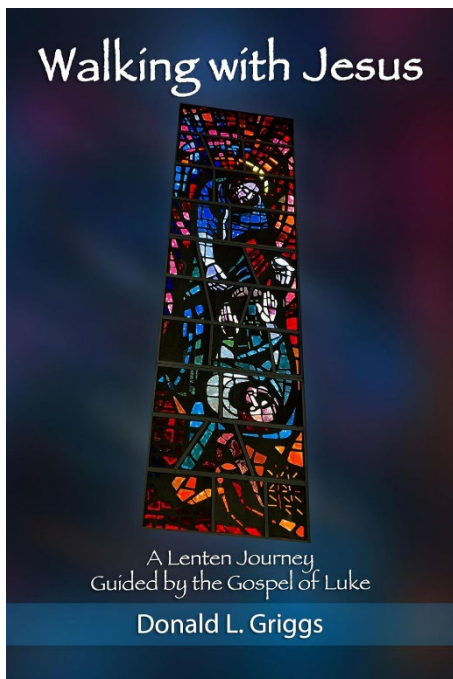
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## LENTEN BIBLE STUDY

Beginning February 24 - March 31, a Lenten Bible Study will be offered every Tuesday from 12-1 pm (you are welcome to bring your own lunch) in the Conference Room. Kathy Price and all who are interested, will explore the journey of Jesus as he moves toward Jerusalem. *Walking with Jesus: A Lenten Journey Guided by the Gospel of Luke* is forty-six daily devotions beginning with Ash Wednesday and ending on Easter Sunday. The devotions follow in sequence key passages as Jesus begins his journey in Galilee he "set his face to go to Jerusalem" and travels to Jerusalem to arrive in time to celebrate the Passover. Most of the devotions seek to relate the theme of the scripture passage to the faith and life experiences of today's followers of Jesus.

Books are available to purchase for \$10 outside of Pastor Phil's office. You can also purchase your own copy or a Kindle copy on Amazon (sorry, this book is not available to purchase at Red Fern, we did check!).



### For Your Information:

- FPC's Nursery, located on the second floor, is available for any child under the age of 6. We also have a playground in the parlor – a space for parents and younger children to be close to the sanctuary during worship.
- **Worship bags** for children of all ages are located in the lobby. When you are finished with the bag, please put it in the basket so that it can be replenished and straightened.
- Extra hymnals, including large print, and Bibles are available in the back of the sanctuary.
- The sanctuary is equipped with a Hearing Loop. Please switch your hearing aid to t-coil to use. *Please see your audiologist to activate your t-coil if you haven't done so yet.* Headsets are also available. **Please sit in center section of Sanctuary.**



### Faith Formation Programs:

- **FBI-In-Training** is our Faith Formation program for children age 2 through Pre-K.
- **FBI** (Faithful Bible Investigators) is our Faith Formation program for children in grades K-5.
  - FBI & FBI-In-Training meet every Wednesday during the school year at 3:45 pm.
- **God Squad** is our 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade Youth Bible Study that meets every other Wednesday during the school year from 6:30-7:45 pm in the Youth Room or a restaurant.
- **HeBrews** is our 9<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade Youth Bible Study that meets every Thursday during the school year at 7:00 am at Mokas on Crawford. The name is derived from *Hebrews 10:25*.

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### CHURCH STAFF

Ministers: *Every Member of Congregation*  
Pastor/ Head of Staff: *Rev. Phil Price*  
Administrative Coordinator: *Nicole Olson*  
Bookkeeper: *Kathleen Pierson*  
Building & Grounds Coordinator: *Steve Fowler*  
Week Day Custodian: *Dennis Augustine*  
Sunday Custodian: *Regina Miller*

Children's Ministry Director: *Heidi Paquin*  
CE Assistant: *Meghan Hessman*  
Nursery Caregivers: *Kirsten Lilak & Haley Lindenmuth*  
Youth Volunteer Leaders: *Makenzi & Trey Cullins,*  
Music Director: *Dr. Richard Koshgarian*  
Musician: *Parker Freeland*  
Worship A/V Tech: *Jesse Smith*

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