Events this Week:

Sunday, July 28, 2024

9:30am Crusaders 9:30am Searchers 10:30am Worship 2:00pm Bible Study "How to Read the Bible"

Wednesday July 31, 2024 5:00pm Sitting With Jesus

Wednesday- Friday July 31-Aug 2, 2024 VBS at the Lutheran Church

Sunday, August 4, 2024

9:30am Crusaders 9:30am Searchers 10:30am Worship 2:00pm Bible Study "How to Read the Bible"

Wednesday, August 7, 2024 5:00pm Sitting with Jesus 6:30pm Women in Faith

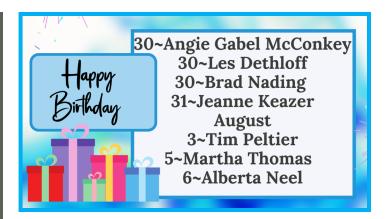
Sunday August 11, 2024

Blessing of the Backpacks During Worship 2:00pm Bridal Shower for Ericka Johnson

August 18, 2024 5:00-7:00pm Ice Cream Social

Welcome to our guests!

We are glad you are here.
We hope you were blessed by
your experience at
First United Methodist Church
this morning and will tell friend.





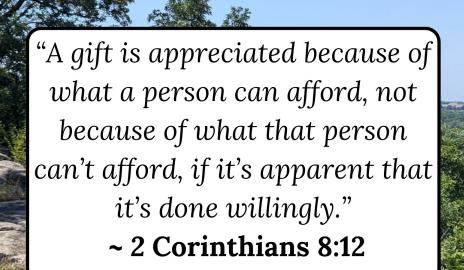
KYLE SWENSON
JAN NOVLAN
JOAN KROHN
MARVIN PETERSEN
JOSH FREEBORN
DAKOTA BROCKMAN
MACHELLE FISHER
FAMILY OF JACK MCCONNELL

AMANDA WATERMAN
LAURA CHRISTENSEN
TRISH & DAN WATERMAN
HARLEY & DARLA ADAMS
FAMILY OF BETH WHISLER
FAMILY OF CAROL RUUD
DEB KETTERMAN, SAVANA,
LIBBY & HATCHER

Attendance & Financials				
	Attendance		Offering	
July 7, 2024	46		\$6,210.00	
July 14, 2024	54		\$1880.00	
July 21, 2024	48		\$1452.00	
Monthly Budget		9	\$16,783.00	
July Offering to date:			\$9,542.00	
Year-to-Date:		\$92,054.00		



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Do No Harm ~ Do Good ~ Stay in Love With God.

John Wesley

The Community Gathers

PRELUDE AND BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

Pam Campbell

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Susie Haver

PASSING THE PEACE

*OPENING HYMN "Jesus! The name High over All"

UMH#193

(Tune: O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing, #57)

*CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: Children of God, Jesus Christ is alive!

PEOPLE: God makes a home among us!

LEADER: And sometimes, in the midst of the everyday, something surprising happens, and we discover anew just what God is up to in our midst.

PEOPLE: In the surprising and spectacular, God makes a home among us.

LEADER: Children of God, let us worship the God who dwells with us in all things and all seasons.

PEOPLE: We come to make our home with God who makes a home among us.

SONG OF PRAISE

"There's Something about That Name"

UMH#171

OPENING PRAYER

Loving God may we find that place called home, a place where faith holds us and grace renews us, where forgiveness longs for us to be who you will us to be. In the places we call home, may we belong and find ourselves accepted as we are, and loved unconditionally. In the place we all home may our souls fit and may our questions find answers. May your place be our place, and may all our relationships be held together by love. In Christ's name we pray. Amen.

JOYS, CONCERNS AND GOD SIGHTINGS PRAYER FOR OUR COMMUNITY

PRAYER SONG

"Jesus, United by Thy Grace"

UMH #561

(Verses 1-4)

Thanksgiving

SCRIPTURE SENTENCE

"A gift is appreciated because of what a person can afford, not because of what that person can't afford, if it's apparent that it's done willingly." ~ 2 Corinthians 8:12

TITHES, GIFTS AND OFFERINGS

*DOXOLOGY

"Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

UMH #94

*PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Lord of Light and Love, we offer these gifts with hearts transformed by the miracle of your son's birth. As the shepherds returned with joy and praise, may these offerings spread your joy and love. Use them to bless those in need, to bring hope and peace, and to further your kingdom here on earth. In this season may we continue to glorify and praise you in all we do. In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.

Hearing and Responding to the Word

SCRIPTURE LESSON

Colossians 3:12-17

HYMN

"Jesus Loves Me"

UMH #191 (1st stanza only)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

Pam Campbell

Zak and Dakota's Camp Adventures

*GOSPEL LESSON

Luke 2:41-52

*AFFIRMATION

The word of God for the people of God

Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE

"Home in Plain Sight"

Pastor Mark Crist

PASTORAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Going into the World to Serve

*SENDING SONG

"Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee"

UMH #89

*BENEDICTION

*BENEDICTION RESPONSE

"The Lord Bless and Keep You"

TFWS #2280

POSTLUDE AND TAKING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST INTO THE WORLD

