

**Sermon: Missions in the Hands of a Gracious God**

Acts 14

Pastor Weyland Leach

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# The Heights Church

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*"We exist to joyfully surrender our lives to Jesus Christ through God's Word, together proclaiming the gospel to all peoples, for the glory of God."*

## Worship

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Sunday, May 6, 2018

### Gathering

*Indescribable*

*Story/Reeves*

### Welcome

### Praise & Adoration

*O For a Thousand Tongues*

*Wesley/Glaser, hymn #349*

*May the Peoples Praise You*

*Getty/Townend/Cash/Zimmer*

Scripture Reading

*Psalm 92:1-5, 40:3, 103:11-13*

*How Deep the Father's Love*

*Stuart Townend*

### Prayer of Thanksgiving

### Worship in Giving

*Restore My Soul*

*Andi Rozier*

### A Time of Silent Prayer

### Response

*Great Is Thy Faithfulness*

*Chisholm/Runyan, hymn #98*

### Word

*Missions in the Hands of a Gracious God*

Acts 14

*page 923 in pew Bible*

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### Communion

### Closing

*There Is a Fountain*

*William Cowper, hymn #263*

### Benediction

## Welcome!

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Welcome to The Heights Church! We are grateful that you are with us today as we gather together to make much of Jesus Christ. If you have any questions or would like to know more about our church **please fill out our Connection Card** located in the pews. It is our joy to serve you.

We love having families worship together in our service. We also understand that a child may become restless during a service. If needed, you are welcome to use our restless child room directly behind the sanctuary where the worship service can still be heard. We also have a **Nursing Mom's Room** across the hall from the sanctuary where you can listen to the worship service.

### This Week

#### Sunday, May 6

9:00am Sunday School (All Ages)  
10:15am Worship Service

#### Wednesday, May 9

7:00pm Men's Bible Study  
7:30pm Worship Team Rehearsal

#### Saturday, May 12

9:30am Women's Bible Study

#### Sunday, May 13

9:00am Sunday School (All Ages)  
10:15am Worship Service

### Attendance / Offering

Attendance last Sunday: 142

#### General Budget

Offering Given Last Sunday: \$6,147.74  
Weekly Budget Need: \$5,682.12

#### Fourth Quarter to Date Giving (QTD) (February 1–April 30, 2018)

Offering Given QTD: \$82,906.61  
Offering Need QTD: \$73,867.56

### Preaching Schedule

May 6 Pastor Weyland Leach  
May 13 Ken Lewis  
May 20 Pastor Weyland Leach

### Prayer Requests

Do you have a prayer request? It is our joy to pray for you. Please share your request via our prayer link at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org) or by contacting the church office at 651.776.0519.

### Baptism / Membership

Do you have questions about baptism or church membership? Please contact us at 651.776.0519 or [theheightschurch1@gmail.com](mailto:theheightschurch1@gmail.com).

### Sermon Audio

Audio of today's sermon will be available for streaming/download at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org) by this Tuesday. You can also request an audio CD of any sermon by contacting our church office.

### Mobile Giving

You can use your phone to give to The Heights Church. **Text "HEIGHTSMN" to 77977** to get a link to give a one-time or recurring offering.

When you send your text you will receive a one-time reply containing a link to give to The Heights Church (1msg/request). Please be aware that Msg & Data rates may apply. For full Terms & Conditions, please visit <https://pushpay.com/terms>. For the Privacy Policy, please visit <https://pushpay.com/privacy>. For help, reply HELP or STOP to cancel.

## Announcements

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visit us at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org)

### New Baby!

We praise God for the birth of Henry Donald Wyman born to Joseph and Keri on Thursday, May 3 (7 lbs. 9 oz.). Welcome baby Henry!

### Men's Bible Study - Wednesday, May 9, 7pm

### Women's Bible Study - Saturday, May 12, 9:30am

### Annual Members Meeting - Sunday, May 20

Join us for our annual covenant members' meeting on May 20, at 11:45am following our morning worship service. At this meeting we will be approving our annual budget for 2018–19. Please pick up a copy of the proposed budget at the information table today.

### Ultimate Goal Soccer Camp Scholarship

We want to encourage children ages 5–12 from The Heights Church to attend the Ultimate Goal Soccer Camp this summer (July 16–20) at the University of Northwestern Saint Paul. As mentioned in this morning's service, we are taking up a special offering through May 20, to help send kids to this camp. **If you would like to contribute to this scholarship**, please write "soccer" in the special designation portion of your offering envelope or give online at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org) (click the "Give" link at the top of our homepage). For more information about the camp please visit our information table or contact our church office.

### All-Church Summer Picnics in the Park

#### Wednesdays, June 6 & August 8

Join us this summer for two all-church picnics at Casey Lake Park in North Saint Paul. Our first picnic is Wednesday, June 6, from 5:30–8pm. All are welcome! For more details, visit us at [theheightschurchmn.org](http://theheightschurchmn.org).

### Benevolent Fund Giving

Our Benevolent Fund exists to help with the needs of those in our church family. Following the first service of each month, an opportunity to give toward this fund is provided at the back of the sanctuary. Please visit an usher and they will be glad to assist you.

### Serving One Another

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#### Today

Ushers: Katherine Facklam, Matt Taylor, Joe Groppoli  
Greeters: Russ Johnson  
Coffee: Duane & Peggy Roub

#### Next Sunday

Stephanie Facklam, Adam Physician  
Ron & Pat Conklin, Loren Johnson  
Carl & Alice Rogan

### Communion for May 6

Carl Schmuland, Carl Rogan, Ken Lewis, Adam Physician  
Set up: Dick & Nancey Johnson