

*If it is comfortable, please stand

Guests – thank you for joining us. We would love to connect with you!
Please fill out the Welcome side of the bulletin insert or use this QR code.



Prayer Request - If you have a prayer request, we encourage you to fill out the prayer request side of the insert and either give it to an usher or put it in the offering baskets.

GATHERING

PRELUDE (*Welcome One Another*)

LIGHT OF CHRIST COME INTO OUR MIDST

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

GRATITUDE *1 Thessalonians 5:18 (NIV)*
Lift up words of gratitude to God.

*OPENING HYMN ***Wonderful Words of Life*** UMH # 600

REFLECTION AND REPENTANCE *Proverbs 28:13 (NLT)*

PRAYER OF CONFESSION: **We confess that fear often guides us more than trust. We doubt your care when life feels uncertain. We rely on our own strength instead of your presence. We have not loved you with our whole heart, nor loved our neighbors as ourselves. Forgive us. Draw us deeper into faith, quiet our anxious hearts, and fill us with your peace. Amen.**

EXALT *Psalms 145:1, 3*

Jesus Messiah
Turn Your Eyes (Jesus to you We Lift our Eyes)

ASK Ephesians 6:3

Silent Prayer
Pastoral Prayer

Lord's Prayer

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

SONG ***Where Children Belong*** FWS # 2233

OUR TITHES, GIFTS, & OFFERINGS

We will be passing the offering plates, or you can leave your giving in the baskets at the back. Please scan the QR code to give your worship offering.



*DOXOLOGY UMH # 95

OFFERTORY PRAYER: **God of love, you invite us to go deeper this season of Lent, deeper in generosity, sacrifice, and care for others. We offer these gifts and our lives to you. Use them to share the love of Jesus in the world and shape us into more faithful disciples. Amen.**

TRUST *Isaiah 26:3-4*

*HEARING THE WORD OF GOD *Matthew 14:22-33*
Next Week: Luke 5:1-12

PRAYER: **Lord, Astonish us anew with your Word. Amen**

L: Word of God for the people of God,

C: Thanks be to God

MESSAGE *DEEPER* Pastor Trudy Hanke

HYMN ***His Name Is Wonderful*** UMH # 174

*BENEDICTION

*LIGHT OF CHRIST GOES OUT BEFORE US

*SENDING FORTH ***Surely the presence*** UMH # 328

POSTLUDE

Pastor- Pastor Trudy Hanke thanke@greatplainsumc.org cell phone: 308-940-0382
Church Secretary- Susan Marsh fumcyork@windstream.net church office: 402-362-4571 / 402-362-5479
Support Staff- Joni Powers **Parish Nurse-** Kristi Scheele
Organists- Pete Cordes & Sandra Quiring **Praise Team-** Laura McDougall & John Meister
Church Office Hours: Monday – Thursday- 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Friday- 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Leadership Board Members: Bill Lundy, chair; John Bennett, Wally Bryne, Pat Hotovy, Leo Kringle, Barry Redfern, Kristi Scheele, Jean Thiele, Sally Bailey, Lay Member to Annual Conference

The Church in Action

Tuesday	8:00 p.m.	NA Group- basement
Wednesday	10:00 a.m.	Wednesday Bible Study
	5:45 p.m.	Gathering & Praise
	6:00 p.m.	Sharing a Meal together
		Short Message Around the Table
Thursday	8:00 p.m.	NA Group- basement
Saturday	7:00 p.m.	NA Group- basement

Easter Egg Hunt – we can use candy to fill the eggs, small bite size.
Donations can be brought to the church by Sunday, March 22nd.

Items we are collecting for the **Hope Gospel Rescue Mission**

Sunday, March 8— Shine Time Supplies

30-gallon trash bags Dishwashing liquid
Disinfectant sprays and wipes

Sunday, March 15— Morning Motivation Bar

Coffee Creamer, non-perishable
Sugar (4 lb bags are preferred)

St. Patrick's Day Lunch
Sunday, March 15

Can you bring a side or dessert to share? There are signup sheets in the Welcome Area. The men would also appreciate a head count, which is also available on the sheets too.

Holding One Another In Prayer

Art & Ruth Roemmich	Lisa (Arbogast) Eilers	Steve Newman
Jackie Rath	Rod Smith	Glenda Jardine Family
		Joy Bay

Call or text Pastor Trudy 308-940-0382 or email her at thanke@greatplainsumc.org, with any prayer or visit request, or call the church office and leave a message with Susan for Pastor Trudy.



