



We would like to welcome everyone to our worship services today. We are honored that you have come to worship with us. For you who are visitors, I am Pastor Kevin Gingerich, and if I can assist you in any way, please let me know. You may call the church office at 324-4894, between the hours of 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday

A few things you should know as you worship with us: We have a nursery available during the Traditional and Modern Worship services for children ages 0 - 3 down the hall across from the restrooms by south entrance.

**Our Mission:**

*“To Glorify God By Making Disciples For Jesus Christ”*

**Our Vision:**

*“To open our hearts and doors to all people with love and acceptance; inviting them into a relationship with Christ, and each other; encouraging and empowering them as followers of Christ to love as He loved us; and sending them by the power of the Holy Spirit to live the word of God in our homes, community and world.”*

[Connect with SUMC Online:](#)

**Website:** [www.sheldonumc.org](http://www.sheldonumc.org)  
Audio and video sermons, bulletins, and newsletters are available on the church website.

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Mon 8:15-2:30 Tues-Fri 8:15-3:30

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Deadline for putting announcements in the bulletin is every Tuesday by noon. Newsletter information needs to be in the church office by the 21st of every month. The church phone number is 712-324-4894.

# Welcome to the Sheldon United Methodist Church



FAITH LIKE

*Having Faith Like Those Who Have Gone Before Us*

**Traditional Worship 8:30 am**  
**Modern Worship 11:00 am**

January 15, 2023

**506 8th Street, Sheldon, IA 51201**  
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**[sumc@nethtc.net](mailto:sumc@nethtc.net)**

## This Week at SUMC (01-15-01-22)

**Sun.** 8:30 AM Traditional (Bells)  
9:30 AM Fellowship  
9:45 AM Sunday School  
11:00 AM Modern

**Mon.** 8:00 PM Youth Bible Study  
5-6:30 PM Community Meal  
7:30 PM Youth Committee

**Tues.** 9:00 AM Village  
11:00 AM Staff  
3:30-5:00 PM 3/4 Kids club

**Wed.** 9:00 AM Bible Study  
3:30-5:00 PM Confirmation  
5:00 PM Bells  
5:00-6:30 PM JR high IMPACT  
6:30 PM Missions  
7:00 PM AD Board  
8:00-9:30 PM IMPACT

**Thurs.** 3:30-5:00 PM 5/6 Kids Club  
6:00 PM Love INC

**Fri.**

**Sat.** 11:00-4:00 PM Reserved- fellowship hall, kitchen, & gym

**Sun.** 8:30 AM Traditional  
9:30 AM Fellowship  
9:45 AM Sunday School  
11:00 AM Modern  
8:00 PM Youth Bible Study

## Areas of Service

### January

#### Liturgist:

Jan 15- Matt Rusche  
Jan 22- Barb Merley  
Jan 29- Ashley Hoogland

#### Coffee Bar Clean up:

Jan 15- Henry & Carolyn D  
Jan 22- Melissa D  
Jan 29- Michelle G

#### Worship Leader:

Jan 15- Ardis Grein  
Jan 22- Bill Boscaljon  
Jan 29- Ardis Grein

#### 8:30 AM Greeters:

Jan 15- Julie Brink  
Jan 22- Jerry & Bev K  
Jan 29- Steve Fowler

#### 11:00 AM Greeters:

Jan 15- Tony & Deb H  
Jan 22- Henry & Caroline D  
Jan 29- George & Melissa D

#### 11:00 AM Acolyte

Jan 15- Jane H/ Tallulah N  
Jan 22- Dax N/ Parker L  
Jan 29- Kendalyn S/ Sierra G

## Prayer List:

Otto Lawson Derick Roos Rita Sterler  
Bob Sterler Carla Hoffmann  
Gloria Morris Arlene Sterler Ron Noack  
Wilma Meinecke Patsy Zoet  
Jo Anne Fowler (mother of Steve Fowler)  
Elaine & Jim Ver Meer (sister & brother-in-law of Peter & Peter and Karin Vanden Berg)  
Stephanie Fowler (Daughter of Steve & Bernadette Fowler)  
Kay Ver Steeg (sister to Michelle Groen & Melissa Davis)  
Connie Matoffe (sister of Pam Buysman)  
Richard "Dick" Burns- Brother in law of Marcia Wassenaar

Kiwa sponsorship ministry form for 2023 is out and on the friendship center please be sure to sign up and say who in honor or memory your sponsorship is for.



Children's Sunday school is gearing up for our special mission project this year. We are collecting items for the EMS/Fire Fighters/ Police/Ambulance. We would like your help in collecting these items to help care for those who care for others. They are simple items that will help to bless them as they go around helping others.

List of things to collect:

Chapstick	Nuts
lotion	Gum
Tissues	Mints
Cough drops	Activity books
Advil	Car air fresheners
Multi vitamins	Water bottles
Sports drinks	Crystal light singles
Flavored water	Single snacks
Candy	Casey's Gift cards
Granola bars	Fast food gift cards
Trail mix	Single use glove warmers

Buckets will be placed in the friendship center for donated items to be placed in!



KIWA is a ministry service to our community that airs the worship at 11:00 a.m. each week. There is no sponsorship for this week.

This week's scripture's are:  
**Genesis 5:18-27**  
**Hebrews 11:5-6**



## CONFIRMATION / JUNIOR HIGH IMPACT TIME CHANGES

BECAUSE THE BEAUTIFUL, YET DANGEROUS SNOW CAUSED SO MANY CLOSINGS THE SCHOOL WILL NOT BE HAVING THE WEDNESDAY EARLY DISMISSALS ANY LONGER. SO STARTING ON JANUARY 18TH WE WILL BE MOVING THE START TIMES OF CONFIRMATION TO 3:30-5:00 PM AND JR. HIGH IMPACT WILL MOVE TO 5:00-6:30. THANKS FOR BEING FLEXIBLE!

## CAMP

After all these storms, it's a good time to look forward to summer camp! New adventures await your kids at camp this year. If you have attended Lake Okoboji United Methodist Camps in the past, you have already received their camp brochure for this summer. If you are looking for an alternative camp, we have brochures and catalogs from Ingham Okoboji Lutheran Bible Camps. I have spent several months investigating camps in Iowa and have found this one to most closely match our hopes. I welcome a conversation with any parents about this camp and why I chose to offer it to our church members. The summer camp programs are held at Lake Ingham, only about an hour and a half from Sheldon. Please catch me at church on a Sunday, give me a call at 712-230-0193, or send me an email at [slk@nethtc.net](mailto:slk@nethtc.net) if you want to talk about this camp. Brochures on the friendship center!

Susan Klein

# Sheldon United Methodist Church

## 8:30 Traditional Service

January 15, 2023

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Prelude & Lighting of Candles                      Wil George

Words of Welcome                      Rev. Kevin Gingerich

Special Music– Bells

**\*\*Call To Worship**

Leader: Let us gather together with courage in the  
Lord!

People: For the days are long and at times our faith  
seems so weak.

Leader: Let our hearts focus on Christ and let us be  
bold where we walk.

People: For in Christ all things are possible for those  
who have faith.

Leader: Then let us lift our voices in song and praise  
for God's Grace!

**\*\*Hymn #577 “God of Grace and God of Glory”**

Scripture Reading Genesis 5:18-27

Children’s Message                      Noisy Offering

Silent Prayers

Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer (Hymnal #895)

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 trespasses, as we forgive those  
who trespass against us. And  
lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the  
kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering

**\*\*Hymn #600 “Wonderful Words of Life ”**

**\*\*Doxology (Hymn #95)**

Scripture: Hebrews 11:5-6

Sermon: “Faith Like Enoch”

**\*\*Hymn #140 “Great Is Thy Faithfulness”**

**\*\*Closing Prayer**

**\*All who are able are invited to stand.**

Next Week: sermon series “Faith Like ...”

January 22

Scripture: Genesis 6:13-22, Hebrews 11:7

Sermon: “Faith Like Noah”