

We would like to welcome everyone to our worship services today. We are honored that you have come to worship with us. For those 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 8:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. We have a nursery available during the Traditional and Modern Worship services for children ages 0 - 3. It is

located 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 us Online:

Website: sheldonfaith.org

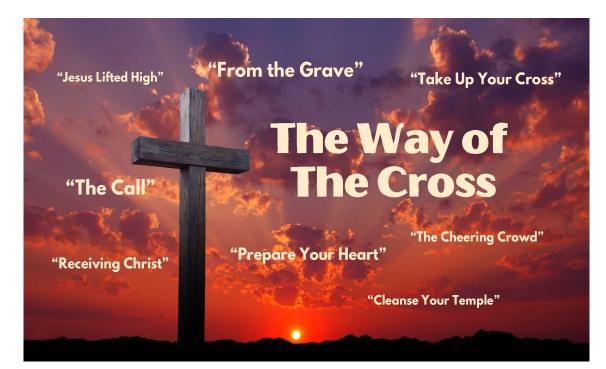
Audio and video sermons, bulletins, and newsletters are available on the church website.

Facebook: Faith Community Church Of Sheldon

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Welcome to Faith Community Church



8:30 AM Traditional Service 11:00 AM Modern Service

March 17, 2024

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This Week at Faith Community Church

March 17-24. 2024

Sun. 8:30 AM Traditional Service 9:30 AM Fellowship 9:40 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Modern Service 2:00 PM Set up for Pancake Supper

Mon. 4:30-7:00 PM Pancake Supper

Tues. 9:00 AM Staff

3:30-5:00 PM 3rd & 4th grade Kids Club (last Day)

Wed. 9:30-11:00 Mom to Mom 2:30-4:00 PM Confirmation 4:00-5:30 PM Jr. High IMPACT 5:00 PM Bells 6:30 PM One Board 8:00-9:30 PM Sr. High IMPACT

Thus. 9:30 AM Quilters

3:30-5:00 PM 5th & 6th grade Kids Club (last Day) 5:30 PM Love INC.

Fri.

Sat. 11:00-1:00 PM Cooking Connections

Sun. 8:30 AM Traditional Service 9:30 AM Youth Omelet Breakfast 9:40 AM Sunday School 11:00 AM Modern Service

This week's scriptures are: John 3:1-17 & John 12:20-36



KIWA is a ministry service to our community that airs the worship at 11:00 AM each week. This week our sponsor is anonymous in honor of spring.

There is a suit coat that is hanging on the coat rack in the office. If you are missing one its probably here!

Areas of Service for March

Coffee Bar Clean up:

17. Heath & Rosa Koerselman 24. Henry & Carolyn Dykstra 31. Tony & Deb Haning

8:30 AM Greeters:

17. Gerald K & Amber Mc 24. Jerry & Bev K 31. Fred & Ardis G

11:00 AM Greeters:

17. Henry & Carolyn Dykstra 24. Jason & Amanda Noteboom 31. Sandy BL

8:30 Am Acolvte:

17. Eli B & Bo H 24. Kyler & Kenzie Mc 31. Jack B & Tyler H

Song Leader: 17. Bill B 24. Bill B 31. Ardis G

11:00 AM Acolyte: 17. Keegan A & Oliver G

24. Carter K & Aubrie K 31. Stella M & Levi M

Anyone able to help set up for the pancake supper please be here at 2:00 PM today. Many hands make light work.

Dinner Together

Dinner Together Sign-up sheet is on the Friendship Center! Sign up to join us in a large group meal on April 5 at 6:00pm. We will meet our new small groups, enjoy a meal together as a large group, and get to know each other a little better. A small commitment for such a large reward!

..... Kids Bell Practice

Today! All Sunday school children 3 years old through 6th grade will be dismissed to the choir room during sermon time at both services to practice bells for Palm Sunday.

Praver List:

Otto Lawson Derick Roos Gloria Morris Kelly De Boef (daughter of Rick & Pam Kobbe) Jo Anne Fowler (mother of Steve Fowler)

Donna Whitfield (mother of Michelle Noack)

Bonnie Baartman **Duane Wahlstrom** Eli Sims (grandson of Rich Haack)

Kimberly Powell (daughter of Karin and Peter Vanden Berg) Sheila Lienau (sister of Karin Vanden Berg) Sue Radke (mother of Matt & Jody Radke)

Bill & Sandy Hegna (sister and brother in law of Karin Vanden Berg)

Stephanie Fowler (daughter of Steve & Bernadette Fowler)

Conquering Cancer 4 O'Brien County Upcoming Events: Easter Bake Sale at Hy-Vee Saturday, March 23, 9:00 AM-Noon

Tip Night Sheldon Pizza Ranch, Monday, March 25, 5:00-8:00 PM

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Faith Community Church's Annual Pancake Supper March 18, 4:30-7:00 PM All proceeds go to camp fund to pay

half the tuition for children to go to camp.

Knights of Columbus Annual Fish Fry Friday, March 22, 5:00-7:00 PM Free will donation Proceeds will go to Sheldon Ministerial Fund

Adopt a VBS craft!

We are so thankful for all the crafts that have been returned already. There are still some fun ones to make (we need lots)!

Sheldon Area Unity Meal is Monday, March 18, 5:30-6:30 PM at Living Water Community Church. All attendees are welcome to pickup a bag of groceries to take home.

The Village Treasure Chest store is looking for volunteers. Contact Averey Den Hartog, Volunteer **Coordinator Marketing & Development** Assistant at Village Northwest Unlimited 324-5412.

Palm Sunday

- The children will be ringing and singing at the end of first service and the beginning of the second service.
- The youth's annual omelet breakfast 9:30-10:45 AM
- There will be Sunday School between services. The kids will have a lesson on Holy Week and Prayer while working on some surprise crafts.



- Maundy Thursday service, March 28-7:00 PM
- Good Friday service March 29-8:00 PM
- Easter Sunrise service- 6:30 AM with a light breakfast to follow
- Easter services at 8:30 and 11:00 AM
- No Sunday School on Easter Sunday





Liturgist: 17. Ashlev N 24. Matt Ř 31. Steve F

Faith Community Church 8:30 AM Service

March 17, 2024

5th Sunday of Lent

Prelude/Lighting of Candles Pam Kobbe

Words of Welcome Rev. Kevin Gingerich

Introit: "Meditations on the Cross" Bells

**Call To Worship

Leader: Blessed be the Lord to whom all wisdom and might belong!

People: Only as we yield our lives before the Lord will we truly be servants.

Leader: For only as we live for Christ daily do we find genuine life itself.

People: We have joy in our hearts as we seek each day to serve the Lord.

Leader: For great is the Lord and greatly is God to be praised!

**Hymn #465 "Lord, Be Glorified"

Scripture: John 3:1-17

Children's Message

Noisy Offering

Silent Prayers Pastoral Prayer Lord's Prayer 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 #264 "In The Cross of Christ I Glory"

**Doxology (Hymn #34)

Scripture: John 12:20-36

Sermon: "Jesus Lifted High"

**Hymn #261 "When I Survey the Wondrous Cross"

******Closing Prayer

**All who are able are invited to stand.

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Next Week: "The Way of The Cross…" March 24 Palm Sunday/6th Sunday of Lent Scripture: Mark 11:1-11 Sermon: "The Cheering Crowd"