

10:30am “Good News” Worship Service

WELCOME

PRAISE SINGING “Day of Victory” Good News Worship Team
 “The Lord’s Prayer”
 Time of Prayer
 “Made for More”

GREETING & MEMORY VERSE

SKIT “Why Did You Buy That?” Cooper Hull & Friends

KIDS RELEASED TO CHILDREN’S CHURCH
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OFFERING

SCRIPTURE Ephesians 4:17-32

MESSAGE Why Do You Buy That? “End with Forgiveness” Pastor David

PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC “Where Forgiveness Is” Bob Kanzelman

ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE

BLESSING & CLOSING MUSIC

Memory Verse:
“If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and cleanse us from everything we’ve done wrong.” -1 John 1:9

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Welcome to
Evangel United Methodist Church!

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October 19, 2025

Wherever you are on your journey, you are welcome here!

8:30am Traditional Worship Service		
GATHERING	“I Believe for Every Drop of Rain that Falls”	Frankie Lane
PRELUDE	“Precious Lord Take My Hand”	Thomas A. Dorsey
WELCOME		
*OPENING HYMN	“Rise, Shine, You People”	<i>UMH</i> #186 (vs. 1-4)
*MEMORY VERSE		
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SCRIPTURE	Ephesians 4:17-32	
MESSAGE	Why Do You Buy That? “End with Forgiveness”	Pastor David
MESSAGE SONG	“Forgive Our Sins as We Forgive”	<i>UMH</i> #390 (vs. 1-4)
PRAYERS & THE LORD’S PRAYER (“using sins”)		<i>UMH</i> #895
OFFERING		
CHOIR ANTHEM	“Lead Me Back”	Pepper Choplin
*DOXOLOGY	“Glory Be to the Father”	<i>UMH</i> #71
*OFFERTORY PRAYER		
*CLOSING HYMN	“God, How Can We Forgive”	<i>TFWS</i> #2169 (vs. 1-3)
*ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE		
*THE BENEDICTION		
*POSTLUDE	“The Little Brown Church In the Vale”	William S. Pitts
*Invited to stand. Feel free to stand or sit, as you are able or prefer.		
Rev. Dr. David Werner, Pastor		Mike Aakre, Office Administrator
Jim Klepper, Director of Connections & Growth		Stephanie Mettler, Youth Director
Clancy Craven, Assoc. Director of Connections & Growth		Pam Wright, Choir Director
Fant Steele, Media Technology Coordinator		Tom Burson, Organist

This Week’s Schedule	
	<u>Sunday, October 19</u>
	Unidos en Cristo until 7pm
9:30am	Sunday School & Drop-In classes (see announcement)
10:30am	“Good News” Contemporary Service
	<u>Monday, October 20</u>
1:00pm	Sewing Circle (Room 223)
6:30pm	Church Council (Room 224)
	<u>Wednesday, October 22</u>
5:00pm	Nominations Team (Room 128)
5:00pm	Wednesday Night Meal (Dinette)
6:15pm	Board Games (Lobby)
6:15pm	Confirmation (Pastor David’s Office)
6:15pm	Praise Team (Sanctuary)
7:30pm	Handbell practice (Room 223)
	<u>Thursday, October 23</u>
9:00am	Bible Storytime (Children’s Library)
10:00am	Grief Support Group at Redeemer Church
1:00pm	Women’s Gathering (Lobby)
6:00pm	Ten Women of the Bible (Room 224)
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7:00pm	Choir practice (Sanctuary)
	<u>Friday, October 24</u>
11:00am	Older Folders (Fireside Room)
7:00pm	Youth Group
	<u>Saturday, October 25</u>
10:00am	Jim Gregoire Celebration of Life
	<u>Sunday, October 26</u>
8:15am	Prayer for Worship
8:30am	Traditional Worship
9:30am	Sunday School & Drop In classes
10:30am	“Good News” Contemporary Service
2:00pm	Trunk or Treat
Upcoming events, holidays & special Sundays:	
Sat., Nov. 1	Rummage Sale
Sun., Nov. 2	All Saints Sunday & Daylight Savings
Nov. 7–9	Yours Faithfully Women’s Retreat (Koronis Ministries)
Tues., Nov. 11	Veteran’s Day
Thurs., Nov. 12	Weathering the Storm Mental Health Forum
Sun., Nov. 16	Church Conference

**For a complete schedule of all building/non-Evangel activities, visit www.evangelum.org > About > Calendar*

Announcements

Message Next Sunday – Why Do You Buy That? “Acting Out”

Jesus-followers don’t just sit around all day enjoying their personal relationship with Jesus. They do that while “on the road.” We live out our faith as we go and do. This Sunday we’ll learn how the Methodist Method includes growing by doing, or, put with a cliché, practice makes perfect! Teaser: There will also be treats!

Sunday School Room Changes for Today

To accommodate the Unidos en Cristo retreat (going until 6pm tonight) there have been a couple changes to the Sunday School rooms this morning:

- Drop-In class (originally in Room 223) will meet in the Lobby.
- Upper Room Study Group (originally in the Fireside Room) will meet in Room 128 (lower level).

Thank you for your hospitality!

Get Your Costume on and Volunteer for this Year’s Trunk or Treat Next Sunday! We Need You!

Sunday, October 26 from 2pm – 4pm

We need volunteers to reach our children and neighborhood. Here’s how you can make this year’s Trunk-or-Treat a success:

- Provide candy: drop off in the box in the lobby during October
- Provide a decorated trunk to distribute candy. Our goal is 50 trunks!
- Prepare food for the free meal
- Run the cotton candy or popcorn machine
- Serve ice cream
- Help with take down of event

Sign up online, in the lobby or fill out the volunteer form in the October newsletter.

Evangel’s 32nd Annual Rummage Sale, Book Sale & Youth Café Fundraiser

Saturday, November 1 from 8am–2pm

We’re looking for volunteers for one of Evangel’s biggest events of the year! If you volunteer, you get to shop early! Sign up in the lobby, online, or via newsletter/midweek links.

Drop off times and locations:

- Rummage Sale items: Dinette, Sun., Oct. 26 – Thurs , Oct. 30.
- Books: Room 132, Sun. Oct. 26 – Thurs, Oct. 30.
- Baked goods for Youth Café: Fireside Room, Thurs (evening), Oct. 30 – Fri., Oct. 31 (by 7pm).

The proceeds from the Rummage Sale will go towards Evangel’s Connection and Growth Ministries. Check out the October newsletter (online or at the Information Center) for drop off times & locations.

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Evangel’s Culture of Hospitality: It’s Up to YOU!

We all play a part in making Evangel a welcoming and loving place. Here’s how you can help create a culture of hospitality each Sunday:

- Wear a name tag (available at the Welcome Center).
- Sit by someone new — change it up!
- After worship, spend 3 minutes greeting those nearby.
- Take 10 minutes to connect with someone you don’t know well.
- Mingle in the lobby before/after service — engage those who are alone.
- Introduce people to others before you walk away.
- “Practice hospitality.” – Romans 12:13b

Say It with Flowers

Flowers today is in celebration of Jim & Pat Cooper's 62nd wedding anniversary. Congratulations!

Prayer Concerns

- Bill Brueck, former member of Evangel, passed away suddenly. His funeral service is at Kasson Methodist tomorrow at 11am.
- Lynda Laechel was hospitalized due to low oxygen levels and underwent a procedure on Wednesday to repair a hole in her heart.
- Barb Schroeder is on hospice care.
- Marsha Woolums is pausing chemotherapy for 3 weeks in order to treat a subsequent infection.

Continued Prayers

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| • Julia Walters - College student | • Marilyn Bastian – Mobility issues |
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| • Rockelle Warner – Mobility issues | • Wayne Blagsvedt – Mobility issues |
| • Marsha Woolums – Cancer treatments | • June Boettcher – Mobility issues |
| • Sarah Ahern - College student | • Jeff Copeman – Memory issues |
| • Dianne Andersen – Mobility issues | • Sharon Copeman – Memory issues |

Message Notes