

10:30 a.m. “Good News” Worship Service

WELCOME

PRAISE SINGING & PRAYER	“Great Things” “This Is Our God” Time of Prayer “God and King”	“Good News” Worship Team
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GREETING & MEMORY VERSE

OFFERING	“Take My Life”	“Good News” Worship Team
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CHILDREN’S MOMENT	“Giving Our All”	Jim Klepper
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KIDS RELEASED TO CHILDREN’S CHURCH
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SCRIPTURE	Philippians 4:11-12	Roger Erickson
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MESSAGE	More Than Enough: “The Secret of Happiness”
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PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC	“If Not for Grace”	Jim Klepper & Tom Burson
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STEWARDSHIP MOMENT	Mark Homard & Wayne Walters
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ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE

BLESSING & CLOSING MUSIC

Memory Verse

“Give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.” -1 Thess. 5:18

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November 19th, 2023

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

8:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service

GATHERING	“This Is My Song”	Jean Sibelius
PRELUDE	“For the Beauty of the Earth”	William Dix
WELCOME		
*OPENING HYMN	“For the Beauty of the Earth”	UMH#92 (vs.1,3,4,6)
*MEMORY VERSE		
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SCRIPTURE	Philippians 4:11-12	Roger Erickson
MESSAGE	More Than Enough: “The Secret of Happiness”	
MESSAGE HYMN	“Joy to the World”	UMH#246 (vs.1-2)
PRAYER & THE LORD’S PRAYER		
STEWARDSHIP MOMENT		Mark Homard & Wayne Walters
OFFERING		
ANTHEM	“O Praise the Lord”	George Brandon
*DOXOLOGY	“Glory Be to the Father”	UMH#71
*CLOSING HYMN	“Now Thank We All Our God”	UMH#102 (vs.1-2)
*ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE		
*THE BENEDICTION		
POSTLUDE	“Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken”	Franz Joseph Haydn

*Invited to stand. Feel free to stand or sit, as you are able or prefer.

Rev. Dr. David Werner, Pastor	Mike Aakre, Office Manager
Jim Klepper, Christian Education Director	Tom Burson, Organist
Clancy Craven, Associate of Christian Education	Pam Wright, Choir Director

This Week’s Schedule

	<u>Sunday, November 19th</u>
11:45 a.m.	Church Conference (sanctuary)
	<u>Monday, November 20th</u>
10:00 a.m.	Visitation for David Zebaugh
11:00 a.m.	Funeral service for David Zebaugh
1:00 p.m.	Sewing Circle (room 224)
	<u>Tuesday, November 21st</u>
6:15 p.m.	Praise Team (sanctuary)
	<u>Wednesday, November 22nd</u>
11:00 a.m.	Older Folders (room 221)
	<u>Thursday, November 23rd</u>
	Thanksgiving
	Office closed
	<u>Friday, November 24th</u>
	Office closed
	<u>Sunday, November 26th</u>
	UMC Student Day
8:15 a.m.	Prayer for Worship
8:30 a.m.	Traditional Worship
9:30 a.m.	Sunday School for all ages
10:15 a.m.	Prayer for Worship
10:30 a.m.	“Good News” Contemporary Service

Upcoming events, holidays & special Sundays:
Sun., Nov. 26th The Giving Tree begins
Sun., Dec. 3rd 1st Sunday of Advent
Sun., Dec. 10th Intergenerational Christmas Program

Schedule Changes for the Week November 20th – 24th
Older Folders will meet on Wed., Nov. 22nd at 11:00 a.m. in room 221 to assemble the Sunday bulletin. All other classes and activities scheduled for that day are cancelled to allow folks time to travel and spend time with their families this Thanksgiving. The office will also be closed on Fri., Nov. 24th. The normal Wednesday schedule will resume on Nov. 28th. Happy Thanksgiving!

Announcements

Room 128 is Clean & Ready for Use

The trustees have been hard at work! Dale & Sandy Larsen’s Sunday school class “The Story of Scripture” will now be in room 128 (room at the base of the stairs from the coat room) on Sun. mornings at 9:30 a.m.

Church Conference Today after the 2nd Service

Once a year our church convenes a Church Conference to review the ministry of our church over the past year and to set the vision for the upcoming year. Everyone is invited to attend and everyone has a voice. Professing members have a vote. The agenda will be the annual Church Conference reports, the 2024 church budget and setting the direction of vision for our church going forward.

Message Next Sunday

Thanksgiving Sunday we’ll experience the meaning of gratefulness lived out-loud in a fresh revival of the soul. We’ll incorporate all of our senses, most importantly the sixth sense, that which is enlightenment through the works of the Spirit. I excitedly acclaim YOU as the guest of honor, for the Spirit lives in us. Worship will be a multi-sensory panorama of the Holy Spirit exhibited through your own heart’s-song in a veneration of God’s Glory!

Poinsettia’s for Christmas

White poinsettias will be used to decorate the inside of our church this holiday season. If you would like to purchase a plant, please fill out the order form found in the Nov. newsletter or at the Welcome Desk. Deadline is tomorrow.

The Giving Tree Begins Sunday, November 26th!

Let’s help those families who are struggling this holiday season by providing them with a gift from the Giving Tree! Starting Sun., Nov. 26th, take a tag off the gift tree located in the lobby, purchase the gift, wrap it with the tag on top and place it under the tree. You can also visit www.evangelum.org and follow the instructions on how to purchase online. If all tags are taken you can bring an unwrapped toy, scarf, mittens, socks, or gloves to hang on the tree to be donated to the Women’s Shelter or Christmas Anonymous. Gifts need to be returned by Sun., Dec. 10th.

United Methodist Student Day Sunday Offering is on November. 26th

Our church is receiving this special offering again this year to support scholarships and loans to UM students going to college and beyond. Evangel students have received scholarships from this fund again this year. All UM college students are eligible to apply. Give online at www.evangelum.org.

Sign Up to Light the Advent Candle This Season

The Season of Advent is almost here! Individuals and families are encouraged to participate in a Sunday morning service between Dec. 3rd through Dec. 24th to light the Advent candle. Join in to celebrate the birth of our Savior! Sign up online or email the church office.

Evangel Children’s Intergenerational Christmas Program on December 10th from 11:30 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.

An “all church” brunch will take place at 11:30 a.m. in the multipurpose room followed by a pantomime of the Christmas Story in the sanctuary. After the program, join in to sing Christmas carols, decorate cookies, and storytelling.

Chairs in Room 224 Purchased as Memorial

Upgraded chairs were purchased for room 224 to replace the worn chairs in that room. The chairs were purchased with funds given in memory of Marge Mehring and JoAnne Hebrink. They were both faithful members of the Sewing Circle, who use the chairs each week. Of course the chairs will "support" ministry by all those who use room 224!

Prayer Concerns

- Marilyn Bastian is struggling with pain in her left knee, hip and back.
- Wayne Bastian is in hospice care.
- Gary Hebrink had a fourth chemotherapy-style treatment for his kidney vasculitis.
- Jeva Kennedy is responding well to antibiotics and infections are improving.
- Jim Hulsebus continues to recover from hip surgery.
- Amy Neveau has been diagnosed with invasive ductal carcinoma and is seeking treatment plans.
- Becky Pierce will have colon surgery on Nov. 27th.
- Randy Rieken will start a new cancer treatment.
- Chuck Schneider is in the short-term rehab at Charter House after a week at St Mary's.
- Barb Schroeder finished her chemotherapy on Nov. 3rd.
- Doreen Spear is in rehab at Samaritan Bethany.
- Michael Stelck is in remission from non-Hodgkin’s lymphoma.
- Jane Vaaler’s father, Kent, is seeking treatment for high blood pressure and preliminary diagnosis of leukemia.
- Jean Vrieze is struggling with shingles.
- Rockelle Warner has a procedure on Monday, hoping to bring knee relief.
- Marsha Woolums cancer is under control.
- David Zebaugh passed away on Nov. 13th. A funeral service will be on Mon., Nov. 20th at Evangel.

Continued Prayers

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| • Payton Evans – College student | • Janet Hoar – Mobility issues |
| • Elois Fanning – Mobility issues | • Jim Huslebus – Memory and mobility issues |
| • Dale Fiek – Memory and mobility issues | • Paula Jackson – Mobility issues |
| • Ruth Fiek – Memory and mobility issues | • Stan Johnson – Pulmonary fibrosis |
| • Sylvia Fishel – Multiple health issues | • Jeva Kennedy – Autoimmune Disorder |

Message Notes