

8:49 a.m. “Good News” Worship Service

“...then from heaven, your dwelling place, [God will] hear their prayer and their plea, and uphold their cause.”  
1 Kings 8:49

PRAISE SINGING & PRAYER      “Burning in My Soul”      “Good News” Worship Team  
Time of Prayer  
“The Lord’s Prayer” (It’s Yours)

GREETING & MEMORY VERSE

FAITH SHARING VIDEO      Mega Kids Camp

COMMISSIONING OF THE YOUTH MISSION TRIP

OFFERING      “As It Is in Heaven”      “Good News” Worship Team

KIDS RELEASED TO CHILDREN’S CHURCH

SCRIPTURE      Revelation 3:1-6

MESSAGE      “Treasure Rocks: Petrified Christians”

PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC      “Heart of God”      Kahn Evans

ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE

BLESSING & CLOSING MUSIC

Memory Verse

“Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me.” -Psalm 51:10

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July 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023

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

10:30 a.m. Traditional Worship Service

GATHERING	“Lift Every Voice and Sing”	James Weldon Johnson
PRELUDE	“We Are One in the Spirit"	Peter Scholtes
WELCOME		
*OPENING HYMN	“Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies”	UMH#173 (vs. 1-3)
*MEMORY VERSE		
SCRIPTURE	Revelation 3:1-6	
MESSAGE	“Petrified Christians”	
MESSAGE SONG	“Create in Me a Clean Heart, oh God”	by Keith Green (sung twice)
COMMISIONING OF YOUTH MISSION TRIP		
PRAYERS & THE LORD’S PRAYER		
THE OFFERING		
FAITH SHARING VIDEO		Mega Kids Camp
*DOXOLOGY	“Glory Be to the Father”	UMH#71
*OFFERTORY PRAYER		
*CLOSING HYMN	“Nothing Between My Soul and My Savior”	UMH#373 (vs. 1,2,4)
*ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE		
*THE BENEDICTION		
POSTLUDE	“Joyful, Joyful We Adore Thee”	Ludwig von Beethoven

\*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

1:00 p.m.	<u>Monday, July 24<sup>th</sup></u> Sewing Circle (room 224)
5:00 p.m. 6:15 p.m.	<u>Tuesday, July 25<sup>th</sup></u> Lay Leadership/Nominations Team (Pastor David’s home) Praise Team (Sanctuary)
6:00 p.m.	<u>Wednesday, July 26<sup>th</sup></u> Connect Group Design Team (room 224)
1:00 p.m. 6:30 p.m.	<u>Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup></u> Women’s Gathering (lobby) Take a Hike at Quarry Hill
11:00 a.m.	<u>Friday, July 28<sup>th</sup></u> Older Folders (room 221)
8:30 a.m. 8:49 a.m. 9:10 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 10:30 a.m. 11:30 a.m.	<u>Sunday, July 30<sup>th</sup></u> Prayer for Worship (everyone welcome) “Good News” Contemporary Service Children’s Church (room 225) Traditional Service Children’s Church (room 225) Hospitality Team (room 221)

Upcoming Events, Holidays & Special Sundays  
Sunday, August 6<sup>th</sup> Youth Mission Trip Sunday

Announcements

Intercessory Prayers on Sunday Mornings

Members of the intercessory prayer team are available in the front row following each worship service to pray with anyone who would like individual prayers.

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Women’s 2<sup>nd</sup> Summer Gathering

All women of Evangel Church are invited! We had a great time together in June and look forward to coming together again for a time of devotions, fellowship, and sharing on Thursday, July 27<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 p.m. in the Lobby. Contact Becky Pierce at 507-289-6802 with any questions.

Prayer Concerns

- Myrna Kroening will have an aortic valve replacement on Thur., July 27<sup>th</sup>.
- Dave Laechel is back home after hospitalization over the 4<sup>th</sup> of July.
- Tim Morgan passed away on Sun., July 9<sup>th</sup>. A Celebration of Life was on Sat., July 15<sup>th</sup>.
- Sherry Perry’s son, Tony, was diagnosed with bone cancer on his jaw.
- Michael Stelck is undergoing cancer treatment for a tumor on his spleen.
- Marsha Woolums will begin an oral treatment for lung cancer.

Continued Prayers

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| • Lane McDonough – College student     | • Randy Rieken – metastasized lung cancer          |
| • Sean McDonough – College student     | • Lorene Robinett – Mobility issues                |
| • Ruth Ann Miles – Parkinson’s disease | • Charles Schneider – Leukemia and mobility issues |
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