

10:30am Contemporary Service

WELCOME

PRAISE SINGING

"As It Is in Heaven"

Good News Worship Team

"Holy Forever"

Time of Prayer

"King of Kings"

GREETING & MEMORY VERSE

CHILDREN INVITED TO CHILDREN'S CHURCH

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OFFERING

SCRIPTURE

Revelation 7: 4, 9-7

MESSAGE

"Heaven: Awesome Worship!"

Pastor David

PRAISE SONG

"Made for More"

Good News Worship Team

ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE

BLESSING

CLOSING MUSIC

Memory Verse

*"Amen! Praise and glory and wisdom and thanks and honor and power and strength
be to our God for ever and ever. Amen!" -Rev. 7:12*

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Welcome to
Evangel United Methodist Church!

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August 9, 2026

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

8:30am Traditional Service		
GATHERING	“Pange Lingua”	Thomas Aquinas
PRELUDE	“For All the Saints”	Ralph Vaughan Williams
WELCOME		
*OPENING HYMN	“Joy in the Morning”	<i>TFWS#2284</i> (vs. 1-3)
*MEMORY VERSE		
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MESSAGE	“Heaven: Awesome Worship!”	Pastor David
MESSAGE SONG	“Amazing Grace”	<i>UMH#378</i> (vs. 1,4,5,6)
PRAYERS & THE LORD’S PRAYER (“sins”)		<i>UMH#894</i>
OFFERING		
*DOXOLOGY	“When We All Get to Heaven”	<i>UMH#701</i> (vs.1)
*OFFERTORY PRAYER		
*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH FROM ROMANS 8		<i>UMH#887</i>
*CLOSING SONG	“Sing with All the Saints in Glory”	<i>UMH#702</i> (vs. 1,2,4)
*ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE		
*THE BENEDICTION		
*POSTLUDE	“When the Saints Go Marching In”	Spiritual
*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	
Sunday, August 9	
8:15am	Prayer for Worship
8:30am	Traditional Worship Service Children’s Church (during service)
9:30am	Upper Room Bible Study (Fireside Room)
9:30am	Drop-In class (Room 223)
10:30am	Contemporary Worship Service Children’s Church (during service)
Monday, August 10	
1:00pm	Sewing Circle
4:30pm	Connections & Growth Team (the Klepper home)
4:30pm	Connect Group Design Team (Fireside Room)
Tuesday, August 11	
6:15pm	Good News Praise Team practice (Sanctuary)
7:00pm	Trustees (Fireside Room)
Wednesday, August 12	
4:00pm	Missions Team (Fireside Room)
5:00pm	LLMT Nominations Team (Room 223)
5:30pm	Celebrate & Sing (Dinette & Sanctuary)
Thursday, August 13	
6:00pm	Meal hosting at Dorothy Day House
Friday, August 14	
11:00am	Older Folders (Fireside Room)
Saturday, August 15	
4:00pm	Memorial service for Thomas Adams (visitation at 3pm, dinner at 5pm in the Multi-purpose Room)
Sunday, August 16	
8:15am	Prayer for Worship
8:30am	Traditional Worship Service Children’s Church (during service)
9:30am	Upper Room Bible Study (Fireside Room)
9:30am	Drop-In class (Room 223)
10:30am	Contemporary Worship Service Children’s Church (during service)
11:45am	Hospitality Team (Fireside Room)
6:00pm	Youth Group: Pool Party (the Clark home)
Upcoming events, holidays & special Sundays:	
Sun., Aug. 23	Confirmation Sunday
Mon., Sept. 7	Labor Day
Sun., Sept. 13	Kickoff Sunday

Announcements

Last Celebrate & Sing Potluck of the Summer This Wednesday

- 5:30pm - Potluck Meal (Dinette)
- 6:30pm - Hymn & Song Sing (Sanctuary)

As part of our "Glory!" summer message series on heaven, join in for an evening of food, fellowship & singing. Bring a dish to share if you're able (a "heaven"-themed dish is always fun!) or simply come & enjoy the meal. Afterward, we'll gather in the sanctuary to lift our voices in hymns & songs celebrating the hope we have in Christ.

Women of God: Women's Conference at Evangel

All women and friends of Evangel are invited for a special day of encouragement, friendship, & faith on Sat., Aug. 22 from 9am-3pm. Breakfast and lunch are included. Tickets are \$25 and will be available for purchase on Sunday mornings in the lobby. For more information, please contact Cyndy Tischer or Kay Hess.

Special Guest Speaker Next Sunday

Pastor Job Talamantes will be sharing his faith testimony. Pastor Job leads the Hispanic Pentecostal Church that meets at Evangel.

Confirmation Sunday Is on August 23

(Same worship service at both 8:30 & 10:30am)

Join in to celebrate Tate Hull, Clarissa Kroening & Emma Norman as they confirm their baptismal vows and share their faith testimonies. Thank you to Pastor Susie for co-teaching the class and to our mentors—Jim Cooper, Pearl Hulsebus, and Holly Evans—for their faithful support. We're planning our next Confirmation class for either this fall or next fall. If you have a student entering 7th or 8th grade who is interested, please contact Pastor David for more information.

The Choir Resumes This September!

Choir rehearsals begin Thurs., Sep. 10 at 7:30pm. New singers are always welcome! Whether you're an experienced vocalist or simply enjoy singing, we'd love to have you join. For more information, contact Choir Director Pam Wright at pkowright@gmail.com; 507-358-7550.

Sunday School Teachers Needed for 2026–27

We're looking for both returning and new volunteers to serve on our Sunday School teaching team. If you're interested, please complete a volunteer form found in the Aug. newsletter, midweek or at the Information Center in the lobby and turn into the office.

Sunday School Registration Is Now Open!

If your child is new to Sunday School, please contact Jim or Clancy and complete the Sunday School/Children's Church registration form. Registration is required for first-time attendees ages 3 through Grade 12. Returning students do not need to register again. We look forward to another wonderful year together!

Join Evangel's Youth Group!

Families of 6-12 graders, if you would like to know how to get your youth and family connected to our youth ministry, please contact Stephanie Mettler at: smettler@evangelum.org. We have a weekly youth families newsletter and occasional texts that go out through GroupMe, and we would love to get you connected to our youth family!

Prayer Concerns

- Tom Adams' funeral will be at Evangel on Sat., Aug. 15 at 4pm.
- Dianne Anderson was hospitalized with a UTI & pneumonia. She has been placed on hospice.
- Maurine Johnson passed to glory on Sat., Aug. 1. Her funeral service will be on Tues., Aug. 18. Visitation at 12:30pm, funeral at 1:30pm, lunch at 2:30pm and interment at Glenview Memorial Gardens.
- Carol Kirkham passed to glory on July 26. Her funeral was yesterday at 11am.
- Patty Lex had hip surgery on Aug. 4.
- Brian Nass continues with therapy for his recent stroke and is planning on attending his mother's funeral.
- Sylvia Rolfs had back surgery on Tues., July 28 and has begun physical therapy.

Continued Prayers

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| • Charles Schneider - mobility issues | • Michael Stelck - mobility issues & cancer treatment |
| • Owen Schmitz - college student | • Jessie Shanklin - memory and mobility issues |
| • Aiden Smith - college student | • Aiden Smith - college student |
| • Susan Steinke - Parkinson's disease | • Irelynn Smith - college student |
| • Janet Strom - mobility issues | • Leia Spencer - college student |

Message Notes