

10:30am Contemporary Service

WELCOME

PRAISE SINGING

"I Thank God"

Good News Praise Team

"Always"

Time of Prayer

"Lead On Good Shepherd"

GREETING & MEMORY VERSE

CHILDREN INVITED TO CHILDREN'S CHURCH

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OFFERING

SCRIPTURE Matthew 7:24-27 (The Wise and Foolish Builders)

MESSAGE "The Creator Created You to Create!"

Pastor David

PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC "Build a Boat"

Kahn & Holly Evans

ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE

BLESSING

CLOSING MUSIC

Memory Verse

"There is only one true foundation, the one already laid: Jesus Christ."

-1 Corinthians 3:11

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Welcome to
Evangel United Methodist Church!

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September 27, 2026

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

8:30am Traditional Service

GATHERING	“Andante Grazioso”	W.A. Mozart
PRELUDE	“Ancient Air”	Gene Clarke
WELCOME		
*OPENING SONG	“Eternal Father, Strong to Save”	TFWS#2191 (vs. 1-3)
*MEMORY VERSE		
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MESSAGE HYMN	“My Hope Is Built”	UMH#368 (vs. 1-3)
LED PRAYERS & THE LORD’S PRAYER (“sins”)		UMH#894
OFFERING		
CHOIR ANTHEM	“El-Shaddai”	Lojeski
*DOXOLOGY	“Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow”	UMH#95
*OFFERTORY PRAYER		
*CLOSING SONG	“Standing on the Promises”	UMH#374 (vs. 1,2,4)
*ANNOUNCEMENTS & MEMORY VERSE		
*THE BENEDICTION		
*POSTLUDE	“Jig Fugue”	Dietrich Buxtehude

*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, September 27
8:15am	Prayer for Worship
8:30am	Traditional Worship Service Children’s Church (during service)
9:30am	Sunday School
9:30am	Women of God (Room 128)
10:30am	Contemporary Worship Service Children’s Church (during service)
	Monday, September 28
1:00pm	Sewing Circle (Room 223)
	Wednesday, September 30
5:00pm	Wednesday Night Meal (Dinette)
6:15pm	Praise Team practice (Sanctuary)
6:30pm	Connect Group: How Do You Know? (Fireside Room)
6:30pm	Connect Group: Jesus Is Lord (Room 224)
7:30pm	Handbells (Room 223)
	Thursday, October 1
5:30pm	Meal hosting at Dorothy Day House
5:30pm	Take-a-Hike at Chester Woods
7:00pm	Choir (Sanctuary)
	Friday, October 2
11:00am	Older Folders (Fireside Room)
6:00pm	Youth Group
	Sunday, October 4 – World Communion Sunday
	Collections Drive for The Landing begins
8:15am	Prayer for Worship
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9:30am	Sunday School
10:30am	Contemporary Worship Service Children’s Church (during service)
2:00pm	The Great Fall Get-Together

Upcoming events, holidays & special Sundays:
Oct. 15-Oct. 17 Youth Spiritual Outdoor Adventure Retreat

Announcements

Here’s What’s Happening Next Sunday:

- World Communion Sunday

Next Sunday we will celebrate World Communion Sunday with breads from around the world during Holy Communion. The day will also kick off our month-long collections drive for the Landing (see below).

- Message - “The Creator Created You to Connect!”

You are not alone! God is always with you, but God also connects you with His people around you. God made you to connect! Next Sunday, learn how the connections we have with other people are a way that God is with you, and that you are part of God’s Church in this world.

- Collections Drive for the Landing Begins!

We will be collecting food, clothing, and other items for the Landing, a local non-profit day center that provides essential services and support for individuals experiencing homelessness through Sun., Nov. 1. Erin Sinnwell from the Landing will come and share with the youth group on Fri., Oct. 23 and share a Missions Moment at both services and at the Drop-In class on Sun., Oct. 25.

- The Great Fall Get-Together - 2-4:30pm

Evangel is excited to introduce The Great Fall Get-Together—a new fall outreach focused on connection, community, and care! Enjoy games, a petting zoo, crafts, food, bingo, dancing, and more, while participating in service projects that bless our local community. We want to create space for people to connect, build relationships, and experience the warmth of our Evangel family. **Sign up to be a volunteer** through the midweek update, sign up board in the Lobby, or call the church office at 507-289-4817.

Pick Up a Kickoff Sunday T-Shirt in the Lobby!

There are plenty of shirts available in multiple sizes. Pick one up (or many) before leaving church this morning!

Information Meeting: Proposed Honduras Mission Trip 2027

Wednesday, October 7 • 5:00pm • Room 128 • Bring your Wednesday night meal!
Interested in serving on an international mission trip? Come to the informational meeting about a potential Evangel Church trip to El Sembrador in Honduras. Opportunities may include serving children, helping in the community, and assisting with building projects. Estimated cost is \$1,000 plus airfare. Talk with Pastor David or join us to learn more!

Take-a-Hike at Chester Woods on October 1

Due to rain, the hike last week was cancelled and rescheduled for this Thursday at 5:30pm. Pray for a sunny evening!

Connect Groups for Fall 2026!

Check out the brochure at the Welcome Desk, Information Center or at evangelum.org > Connect Groups for a list of classes, service opportunities, and fellowship groups where you can connect with others of our church family. Connect groups are a key way to grow spiritually and to be blessing to others. Sign up online, scan the QR code in the brochure, or via the weekly midweek update.

Prayer Concerns

- Neil Anderson is still experiencing fatigue and lack of energy.
- Remona Kisrow is at St. Mary's after falling. She is also receiving treatment for pneumonia.
- Brian Nass had successful ureter repair surgery.
- Gary Wexell, oldest son of Joyce Lee, had surgery to remove masses on his brain.

Continued Prayers

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">Sarah Ahern - college studentDianne Andersen - mobility issuesJosiah Arechigo - college studentMarilyn Bastian - mobility issuesNancy R. Becker-Peterson - disability & leukemia | <ul style="list-style-type: none">Marian Blagsvedt - mobility issuesWayne Blagsvedt - mobility issuesPat Brahmer - mobility issuesJoy Burson - memory issuesJim Cooper - cancer concerns |
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Message Notes