

04.08.18

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8:30 & 11 AM in Sanctuary

9:45 AM Sunday School

Wednesday Worship

6 PM in Chapel

~ welcome ~

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*Sharing the love of Jesus
with the next generation
from the heart of
Downtown*

Verse for Reflection – 1 John 1:5

“⁵This is the message we have heard from him and proclaim to you, that God is light and in him there is no darkness at all.”

IN OUR PRAYERS: *Tim & Carolyn Knight and family, Haley Vogel, and Sunday School teachers, Youth Leaders, and all the education servants.*

PRAYER REQUESTS – If you have a request, fill out the back of the Connection Card and place in offering plate.

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LIVE STREAM SPONSORSHIPS are available each week for \$50. If you would like to sponsor one in honor, memory, gratitude, or a special occasion, please call the office.

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RADIO SPONSORS are needed for April 15, & 22 and May 6, 13, 20, & 27. If you can help with this ministry, please call the office. Cost is \$125.

A portion of our general giving, as well as designated gifts in April, will go towards our Youth Mission Trip to Nashville.

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FREE BLOOD PRESSURES, today, **Apr. 8**, between services near the office. Sponsored by Health Ministry Team.

MISSION POSSIBLE - Today, **April 8**, will be the conclusion of the “Creed” sermon series. On Sunday, **April 22**, Pastor Keith will begin “Mission Possible,” a sermon series that will look at the five words that define the membership vows of being United Methodist: Prayers, Presence, Gifts, Service, and Witness. Just as the Apostles Creed helps define our faith, these five words help define and express who we are as United Methodists. Your mission, should you choose to accept it . . .

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SPECIAL SPEAKER – On **Wed., Apr. 11**, 7 pm, in the sanctuary, D’Este Chytka, the founder of *It’s All About Respect*, will speak on how we can help prevent bullying in today’s world. The presentation is geared toward youth, but all are welcome.

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BLOOD DRIVE COMING – **Wed., May 2**, 3:45-5:45 pm. You may sign up to donate at the blood pressure table **this morning** or with a Health Ministry Team member: Ellen Miskimins, Vicki Brown, Jane Palmquist, Sheila Letcher, Mary Crane, Irma DeSmet, Mary Ellen Jepsen, Peg Larson, Carolrae McCorkell or Cindy Edwards.

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VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL 2018 –**Tues., May 29 thru Sat., June 2**, 9:00 am to noon, 4 years (by 9-1-18) thru 6th Grade. Shepherds (helpers), teachers, and activity center leaders are needed. The theme is *Rolling River Rampage – Experience the Ride of a Lifetime With God*. Come navigate the white waters with us! Contact Carolyn if you can help!

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CHANCE TO SEE OUR PASTORS RAP – As a fundraiser for the Mission Trip to Nashville this summer, our youth will have a Money War to decide if Pastor Keith or Pastor Jerry will be performing a rap song for the congregation. Jars for each Pastor will be at the office window and by the east stairway. The jar with the most money will be declared the winner. The date of the Pastor Rap will be announced soon.

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T-SHIRTS ARE HERE – If you ordered *Keep Calm and Grow Together* t-shirts, please pick yours up from the table near Johnson Gathering Area. They are arranged in alphabetical order.

CLAIM YOUR CONTAINERS – There is an assortment of containers in the kitchen hallway that have been left after various events. Please check if any belong to you and take them home.

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The family of Mildred Skogmo would like to thank everyone for their sympathy and memorials.
~ Gudrun Ohlen

EVENTS THIS WEEK

SUNDAY

8:30 AM Traditional Worship
9:30 AM Coffee Fellowship in JGA
9:45 AM Sunday School and Confirmation
11:00 AM Blended Worship aired on 1490 AM KORN
1:30-6 PM Stewardship Training in Chapel

MONDAY

7:00 PM Board of Trustees

TUESDAY

7:07 AM ASK Breakthrough Prayer, S-1
9:30 AM Church Staff, S-1
9:30 AM Tuesday Quilters, Dining Room
4:30 PM Mission Team
6:30 PM Children's Ministry Team

WEDNESDAY

9:30 AM Parent's Day Out
6:00 PM Casual Worship
6:45 PM Youth Groups
7:00 PM Speaker, 'Este Chytka, sanctuary

THURSDAY

9:30 AM Mary-Martha Circle
2:00 PM Eunice Circle
5:30 PM Love Feast
7:00 PM Esther Circle



Upcoming Events

Sun., Apr. 15

Noisy Buckets to benefit Camp Scholarships
Naomi Powers Senior Recital, sanctuary,
1 pm,

Wed., Apr., 25

MCCI Resource Refocus, Chapel, 6 pm, meal
Provided

Mon., Apr. 30

DWU Vocal Studio Recital, sanctuary

Tues., May 1

DWU Instrumental Studio Recital, sanctuary

Sun., May 6

Confirmation, 11 am

Sun., May 13

High School Senior Recognition

Fri., June 8

Heart & Sole Cancer Walk, Mitchell Middle
School, 6 pm

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The Downtown

Experience

Come . . . as you are

Connect . . . with God and other people

Care . . . for one another

Create . . . the Kingdom together

Celebrate . . . what God is doing