

05.27.18

SUNDAY WORSHIP

Memorial Sunday
9:30 AM in Sanctuary

Wednesday Worship
6 PM in Chapel

~ welcome ~

***Downtown Mitchell
First United
Methodist Church***

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

Verse for Reflection – Proverbs 3:5

“Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not rely on your own insight.”

Today we remember in love.....

Glen Wells	2-9-17	Gwendolyn Zoss	11-1-17
Nancy Wagner	6-14-17	Wayne Buck	11-2-17
Dorothy Malde	7-15-17	Othelia Miller	11-12-17
Charles Doering	7-19-17	Thelma Bobb Tinan	11-21-17
Lelah Annis	8-25-17	Viola Davis	12-15-17
Jim McLaird	8-31-17	Bernie Schmucker	1-25-18
Ross Lee	9-3-17	Casin Yegge	2-1-18
Earl Campbell	9-30-17	Ramona Munneke	2-28-18
Blanche Hilton	10-7-17	Iva Fleming	3-2-18
Constance Hamilton	10-9-17	Harvey Baldwin	3-5-18
Wayne Hofmann	10-11-17	Mildred Skogmo	3-20-18
		Thomas Meiers	5-6-18

IN OUR PRAYERS: *Lorna Braught, family of Lorraine Kohlenberg, JoAnn & Dave Doering, Carl Olson, Ann McLaughlin, family of Jean Tlustos (Curt Talley's sister), Oaklyn James West (AJ & Cindy Bierman's great grandson), Ray Lapka, Wayne Laird, Haley Vogel, and business women and men who are being affected by the street closures and road construction in our community.*

RADIO BROADCAST (live on KORN1490, 11 am) *is given in honor of Vinetta Shonley's 92nd birthday which is today, May 27, by her children.*

LIVE STREAM (www.mitchellfumc.org) *is given in memory of loved ones, by Jon & Janice Airhart.*

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.

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

A portion of our general giving, as well as designated gifts in May, will go towards Heart & Sole Cancer Walk and the Abbott House.

PEACE WITH JUSTICE OFFERING – Your giving **today** will support such issues as human trafficking, violence and oppression, and will help to empower people to change the direction of their lives. A portion stays in our Conference to support those ministries here at home. As God spoke to his messenger Amos (Amos 5:24), He also speaks to us as United Methodists to live lives focused on Justice, Righteousness, and Peace. Please place your offering envelope insert in the offering plate.

NEW SERMON SERIES – Join us **next Sunday** as we begin our summer sermon series, **Splash!** Most of us enjoy the lake, river, creek, pool or other water places during the summer. Water is an important part of God's story in both the Old and New Testament. We also invite you to share pictures of summertime water fun at #downtownsplashin.

CALLED (“Culture of Call”) is the theme for this year's Annual Conference Miracle Offering. The offering is in two parts: 1) financial, and 2) name suggestions. Money received will support Discernment and Call events around the Conference. The names collected will be prayed for and followed up with to see how we can help a person consider their involvement in ministry for God's Kingdom and the Local Church. A basket is located at the front of the sanctuary for financial contributions and/or the completed yellow “Called” slips.

MIDDLE SCHOOL & HIGH SCHOOL SUNDAY SCHOOL will continue through summer at their request. Classes will begin **today, May 27**, 10:30 am.

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HEART & SOLE LUMINARIES will be sold in the JGA **today, May 27** and **Sun., June 3** following worship. The 21st Cancer Walk/Run is Fri., June 8, 6 pm at Mitchell Middle School. \$5 will buy a luminary to honor those who lost the fight with cancer as well as those who won or continue to fight. **ALL MONEY** goes directly to cancer assistance in the Mitchell area, not to expenses of an organization.

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SUMMER WORSHIP SCHEDULE – Beginning **today**, we will have just one worship service at 9:30 am. As usual, we will go back to two services the Sunday following Labor Day, Sept. 9. Our Wednesday evening worship service will continue each Wednesday at 6 pm. There will not be worship on Wed., July 4.

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ROLLING RIVER RAMPAGE – VBS 2018! **Tues., May 29th – Sat., June 2nd** – 9:00 am to noon. Ages 4 Years (by 9-1-18) thru 6th Grade (completed). We invite you to attend the closing program on Sat., June 2, at 11:20 and the light lunch following. **Please pray for this experience!!**

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ADULT SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL – Beginning **Sun., June 3**, 10:40 am, in the Chapel, Nancy Nelson will lead a DVD series, *“That the World May Know”*, by Ray Vander Laan. He will illuminate the historical, geographical, and cultural context of the sacred Scriptures. Filmed on location in the Middle East, the series will transform your understanding of God and Scripture. Just as the time and place of our birth and life shapes our journey, so the land and culture of the Hebrew people shaped their story. The first part will tell how God guided his people to a specific place—the Promised Land—to impact the world in ancient times and today.

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YOUTH HANDBELL CHOIR COMING – **Sun., June 10**, 7 pm. A group from Salt Lake City will be bringing their beautiful and engaging music to our church. Invite your friends and join us!

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PUT ON YOUR PRAYER WALKING SHOES - Our church family continues with our Breakthrough Prayer focus as we seek God’s direction for our future. With the nicer weather, you are invited to “step

out” and prayer walk our community. There’s nothing to hand out, no appointments to make, no talks to prepare. It’s just about walking or driving, if preferred, and praying for the people who live in our community. A map will soon be hung near the Gathering Area to chart our progress. More info to come.

BABY BLANKETS FOR SALE, \$25 each, with proceeds all going to the Stained Glass Window fund. Contact Verna Hofer at 996.9650 or 999.4568, if interested.

THANK YOU for your attendance, gifts, and cards for my 90th birthday party. They were all very much appreciated! ~ Verna Hofer

EVENTS THIS WEEK

SUNDAY

- 9:30 AM Worship Service
- 10:30 AM Coffee Fellowship in JGA
- 10:30 AM Middle School & High School Sunday School
- Office closed in observance of Memorial Day

MONDAY

TUESDAY

- 7:07 AM ASK Breakthrough Prayer, S-1
- 9 AM-NOON Vacation Bible School
- 9:30 AM **NO** Church Staff, S-1
- 9:30 AM **NO** Tuesday Quilters, Dining Room

WEDNESDAY

- 9 AM-NOON Vacation Bible School
- 6:00 PM Casual Worship in Chapel

THURSDAY


- 9 AM-NOON Vacation Bible School

FRIDAY

- 9 AM-NOON Vacation Bible School

SATURDAY

- 9 AM-NOON Vacation Bible School

	<u>Upcoming Events</u>
<u>Fri., June 8</u>	Heart & Sole Cancer Walk, Mitchell Middle School, 6 pm
<u>Sun., June 10</u>	Wesley Bell Ringers from Salt Lake City, UT, 7 pm, Sanctuary
<u>July 21-28</u>	Youth Mission Trip to Nashville, TN