

07.15.18

SUNDAY WORSHIP

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 of Reflection ~ Psalm 37:23-24**

***“<sup>23</sup>Our steps are made firm by the Lord, when he delights in our way; <sup>24</sup>though we stumble, we shall not fall headlong, for the Lord holds us by the hand”.***

**IN OUR PRAYERS:** *Linda Wosje, Oaklyn James West, Laura Barta Lindquist (Elaine Barta’s daughter), Haley Vogel, and Dakotas Conference Churches that are receiving new pastors and pastors beginning their ministry in a new church location in the Conference..*

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**RADIO BROADCAST** (live on KORN 1490AM, 11 am) is given in celebration of the life of **Wayne Laird**, by **Bev Rowley** and family.

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A portion of our general giving, as well as designated gifts in July, will go to the Mitchell Food Pantry (212 W 1<sup>st</sup> Ave).

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**NOISY BUCKETS** – July and August Noisy Bucket money will go to the Backpack School Supply project which helps children in our area have the supplies they need to begin the school year. Thank you for helping to reach beyond our walls to the children of our community.

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**PRODUCE TABLE** – If you have surplus garden produce, bring it to the Mission Table near Johnson Gathering Area. If you can use the produce, take it with you and leave a cash gift for World Hunger.

**UPPER ROOM DEVOTIONALS** are available in the kiosk near the office. Your donation may be left in the basket above the kiosk.

**RADIO BROADCAST SPONSORS NEEDED** for August 5, 12, 19, & 24. If you would like to sponsor one in honor, memory, gratitude, or a special occasion, please contact the office. Cost is \$125.

**LIVE STREAM SPONSORSHIPS** are also available each week for \$50.

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

**STAMPEDE RODEO PARADE FLOAT** – Again, we are entering a float in the “*Experience the Wild Ride*” parade on **Sat., July 21**, 10:30 am. We are looking for help with decorating and someone to drive the float, as well as **riders/walkers**. Since a large portion of our youth are on their Mission Trip, we are reaching out for additional help. Call Natalie Piehl (605.203.1686) or the church office (996.7721) if you can help. Come join the “Experience”!!

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**OUTDOOR WORSHIP** – **Sun., July 22**, 10 am, Hitchcock Park and Band Shelter. Methodist Men’s Club will furnish hamburgers and hotdogs, condiments, beverages and utensils. Bring a dish to pass (salad, main dish, dessert) and a lawn chair if you wish.

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**SCHOOL SUPPLY DONATIONS NEEDED** – Love Feast is in the process of registering children for school supplies and is accepting donations for the expenses. If you would like to be on the email list to purchase supplies, please email Carol Hasz at [hasz@santel.net](mailto:hasz@santel.net). School supply sales are beginning. Volunteers are needed for **Fri., Aug. 3**, (9 am and 1 pm), and **Sat., Aug. 4**, (8 am) to put kits together and distribute them. To volunteer, talk with Carol or email her.

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**PARENTS OF 2 YEAR OLDS**, if your child is 2 by **Sept. 1**, they are welcome to join the 2 Year Old Sunday School Class. **If your 2 year old missed last years deadline**, they will need to enroll. Call 996-7721 or email [carolyn@mitchellfumc.org](mailto:carolyn@mitchellfumc.org) with your child’s name, date of birth, parent’s names, address, email address and telephone/cell numbers. Invitations will be sent to the children in August.

**PARENTS OF KINDERGARTEN AGE CHILDREN**, please let us know if your child will be attending Kindergarten this year as this helps us plan for the number of children in the Sunday School classes.

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**NEW ADDRESS?** Please contact the Church Office with any updated information including phone numbers and email addresses. Thanks!

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**MAKE A SPLASH . . . CHANGE A LIFE!** Join a Sunday School teaching team. Teachers/helpers are needed in the following classrooms: 3 year olds, Pre-kindergarten, Kindergarten, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Grades. We teach in teams so that you have flexibility to miss when you have family commitments. Background checks are required (church pays). Please contact Carolyn at 996.7721 or [carolyn@mitchellfumc.org](mailto:carolyn@mitchellfumc.org).

**CUSTODIAL POSITION** – Downtown Mitchell FUMC is seeking a custodian who will be responsible for maintaining the church building and immediate premises. Responsibilities will include cleaning, some grounds upkeep, maintaining heating and cooling systems and routine maintenance and repair. Must be able to lift up to 50 lbs. and work well with a team. Full time preferred but will consider part time which will include some evening and weekend hours. Please submit resume to Rev. Keith Nelson, 310 N Rowley St, Mitchell SD 57301, or email [keith@mitchellfumc.org](mailto:keith@mitchellfumc.org)

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**YOUTH NEWS** – We are planning random surprise youth events this summer. Sign up at our youth Remind.com to get the events schedule. The code is jessicakre.

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**SUMMER SPLASHIN!** How's it going with prayer walking your neighborhood and splashing our community and neighbors with God's love? We still want your pictures of "chillin" by or in the water this summer! Tag your pictures on Facebook or Instagram with "#downtownsplashin", or email them to Pastor Keith at [keith@mitchellfumc.org](mailto:keith@mitchellfumc.org). We would also love to have your stories of how you've Splashed God's Love to others or where you've seen God's presence using the hashtag "#encouragingthesplash" or again e-mail them to Pastor Keith at the above address. Remember to highlight the route you've prayer walked on the city map in the Johnson Gathering Area. ***We're striving to let our community know Downtown Mitchell First UMC isn't taking a summer break...we're doing some summer SPLASHIN!!***

**MCCI CONSULTATION WEEKEND** – Our work with MCCI (Missional Church Consultation Initiative) continues. Our Consultation Weekend will be September 21-23, 2018. Please put these dates on your calendar and be in prayer that God’s Spirit would guide and speak through the events of this weekend. More information will be coming!

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**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  
10:40 AM         Adult Class, “*That the World May Know*”, Chapel

**MONDAY**

7:00 PM           Finance

**TUESDAY**

7:07 AM           ASK Breakthrough Prayer, S-1  
9:30 AM           Church Staff, S-1  
9:30 AM           Tuesday Quilters, Dining Room

**WEDNESDAY**

6:00 PM           Wednesday Worship in Chapel  
6:30 PM           Health Ministry Team, S-1

**SATURDAY**

10:30 AM         Youth leave for Nashville Mission Trip

Stampede Rodeo Parade



**Upcoming Events**

**Sun., July 22**

**Tues., July 31**

**Fri., Aug. 3**

**Sat., Aug. 4**

Outdoor Worship, 10 am, Hitchcock Park  
Dr. William Hyppolite Open House at Boyd & Evelyn Blumer’s home (601 Mitchell Blvd.  
Backpack Assembly, basement, 9 am & 1 pm  
Backpack Give Away, basement, 8:30 am