

Announcements

Welcome all Guests

Our Vision for 2020 is "Extend Hospitality to Strangers".
 "Share with the Lord's people who are in need. Practice Hospitality." Romans 12:13
 "Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you, in order to bring praise to God." Roman 15:7.

Confirmation Today at 3:00pm

We have five confirmation students in this year: Aiden Sinsel, Addison Klabunde, Kara Suchsland, Made-line Kring, and Jerzee Smidt. Each student will be guided by a mentor.

After they finish the class in 12 weeks, they will be asked for confirmation in May. Confirmation is the celebration of the church rather than persons because they will be incorporated into the church membership. We have a responsibility to raise them with faith, hope and love.

The confirmation students pictures are posted on the northeast bulletin board. Please encourage the confirmation class with good words and share your personal experiences with Christ on the post cards. We will leave the pictures up until the class is finished in May.

Youth Group Today at 3:30pm

Hospitality Meeting Today at 4:00pm

Education Meeting

Wednesday, February 19, 7:00pm, Room 300

Choir Practice

Practice for our Easter Cantata is Wednesdays at 6pm. Come enjoy this opportunity to sing of the passion and resurrection of our Lord! All are welcome!

Ash Wednesday

Service will by Wednesday, February 26, 7:00pm.

This Week's Calendar...

Today, February 16	9:00am Sunday School 9:30am Prayer in Prayer Room 9:45am Worship Service Adult Sunday School after Worship 3:00pm Confirmation 3:30pm Youth Group 4:00pm Hospitality Team Meeting
Tuesday, February 18	6:30 pm Girl Scouts
Wednesday, Feb 19	6:00pm Choir Practice 7:00pm Education Meeting
Friday, February 21	8:00am-4:00pm WIC 5:00pm Cub Scouts
Sunday, February 23	9:00am Sunday School 9:30am Prayer in Prayer Room 9:45am Worship Service Adult Sunday School after Worship 3:00pm Confirmation

Prayer List...

Maxine Grams
Mike Boudreau's Mother

*Please call the office when you know of someone in the hospital.
Thank you!*

Information from last week...

Worship Service Attendance.....	100
Sunday's Worship Offering	\$3,597.00

Please have this week's birthday people in your prayer.

Jean Liebers	Roxanna Johnson	Caryn Petersen
Sarah Maulsby	Marlene Macklin	Melvin Reiss
Jeff Hanson	James Wilkinson	

Clavinova/Piano/Organ: Glen Haselbarth, Marlys Farm, Dan Frizane, Lena Choi
 Projection: Tony Ratka, Larry Snavely, Alaina Suchsland
 Greeters and Ushers: Jan Marlatt & Bobbie Heitman
 Refreshment Hosts: Sinsel Family
 Church Prayer Chain: Joan Fries

There is a fully equipped Nursery for children in the Southeast wing. A changing table located in the Nursery.
Quiet Bags for young children are available in the lobby.
Restrooms are located in both the East and West hallways.
The Upper Room Booklets for March/April are in the lobby.

Minden United Methodist Church

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Announcements Cont...

Lenten Season

During the Season of Lent we will transcribe the books of Luke and John. Through this practice, you may refocus on remembering Jesus' life, ministry, death and resurrection. Please write your name on the sign-up sheet in the west hallway.

Kevin & Heidi Cheng

They have played piano and violin with a combined total of 7 symphonies and orchestras since their high school years. If you have enjoyed their music here at our church please go see them again at the Minden Opera House February 21, at 7:30pm. Call the Opera House to reserve your tickets.

Time of Prayer with Pastor Peter

Pastor Peter will be praying for the congregation in the Sanctuary 9:30~10:30 am every Tuesday and Thursday. You can bring any prayer request to Joan Fries or Pastor Peter.

"Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you." 1 Peter 5:7

Pastoral Visits

Pastor Peter will visit anyone on request. If pastoral care is needed around you please contact Pastor Peter via phone 201-888-8430 or e-mail peterchoiminden@gmail.com.

"For I am the Lord, who heals you." Exodus 15:26

Scriptures...

Psalm 119:1-8

Blessed are those whose ways are blameless,
who walk according to the law of the LORD.
Blessed are those who keep his statutes
and seek him with all their heart—
they do no wrong
but follow his ways.
You have laid down precepts
that are to be fully obeyed.
Oh, that my ways were steadfast
in obeying your decrees!
Then I would not be put to shame
when I consider all your commands.
I will praise you with an upright heart
as I learn your righteous laws.
I will obey your decrees;
do not utterly forsake me.

Matthew 5:21-30

"You have heard that it was said to the people long ago, 'You shall not murder, and anyone who murders will be subject to judgment.' But I tell you that anyone who is angry with a brother or sister will be subject to judgment. Again, anyone who says to a brother or sister, 'Raca,' is answerable to the court. And anyone who says, 'You fool!' will be in danger of the fire of hell.
"Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother or sister has something against you, leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to them; then come and offer your gift.
"Settle matters quickly with your adversary who is taking you to court. Do it while you are still together on the way, or your adversary may hand you over to the judge, and the judge may hand you over to the officer, and you may be thrown into prison. Truly I tell you, you will not get out until you have paid the last penny.
"You have heard that it was said, 'You shall not commit adultery.' But I tell you that anyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery with her in his heart. If your right eye causes you to stumble, gouge it out and throw it away. It is better for you to lose one part of your body than for your whole body to be thrown into hell. And if your right hand causes you to stumble, cut it off and throw it away. It is better for you to lose one part of your body than for your whole body to go into hell.

<p style="text-align: center;">Order of Worship February 16, 2020 6th Sunday after the Epiphany</p>
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Bringing in the Light of Christ	The Acolytes
Welcome and Announcements	
*Opening Songs	"Blessed Be Your Name" "Here I am to Worship"
*Call to Worship	
*Opening Prayer	
*Silent Prayer of Confession	
*Greetings of Peace	
Joys and Concerns	
Pastoral Prayer—Lord's Prayer	
Children's Time	Dan Frizane
Scriptures	Psalm 119: 1-8 Matthew 5:21-30 Aiden Sinsel
Message	Pastor Choi "The True Interpretation of the Law"
Giving Our Gifts	
Special Music by Lena Choi	
*Doxology	UMH 94
*Offertory Prayer	
*Closing Song	"Mighty to Save"
*Benediction	