



Happy Mother's Day!

Welcome on this day to honor not only God but also our mothers. God has blessed us in so many ways, and as we worship together today, let's give thanks and worship the God who has given us the gift of family.

1. We have received the offerings of \$9385 this week. Thank you for supporting us with your prayer, offerings and food-pantry items. If you would like to consider online offerings, please follow the steps below this video.

2. We still have some flowers for Mother's day, today. If you are interested please come to the main entrance of the church until 7 pm today to pick one up. We offer them free, until they run out.

3. We are collecting pictures or short video from our congregation to show how you are spending this pandemic time through the month of May. We will make a video for our worship service.

Please send your pictures or video to managerumcminden@msn.com or our Facebook page messenger.



CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR
Minden High School Graduates:
Jensen Rowse
Ashtynn Putnam

Prayer List...

Susan Tunnell and her family for the loss of her father Richard Mullins.
Joe Hultquist
Angie Taylor, Corey Smidt's mother
Larry Tatum's Sister-in-Law
Donna Boudreau

Please call the church when you know of someone in the hospital.

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

Ray Havens Donlyn Space
Samuel Tunnell Gabriella Froid



Welcome to Minden United Methodist Church

**2020 Vision:
Extend Hospitality to Strangers**



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Scriptures continued...

1 Peter 2:2-10

Like newborn babies, crave pure spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow up in your salvation, now that you have tasted that the Lord is good.

As you come to him, the living Stone—rejected by humans but chosen by God and precious to him—you also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. For in Scripture it says:

“See, I lay a stone in Zion,

a chosen and precious cornerstone,
and the one who trusts in him
will never be put to shame.”

Now to you who believe, this stone is precious. But to those who do not believe, “The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone,” and, “A stone that causes people to stumble and a rock that makes them fall.”

They stumble because they disobey the message—which is also what they were destined for. But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God’s special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. Once you were not a people, but now you are the people of God; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

L: This is the word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God.

Scriptures...

John 14:1-14

“Do not let your hearts be troubled. You believe in God; believe also in me. My Father’s house has many rooms; if that were not so, would I have told you that I am going there to prepare a place for you? And if I go and prepare a place for you, I will come back and take you to be with me that you also may be where I am. You know the way to the place where I am going.”

Thomas said to him, “Lord, we don’t know where you are going, so how can we know the way?”

Jesus answered, “I am the way and the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me. If you really know me, you will know my Father as well. From now on, you do know him and have seen him.”

Philip said, “Lord, show us the Father and that will be enough for us.”

Jesus answered: “Don’t you know me, Philip, even after I have been among you such a long time? Anyone who has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? Don’t you believe that I am in the Father, and that the Father is in me? The words I say to you I do not speak on my own authority. Rather, it is the Father, living in me, who is doing his work. Believe me when I say that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; or at least believe on the evidence of the works themselves. Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these, because I am going to the Father. And I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. You may ask me for anything in my name, and I will do it.

Order of Worship May 10, 2020 5th Sunday of Easter

Welcome and Announcements Kim Snavely

*Opening Hymn “Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart UMH #160

*Call to worship!

L: You are never left outside God’s house.

P: There is always room for us.

L: Jesus himself has prepared a place for each of us.

P: When our time comes, we will be welcomed and made whole in Christ.

L: Make your hearts ready to receive the goodness of the Lord.

P: We are ready to step into service for God. AMEN.

*Opening Prayer

We gather this day, O Lord, as people who seek your guiding love. Open our hearts and make us ready to stand firm in the faith that leads to loving service. Create a new people in this place so that your love may surround all who enter here. We may be a witness to the hope that is found in Jesus Christ. AMEN.

Scriptures Jane Craig
John 14: 1-14
1 Peter 2: 2-10

Message Pastor Peter Choi
“Jesus is the way,
the truth, and the life.”

Pastoral Prayer—**Lord’s Prayer**

*Closing Hymn UMH #419
“I Am Thine, O Lord”

*Benediction

Go in peace, and may the peace of God, which shines brightly and vanquishes our darkness, always be with you. Go, knowing that God is your rock and your refuge. You are not alone. God is always with you. AMEN.