

## Joys and Concerns

Prayer List: Gary Smidt, Linda Amstuz, & Libby Williams.

Happy Birthday to Allyson Jameson, Jayla Olsen, and Marian Johnson

Happy Anniversary to Brad & Natalie Janda—19 years, Larry & Nancy Evans—48 years, and Brodie & Amy Kring—3 years

## Pastoral Prayer

“**Doxology** “Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow” UMH#94

## Offertory Prayer

You have made us and you have made us anew, O God. In the joy of our thanksgiving, we offer to you our lives and our gifts. We give them in love and in the hope that you will make your creation new through us and through our offerings. Amen.

## Holy Communion

**Closing Song** “10,000 Reasons”

## Benediction

Go now in peace, knowing the miracles that God has produced in your life. Be assured that there are still more miracles to come. Bear witness to God’s love to all you meet. In the name of the Creator, the Holy One who resides with you always, go in peace. AMEN.

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# Minden United Methodist Church

## Vision for 2021:

**Overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.**

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace, as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.  
(Romans 15:13 NIV)

**2nd Sunday after Pentecost**  
**Order of Worship**  
**June 6, 2021**

## Welcome and Announcements

1. Please put your names on either YouTube or Facebook. If you have celebrations and concerns, please share with us on either one.
2. Following the worship, refreshment will be offered in the room 300.
3. Please share prayer requests, blessings, joys, concerns, worries, gratitude, and more on the prayer wall at the east entrance of the Church.
4. Vacation Bible School will be held for five days from July 18 until July 22. Volunteers are needed. If you are interested, please contact the church office. There will be an Education Meeting on June 9th at 7:00 pm.
5. Pastor Peter is going to visit South Korea from tomorrow until July 9. During this time, you can connect with him through email and Facebook messenger. We also have a pastor on call for funerals or emergencies. Please contact Larry Evans or the office if you need the pastor on call.
6. Kearney County Historical Society is bringing “Maria Rodaway: Prairie Pioneer” presented by Karen Wyatt Drevo to the Windmill Studios Today at 2:00pm.
7. Last week we received offerings of \$1,232. Thank you for the offerings and prayers.

## Call to Worship

L: In all times and in all places, God is with us.

**P: God's love flows over and around us, lifting us in hope.**

L: Shout for joy!

**P: Sing praises to God!**

L: Get ready to become disciples for Jesus.

**P: Lord, make us ready to serve you. AMEN.**

## Opening Prayer

Lord, we come this day, having seen the miracles of everyday creation in our world. We have enjoyed both the bright sunshine and the gentle rains. We have marveled over the beauty of flowers and the complexity of your creation. Make our hearts ready to receive your word for us, that we may go forth from this place ready to joyfully serve you all of our days. AMEN.

## Silent Prayer

## Opening Songs

**"Sing to the King"  
"I Will Follow"**

## Children's Time

## Scriptures

### Mark 3:31-35 (NIV)

Then Jesus' mother and brothers arrived. Standing outside, they sent someone in to call him. A crowd was sitting around him, and they told him, "Your mother and brothers are outside looking for you."

"Who are my mother and my brothers?" he asked.

Then he looked at those seated in a circle around him and said, "Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does God's will is my brother and sister and mother."

**Jane Craig**

## 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 (NIV)

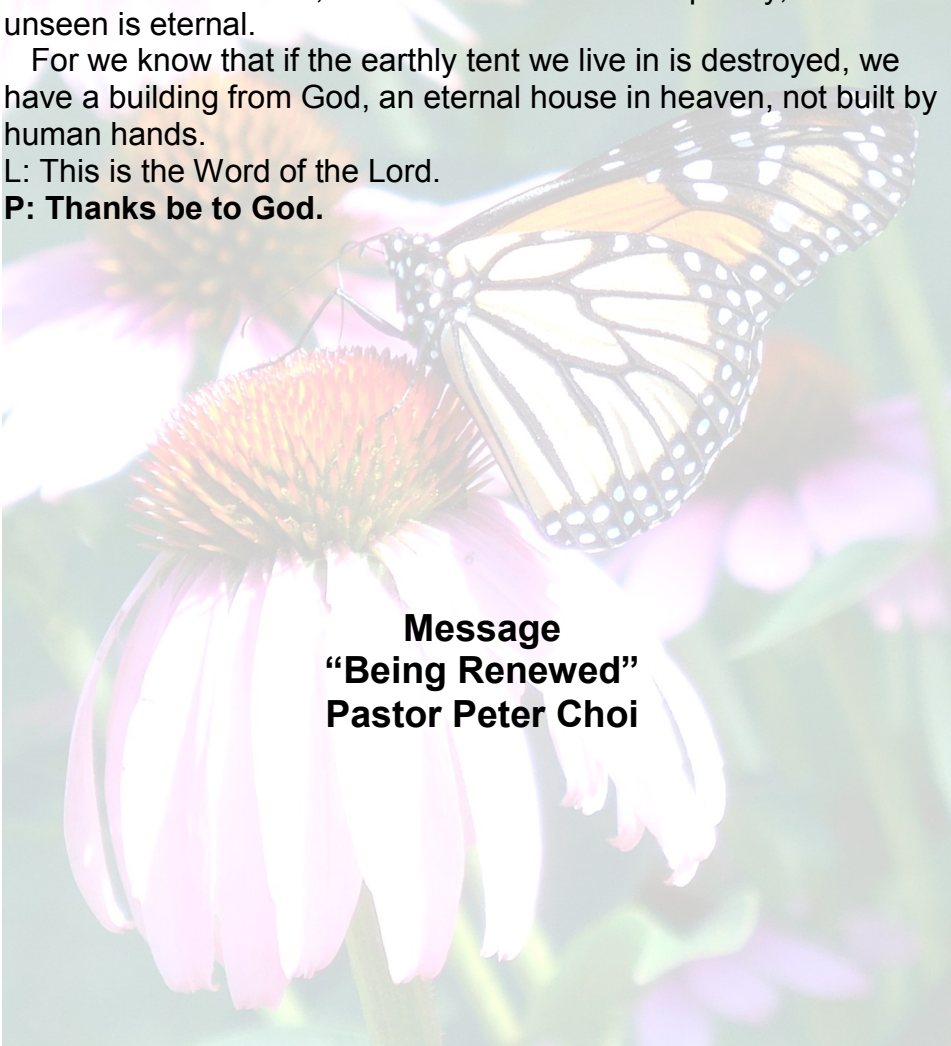
It is written: "I believed; therefore I have spoken." Since we have that same spirit of faith, we also believe and therefore speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus from the dead will also raise us with Jesus and present us with you to himself. All this is for your benefit, so that the grace that is reaching more and more people may cause thanksgiving to overflow to the glory of God.

Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all. So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal.

For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, an eternal house in heaven, not built by human hands.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

**P: Thanks be to God.**



**Message  
"Being Renewed"  
Pastor Peter Choi**