United Methodist Church 340 N Newell Ave Minden, Nebraska Trinity Sunday 10:00 a.m. May 26, 2024

Prelude Glen Haselbarth

Welcome and Announcements

- 1. Due to Pastor Peter's ordination service, our worship on June 9th will be held at 9:30 AM at the church. If you would like to attend the ordination service in person, please arrive at the Silver Ballrooms at the Younes Center in Kearney by 9:30 AM.
- 2. Vacation Bible School will take place from June 23-27, running for five days from 5:00 PM to 7:30 PM. With the curriculum of Camp Firelight, our theme for this year is based on Psalm 56:3, "Whenever I'm afraid, I put my trust in you."
- 3. Pastor Peter's family is in South Korea until June 3. If you need to contact him, please email peterchoiminden@gmail.com.
- 4. The 2024 session of the Great Plains Annual Conference will be June 6-9 at Younes Center in Kearney, Nebraska.
- 5. Last weeks we received offerings of \$1,590.

Call to worship!

- L: Come, let us worship the eternal God, the Source of Love and Life, who created us in the divine image.
- P: We gather to praise our Maker, our Sustainer, our ever-present help in times of need.
- L: Come, let us worship Jesus Christ, the risen one, who walks with us on the journey of faith.
- P: We gather to follow our Teacher, our Healer, our Savior, who leads us with grace and truth.
- L: Come, let us worship the Holy Spirit, the living breath of God, who renews us and guides us.
- P: We gather to embrace the Spirit's wisdom, comfort, and power, who strengthens and transforms us. Amen.

Opening Prayer

Holy and Triune God, we come before You with grateful hearts. We celebrate the mystery of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Father, thank You for Your creation and love. Jesus, we praise You for Your sacrifice and resurrection. Holy Spirit, guide and renew us. Bless our worship today. May we feel Your presence and be transformed by Your grace. We pray in the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. Amen.

Happy Birthday to

Braxton Janda Steve Younkin

Happy Anniversary to

Larry & Sheila
Anderson—52 years
Mike & Maryjo
Froid—25 years
Larry & Kim
Snavely—25 years
Clark & Jennifer
Bauer—32 years

Prayer List:

Doug Fellers
Larry Anderson
Merlin Beahm
Peggy Rasmussen
Kent Verbeck

May 26-June 1, 2024 Sunday

11:00am Adult Sunday School

Monday

Memorial Day Church Office Closed **Tuesday**

Wednesday

Thursday 9:30am Prayer Time Friday

Saturday

Vision for 2024: All things work together for good. (Romans 8:28) **Silent Prayer of Confession**

The Apostles' Creed (Ecumenical Version)

UMH#882

Opening Hymn

"How Great Thou Art"

UMH#77

Passing the Peace of Christ

Children's Time

Scripture Reading

Kent Verbeck

Hebrews 13:7-8 (NIV)

Remember your leaders, who spoke the word of God to you. Consider the outcome of their way of life and imitate their faith. Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.

L: This is the Word of the Lord.

P: Thanks be to God.

Message by Bishop David Wilson

Hymn "The Church's One Foundation"

UMH#545

Joys & Concerns—Pastoral Prayer—The Lord's Prayer

Offering

Doxology "Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow" UMH 94

Offertory Prayer

Gracious and generous God, we thank You for the opportunity to participate in Your work of love and redemption in the world. May these gifts we offer today be used to further Your kingdom and to spread Your love to those in need. Bless the hands that give and the hearts that receive, that Your abundant grace may abound in our midst. Amen.

Closing Hymn

"God Be with You till We Meet Again"

UMH#672

Sending Forth

Go now in the blessed presence of the Triune God who cleanses you, calls you, and empowers you to be messengers of God's love in this world even as you are surrounded by God's all-consuming presence wherever you go. Amen.

Postlude Glen Haselbarth