



**United Methodist Church
340 N Newell Ave
Minden, Nebraska
Second Sunday after Pentecost
10:00 a.m.
June 2, 2024**

Welcome and Announcements

1. Pastor Peter's family is in South Korea until June 3. If you need to contact him, please email peterchoiminden@gmail.com.
2. The 2024 session of the Great Plains Annual Conference will be June 6-9 at Younes Center in Kearney, Nebraska. Please pray that it may be a time of bearing fruit.
3. 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.
4. Vacation Bible School will take place from June 23rd to the 27th, 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.'
5. The Kearney County Historical Society is sponsoring a program today at Windmill Studios at 2:00pm. Walt Miller is the speaker and his topic is about the Hastings Naval Ammunition Depot. Admission and refreshments are free.
6. Last weeks we received offerings of \$1,100.

Call to worship!

L: Welcome! This is a time to celebrate and worship God who loves us!

P: We are grateful and thankful for all God's blessings in our lives.

L: We gather to remember that Christ gave his life for us.

P: We humbly praise God for such a gift!

L: Come, friends! Come and worship the God of love and hope.

P: Praise be to God at all times and in all places! AMEN.

Opening Prayer

Holy God who created all that exists, we praise you. We open our hearts and our spirits this day to your eternal love and forgiving mercy. Be with us as we participate in this worship service. Remind us again that Jesus Christ gave his life that we might fully understand the depth and breadth of your love. In all things and at all times we praise you. AMEN.

Happy Birthday to
Sheila Anderson

Happy Anniversary to
Brad & Natalie
Janda—22 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

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday
9:30am Prayer Time
UMC Conference in
Kearney

Friday
UMC Conference in
Kearney

Saturday
UMC Conference in
Kearney

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

Silent Prayer of Confession

The Apostles' Creed (Ecumenical Version)

UMH#882

Opening Songs **"How Can I Keep From Singing" #19**
"Fill My Cup, Lord" W&S#3093

Passing the Peace of Christ

Children's Time

Scripture Reading

Kent Verbeck

Message
by
Tony Ratka

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

Offering

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

Offertory Prayer

Almighty God, we offer you these gifts of love. We are grateful for the extravagant grace that you have shown us in Jesus Christ, and we now return a portion of this abundance to you. Guide us to use it wisely for the building of your kingdom and for the proclamation of the gospel around the world. In the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Closing Song **"Great Is Thy Faithfulness" UMH#140**

Sending Forth

When you leave this place, go with confidence in God's gracious love and mercy. Go, ready to proclaim the good news and serve our Lord by caring for others. AMEN.