

EAGLE GROVE & GOLDFIELD UMC

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE AND BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

*CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER: JESUS SAID, "I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE."

PEOPLE: **WE ARE HUNGRY FOR THE BREAD OF HEAVEN.**

L: JESUS SAID, "THE BREAD OF GOD GIVES LIFE TO THE WORLD."

P: **WE ARE HUNGRY FOR ETERNAL LIFE.**

L: JESUS SAID, "I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE. WHOEVER COMES TO ME WILL NEVER BE HUNGRY, AND WHOEVER BELIEVES IN ME WILL NEVER BE THIRSTY."

P: **WE ARE HERE TO BECOME WHAT WE ALREADY ARE: THE BODY OF CHRIST, FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY WORLD.**

L: LET US WORSHIP TOGETHER, SEEKING THE NOURISHMENT THAT ONLY HE CAN PROVIDE.

OPENING PRAYER

HEAVENLY FATHER, WE GATHER THIS SUNDAY MORNING TO SEEK YOUR PRESENCE AND PREPARE OUR HEARTS FOR WORSHIP. YOU ARE THE GOD OF FORGIVENESS AND NEW BEGINNINGS WHO NOURISHES OUR SOULS WITH THE BREAD OF HEAVEN. JUST AS JESUS FED THE HUNGRY CROWDS, WE ASK THAT YOU FILL US WITH YOUR OPEN HEARTS TO YOUR COMPASSION AND GRACE AS WE COME TOGETHER IN WORSHIP. AMEN.

OPENING HYMN	MY HOPE IS BUILT	RED #368
AFFIRMATION OF FAITH	APOSTLES' CREED	RED #881
OLD TESTAMENT READING		EXODUS 16:2-4, 9-15
NEW TESTAMENT READING		EPHESIANS 4: 1-16
HYMN	WONDERFUL WORDS OF LIFE	RED #600
SCRIPTURE		JOHN 6: 24-35
RESPONSE	GLORY BE TO THE FATHER	RED #70
MESSAGE	PASTOR BANZA	"THE BREAD THAT SUSTAINS LIFE"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

LEADER: DEAR GOD, WE COME BEFORE YOU WITH HEAVY HEARTS, SEEKING YOUR MERCY AND FORGIVENESS.

PEOPLE: **LIKE DAVID, WE HAVE BEEN SELFISH AND GREEDY, DESIRING THINGS THAT DO NOT BELONG TO US, EVEN THOUGH WE HAVE ENOUGH.**

L: **WE HAVE FORGOTTEN YOUR PROMISE TO FILL US WITH THE BREAD OF LIFE.**

P: LIKE THE CROWD WHO FOLLOWED JESUS TO CAPERNAUM, WE HAVE FOCUSED ON SATISFYING OUR PHYSICAL NEEDS, INSTEAD OF SEEKING THE BREAD OF HEAVEN.

L: PLEASE FORGIVE US, WASH AWAY OUR SINS, AND MAKE US CLEAN.

P: DEAR GOD, HAVE MERCY ON US.

L: WHEN WE TURN AWAY FROM OUR SINS AND REPENT, YOU GIVE US NEW HEARTS AND SPIRITS. IN THE NAME OF CHRIST, WE ARE FORGIVEN.

P: IN THE NAME OF CRHIST, WE ARE FORGIVEN. ALL GLORY TO GOD. AMEN.

HYMN: FILL MY CUP LORD RED #641
(SING TWICE)

HOLY COMMUNION RED #13

OFFERTORY

DOXOLOGY RED #95

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN GOD BE WITH YOU UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN RED #467

BENEDICTION

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Due to the impact of water in the kitchen and fellowship hall from the July 6th storm, the salad luncheon scheduled for August 8th is **postponed**. More information will be available in the near future.

On Monday, August 5th, the church office will be open from 10:30 A.M. - 2:30 P.M. due to an appointment.

Vacation Bible School will be held on August 13th from 4:00 - 8:00 P.M. Nicole is looking for volunteers to help monitor the kids through different stations. Additionally, she is asking for donations of 16 oz. clear water bottles for a craft project. The registration form is available via the Facebook page or the link sent out to members. Please call the office if you have questions about how to register your child.

The "Blessing of the Backpacks" will be held during the service on August 25th. There will also be a children's story and noisy offering that day. A meeting will be held after the service regarding the after school program on Wednesdays.

The Missions Team is collecting materials for Midwest Missions. They are choosing to help create personal dignity kits and student kits. The lists previously posted are also available in the back of the sanctuary. Donations may be dropped off at the church during office hours or on Sunday mornings.

Greeters:

August 4th - Dirk and Denise Helmick
August 11th - Joe and Susan Stein

Birthdays:

August 6th - Alec Amonson, Melia Asche
August 8th - Easton Amonson, Weston Amonson

Acolytes:

August 4th -
August 11th -

Dial-A-Devotion:

August 6th - Sharon Seibert
August 13th - Melody Amonson