

November 17th, 2024

WELCOME

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRELUDE AND BRINGING IN THE LIGHT

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Give thanks to God!

People: We thank God for joy, for laughter, for abundant blessings of every kind.

Leader: Give thanks to God at all times and for everything!

People: We thank God, when we can and as we can, for struggles, for solitude, for fears.

Leader: Let us lift our voices in praise and gratitude!

People: We thank God that, in Christ, our joys as well as our pain, our losses as well as our laughter, are in God's heart and hands.

OPENING PRAYER

HYMN: Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing UMH #400

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: Apostles' Creed UMH # 881

CHILDREN'S TIME by Stacy Osborn

JOY AND PRAYER CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

SCRIPTURE READING by Stacy Osborn

OLD TESTAMENT: Psalm 111

NEW TESTAMENT: Colossians 3:15-17

HYMNAL: Great is Thy Faithfulness UMH #140

SCRIPTURE LESSON: Ephesians 5:17-20

***RESPONSE** Glory Be to the Father UMH # 70

MORNING MESSAGE: "Give Thanks in Every Season"

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

Heavenly Father, we come before You with humble hearts, acknowledging the times we have wandered from Your wisdom and failed to recognize Your presence in every season of our lives. Forgive us for moments of ingratitude and for allowing the challenges we face to overshadow the You bestow upon us. Help us to discern Your will and to embrace a spirit of thankfulness, even in trials, as we seek to understand and fulfill Your purpose. May our hearts be filled with songs of praise and gratitude, reflecting Your goodness and grace in all circumstances. In Jesus' name we pray. AMEN.

OFFERTORY

***DOXOLOGY** UMH # 95

HYMN: Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine UMH #369 vs. 1&3

BENEDICTION

SENDING OFF SONG: Give Thanks TFWS #2036 (2x)

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The children's Christmas program will be taking place on the morning of December 15th during worship.

Nicole is seeking donations of hay bales to use for the upcoming Christmas program. Please contact Nicole if you are able to donate!

The United Women of Faith are hosting a Fill the Pantry for Lotus Community Project. They provide residential housing for women and children in need from Fort Dodge and surrounding communities. We are asking for donations to be dropped off at the church November 17 - 24. As we give thanks for our blessings, let us give generously! Suggested items include: Cereal, canned goods, pasta, breakfast bars, plastic silverware, paper plates, light bulbs, laundry soap, cleaning supplies, body wash, conditioner, Lysol, gas cards, twin sheets and/or comforters.

Greeters:
November 24th - Korey and Jill Link

Acolytes:
November 24th - Jazmyne Camps

Scripture Readers:
November 24th - Jerry Becker

Children's Sermon
November 24th - Dave Poncin

Birthdays:
November 24th - Trice Meyer
November 25th - Ashton Hagen
November 30th - Jim Bartley

Dial-A-Devotion:
November 19th - Paul Wilde
November 26th - Kurt Knudsen

Meetings/Activities:
November 20th - Faith Formation - 4:30 P.M.
November 20th - Kids' Club, Confirmation, Youth Group
November 27th - Kids' Club, Confirmation, Youth Group
November 27th - Admin Council - 5:30 P.M.
November 28th - EGAMA Thanksgiving 11:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.
November 30th - Decorate for Advent

Eagle Gove United Methodist Church

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