

CALENDAR

December 8th- Church Potluck in the Fellowship Room after Worship Service
December 21st - Men's Breakfast in the Fellowship Room @ 8am

SERVICES

Class on Sundays @ 9:30 a.m.

Adult Class: **Bobbie Seals**- Auditorium
Women's Class: **Beth Crawford**- Class Room #3
High School Class: - Class Room #5
K-6th Grade: **Mary Munsell** - Class Room #1
Pre-K Class: **Linda Seals** - Class Room #2
Infant Class: - Class Room #7

Worship Service on Sunday at 10:30am

Class on Wednesdays @ 7 p.m.

Adult Class: **Roy Goddard**- Fellowship Room
High School Class: **Pete Tidei**- Room #5
Kids Class: **Linda Seals**- Room #2

TODAY'S THOUGHT

Close your eyes, clear your mind, and let it go. God has everything under control.



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December 2024

WELCOME!
Thank you for joining us today.

Serving Today

ANNOUNCEMENTS - **Drew Arnold**

SONG LEADER - **Ken Whaley**

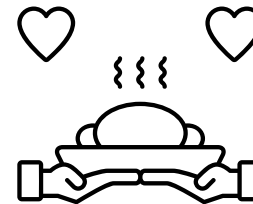
1st PRAYER - **James Tidei**

2nd PRAYER - **Scott Helgeson**

LORD'S SUPPER - **Gary Merritt**

READING - **Dalton McCoy**

CLOSING PRAYER - **Jerry Munsell**



Potluck

Today after services, in the Fellowship Room downstairs. Come join us for delicious food, and fun fellowship.



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Today's Reading

James 4:10

10. Humble yourselves in the sight of the Lord, and He will lift you up.

What Must I Do To Be Saved?

Hear- Rom. 10:17; Jn. 8:32
Believe- Jn. 8:24; Heb. 11:6
Repent- Luke 13:3; Acts 2:38
Confess- Acts 8:37; Rom 6:3,4
Baptized- Acts 2:38; Rom 6:3,4
Faithful- Act 2:42; Rev. 2:10

Today's Preacher

Roy Goddard

CHURCH FAMILY

Christmas Party—Mark your calendar for Saturday, December 14th (Sign-up sheet at the back of the worship room). We will gather downstairs in the fellowship room from 6-8 p.m. Meal will be provided, and we will also have a \$5 gift exchange. The following day, a Children's Christmas party will be held in the fellowship room immediately after Sunday services. Pizza and crafts will be provided. We will also be preparing bags for the seniors to be handed out.

PRAYER LIST

Gary Adams- (David and Sandy Hogins' friend) Passed away the morning of December 7th, in Grand Island, at the age of 71. Funeral service to be announced. Our thoughts and prayers go out to Gary's family and friends.

Lyndel Harms- (David and Sandy Hogins' friend) Was admitted to Kearney Regional on Friday, December 6th. Lyndel had a blood sugar count of 1,134 and a blood pressure of 50/40, he is septic and on a ventilator. Many prayers are needed for Lyndel's family and friends.

Kase Purdue- Counts were down again on Monday. Make-A-Wish trip was postponed until counts are under control. Kase is on his 4th blood transfusion.

Mark Schierling- Surgery on the 2nd of December went very well. He was experiencing pain in his elbow more so than his shoulder post-surgery.

Kiley McCoy- Waiting on appointments to be scheduled for a sleep study for more answers and a treatment plan. Prayers for relief and comfort while she waits.

David Worman- Will undergo cataract surgery on the 20th of December.

Chris Couch- (Elizabeth George's son) Prayers for medical issues he has been experiencing.

Lillie Crum- (Elton and Beth Schmidt's granddaughter) Surgery scheduled for the 16th of December for the other hip to be replaced.

Andrea Morris- (our church friend) Has met her PT requirements and is now back in Kearney for the rest of her recovery time.

Continue to Pray

Terry Seals- Cancer tests, this month.

Robin Wiles- (Gary's sister)- Is recovering from leg surgery.

Michael Morris- (Gary and Angela's son)- Asking for God's strength and guidance.

Larry Wiles- (Gary's brother)- Health-related issues.

Card Corner

Elaine Harms	Laurie Helgeson
Jeannie Seals	Bob Shearer
Diana Danielson	Gary Whaley
Kase Perdue	Robin Wiles

Stamped & addressed cards for those listed here and on our prayer list are available on the table in the back of the worship room.

Please contact Carmen Aufrecht with any changes or questions

DEVOTIONAL

WE are the Body

Roy Goddard

I love the illustration of the members of the church being a part of a body. We function as a body and we act as the body acts. Not that we can swing ourselves about in odd or humorous ways but that we act in unity. Your body is subject to whatever will or desire that you can think for it to do. Sometimes we overstretch the capabilities of our bodies and when that happens we tend to feel the strain all over the body, not just in the affected area. The last time I stubbed my little toe I felt it clear up into the tips of my ears. The reason that happens is because the body is connected in a very special way. 1 Corinthians 12:12-35 is where we see the Apostle Paul explaining to the church at Corinth that they are all a part of the Lord's body. The reason he had to explain this to them was because of the schism they had created among themselves. A schism is a division or separation between people. The Lord's body is not something that can have division inside of it due to the unity that Christ expects from those who follow Him (John 17:20-23).

A wise old man told me once that when members of the Lord's church start to use words like "I", "my" and "them" they begin to separate themselves from the other members of the congregation. Many times, this happens when there is a complaint about what happened during a church function (VBS, Potluck, Gospel meeting, etc.). "I wouldn't have done it like that" or "They did it all wrong." As a body that is unified and something fails, WE all fail and when something succeeds, WE all succeed. It is so important that if WE want to see the church grow and mature properly WE give our devotion to being unified in our actions. WE may have differing opinions, but with humility, WE make sure that WE listen to each other and put others first. WE are all in this together and WE show the world Godly love by how WE act as the body.

Church Text- If you don't get the bulletin text Saturday evening, text Linda. Also, if you'd like to sign up and start getting the bulletin links by text the night before, text Linda 308-293-7994.

ANY NEWS OR UPDATES?

Please **TEXT** items for the bulletin to:
308-234-9145

Serving 12/11

1st PRAYER
Jacob Munsell
SONG LEADER
Bobbie Seals
READING
Eddie Lee

Serving 12/15

PREACHER
Roy Goddard
ANNOUNCEMENTS
Drew Arnold
SONG LEADER
Skippy Norman
1st PRAYER
Joseph Morrow
2nd PRAYER
Dru Jensen
LORD'S SUPPER
Gary Merritt
READING
Riley Jones
CLOSING PRAYER
Elton Schmidt