CALENDAR

May 19th- Church Potluck in Fellowship Hall after Worship Service May 18th - Men's Breakfast in Fellowship Hall @ 8am

SERVICES

Class on Sundays @ 9:30 a.m.

Adult Class: **Wes Seals**- Auditorium/Sanctuary 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: - Fellowship Hall High School Class: **Pete Tidei**- Room #5 Kids Class: **Linda Seals/Mary Munsell** - Room #2

TODAY'S THOUGHT

God, if I'm not where you need me to be, I pray you lead me there.



19 May 2024

WELCOME! Thank you for joining us today.



Today's Reading

Philippians 1:21-24

21. For to me, to live is Christ and to die is gain. 22. But if I am to live on in the flesh, this will mean fruitful labor for me; and I do not know which to choose. 23. But I am hard-pressed from both directions, having the desire to depart and be with Christ, for that is very much better.

Serving Today

ANNOUNCEMENTS - Wes Seals

SONG LEADER - Doug Houtz

1st PRAYER - Gary Merritt

2nd PRAYER - Pete Tidei

LORD'S SUPPER - **David Hogins**

READING - Joseph Morrow

CLOSING PRAYER - Scott Helgeson

Today's Preacher

Calvin Arnold



Potluck

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

CHURCH FAMILY

Church Camp- This Saturday May 25th, work day. The camp needs help with a good number of jobs, big and small, to prepare for the many children that enjoy their summer days learning about God's love.

Many thanks!!- To all that helped with Orlin Wentz's funeral reception. We appreciate all the food that was prepared, and the one's that were able to help serve. Thank you for your servant heart. Also a huge thank you to Countryside Christian church for collaborating with us for Orlin's celebration of life.

Thank you!!- Judy Largent, for being so thoughtful and for every hour of love you poured into making shawls for the women of our congregation. Please see Linda if you would like to receive one of these beautiful creations. if you would like to send a thank you card, or we miss you, address is as follows-Dennis & Judy Largent; 305 Connie way; Cantonment, FL 32533

PRAYER LIST

Jason & Lora Amick- A celebration of life will be held for their daughter Calista Amick today May 19th at 2 p.m. Calista passed away last week from Dravet syndrome, she was 16. You may send donations in her honor to https://dravetfoundation.org/donate/ or condolence letters to 2204 W. Division Street Grand Island, NE 68803. Please pray for the Amick's as they lay her to rest.

Kim Whaley- Answered prayers! Kim is recovering! Her arm hurts a bit but is healing.

Lillie- Answered prayers as well! She has been moving around without assistance from her walker, and feeling less pain than before. God is good!!

Tony Hambright- (Beth Crawford's brother) He has been improving since he was moved to Dallas. They were able to do an ablation Thursday May 16th, which helped the afib, however his heart is still not pumping the way it should be. Many prayers for Tony and his family in his time of need.

Paula Golden- She is requesting prayers for her daughter Tarasha, who is facing many difficulties in her life at this present time. Paula would also like to request prayers on her behalf while she battles diabetes.

Anita Clark- (Carmen Aufrecht's sister) Her surgery went well. There was a lot to repair, so the surgery was quite extensive. Recovery will take a while, she is doing as well as can be expected. Carmen and Anita thank you for the prayers.

John Foster- Wednesday May 15th, John was moved to Hilltop Estates Rehabilitation Center. Please send words of encouragement to John as well as Phyllis. Johns new address is as follows: Hilltop Estates; 2520 Ave. M; Gothenburg, NE 69138; Room 401. This was a very quick transition and will be an adjustment for both Phillis and John, Please keep them in your prayers.

Card Corner

Elaine Harms Laurie Helgeson Jeannie Seals Bob Shearer John Foster Gary Whaley Richard and Diana Danielson Stamped & addressed cards for those listed here and on our prayer list are available in the south corner of the foyer.

Please contact Carmen Aufrecht with any changes or questions

DEVOTIONAL

On Mission with God

Henry & Richard Blackaby

Missions is God finding those whose hearts are right with Him and placing them where they can make a difference for His kingdom. Some of the great missionaries in history did not live long lives, but their lives dramatically affected eternity.

God had access to Philip, and the book of Acts gives the exciting account of how God used Philip's life to take the gospel to the ends of the earth. Philip was preaching powerfully in the city of Samaria (Acts 8:5). So mightily did God use him that the entire city was rejoicing at the miracles God was doing (Acts 8 6-8). This would be an evangelist's fondest desire, to see an entire city responding to the gospel through his preaching. Yet Philip was not activity-centered in his Christian life. He was God centered. Philip was not preoccupied with expanding his reputation as a great preacher or miracle worker; he was concerned that his life remain in the center of God's activity. When he was instructed to leave his fruitful ministry, he did not hesitate (Acts 8:27).

God continues to seek those as responsive as Philip to go on mission with Him. The reason God has not brought great revival to more places is not that He is unable or that He is unwilling. He first looks for those willing to have their lives radically adjusted away from their self-centered activities and placed into the center of God's activity around the world. Have we seen the activity of God around us? What is God presently inviting us to do? How are we responding?

The Spirit told Philip, "Go and join that chariot". -Acts 8:29

Church Text- Realm is dropping this service so we are trying some other vendors. If you don't get the bulletin text Saturday evening, text Linda or text Dan. Also, if you'd like to sign up and start getting the bulletin links by text the night before, text Dan 308-293-7744, or Linda 308-293-7994.

ANY NEWS OR UPDATES?

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

Serving 5/22

1st PRAYER
Pete Tidei
SONG LEADER
Elton Schmidt
READING
Bobbie Seals

Serving 5/26

PREACHER
Calvin Arnold
ANNOUNCEMENTS
Wes Seals
SONG LEADER
Ken Whaley
1st PRAYER

Jerry Munsell
2nd PRAYER
Elton Schmidt
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