

CALENDAR

September 8th - Church Potluck in Fellowship Room after Worship Service

September 21st - Men's Breakfast in Fellowship Room @ 8am

SERVICES

Class on Sundays @ 9:30 a.m.

Adult Class: **Roy Goddard**- 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: **Ken Whaley**- Fellowship Hall
High School Class: **Pete Tidei**- Room #5
Kids Class: **Linda Seals/Mary Munsell** - Room #2

TODAY'S THOUGHT

Life is about discovering who God created you to be.



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WELCOME!
Thank you for joining us today.

Serving Today

ANNOUNCEMENTS - **Jerry Munsell**

SONG LEADER - **Skippy Norman**

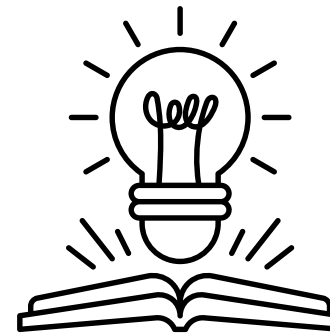
1st PRAYER - **Ben Hirschfeld**

2nd PRAYER - **Pete Tidei**

LORD'S SUPPER - **Gary Wiles**

READING - **Dalton McCoy**

CLOSING PRAYER - **Wes Seals**



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Today's Reading

Foolishness Saves Us

1 Corinthians 1:21

21. For since, in the wisdom of God, the world through wisdom did not know God, it pleased God through the foolishness of the message preached to save those who believe.

Today's Preacher

Roy Goddard

DEVOTIONAL

Christ is the Stand-In for Everybody

Richard Rohr

Paul seldom leaves the message at the level of "believe this fact about Jesus." He always moves it to "This is what it says about you!" or "This is what it says about history!" Until we are pulled into the equation, we find it hard to invest ourselves in a distant religious belief.

Paul normally writes of "Christ"- which includes all of creation- for he never knew Jesus in the flesh, but only the eternal body of Christ. Christ crucified is all the hidden, private, tragic pain of history made public and given over to God. Christ Resurrected is all suffering received, loved, and transformed by an all-caring God. How else could we have any kind of cosmic hope? How else would we not die of sadness for what humanity has done to itself and what we have done to one another?

The cross is the standing statement of what we do to one another and to ourselves. The resurrection is the standing statement of what God does for us in return.

Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of all who fall asleep. - 1 Corinthians 15:20

PRAYER LIST

Cindy Houtz- Was admitted to Kearney Regional Hospital yesterday, with signs of a possible stroke. Please keep Cindy and family in our prayers.

Jeanne Carver- Six hour back surgery went well. She is expected to stay 5 days in the hospital for recovery. If you would like to send Jeanne a message of encouragement, her address is as follows; 8515 Hackamore Dr., Kearney, Ne. 68845. Hospital address Anschutz Inpatient Pavillion; 12605 E 16th, room 725 Aurora, CO. 80045

Sarabeth Tidei- Was admitted to the hospital Wednesday afternoon with pain in her side. She was dismissed that evening with the diagnosis of kidney stones. Please keep Sarabeth in your prayers, it is a very painful process to rid the body of these obstructions.

Jim Aufrecht- (Dave Aufrecht's brother) Was placed on a ventilator and sedated for several days, earlier this month after his heart had stopped. As of Friday August 16th the tube was removed and he is breathing on his own. He is not able to communicate, but is slowly improving. Prayers for Jim.

Reed Munsell- (Jerry's Father) Having trouble breathing. He's 98, and has had many health issues to overcome through his years. Prayers for comfort.

Abby Flores- (Eddie and Dee Lee's granddaughter) Was admitted to the Hospital in Geneva Illinois a week ago for abdominal pain. They cannot find the source. Please pray that the doctors are able to find the issue and ways to heal it quickly.

Card Corner

Elaine Harms
Jeannie Seals
Diana Danielson

Laurie Helgeson
Bob Shearer
Gary Whaley

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

CHURCH FAMILY

Secret Sisters- Today will be the last day to sign up for our Secret Sisters. If you are still interested, the sign up sheet is in the back of the Worship Room. Secret Sisters will be set in motion on September 1st.

Jordan Family- Would like to thank everyone for the prayers and flowers in their time of need. They were greatly appreciated.

Oh baby!!- We will have a baby shower table in the back of the Worship Room for Jada and Tucker Hartman's baby boy. Little one is expected to arrive the end of October.

Rackley's- Nathan and Mary are expecting their first born in January of 2025. Congratulations!

Disc Golf Tournament- Singles tournament August 25th. Registration closes August 23rd. It will be held at Nebraska Youth Camp, and there is a \$30 registration fee. This is a fundraiser for the camp. You may register on FB or discgolfsce.com, any questions please see Jake Munsell.

Dads-n-Lads- 2024 retreat will be held at Nebraska Youth Camp, September 6th-8th. Registration fee is \$70 Dad & 1 Lad, \$5 for each additional person. You may register on line @ www.dadslads.org, or email greg@dadslads.org

Midwest Youth Rally- Attendees will be here September 1st to bring our Worship service. We look forward to this time with them each year they come to fellowship with us.

Welcome Roy Goddard- Our Elders are looking at Roy to be our prospective Minister for the congregation. If you have any comments, or questions please call, text or visit our Elders at the building today at 2 p.m. The numbers for the Elders are as follows. Drew Arnold 308-325-2112; Jerry Munsell 402-469-2155 Peter Tidei 224-419-1980; Bobbie Seals 308-236-9051; Wes Seals 308-440-2381.

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 8/21

1st PRAYER
Bobbie Seals
SONG LEADER
Kinneth Crawford
READING
David Hogins

Serving 8/25

PREACHER
Michael Case
ANNOUNCEMENTS
Jerry Munsell
SONG LEADER
Ken Whaley
1st PRAYER
Gary Merritt
2nd PRAYER
Doug Houtz
LORD'S SUPPER
James Tidei
READING
Mark Schierling
CLOSING PRAYER
Joseph Morrow