

We believe the Bible is the Word of God and the only perfect rule for faith, doctrine, and conduct.

We believe in the necessity of the New Birth, and a continuing life in fellowship with our Living Lord, Jesus Christ.

We believe we “are blessed to be a blessing.” We seek to **BLESS** others as we:

- Begin with prayer,
- Listen with care,
- Eat together,
- Serve with love, and
- Share our story.

**Opportunities Coming this September:** A separate signup sheet for each of these opportunities can be found on the desk in the narthex

1) ***Immerse*** will read through the history of Israel beginning with the Old Testament book of Joshua. One group will meet at East Park Villa and another during our Thursday “Brown Bag Bible Study.”

2) **“Confirmation for Adults”** is a two year study of the beliefs, and the relevance, of the Christian faith. Class will meet on Sunday mornings at 8:30 am beginning on September 9<sup>th</sup>.

3) **Beyond our 4 Walls...** will involve off-site events for outreach, fellowship, and personal rejuvenation.

We invite YOU to be involved in these opportunities.

**2018 Directory Correction:** the address should read...

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August 26, 2018

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# Welcome

## We Gather in God's Name

Jesus asks His disciples, "Who do people say I am?" Then Jesus asks them, "Who do you say I am?" That same question is put to us. "Who do we say that Jesus is?" We also face the question, "How do we live our lives differently because of our answer?"

## We Prepare Our Hearts

Welcome/Announcements/Choosing Hymns

\* Gathering Song(s) -

\* Invocation and Lord's Prayer (sins)

## We Hear God's Word

Matthew 16:13-20

New Testament, p. 24

Romans 12:1-8

New Testament, p. 215

**Choir** - *Soon and Very Soon*

(Children through grade 5 are dismissed to Sunday School)

**Message** - "A Living Sacrifice"

## We Respond to God's Grace

\*Hymn -

Prayer

Offering

## We Are Sent Forth with God's Blessing

\* Sending Song -

\* Blessing

\*Please stand if you are able.

# Update

Week of August 26 - September 2, 2018

## **Sunday, August 26, 2018**

10:00 am.....Worship/Children's Sunday School

11:00 am..... Coffee Hour

7:00 pm ..... Ingathering Planning Team Meeting  
@ Marlin & Nancy Seeman's

## **Wednesday, August 29, 2018**

2:30 pm ..... Confirmation Class

7:00 pm ..... Choir

## **Sunday, September 2, 2018**

10:00 am.....Worship/Children's Sunday School

11:00 am..... Fellowship Hour

Greeters -Tina & Karl Larson

Nursery - Nancy Seeman

Children's Sunday School - Marlin Seeman

**Today's Hymns:** This morning YOU can request a hymn to be sung during our worship service. Please be ready with your request at the beginning of the service.

## TODAY

Pastor - Karl Larson

Leader - Marsha Pawley

Choir - Ashley Lawton

Scripture - Michelle Small

Organ - Lorey Wadell

Sound - Steve Pawley

Greeter - Carol Thomas

Nursery - Kim Crabtree

Children's Sunday School - Nancy Seeman