

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.

Progressive Dinner – Sunday, February 23rd: please RSVP by placing your name on the signup sheet in the narthex.

Ash Wednesday Prayer Vigil – February 26th: you are invited to be a part of our Ash Wednesday Prayer Vigil. You may pray at church or at home. A signup poster is in the narthex.

Wednesday Evening Lenten Suppers will begin on March 4th and will continue through April 1st.

Congratulations! to Dr. Jenn Harney & Clay Dirkschneider on the birth of Milo Dirkschneider on Tuesday, February 4th. Milo joins his brother Finn. The proud grandparents are Philip & Julie Shively and Daryl & Leslie Harney. The proud great-grandmother is Mary Jane Harney.

Church Garage Sale: As you sort closets, drawers, etc. during these cold days when we can't be outside, please consider donating any items you feel could be repurposed for our **Church Garage Sale!** It is to be held on **July 10-11** at our church in conjunction with the community-wide garage sale in town. If you do not want to store those items until July, you may bring them to the church choir room in boxes or sacks or furniture. Thanks for considering this money-maker for our church and making plans to donate! Contact Ashley Lawton or Nancy Seeman if you have questions.



February 16, 2020

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Welcome

This Morning's Scripture

Psalm 137

Isaiah 49:8-16a

Matthew 6:24-34

Message - "God's Memory Aid"

Reviewing "BLESS" ...

1. Begin with Prayer: *Helplessness and Faith*
2. Listen with Care: *Passion and Compassion*
3. Eat Together: *Acceptance without Approval*
4. Serve with Love: *Beyond "Sacrificial" Living*
5. Share Your Story: *Share the "Big Story"*

Do you feel the Lord has *blessed* your life? If so, how?

Can you remember a time when you were *forgotten*?
What did that *feel* like?

The Israelites *felt* forgotten in Babylon. Isaiah gave the Israelites a powerful image to tell them otherwise.

How might we keep ourselves aware that you are remembered?

Update

Week of February 16 - February 23, 2020

Sunday, February 16, 2020

NO Adult Sunday School

10:00 am Worship/Children's Sunday School

11:00 am Fellowship Hour

Monday, February 17, 2020 - President's Day

Wednesday, February 19, 2020

2:30 pm Confirmation

6:00 pm Youth Group @ the Larson's

Thursday, February 20, 2020

12:00 pm Brown Bag Bible Study

6:30 pm Action Team @ the Pawley's

Sunday, February 23, 2020

8:30 am Adult Sunday School

10:00 am Worship/Children's Sunday School

11:00 am Fellowship Hour

11:30 am Executive Committee

Serving in Worship Today

Pastor - Karl Larson

Leader - Butch Lewin

Reader - Jo Gakemeier

Piano - Marsha Pawley

Greeter - Kim Crabtree

Nursery - Julie Shively

Children's Sunday School - Philip Shively

Tina Larson, and Ella Sandstrom