

# First United Methodist Church 610 E 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue Miller, SD 57362



Pastor Teresa Whetsel 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost

Collin Otteson, Organist June 6, 2021

"If you ... should mark iniquities, Lord, who could stand? But there is forgiveness with you".

Thank you, dear God, for your grace, that I may come before you without fear.

Welcome & Announcements:

Centering Song: "Who Is My Mother, Who Is My Brother" #2225

#### **Call to Worship:**

One: We look to the rulers of this earth

Many: for leadership, wisdom, and strength.

One: We look to these bodies of ours

Many: for stability, fulfillment, and joy.

One: We look to families and friends

Many: for love, compassion, and hope. One: When rulers betray, when bodies fail, Many: and when families disappoint,

One: God offers another look.

Many: God will guide us.

One: God's Spirit will sustain us.

Many: Christ will welcome us home. One: Come, my sisters and brothers, Many: we are all God's family now.

#### Opening Prayer:

Mother-Father God, uphold us in this time of worship. Sister-Brother Christ, gather us in your loving embrace. Wise, fiery Spirit, teach us the mysterious nature of relationships rejected, reclaimed, rewritten, renewed. May we feel in our very bones, Loving One, that we are your children, your family, your beloved. In loving trust, we pray. Amen.

Psalm Reading: Psalm 138 #853

Offering:

Doxology:

#### Offertory Prayer:

Holy and forgiving God, it is easy for our lives to become singularly focused on our families, yet you call us to a broader understanding of family. We prioritize our money around the needs of our families and especially our children, and you challenge us to a global view of family and to look at all children with the love we look on those who live under our roof. As we give to you, open our eyes to see the wider family; our ears to hear the cries of hurting, hungry children; our hearts to experience the extravagantly generous love you pour down on us. We pray in the name of your son, our brother, Jesus. Amen.

Hymn: "This Is My Father's World" #144

Scripture Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1, Mark 3:20-35

Message: Joe Fiala Being Renewed

Joys & Concerns

Silent Prayer

**Pastoral Prayer** 

## Lord's Prayer:

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Hymn: "Bring Forth the Kingdom" #2190

Benediction:

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## **Prayer List:**

Ida Moser – LaVerta Palmer (Huron) / Virginia Burgher -Dorothy Fawcett - Violet Moncur - Don & Eleanor Steptoe (MGSC) /Helen Dalton (TX)

Others: Steve Danburg - Rita & Aaron Ellsworth –
Steve Ellsworth - Arlette Heitzman - Del & Doris Jury
Jim Keeter, Sr. – Gene & Ila Norton – Rick Norton
Lloyd Schwartz – Doris Slunecka - Doug Testerman

**PLEASE** contact the church or the Pastor to add or remove names from prayer list or to request a call from Pastor Teresa.

# Welcome to worship, dear family of God!



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