

First United Methodist Church 610 E 4th Avenue Miller, SD 57362



Pastor Teresa Whetsel Ordinary Time Collin Otteson, Organist October 18, 2020

Jesus, you told the Pharisees to "give to God what is God's".

Show me how to give my whole self to you, for I am yours.

Welcome & Announcements

*Praise Song: "When Morning Gilds the Skies"

Opening Prayer:

Christ Jesus, we come into your presence from many different places. We come with songs of joy and shouts of gratitude. We come carrying heavy burdens and sighs of suffering. As you welcome us into your house, lift our burdens and receive our praise. Salt us with your grace and flavor us with your mercy. Bind us together, that we may be at peace with one another and be strengthened to go forth in service to the world. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

Psalm Reading: Psalm 124

Children's Time

Offering

*Doxology

Offertory Prayer:

Maker of heaven and earth, you are our help and our salvation. In celebration of your great and mighty deeds, we offer you our tithes and offerings this day. May they be signs of our commitment to share what we have with the poor and to honor your presence in our lives. In your holy name, we pray. Amen.

Scripture Reading: James 5:13-20

Message On the Way Home

Joys/Concerns

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.

*Closing Hymn "Lord, Speak to Me"

*Benediction

In these days of "social distancing" we need to be intentional in our care for one another. Remember to pray for each other. Also phone calls and greeting cards can mean so much for those who are shut in.

Prayer List:

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

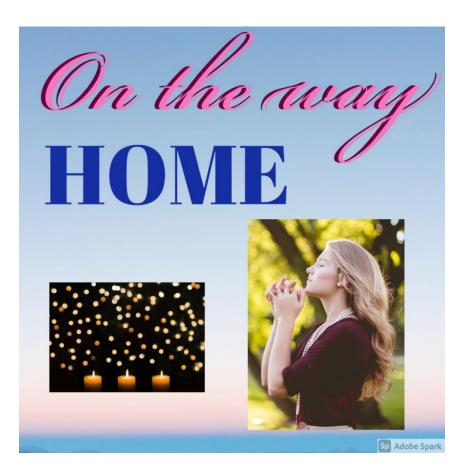
Others: Merle Bertsch- Norma Carr — Steve Danburg-Rita & Aaron Ellsworth — Steve Ellsworth - DeAnn Hargens-Arlette Heitzman - Terri Henson — Marsha Howard — Truman Patrick Howard — Del & Doris Jury — Jim Keeter, Sr. — Wilber Lerew — Gene & Ila Norton — Rick Norton — Lloyd Schwartz — Bob & Karen Steptoe - Doug Testerman — Amber VanDerWerff — Del VanZee

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

Our church is open for in-person worship. We have protocol in place to do our best to keep one another safe: seating will be socially distanced, we encourage the use of hand sanitizer, and wearing masks. If you desire not to wear a mask, you will be asked to sit in the fellowship hall. If you are not yet comfortable being in groups, please know the worship service will be livestreamed for you to worship from home. If you worship from home you will need to print off or pick up your bulletin at the church prior to Sunday.

We gather as one body, with Christ as the head. Each of you brings unique abilities and contributions to our worship and ministry.

Thank you for being here, and welcome.



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