

July 26, 2026

Video Introduction

Welcome and Announcements

Prelude

*Call to Worship

from Revelation 3

All: These are the words of the Amen, the faithful and true witness, the ruler of God's creation. I know your deeds, that you are neither cold nor hot. I wish you were either one or the other! So, because you are lukewarm—neither hot nor cold—I am about to spit you out of my mouth. You say, 'I am rich; I have acquired wealth and do not need a thing.' But you do not realize that you are wretched, pitiful, poor, blind and naked. I counsel you to buy from me gold refined in the fire, so you can become rich; and white clothes to wear, so you can cover your shameful nakedness; and salve to put on your eyes, so you can see. Those whom I love I rebuke and discipline. So be earnest and repent. Here I am! I stand at the door and knock. If anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with them, and they with me.

*Opening Hymn "Move in Our Midst" Blue Hymnal 418

*Centering Prayer Blue Hymnal 737

*Praise Medley on screen, guitar

Old Testament Lesson Psalm 113:1-3 Pew Bible 874

Offering Meditation

Leader: "Consider the lilies...look at the birds of the air" Jesus pulls our attention away from our worries about scarcity, and turns our gaze toward the beautiful gifts of God's creation, signs of abundance and grace surrounding us always. Trust may be difficult for us, as it was for those early disciples, yet we bring our gifts this morning with the assurance of God's care for us every morning of our lives. **ALL: Let us gather our gifts together and offer them to God in gratitude and praise.**

Offering

Doxology

"Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, you Heavenly Host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen."

Prayer of Blessing

Children's Story

Millie Baker

Sing "Jesus Loves the Little Children" as the kids come forward

Sharing of Joys and Prayer Concerns

Hymn "Spirit Of God! Descend" Blue Hymnal 502 v. 2

Morning Prayer

Special Music

Pastor Mark & Skylar

Scripture 1 Corinthians 3:10-15 Pew Bible 1625

Message "The Cheap Seats" Pastor Mark

*Closing Hymn "I Love you Lord" on screen

*Benediction

*Closing chorus on screen

Postlude

**Please stand if you are able*

VISITORS

Welcome to our service today!

We encourage first time visitors to fill out a pink card located in the pew rack and take it to the Welcome Center after worship.

Restrooms are available at the back of the sanctuary (handicapped accessible with baby changing station), outside the fellowship hall at top of ramp and on our lower level (down the stairs near the entrance, then to your right).

The Calm Room in the back of the sanctuary is available for families to use if you need a quiet, private space for children.

Please Uplift in Prayer

Gloria, Dolores Beard, Janet Ecker, Dale & Lisa Dickensheets,
April Endor, Evelyn Dickensheets

Announcements

Offering Emphasis for July: Habitat for Humanity.

August Newsletter: Pick one up today.

Cancellation: Pillow club is canceled for this week, July 30th and will resume Thursday, August 6th.

Bible Study Cancellation: No Bible Study Tuesday, August 4.

Vacation Dates: Pastor Mark will be out of the office July 31 through August 4.

CKV Chicken BBQ & Car Show: August 8 from 10:30 until sold out. Includes half chicken, baked potato, roll, applesauce. Cost is \$13.00. Deadline to pre-order is Tuesday, July 28. Jim & Carol will again open their house for all to gather for a time of fellowship. Questions, see Cindy Goodling.

Game Night: Friday, August 21 at 6 pm. Please bring a snack to share!

Blessing of the Backpacks: Sunday, August 23.

Outdoor Trim Repair: The Property and Finance Commission is having the dentil trim (wood trim under the soffit) of the church repaired and painted. The cost is \$9,750. If you would like to make a donation towards this repair, just write 'wood trim' or 'dentil trim' on your envelope or check. Thank you!

Budget Worksheets: Due to the office by Sunday, August 23.

Attendance Last Week

Sunday School - 29 Worship - 70

Giving Last Week

General- \$2,038 Building Rental- \$126

Memorial Gifts- \$200 Habitat- \$85

(Budget Need Per Week - \$4,202)

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Activities This Week

Sunday, July 26

Monday, July 27

Tuesday, July 28

Thursday, July 30

SS - 9:00 am/Worship - 10:30 am

Line Dance - 6 pm

Al Anon - 7 pm

AA - 8 pm

Crafts - 9 am

Upcoming Activities

Sunday, Aug 2

Monday, Aug 3

Tuesday, Aug 4

Thursday, Aug 6

SS - 9:00 am/Worship - 10:30 am

Line Dance - 6 pm

Al Anon - 7 pm

AA - 8 pm

Bread of Life - 6 pm

Assisting Us

Worship Leader

Music Director/Pianist

Organist

Deacons of the Month/Welcomers

Head Usher

Cindy Bollinger

Roxie Schloyer

Bev Wolf

Dick & Sue Ambrosius

Roger Bollinger