Welcome Visitors

Thank you for worshipping with us today! If you, or others you know, have a need that we may help you with, please let us know. No matter what the situation, there is hope in Christ Jesus and it is our goal to Share him here.

Visitor Information

Please take a minute to fill out the information below & return to greeter.

Date:	
Name:	
Address:	
City:	_State:
Phone:	
Children:	

How may we serve y	ou? (please circle)
1st time visitor	New to Area
Returning visitor	Would like a vis
Place membership	Want to know mor
Prayers:	

Those to Keep Wrapped in Your Prayers:

Military Nova Deckman's Brother: **Billy Harris** Mike & Glenda Petersen's Son: Nate Petersen Marge Rickertsen Deb Elam's Son & Daughter-in Evalina Holcomb -law: Jon & Lynn Kinney

College Students Jacob Duncan Ethan Leinen Luke Martin Madi Martin **Rachel Smith** Mason Ogle

Areas to Serve

Today November 13th		
Greeters	Lori Seilstad	
	Caroline Seilstad	
Parking Lot	John Leighton	
Call to Worship	Troy Kinney	
Opening Prayer	Jake Sola	
Song Leader	Troy Kinney	
Table Talk	Jonah Leinen	
Table Prayers	Bob Helton	

Table Servers

Closing Prayer

Announcements

Benevolence

Shut-ins

Delores Bolte

Amanda Larson

Eunice Peoples

Next Week November 20th Greeters Glenda Petersen Carol Koletzke Jack Loftus Parking Lot Call to Worship Bill Leinen **Opening Prayer** Jonah Leinen Song Leader Thad Kinney Table Talk Garth Hilton Parker Seilstad Table Prayers John Leighton Table Servers Christian Adams Ryan Schulenberg Closing Prayer **Bob** Helton

Rick Ogle

Parker Seilstad

Justin Leinen

Nova Deckman

David Montague

Dylan Ford

Ministries Jack Loftus Media

Facilities & Safety Keith Smith Rick Ogle Children Jonah Leinen

Garth Hilton

Keith Smith

Dylan Ford

Brent Robbins

David Holcomb

Discipleship Bill Leinen Education

Troy Kinney Finance

Bill Leinen Brian Deckman Worship Services

> Woman's Ministries Andrea Leinen

Secretary

Teens

Announcements

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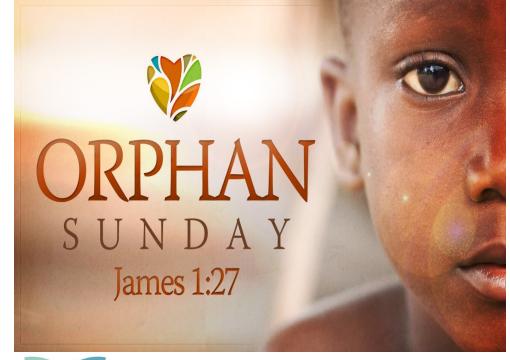
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CHURCH OF CHRIST

We are a Bible centered, unified family of believers called to an ever-deepening relationship with Christ. We will pursue Christ through study, prayer, and fellowship. We recognize that we are sent to the larger community surrounding us to plant the seed of the Gospel and to demonstrate God's love and Christ's life.

NOVEMBER 13TH, 2022





Sundays		1st and 3rd Mondays	
Bible Class All Ages	9am	Men's Bible Study at Building	TBA
Worship	10am	Women's Bible Study at Building	TBA
Life Groups	TBA		
All Church		Wednesday	
Fellowship Lunch	TBA	Bible Class All ages	7pm

Orphan Sunday

Religion that God our Father accepts as pure and faultless is this: to look after orphans and widows in their distress and to keep oneself from being polluted by the world.—James 1 :27

All of us inherited an orphan spirit from Adam and Eve, who lost their home and inheritance when they sinned against God and had to leave Eden (Genesis 3). They damaged their relationship with God, with each other, and with God's creation. But God has worked steadily to restore that relationship ever since.

There are times when each of us can detect the orphan spirit within. It happens when we feel as if we don't belong, or when we feel we cannot relax and be ourselves. We believe we have to work to receive all that will come our way, because there is no inheritance. Our identity is not secure, so we invest heavily in our appearance and other physical things.

God the Father has made reconciliation possible through Jesus, his Son. Jesus willingly came from heaven to earth, emptied himself to become a human servant, living among us and suffering for our sake to pay the price for our sin. Jesus is in union and fellowship with the Father and the Holy Spirit. He is secure and at home with his Father, and because of him we can "become children of God" (John 1:13).

The cross stands in history because God wants his children back. He does not want to leave us as orphans but calls us back to him. Our orphan heart can be replaced with a son's or daughter's heart. Has your heart been replaced?

Congregational Scripture Reading James 1:27

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Family News & Updates

Orphan Sunday

Today's service, Orphan Sunday, will be focused on reviewing our mission work done in 2022. There will be a special collection taken during service for these works.

For Your Convivence

Our church has a QR code for a quick and easy option to give for weekly contributions or special collections such as Orphan Sunday. If you would like to earmark a donation just add a note under your donation amount.

Congregational Potluck

Friends and family please join us today following services for a all church potluck luncheon. Come enjoy a great time of fellowship.

Ladies Brunch

Ladies, please mark your calendar for the next ladies brunch Tuesday, December 13th at 10:30 am in the home of Pat Dwyer.

Thanksgiving Meals

Our sign up has been filled to provide a meals to 14 families within our community. Please bring the items back to the building by November 20th. The meals will be distributed the 21st. Questions can be directed to Jack Loftus.

Family Updates

Please take some time this week to be in prayer for those prayer requests that brought forward last Sunday: Elaine Torneton, who is still regaining strength and recovering from her heart surgery; Elaine Torneton's grandson in law who is having 4th surgery for cancer; Nancy S is recovering from covid; Austin asking for patience with family situation; Carol Pantoja was admitted to hospital for her heart; John and Paulette Leighton.

November Birthdays & Anniversaries

- 14th Jeannie Smith
- 17th Troy & Caronna Kinney
- 20th Leon Dwyer
- 22nd Marv Cameron 23rd Roger Slyter
- 23rd Roger Slyt 24th Rick Ogle
- 28th Nova Deckman

Elders

 Troy Kinney
 402-510-5267

 Bill Leinen
 712-325-8234

Minister

Brian Deckman 918-809-0681



Please Pray for

Elaine Torneton heart surg recovery Paulette's health John Leighton Elaine Torneton Grandson cancer surg Carol Pantoja Hospital for heart Austin Hunter Patience with family David Holcomb Aunt Edie passed Jake Sola Gpa Jim Cancer Lori Seilstad Vivian Health Dialysis/health Carol Pantoja Evalina Holcomb health strength/health Mason Ogle cancer/dialysis Brian Deckman father/cancer radiation Rvan S. Delores Bolte Duane's health Jason Leinen protection and health Ukraine Church protection

College Students Military Shut-ins Eldership

> Prayers Requests & Announcements