# 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.

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Date:				
Name:				
Address:				
City:	State:			
Phone:				
Children:				
How may we serve you? (please circle)				
1st time visitor	New to Area			
Returning visitor	Would like a visit			
Place membership	Want to know more			
Prayers:				

# Those to Keep Wrapped in Your Prayers:

**Shut-ins** 

Delores Bolte Amanda Larson Eunice Peoples

#### **Military**

Nova Deckman's Brother:
Billy Harris
Mike & Glenda Petersen's Son:
Nate Petersen

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Deb Elam's Son & Daughter-in
-law: Jon & Lynn Kinney

#### **College Students**

Jacob Duncan Ethan Leinen Luke Martin Evelyn Fulmer Mason Ogle

#### Areas to Serve

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Today May 12th Next Week May 19th					
Greeters	Mary Cameron	Greeters	Jen Sola		
	Sue Cameron		Jeff Sola		
Nursery	Taylor Perez	Nursery	Terri Montague		
Parking Lot	Jonah Leinen	Parking Lot	Rick Ogle		
Call to Worship	Troy Kinney	Call to Worship	Bill Leinen		
Opening Prayer	Matt Ogle	Opening Prayer	Dick Sladky		
Song Leader Table Talk	Troy Kinney Dylan Ford	Song Leader Table Talk	Thad Kinney		
Table Prayers	Bob Helton	Table Prayers	Troy Kinney Dylan Ford		
Table Trayers	Justin Leinen	Table Trayers	Jonah Leinen		
Table Servers	Matt Ogle	Table Servers	Conner Adamas		
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Closing Prayer	David Montague	Closing Prayer	Roman Perez		
Announcements	Rick Ogle	Announcements	Parker Seilstad		
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Troy Kinney/Eld		Jonah Leinen	712-314-2198		
Bill Leinen/Elde		Rick Ogle	402-515-7785		
Brian Deckman	918-809-0681	David Montague Dylan Ford	402-613-1827		
/Minister		Dylali Folu	531-301-4252		
Ministries					
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Benevolence	Jack Loftus	Media I	Parker Seilstad		
Facilities & Safety Outreach & Missions					
Keith Smith			Justin Leinen		
	Rick Ogle				
Children	Ionah Lainan	Secretary 1	Nova Deckman		
Children	Jonah Leinen	Teens I	Oylan Ford		
Discipleship	Bill Leinen	1 CCIIS	Sylain Poru		
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Education	Bill Leinen	747 , 747			
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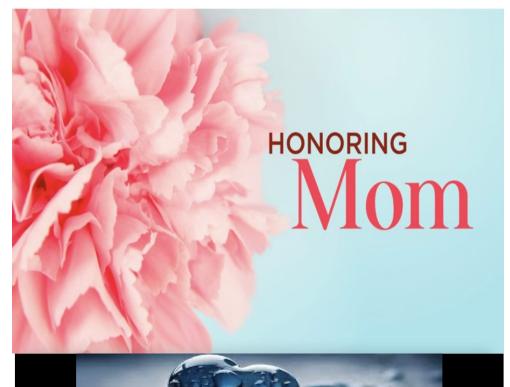
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# McPherson Ave.

# 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.

# MAY 12TH, 2024



Sundays

Bible Class All Ages Worship

9am 10am Bible Class All ages

7pm

Mondays
Woman's Bible Study
Revelation Study

2nd & 4th/7pm 1st & 3rd/7pm Thursdays
Men's Bible Study at the Madison 7am
& Bennett Hy-Vee

Wednesday

# **Honoring Mom**

As children, we learn, react, and behave primarily through observing our parents or guardians. The degree of honor we express toward our parents as we get older is often based on these experiences and whether the parent was attentive, disengaged, permissive, or strict. However, according to Isaiah 55:8, *God's thoughts are not our thoughts, His ways are not our ways*. God desires that we grow to be successful individuals with excellent character. How we treat our parents is a part of that. This matters so much to God that He gives us a specific commandment with a promise.

Ephesians 6 begins with this command to children, "...obey your parents in the Lord: for this is right. Honor your father and mother; (which is the first commandment with promise); that it may be well with you, and you may live long on the earth." By obeying God and honoring our parents, we can achieve a level of moral value that can inspire the world.

# **Ways to Honor Your Mother**

Love her unconditionally – whether she has something or nothing to give, tell her you love her

Hug her affectionately – do not take her for granted Understand her sympathetically – realize the various challenges she's gone through

Listen to her attentively – give your undivided attention; even if you don't always agree, make them feel important

Help her cheerfully – do not make her feel like she's a burden or that you're doing them a big favor by helping

Remember her gratefully – invite her to go places, call her, offer friendly gestures of thanks

Remind her of how much she's needed – tell her that she is treasured, valued, and needed.

# Congregational Scripture Reading Psalms 66:3

Because your love is better than life, my lips will glorify you.

# Family News & Updates

# **Summer Wednesday Nights**

Beginning of June on Wednesday nights 7pm we will be screening The Chosen season 3 with light discussion to follow.

# **Leinen Life Group**

The Leinen life group will be meeting Saturday, May 18th at 7pm at the home of Jonah and Amanda Leinen for a camp fire devotional. Bring lawn chairs and roasting sticks to make smores.

# **Church Family News**

Rumi Schulenberg received the wonderful news that she will not need to chemo therapy as a follow up from her surgery. Diane Loftus came through surgery and is now recovering at the Mayo clinic. Rachel Smith received her bachelors' degree from University of Northern Iowa. Kaden Ogle graduates May 19th from Underwood High school. Congratulations to Jordan Ford for receiving her Master's degree from York University.

## **Farewell Party**

Lauren Morales/Deckman has accepted a job in Utah and will be moving May 17th. Please join us in a farewell reception following Wednesday night classes May 15th.

#### **Church of Christ Disaster Relief**

Supplies have been left for tornado victims. This includes boxes of food, boxes of personal care products, cleaning supplies, and cleaning products. If you know of anyone we can assist contact Bill Leinen.

### **Prayer Requests**

The following were prayers brought forward last Sunday: Elaine Torneton's granddaughter's relationship, Diane Loftus recovery from surgery at mayo clinic, Carol Koletzke continued sickness.

#### May Birthdays & Anniversaries

12th Mason Ogle
12th Suzie Davis
13th Jaclyn Ogle
16th Alexis Adams'
16th Cody Jackson
18th Bill & Andrea Leinen
20th Angela Hilton

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contributions. Earmark a donation by adding a note under your donation amount.

# Please Pray for

Jake Sola Bro in law cancer results Delores Bolte Loss of son Duane Breon Matheson Gall bladder surgery Mason Ogle Continued recovery Rumi S. Breast cancer/radiation Jack Loftus Diane surgery recovery **Austin Hunter** Dad health Jake Sola brother in law cancer Evalina Holcomb Health Jack Loftus Son Randy cancer Adams Family McKenzie hm stability Brian Deckman Chemo & dialysis Father cancer/radiation Rvan S Delores Bolte Health Jason Leinen Protection & health Ukraine church Protection College Students Military Eldership Shut-ins

# Prayers Requests & Announcements

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