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Family Gathering Times

Sunday Bible Classes 9:00 am Worship 10:15 am Wednesday Bible Study 7:00 pm

Privileged to Serve Today		For t	For the Record	
Song Leader	Dave Ward			
Scripture Reading	Richard Kronstad	August 9	91	
Table Talk	Al Holte	Contribution	\$ 1,916.00	
Servers	Thomas Giddings	Children's Fund	\$ 7.29	
	Larry Streich			
	David Dotson	August 16	90	
	Kabinah Kamara	Contribution	\$ 3,159.00	
Announcements/Prayer	Mark Smith	Children's Fund	\$ 3.50	
Power Point	Emem Akpan			
Speaker	Rob Starnes	Weekly Budget	\$ 3,138.50	
Shepherd's Prayer	Dickey Joe Turner	YTD Budget	\$ 103,570.50	
	-	YTD Actual	\$ 98,067.68	
Please contact Dave Ward if you are				
unable to serve so a substitute can be found.		The money contributed to	The money contributed to the children's fund this quarter	
(763-473-1203)		will be donated to: Feed	will be donated to: Feed My Starving Children	



Church Office 763-494-4224

Shepherds

Ronnie Dean 763-425-7929 Gene Tarnowski 763-427-0373 Dickey Joe Turner 763-688-0820 Dave Ward 763-473-1203

Deacons

Emem Akpan~International Transition612-581-1297
Steve Dewall~Children 763-238-2114 David Dotson~Missions 763-607-4895
Al Holte 763-323-0543 Ralph Weber~Community 763-425-1331

Do you have a suggestion or idea that you'd like to discuss?
A concern or burden that you need to share?
We invite you to come to any of us and to share whatever is on your heart.
We have an open door policy and we welcome and value your input and feedback.

Love as Family...Grow in Christ...Bless All People

WELCOME TO



August 23, 2015

Welcome/Body Building
Family Prayer
Hosanna (Praise Hymnal)
Make a Joyful Noise (Everlasting God)
Hide Me Away, O Lord (Praise Hymnal)
Come to the Table (Praise Hymnal)
Lord's Supper
Offering—Thank You Lord (# 781)
Children's Moment
How Can I Keep From Singing (Praise Hymnal)
Scripture Reading
Message
Freely, Freely (# 635)
Shepherd's Prayer
Covenant of Love (Praise Hymnal)

We strive to be a vibrant, life-giving resource in our community; a supportive family through authentic relationships, to experience joyful worship and growth, inspiring others to follow Christ.

Love as Family—Prayer Requests

Health Concerns:

Eliza Flowers – Paul's cancer treatments seem to be going well.

Ann and Elizabeth Smith – please continue to pray for us. Also, both ministers at the Henrietta Oklahoma church are seriously ill.

Dean Family –Doris Glover is still struggling with health problems.

Nan Miller – my friend Eric is still in need of our prayers. Ray Kangas, my brother-in-law is suffering from leukemia. My friend Carol is suffering with bursitis. Leta Metzger has colon cancer. Anette Sublett has cancer. Sam, my nephew's friend has cancer.

Betty Raabe – Orville is not doing very well. He is in hospice care. He is having ear problems. Pray that he doesn't totally lose his hearing.

Annie Karnuah – my sister is seriously sick back home in Liberia.

Sayu Karmue – please pray for my dad in Liberia.

Libby Family – Jesse Peterson was in a motorcycle accident and had surgery for a badly broken leg.

Evelyn Turner – broke her leg

Julie Streich – healing of her legs

Harrison Family – Mike's mom had double bypass surgery last Wednesday.

Jael Lang – my friend's mother, Marlene Kevelin, has a very serious staph blood infection. It has been getting worse and now they suspect cancer has also spread to her brain.

Looking for Employment:

Thomas Karmue

Thanksgiving:

Thankful for all of the people who helped at the building and grounds fix up/clean up! What a blessing!!!

Rebekah Niles – my new granddaughter, Mila, was born on July 27, 10 lbs. 1 oz, 21 2/1" long. Everyone is doing great! **Dean Family** – thankful for safe travels. Congratulations to Helen –she graduated yesterday from college!

Other Needs:

Travelers

Weber Family – our son, Justin, and his sons.

A safe and spirit-filled camp sessions at Flaming Pine Youth Camp with many hearts being touched by our Savior!

Joy West – safe travels to WB and that I can remain strong and help my sister dealing with Alzheimers and the death of her husband.

Mark Smith – prayers for my Sunday school students to continue to study their Bibles

Students returning to school

Misty Lee – my BSN degree starts October 5. Prayers that financing works out.

Sunday Morning Adult Bible Class

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Our Sunday morning adult Bible class study is on

<u>Grace, More Than We Deserve,</u>

Greater Than We Imagine.

August 30, Chapter 7
To prepare for the class, please read chapter one and the "Reader's Guide" (found in the back of the book) and be prepared to discuss the "Ask" section.

These are the scriptures that we will be discussing:

1 John 1:8-9, Leviticus 26:40-42, Job 33:27-28, Psalm 32:3-5, Proverbs 28:13, Acts 19:18-20, James 5:16, Psalm 139:23-24, Luke 18:9-14

Donations for Avenues

We are collecting toothbrushes, dental floss, and deodorant for Avenues for Homeless Youth.

We have a tub in the lobby for your convenience.

Crown Financial Class

Some of our members have expressed interest in a Crown Financial class and we would like to offer it to anyone interested.

If you would like to attend a

Crown Financial class, there is a sign-up sheet outside of Melissa's office.

Building Visits

MELA (Minnesota Early Learning Academy) students will begin the new school year tomorrow, Monday, August 24.

Please remember that as with all schools, safety is a very high priority.

Usually the church office is open Monday through Thursday 8:30—1:00. Please call if you plan to come to the office during school hours so that we can assist you and let you in.

The school staff does not know our church members and people frequently come to the door insisting they are church members. The school and church policy will be to not allow people in that we do not know or do not have an appointment.

Thank you in advance for your understanding and cooperation!

Children's Worship Meeting

On Sunday, August 30, we would like to meet with <u>all</u> parents of children ages 2 through 4th grades.

This will be a very quick 10 minute meeting
Immediately following our morning worship service to give you an update on Children's Worship for our younger children.

If you will be unable to attend, please be sure to contact Melissa Ward.

This week's Memory Verse:

It would not be right for us to neglect the ministry of the word of God in order to wait on tables.

Acts 6:2

	What Can I Do?	Who Do I Talk With?	
•	Teach or assist in children's Bible classes—Sunday morning or Wednesday	Melissa Ward	
•	Teach or assist with Children's Worship on Sunday mornings	Steve Dewall or Melissa Ward	
	Teach an adult Bible class—usually a rotation— Sunday morning or Wednesday evening	Dave Ward	
	Lead a worship service at Tradition (the assisted living facility across the street) —2nd Sunday of each month	David Dotson	
•	Help prepare communion or clean up the kitchen after our Sunday morning worship service	Melissa Ward	
•	Help with the worship service—lead singing, speak or power point	Dave Ward	
•	Organize an outreach project—school supplies for the fall, toy drive for Christmas, clothing drive, FMSC, etc.	Emem Akpan or Melissa Ward	
•	Visit the sick or shut-ins	Elders or Melissa Ward	

If you have other ideas but aren't sure where to start, ask one of the elders or deacons and they can direct you to the people that handle that specific area.