This Week's Activities Wednesday 1:30 PM Parc Hall Dev. Sunday 8:45 AM Children's SS 1:30PM Youth Group 9:00 AM Adult SS 6:00 PM Bell Choir 10:00 AM Worship * 7:00 PM ELF at Emerald Oaks 6:00 PM Confirmation 6:00 PM Intensified Thursday Monday 4:00 PM Intercessory Prayer Meeting Prayer at Willow Ridge 7:00 PM Dig in Bible Friday **Church Closed** Study Saturday 5:30 Worship Tuesday 6:00 PM Praise Team *NO APOLOGIES for YOUTH in Practice Spencer, Iowa on March 15th (Contact 7:00 PM Building Committee Person is Susan Embrock) Wednesday 9:30 AM Bible Study Happy LAST WEEKEND'S OFFERING Birthday Fellowship Hall Fund------ \$15,300.00 Funeral Hospitality Fund------\$ 100.00 <u>Mar 19</u> <u>Mar 12</u> ---\$10,744.00 General Fund -Marguerite Bramley Youth Activities----- \$55.00 Beth Buss Heather Hoch <u>Mar 13</u> Attendance last weekend: Blake VerMulm 330 Mar14 Angie Strohman **Happy Anniversary** Potato <u>Mar 16</u> March 11 BarAPalooza **Bonnie Anliker** Howard and March 18 Jim Stevens 11 AM-1 PM **Shirley Morey** Mar18 **Freewill Offering** Jay Ellis for Youth Group & VBS ARCH 15 # EMMETSBURG VFW





We extend to you a warm welcome to worship with us in the house of the Lord.

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GATHERING OF THE CHURCH

MUSICAL PRELUDE, BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

GREETING, ANNOUNCEMENT (# indicates if you are able to stand)

CALL TO WORSHIP

LEADER:Come and worship, everyone on earth, everywhere the sun shines,

PEOPLE: Let's praise God together!

LEADER: For listening when we call, answering our prayers, forgiving our sins, and providing what we need!

PEOPLE: Let's praise God together!

LEADER: Come and worship, everyone on earth, everywhere the sun shines!

PEOPLE: Let's praise the Lord together!

#OPENING HYMN "Word of God Come Down to Earth" TUMH#182

OPENING PRAYER (UNISON)

All-knowing and all-caring God, we gather this day drained by another week. We are like a parched desert, empty and in need of replenishment. Visit us with Your presence, saturate us with your Spirit, and bathe us in your streams of living water, that our lives might acknowledge and worship you to the praise and honor of Jesus Christ. Amen!

PROCLAMATION AND RESPONSE

<u>TIME WITH CHILDREN (</u> Sunday)	UMC Okoboji Camp Director	
<u>SPECIAL MUSIC (</u> Sunday)	Raegen & Makenna Stevens & Grandpa	
# SCRIPTURE READING	1 Corinthians 15: 51-58	
<u>MESSAGE OF SONG (</u> Sunday)	Chancel Choir	
<u>#PRAISE & WORSHIP</u>	Shekinah Praise Team	

MESSAGE OF LIFE

(Saturday) "Look & See"

(Sunday) "It Will Never Be Useless"

JOYS-CONCERNS- PRAYERS

.Please keep Scott Sanne (Grandson of Pearl Whitmore), Devin Morey, Charlie Whitaker, John Lace, Mike & Lea Shipiull, Scott & Pat Wycott, Mike Wycoff (friends & family of Denny Gonzales), Matthew Childs (Grandson of Irene Goff), Roger Stanley (Brother of Ray Stanley), Philip Christenson (brother of Marge Solberg), Jon Williams, Cole McDonough, Curtis Boekemeier, Cindy Kassel, Ted Strohman, Deb Nissen (sister-in-law of Deb Wickman), Deb Wickman, Jane Stevens, Adolph Knobloch (Tami Culver's Uncle), Lois Lowman, Vi Sampson, Joyce Muller, Bob Wright, and others in your daily prayers, including those who have been hospitalized and our military members.

OFFERTORY	<u>#DOXOLOGY #95</u>	<u>#OFFER</u>	
#CLOSING HYMN	"Blessed Assura	ance"	
#BLESSING			
<u>#SONG OF SENDING FORTH</u>			
"Go	od be with you Till we m	neet again "	
<u>POSTLUDE</u>	LEAVING FOR SERVICE	<u><u>SH</u></u>	

WORSHIP ENDS

Easter Week

Holy Thursday Worship — April 13, 2017, 7 pm Good Friday Worship — April 14, 2017, 7 pm PRAYER VIGIL -Good Friday until Easter Sunday Holy Saturday Worship — April 15, 2017, 5:30 pm Easter Sunrise Service — April 5, 2015, 6:30 am Easter Sunday Worship — 10:00 am

Endowment Application

The Endowment Committee is accepting applications for special project/ministry funding. Projects or programs outside the general budget are eligible for funding. You can pick up an application from the church office or contact Kent Klootwyk. Applications must be returned to the office by March 13.

Brenda Gonzales

Pastor Louie

TORY PRAYER

TUMH#369

TUMH #672

ARING THE PEACE

SERVICE BEGINS