

This Week's Activities

Sunday, September 17th

8:45am Sunday School
10:00am Worship
1-3pm Nursing Home Visit

Monday

4:00pm Intercessory Prayer
at Emerald Oak

Tuesday

Marsha Gone
5-8pm Just for Kicks Dance
6:00pm Shekinah Praise Team

Wednesday

1:30pm Upper Room Bible Study
1:30pm 3, 4, 5 ALIVE
6:00pm Jr/Sr Youth Group
6:00pm Bell Choir Practice
7:00pm ELF (Health Kits)

Thursday

11-1pm Fall Salad Luncheon
@Holy Family Parish Center
1:30pm PALS
Trinity 3 @Norma's home
5-8:30pm Just for Kicks Dance
6:00pm Intensified Prayer
at War Room

Friday Office Closed

Sunday, September 24th

8:45am Sunday School
10:00am Worship

PASTOR'S HOME VISITING

Pastor Hojin and Gloria would like to visit you and your family in your home, share a Bible verse and pray with you. Please sign up or call the church office and let us know a date that works for you.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED:

- **Media Team** for Web, Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, Remind, Snapchat... Adults and Youth are all welcome.
- **Drivers** to give rides to worship service to those who are unable to drive themselves.



Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.
Emmetsburg First United Methodist Church

Bible Quiz

How many times does Jesus say we should forgive others?

A. 7
B. 70
C. 77
D. 70 x 7
E. C or D, depending on the translation

forgive

Answer: E (See Matthew 18:22.)

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15TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST WORSHIP

September 17th, 2017, 10:00am

PRELUDE

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP (Exodus 15)

Leader: O Lord, majestic in holiness, who is like you?

**People: In the greatness of your majesty
you overthrew your adversaries.**

Leader: O Lord, awesome in splendor, who is like you?

**People: Your right hand, O Lord, glorious in power,
shattered the enemy.**

Leader: O Lord, worker of wonders, who is like you?

**All together: Sing to the Lord, my strength and my might,
you are my salvation!**

OPENING HYMN UMH #67 "We, Thy People, Praise Thee"

OPENING PRAYER (Romans 12, Unison)

In this moment, gracious God,
you have called us away from the world to a place and a time
where we can commune with you and with one another.
Hallow this communion, we pray.
Calm our anxious spirits,
that we may be set apart to hear your word of truth through
which we receive grace to bring about the obedience of faith.
Open us to the reality of your all-embracing love,
both in this place and in the wider world.
May we, by our words and actions, be bearers of your kingdom,
in the name and Spirit of the Christ. Amen.

PRAISE AND WORSHIP Shekinah Praise Team

CHILDREN'S SERMON Darrin Adams

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 18:21-35

MESSAGE OF LIFE Pastor Hojin Shin

JOYS-CONCERNS-PRAYERS

OFFERING

DOXOLOGY UMH #95 "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow"

OFFERTORY

CLOSING HYMN UMH #140 "Great Is Thy Faithfulness"

BLESSING

SONG OF SENDING FORTH UMH #668 "Let Us Now Depart In Thy Peace"

POSTLUDE

WORSHIP ENDS SERVICE BEGINS

JOYS-CONCERNS-PRAYERS

Please pray for these families: Carolyn Henderson, Brenda Gonzales, Donald Strohman, Sharon Hobart, John & Stacey Strohman and family, Drew Davidson (son-in-law of Jamie & Cal Christensen), Kort Freeman, Scott Sanne (Grandson of Pearl Whitmore), Devin Morey, Mike & Lea Shipiull, Philip Christenson (brother of Marge Solberg), Jon Williams, Cole McDonough, Curtis Boekemeier, Cindy Kassel, Ted Strohman, Deb Nissen (sister-in-law of Deb Wickman), Jane Stevens, Adolph Knobloch (Tami Culver's Uncle), Lois Lowman, Vi Sampson, Joyce Muller, Bob Wright, Marjorie Solberg, Including those who have been hospitalized and our military members.

If anyone would like to write an article or put news in about your organization or group, please email or bring it to the office.

Deadline for October Newsletter is Wednesday, Sep. 20th.

My email address is umcsecretary@iowatelecom.net

Last Sunday Statistics

Offering	UMCOR	\$100.00
	Family Life Center	\$300.00
	Rent	\$300.00
	Youth	\$125.00
	Misc	\$90.00
	General Fund	\$3,658.00
	TOTAL	\$4,573.00
Attendance		161