

Sunday, October 22nd

8:45 AM Sunday School
9:00 AM Adult Sunday School @Library
10:00 AM Worship
*Sunday School Children Sing
11:00 AM Charge Conference
8:30-12:30 PM Lost Island Nature Center Fundraiser
"Dad's Belgian Waffle"
@VFW Emmetsburg

Monday, October 23rd

4:00 PM Intercessory Prayer @Emerald Oaks
7:00 PM Dig in Bible Study

Tuesday, October 24th

6:00 PM Shekinah Praise Team Practice
7:00 PM Financial Peace

Wednesday, October 25th

3:30 PM 345 ALIVE
5:00 PM Confirmation
6:00 PM Jr/Sr UMYF
6:00 PM Bell Choir Practice

Thursday, October 26th

6:00 PM Intensified Prayer @War Room

Friday, October 27th

Office Closed

Happy Birthday & Anniversary

23 Joel Hoyman
24 Kyle Hurley
25 Brennan Duhn
26 Kiersten Duhn
Marcie Frevert
Kyle Malm
Cole Shirk
28 Larry Leners
Madison Burns
Florence Malm
Matthew Hill

Adult Sunday School

3 weeks left on Revelations,
before starting the book of Acts.
Ted Ellis leads the class,
at 9:00 am in the library.
Come join us!

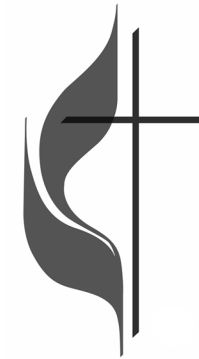
Pastor's Home Visits

Pastor Hojin and Gloria are
visiting all families in their homes
or in pastor's office.
Please sign-up or call the office
to schedule a time.



Ministry Opportunities

Liturgist, Greeters, Ushers, Acolytes, Children Sermon, Shekinah praise team, providing snacks and meals for 345 Alive, Jr. UMYF, and Sr. UMYF, pick up members who need a ride to worship service, volunteer to teach Sunday School, supporting in prayers and many other opportunities available. Sign-up sheets on table in the Narthex.



Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors.

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20th Sunday after Pentecost

October 22, 2017, 10:00 AM

Welcome!

*We're glad you're here.
When you see the [*], people are invited to arise as able.*

Liturgist Susan Embrock

Pianist Gloria Shin

Greeters Cary and Kari Anderson

Ushers/Acolytes Jordan and Maddy Anderson

Sunday School Choir Susan Embrock

Presentation Operator Trenton Ditch

Prelude

Bringing In the Light of Christ

Announcements

* **Call To Worship** (Exodus 33, Psalms 99)

L: As we gather to worship you, Holy One,

P: show us your presence, O God

L: As we join to pray at your footstool, Exalted One,

P: show us your ways, O God.

L: As we unite our voices to praise you, Lover of Justice,

P: show us your glory, O God.

L: As we tremble in the cleft of the rock,

silently awaiting you, Merciful One,

P: show us your goodness, O God.

L: Let the earth shake in your praise, Most High!

P: We extol your great and awesome name, ever-present God!

* **Opening Hymn** UMH #110 "A Mighty Fortress Is Our God"

* **Opening Prayer** (Exodus 33, 1 Thessalonians 1, Matthew 22)
 Living God,
 move among us and awaken us to your loving presence.
 When we lose our way and put our confidence
 in our possessions and our wisdom, call us back to you.
 Remind us that our very identity is dependent on your abiding mercy.
 Show us how to walk with steadfast faithfulness,
 following the path of justice and goodness in our daily lives.
 May our days be filled with joy and hope
 as we share the good news of abundant life
 that comes from following Jesus Christ.
 In the power of the Holy Spirit, we pray. Amen.

* **Praise and Worship** Shekinah Praise Team

Sunday School Choir "Great Big God"

Children's Sermon Danielle Ditch

* **Scripture Reading** Exodus 33:17-23, Colossians 1:15-20, John 14:8-14

Message of Life "How Can We See God?" Rev. Dr. Thomas Carver
 The Northwest District Superintendent

Joys, Concerns, Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name,
 thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses
 as we forgive those who trespass against us.
 And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
 For thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Offering UMH #528 "Nearer, My God, to Thee" Esther Shin, violin

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

* **Offertory**

* **Closing Hymn** UMH #361 "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me"

* **Blessing**

* **Song of Sending Forth** UMH #473 "Lead me, Lord"

Postlude

"God Is Good! All the Time! Be a Witness!"

Joys, Concerns, Prayers

You are in our prayers: Tami Culver, Kali Anderson, Nancy Hinrichs, Carol Ensley, Bernice Hersom, Rosie Culbertson, Carol Henderson, Sharon Hobart, John & Stacey Strohman, Kort Freeman, Scott Sanne (Grandson of Pearl Whitmore), Devin Morey, Mike & Lea Schipull, 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, Marjorie Solberg, including those who have been hospitalized and our military members.

Empowering EFUMC Ministry

General Fund	\$2,924.92
TOTAL	\$2,924.92

Attendance	149
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Thank you for snacks for 345 Alive, suppers for Jr/Sr UMYF, Sunday school teachers, serving on committees, prayers, presence, time, passion, love, and all other ways you serve our church!

Prayers for a safe harvest!



**Our Charge Conference
 Today. October 22, 2017
 Following Worship Service**

Annual Harvest Auction

Sunday, November 19, 2017

It is time to start thinking about our Harvest Auction!
 Donations (new items only) need to be at church by November 15th.
 Ideas: Basket of homemade goodies, craft items,
 gift certificates, theme baskets, be creative!