

**Birthdays**  
11 Jodi French

**Anniversaries**  
8 Tony & Danielle Jensen

- February Missions:**
- Community Basket
  - Guatemalan Student Yennifer
  - Ingathering Personal Dignity Kits (health)
  - Sioux City Warming Shelter



Saturday, February 19th, food distribution will be at the Anthon community center, at 10 a.m.

- Ingathering Personal Dignity (health) Kits**
- 1 Hand towel
  - 1 Washcloth
  - 1 Adult toothbrush
  - 1 Bar of soap (3-4 oz.)
  - 1 Deodorant (2-3 oz.)
  - 1 Shampoo (15-18 oz.)
  - 1 One gallon resealable plastic bag
- Place all items in the gallon plastic bag.  
An additional \$2 donation supplies razor & toothpaste from Midwest Mission Distribution

**DONATION DRIVE**

- CURRENT NEEDS**
- LIQUID LAUNDRY SOAP
  - PLASTIC CUTLERY
  - STYROFOAM BOWLS
  - PAPER PLATES
  - RAMEN NOODLE CUPS
  - BOTTLED WATER
  - MEN AND WOMENS RAZORS
  - MENS AND WOMENS TRAVEL-SIZED DEODERANT
- "No clothing donations are being accepted at this time"*



Wednesday, February 9th:  
Luncheon at 12:30 pm.  
Lunch served by Janice Schlotman and Mary Bruce.

**ADMINISTRATIVE COUNCIL MEETING**  
Thursday, February 10 at 7 pm.

**Sooper Bowl**

February 13<sup>th</sup> 11:30 am-1:00 pm  
**OPEN TO THE PUBLIC**  
Chili, chicken noodle soup, cinnamon roll and drink.

Call Harold: 873-3555 for

**COMMUNION**  
AT HOME

February 6<sup>th</sup> Pastor will take communion to homes of those who request it.

(Joys & Concerns) To those of you who would like to send a get-well card to Gary Chapman his address is: Gary Chapman PO Box 86 Moville, Iowa 51039

## Welcome, Announcements

### \*Celebrations Songs

Seek Ye First

No. 405

Seek ye first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

Ask, and it shall be given unto you; seek, and you shall find; knock, and the door shall be opened unto you. Allelu, alleluia!

I Have Decided to Follow Jesus

#2137

I have decided to follow Jesus; I have decided to follow Jesus;  
I have decided to follow Jesus; no turning back, no turning back.

The world behind me, the cross before me; the world behind me, the cross before me,  
the world behind me, the cross before me; no turning back, no turning back.

Though none go with me, I still will follow; though none go with me, I still will follow;  
though none go with me, I still will follow; no turning back, no turning back.

Will you decide now to follow Jesus? Will you decide now to follow Jesus?  
Will you decide now to follow Jesus? No turning back, no turning back.

### \*Greet one another as friends in Christ

### \*Call to Worship

"If with all your hearts you truly seek me, you shall surely find me," says our God.

**DRAW NEAR TO GOD AND GOD WILL DRAW NEAR TO YOU.**

Humble yourselves before the Lord,

**AND THE LORD WILL LIFT YOU UP.**

### Congregational Prayer (in unison)

God of all peoples, you made your love known by sending your only son into the world that all might live through him. Pour out your Spirit on the church that it may fulfill Jesus' command to preach the gospel everywhere. Send laborers into your harvest. Defend them in all dangers and temptations. Give them grace to bear faithful witness to you. Fill them with zeal and love that they may turn many to a saving knowledge of your son, in whose name we pray. Amen.

### Silent Prayers and the Lord's Prayer



### Young Disciples Time

**\*Hymn**

Would I Have Answered

#2137

Would I have answered when you called, "Come, follow, follow me!"?  
 Would I at once have left behind both work and family?  
 Or would the old, familiar round have held me by its claim  
 and kept the spark within my heart from bursting into flame?

Would I have followed where you led through ancient Galilee,  
 on roads unknown, by ways untried, beyond security?  
 Or would I soon have hurried back where home and comfort drew,  
 where truth you taught would not disturb the ordered world I knew?

Would I have matched my step with yours through crowds cried, "Crucify!"?  
 when on a rocky hill I saw a cross against the sky?  
 Or would I too have slipped away and left you there alone,  
 a dying king with crown of thorns upon a terrible throne?

O Christ, I cannot search my heart through all its tangled ways,  
 nor can I with a certain mind my steadfastness appraise.  
 I only pray that when you call, "Come, follow, follow me!"  
 you'll give me strength beyond my own to follow faithfully.

**Scripture**

Isaiah 6:1-8 A Vision of God in the Temple

**6** In the year that King Uzziah died, I saw the Lord seated on a throne, high and exalted, and the skirt of his robe filled the temple. **2** Seraphim were in attendance on him. Each had six wings: with one pair of wings they covered their faces and with another their bodies, and with the third pair they flew. **3** They were calling to another, "Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of Hosts: the whole earth is full of his glory."

**4** As each called, the threshold shook to its foundations at the sound, while the house filled with smoke. **5** Then I said: "Woe is me! I am doomed, for my own eyes have seen the King, the LORD of Hosts, I, a man of unclean lips, I who dwell among a people of unclean lips."

**6** One of the seraphim flew to me, carrying in his hand a glowing coal which he had taken from the altar with a pair of tongs. **7** He touched my mouth with it and said, "This has touched your lips, now your iniquity is removed and your sin is wiped out." **8** I heard the Lord saying, "Who will go for us?" I said, "Here am I; send me!"

1 Corinthians 15: 1-11 The Resurrection of Christ

**15** And now, my friends, I must remind you of the gospel that I preached to you; the gospel which you received, on which you have taken your stand, **2** and which is now bringing you salvation. Remember the terms in which I preached the gospel to you – for I assume that you hold it fast and that your conversion was not in vain. **3** First and foremost, I handed on to you the tradition I had received: that Christ died for our sins, in accordance with the scriptures; **4** that he was buried; that he was raised to life on the third day, in accordance with the scriptures; **5** and that he appeared to Cephas, and afterwards to the twelve. **6** Then he appeared to over five hundred of our brothers at once, most of whom are still alive, though some have

died. <sup>7</sup> Then he appeared to James, and afterwards to all the apostles. <sup>8</sup> Last of all he appeared to me too; it was like a sudden, abnormal birth. <sup>9</sup> For I am the least of the apostles, indeed not fit to be called an apostle, because I had persecuted the church of God. <sup>10</sup> However, by God's grace I am what I am, and his grace to me has not proved vain; in my labors I have out done them all —not I, indeed, but the grace of God working with me. <sup>11</sup> But no matter whether it was I or they! This is what we all proclaim, and this is what you believed.

### Luke 5:1-11 Jesus Calls the First Disciples

**5** One day as he stood by the lake of Gennesaret, with people crowding in on him to listen to the word of God, <sup>2</sup> he noticed two boats lying at the water's edge; the fishermen had ashore and were washing their nets. <sup>3</sup> He got into one of the boats, which belonged to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore; then he went on teaching the crowds as he sat in the boat. <sup>4</sup> When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, "Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch." <sup>5</sup> Simon answered, "Master, we were hard at work all night and caught nothing; but if you say so, I will let down the nets." <sup>6</sup> They did so and made such a huge catch of fish that their nets began to split. <sup>7</sup> So they signaled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. They came, and loaded both boats to the point of sinking. <sup>8</sup> When Simon saw what had happened he fell at Jesus' knees and said, "Go, Lord, leave me, sinner that I am!" <sup>9</sup> For he and all his companions were amazed at the catch they had made; <sup>10</sup> so too were his partners James and John, Zebedee's sons. "Do not be afraid," said Jesus to Simon; "from now on you will be catching people." <sup>11</sup> As soon as they had brought the boats to land, they left everything and followed him.

The Word of God for the people of God.

**THANKS BE TO GOD!**



**Message**

**Pastoral Prayer**

**\*Doxology/Presentation of Gifts**

No. 94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power up lifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!



**\*Hymn** Jesus Calls Us No. 398 v. 1, 3  
 Jesus calls us o'er the tumult of our life's wild, restless sea; day by day his sweet voice  
 soundeth, saying, "Christian, follow me!"

Jesus calls us from the worship of the vain world's golden store, from each idol that would  
 keep us, saying, "Christian, love me more!"

### **Holy Communion**

**\*Hymn** Jesus Calls Us No. 398 v. 5  
 Jesus calls us! By thy mercies, Savior, may we hear thy call, give our hearts to thine  
 obedience, serve and love thee best of all.

### **\*Benediction**

**\*Dismissal Hymn** Blest Be the Tie that Binds No. 557 vs 1  
 Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love; the fellowship of kindred minds is like  
 to that above.

*Thank you for joining us. Have a blessed week.*

ATTENDANCE January 30 – 41

	Actual Received	Budgeted Need
Y-T-D Expenses Through December	\$93,858	\$110,100
Y-T-D Income Through December	\$100,709	\$110,100
November Income Received	\$7,417	\$9,175
Wkly Ave Income Rcvd (Last 4 wks.)	\$1,200	\$2,117

### **MINISTRY TEAM MEMBERS:**

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### **February Missions:**

#### **Community Basket – February Donation**

For the month of February, we are collecting table condiments or salad dressings that will be given to the Community Basket. You may bring your donations to church on Sunday's, or you may drop them off at the Community Basket. Thank you for helping those in need! The February food distribution will be on 19th at the Anthon Community Center at 10 a.m.

#### **Guatemalan Mission Opportunity**

Each Sunday you have an opportunity to give a monetary gift to help support Yennifer, a student from Guatemala in her education journey. A container is available at the back of the sanctuary to place your donation in. If you are unable to worship with us, you may mail in your monetary gift to the church office. Please continue to keep Yennifer and her family in your prayers during this time.

**Ingathering Personal Dignity** (health) Kits for Midwest Mission Distribution Center

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| 1 Adult Toothbrush  |                                     |

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**The Warming Shelter**

The Warming Shelter seeks to provide temporary emergency shelter for men, women, and families who have no other shelter options in the Siouxland Area. At this time they would prefer cash donations. There is a basket on the "giving table" at the back of the church labeled Warming Shelter where you can leave your cash donations OR Send a check to: The Warming Shelter PO BOX 3556 Sioux City, IA 51102. A receipt can be issued/mailed to Donors if needed. For the people delivering items to 916 Nebraska St.: Donations are accepted Fridays and Sundays from 11 am to 2 pm. We will be focusing on cash donations and the urgent need items for the month of December. There will be an updated list of items for the months to come. Thank you to everyone who donates!! This is the list for urgent need items:

- Liquid laundry soap
- Plastic cutlery
- Styrofoam bowls
- Paper plates
- Ramen noodle cups
- Bottled water
- Men and women razors
- Men and women travel-size deodorant

**Cash donation are always welcome for any of the above February missions.**

**Endowment Fund**

MUMC has a Permanent Endowment Fund. Your charitable gift will continue to work forever. Gifts can be made outright, can be memorials to family or friends, or bequests within your estate planning. You may designate the gift to a specific fund within the endowment: General, Building, Missions, Special Ministries, or Education. The fund's interest earned may then be used. After the fourth quarter of 2021 the approximate interest values for each were: General \$22,500; Building \$4600; Missions \$300; Special Ministries \$200; Education \$2200. Total fund value is approximately \$77,000.