

Centenary In Mission

TODAY, SUNDAY, April 22

***Worship & Sunday School times listed on front

4:00 pm	Movie & Conversation	Dining Room
6:30 pm	Pack 223	Dining Room
7:00 pm	Worship Re-telecast	Channel 181
Counters:	Alan Streeter & SPPRC	

MONDAY, April 23

6 30 pm	Hand bell Practice	Conference Room
7:45 pm	Administrative Council	Dining Room

TUESDAY, April 24

9:00 am	Epworth Staff Meeting	Conference Room
10:00 am	It's Not Your Mother's Work Day	Dining Room

WEDNESDAY, April 25

10:00 am	UMW Executive Meeting	Conference Room
Noon	Bulletin Deadline	Church Office
5:30 pm	Children's Bible Club	Sojourner's Room
5:30 pm	Jr High Youth Group	Dining Room
6:30 pm	Sr High Youth Group	Dining Room
6:00 pm	Grace Notes Practice	Sanctuary
7:00 pm	Chancel Choir Practice	Sanctuary
8:00 pm	Al-Anon Meeting	Conference Room
Youth Meal:	TV	

THURSDAY, April 26

10:30 am	Thursday Morning Bible Study	High School
1:30 pm	Communion/Visitation	Good Sam
3:00 pm	Communion/Visitation	Beatrice Rehab

FRIDAY, April 27

No Meetings

SATURDAY, April 28

No Meetings

SUNDAY, April 29 9 am Service Only

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7:00 pm	Worship Re-telecast	Channel 181
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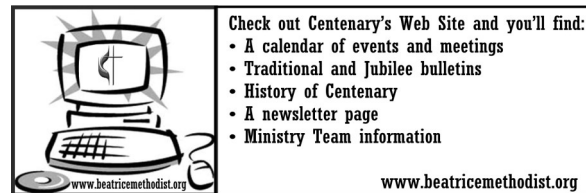
Next Sunday: April 29

9:00 am: Ushers-

Acolytes -

Coffee Hosts - Aldean Linder & Esther Mwebia

Counters: Judy Zabel & Trustees



Today is Earth Day: Earth Day was founded in 1970 as a day of education about environmental issue. On the first Earth Day, 22 million Americans celebrated clean air, land, and water. Worldwide, various events are held to demonstrate support for environmental protection. Think about how you can help. An insert has been placed in your bulletin for you to take to read.

Blood Drive: Wednesday, April 25th 12 pm-6pm & Thursday, April 26th 7 am-1pm at the Holiday Inn Express If you would like to make an appointment, call 228-0260.



"It's not Your Mother's Work Day" will meet on Tuesday, April 24th at 10:00 am in the Church Dining Room. Everyone is welcome to join in cutting, ironing, and sewing.

UMCOR HEALTH KITS: Consider what it must be like to lose all your belongings in a tornado or flood, left without so much as a toothbrush! UMCOR Health Kits must be a welcome gift to some one in those circumstances, The UMW will be collecting items for health kits the next few Sundays and if your family can donate an item or two from the enclosed list, you can be a part of giving new hope to those whose lives have been shattered. Please place your donations in the blue basket by the Food Pantry Table.

Food Pantry Items for April: Saltine crackers, Graham crackers, Individual servings of applesauce and fruit, Sugar free and regular jelly



5th Sunday

April 29th there will be only one service, the 9 am service.

The American Cancer Society Relay for Life Event is coming to Gage County on Saturday, April 28th, 2018. The event will be held at the Gage County Fairgrounds from 12:00pm to 10:00pm. The Evangelism/ Outreach Committee is forming a team again for the event and we would love for all of you to be a part of it! Cancer has affected all of us in some way so come help celebrate the survivors, remember our loved ones we have lost and fight back against this disease. For more information or questions, contact Cindy Waltke at 402-806-1792 or Karie Jobman at 402-239-9403. To sign up with the Centenary UMC team go to www.relayforlife.org and click "join" to sign up.

Upcoming Events:

April 22nd- Movie night at 4pm
April 28th-Relay for Life
April 29th-**One service only at 9am**
May 6th-Senior Breakfast & Recognition



Centenary United Methodist Church 608 Elk Street Beatrice, Nebraska 68310

Pastor: Rev. Mark Schutt

SUNDAY MORNING SCHEDULE

9:00 am Jubilee Service

11:00 am Traditional Service

10:00 am Sunday School

Sunday, April 22, 2018

Fourth Sunday of Easter 2018
Earth Day

Prelude

Whatsoever Things Are Lovely
by Koury

Edna Schmidt

WELCOME

In their fright the women bowed down with their faces to the ground, but the men said to them, "Why do you look for the living among the dead? He is not here; he has risen!" Luke 24:5-6

PARISH NOTICES & FELLOWSHIP TIME [Register your attendance]
Hearing aids are available. Prayer cards are in the pews and the Prayer Card Box is on the table by the north door. Ushers will offer to take your card during the first hymn.

+PASSING OF THE PEACE

+WORDS OF PRAISE

Psalms 1

UMH No. 738

+ANTHEM

There Is an Everlasting Kindness
arr. Larry Shackley

Chancel Choir

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

PASTORAL PRAYER

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, the power and the glory, forever.
Amen**

OFFERING
Offertory
In Christ Alone
arr Mark Hayes
Chancel Choir

+DOXOLOGY
**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 uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!
Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**
UMH No. 94

+PRAYER OF DEDICATION
**O Lord, you are the good shepherd! Your son Jesus laid down his life for
all who belong to you. Thank you for nurturing our life and sustaining
our faith. In gratitude, we want to help others to know your love. Open
our ears to listen to your voice. Open our eyes to see our brothers and
sisters in need as sheep of your flock. May our tithes and offerings give
voice to Christ’s love for all people, especially those who have gone astray.
Amen.**

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE
Nickels for Nigeria

HYMN
Amazing Grace
UMH No. 378
Verses 1-4

+SCRIPTURE READING
John 10:1-10
Pg. 1040

L: The Word of God for the people of God.
P: Thanks be to God.

MESSAGE
The Good Shepherd
Rev. Mark Schutt

+HYMN
Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us
UMH No. 381

+BENEDICTION

+MUSICAL RESPONSE
Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus
UMH No. 349
Turn your eyes upon Jesus, look full in his wonderful face, wonderful face,
And the things of earth will grow strangely dim
in the light of his glory and grace.

+POSTLUDE
Resurrection Morn
by Balcombe
Edna Schmidt

+ *Those who are able, please stand.*
BOLD-Congregation joins in unison.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



*If you would like to provide Chancel flowers or
sponsor a telecast, please contact the church office.*

TV
MINISTRY

- **TV Broadcast** —Call the office at 223-3424 to schedule a Sunday to sponsor. It runs at 11 am worship and is rebroadcast at 7:00 pm on Channel 181.
- **Children attending worship** can find activity boards and bags along the back wall of the sanctuary on the left hand side as you enter.
- **Reminder: If you are going to be hospitalized,** inform your pastor where and when. Prayer is an integral part of the healing process. Help us by sharing this information.
- Please find the **Greeter Sign-Up Station** for the 11:00 am service in the Narthex. Please sign up for a week and greet fellow church members and guests!
- On our **Pew Offering Envelopes** you can designate to the General Budget and/or any other Special Offering.

PASTOR.....	Rev. Mark Schutt
DIRECTOR OF MUSIC	Kelly Meyer
ORGANIST	Edna Schmidt
DIRECTOR OF TV MINISTRY	Terry Terhune
YOUTH COORDINATOR.....	Julie Homolka
CHURCH NURSERY [8:45AM—12:15 PM]	Tracy Schutt
[South end of hall on the Lower Level]	
ACOLYTES	
USHERS	Steve Greenwood
GREETERS	Mike Morris
COFFEE HOSTS	Joyce Blackwell

Last Sunday’s Offering	
Sunday School: \$12.00	
Nickels for Nigeria to Date: \$1,033.99	\$371,794 2018 Budget
Previous Weeks Offering: \$2,050.60	<u>\$81,569</u> Receipts to Date
Estimated Attendance	
9:00 am - 60	\$290,225/37 weeks
11:00 am - 71	=
Sunday School - 24	\$7,843 needed per week

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS
Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 4:30 pm
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