

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, Sep 13		Welcome! Rev. Katherine Ebling-Frazier
10:00am	Service	Serving Ice Cream in the Dining Room
10:00am	Kids Church	Sanctuary
10:00am	Blue Room Church	Classroom
11:00am	Adult Sunday School	Blue Room
7:00pm	Service Rebroadcast	Conference Room with Dan Rooks
Usher/Greeter:	10am Ray & Linda McCall	Spectrum 181
Liturgist:	10am Kay McKinzie	
Coffee Hosts:	11am Blake/Gail Butler – serve ice cream in dining room	
Counter: Ellie Q & Worship (Kay McKinzie)		
Monday, Sep 14		Office Help //Betty D & Sharon H
6:15pm	No Bell Choir Rehearsal	Change of dates ~ will resume 21SEP
7:00pm	PEO mtg	Dining Room
7:00pm	Scouts	Parlor
Tuesday, Sep 15		
7:00pm	Finance mtg	Conference Room
Wednesday, Sep 16		
Noon	Bulletin,Website,and FacebookDeadline	
6:15pm	Grace Notes Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:00pm	Chancel Choir	Sanctuary
Thursday, Sep 17		
6:30am	Men’s Bible Study.	Conference Room
10:00am	Women’s Bible Study	Dining Room
4:00pm	Farmer’s Market	CUMC Parking Lot
Friday, Sep 18		No meetings
Saturday, Sep 19		No meetings
Sunday, Sep 20		
10:00am	Service	Sanctuary
10:00am	Kids Church	Classroom
10:00am	Blue Room Church	Blue Room
11:00am	Adult Sunday School	Conference Room with Dan Rooks
7:00pm	Service Rebroadcast	Spectrum 181
Usher/Greeter:	10am Larry Bergmeier & Dave Sederberg	
Liturgist:	10am Kelly Meyer	
Coffee Hosts:	11am Bruce & Dawn Lang	
Counter: Kay McKinzie & History		

PRAYER CENTER: Janet Parde, Sharon Bellamy, Wayne & Jan Price, Betty Deats, Dean & Marilyn Marples, Joan Davison, Deanna Holland, Karen Probst, Pat Timm, Janis Rooks, Evelyn Fitzwater, Diane Weldon, Sue & Mike Trump, Don & Bev Ewer, Mike Stephens, Sondra Southard, Sue Orwen, Jan McGrury and Kelly Karges.

CENTENARY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
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But the greatest of these is love”
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REFLECTION FOR THE WEEK

“Praise the LORD. Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his love endures forever. Who can proclaim the mighty acts of the LORD or fully declare his praise? Blessed are those who act justly, who always do what is right. Remember me, LORD, when you show favor to your people, come to my aid when you save them, that I may enjoy the prosperity of your chosen ones, that I may share in the joy of your nation and join your inheritance in giving praise. We have sinned, even as our ancestors did; we have done wrong and acted wickedly.” (Psalm 106:1-6).

Centenary United Methodist Church

Our Mission: “Love God, Serve Others”

September 13, 2026; Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost, Liturgical Color; Green, Service; 10:00 am

If you are comfortable, please stand. **Bold - Join in response, **The Faith We Sing*

GATHERING

PRELUDE The Heavenly Banquet Medley

INTROIT *(in response, Psalm 105:1-2)*
Give praise to the LORD, proclaim his name; make known among the nations what he has done.
Sing to him, sing praise to him; tell of all his wonderful acts. Amen.

GREETINGS//ANNOUNCEMENTS//INFORMAL CONVERSATION ~ Ruth Stephens
Mission Moment - Karie Jobman

PEOPLE’S PRAYER Joys and Concerns ~ Ruth Stephens

*ANTHEM Come Ye Faithful Raise the Strain 315

TIME WITH CHILDREN Rev. Katherine Ebling-Frazier

*SILENT PRAYER/TIME OF PRAYER Ruth Stephens

*THE LORD’S PRAYER *(unison)*

*PASSING OF PEACE

*PRAYER RESPONSE Blest Be the Tie That Binds 557

OFFERTORY “Let the Nations Praise the Lord” arr. Lloyd Larson Chancel Choir
*DOXOLOGY Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow *(Sung to the tune of 95)*

SCRIPTURE Kay McKinzie
First Lesson Matthew 6:25-27
Second Lesson Mark 10:13-16

PREPARATORY PRAISE SONG “Come Unto Jesus” arr. Lloyd Larson Chancel Choir

HOMILY “Learning to Play Again“ Rev. Katherine Ebling-Frazier

*CLOSING PRAISE SONG Lead On O Cloud of Presence **2234

*BENEDICTION Rev. Katherine Ebling-Frazier

*POSTLUDE Lift Up Your Heads O Mighty Gates

ANNOUNCEMENTS The altar flowers are given today by Duane & Deb Smith for everyone to enjoy!
Remember to **sign the weekly attendance** sheet located at the end of each pew. Please provide a contact phone number if you are visiting. If you are viewing on the Spectrum channel 181, let the church office know.
We Collect...

- www.beatricemethodist.org to access E-giving for your donations.
- **September Food Pantry Items:** Condiments, ranch dressing, spaghetti sauce, baked beans, deodorant, shampoo and toothpaste.
- **September Epworth Items:** Toilet paper, kleenex, hand soap and paper towels. Any gas//food gift cards would be helpful. Russ’s Market has school supplies on sale before 29Sep when they move to 19th Court.
- **Don’t Forget!** Recycling aluminum pop can tabs support the Ronald McDonald House in Omaha. They also accept tabs from canned soups//vegetables. ~ ~ ~ ~ ~



Finances JULY 2026
Income \$17,582
Expenses \$30,663
Difference (\$13,081)
Finances Jan. thru July 2026
Income \$188,909
From Endowments \$32,800*
Total Income \$221,709
2026 Expenses \$212,233
Difference \$9,476
Annual Budget \$352,995
*Endowment funds are being used to pay church expenses because we are not meeting our financial needs through giving.

Beatrice Farmer’s Market Thursdays 4-6:30p 6th & High St.
Sept 17: 1:00-9:00 Taste of the Market at Tall Tree Tastings.

This year is the first time that churches around the world will begin celebrating Creation in Christ Sunday. To mark this momentous occasion, the United Methodist Creation Justice Movement worship team has put together a wonderful set of worship resources for Creation in Christ Sunday and the whole Season of Creation, which spans September 6-October 4. The resource includes worship planning, liturgies, music resources, and much more!

Upcoming Event Calendar
The Charge Conference will be 7pm on Monday 19OCT..
Thank You to all committees for organizing your reports.
~ ~ 04OCT is Game Day @ 2pm in the dining room. Help us pick a theme today! Popcorn/snack table provided.

Fall is a busy time in many churches with lots of programming for all ages. It can feel overwhelming. It could be time for encouragement. Paul’s Letter to the Philippians can be that stimulation to keep going and a reminder of the joy and fellowship that is part and parcel of being the church. Or as St. Paul reminds us, we are to press on to the goal for the prize of the heavenly call of God in Christ Jesus.

Epworth Family Resources School Supply Closet needs our help: Teen boy and teen girl backpacks and water bottles. Items are collected in a box in Narthex. .

Hello! Let me introduce myself. My name is Katherine Ebling-Frazier. I moved from KC to be the new pastor at Connection Point in Lincoln Ne. I am so glad to be here! When I am not at Connection Point, you'll find me hanging out with my three crazy kids and my partner. I love nature hikes, biking, cats, cooking shows and meeting new people.

Let’s Go Nuts!! Ice Cream is being served in the dining room after service today! EVERYONE is invited to come share a delicious treat since we met our August Ice Cream Challenge. Cookies, too!

