

WEEKLY CALENDAR

Sunday, March 30	5th Sunday Brunch////UMCOR Sunday
No 9:00am Jubilee Worship	Sanctuary
No 9:00am Kids Church	Begin in Sanctuary
10:00am Adult Sunday School	Conference Room ~ Dan Rooks: teacher
11:00am Traditional Service	Sanctuary
12:00 pm Brunch and Game Day	Dining Room bring a dish to share
7:00pm Service Rebroadcast	Spectrum 181
7:00pm Lenten Bible Study in Parlor	“The Radical Teaching of Jesus”
7:00pm Scouts	Dining Room
Ushers: 9am	11am Linda Bierman & Cindy Waltke
Liturgist: 9am	11am Connie Leech
Coffee Hosts: 9am	11am Brunch
Counter: Kay McKinzie & SPPRC	Greeter: Vickie Harms
Monday, March 31	Church Office Help - Ellie Q/Nancy F
12:00pm Lenten Lunch	Centenary UMC
6:00pm Handbell practice	Classroom
7:00pm Scouts	Dining Room
Tuesday, April 01	No meetings
Wednesday, April 02	
Noon Bulletin,Website,and Facebook	Deadline
5:30pm Confirmation Class	Dining Room - Ethan - Finley - Luke
6:00pm Grace Notes Rehearsal	Sanctuary
6:30pm Youth Group	Dining Room - Trustees serve meal
7:00pm Chancel Choir	Sanctuary
Thursday, April 03	
6:30am Men’s Bible Study	Conference Room
10:00am Women’s Bible Study	Dining Room
11:45am UWF Unit Mtg	Dining Room - Easter Baskets
Friday, April 04	No meetings
Saturday, April 05	Leadership Team in LNK
Sunday, April 06	Communion Sunday
9:00am Jubilee Worship	Sanctuary
9:00am Kids Church	Begin in Sanctuary
10:00am Adult Sunday School	Conference Room ~ Dan Rooks: teacher
11:00am Traditional Service	Sanctuary
7:00pm Service Rebroadcast	Spectrum 181
7:00pm Lenten Bible Study in Parlor	“The Radical Teaching of Jesus”
7:00pm Scouts	Dining Room
Ushers: 9am Dale Kruse	11am Wes & Larry Nider
Liturgist: 9am	11am Kathy Woodward
Coffee Hosts: 9am Bonnie Bartlett	11am Margaret Haith & Jim Franz
Counter: Dale Kruse & Leadership	Greeter: Betty DeVries & Nancy Fritz

The altar flowers are given today by Duane & Deb Smith for everyone to enjoy!

PRAYER CENTER: Merna Greer, Bob McClelland, Alan Streeter, Janet Parde, Don & Bev Ewer, Sharon Bellamy, Jeff Hartig, Russ & Kay Hicks, Holly Reiter, Wayne & Jan Price, Dean Shuck, Dean & Marilyn Marples, Charles Higgins, Betty Deats, Dale Marr, Ken Greenwood, Erin Blake, George Hunt, Betty Moyer, Jake Oltean, Roland Timmerman and Linda Husa.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

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...

- o www.beatricemethodist.org to access E-giving for your donations.
- o **March Food Pantry Items:** Jelly, condiments, any Helpers (hamburger, tuna, chicken) saltines or graham crackers, brownie mix and vegetable oil.
- o **March Epworth Items:** Size 4-5 diapers, sunscreen and bug spray for humans.
- o Don’t Forget! Recycling aluminum pop can tabs supports the Ronald McDonald House in Omaha.They also accept tabs from canned soups//vegetables. We collect here at church.

Have You Noticed: Worship is catching our breath in the busyness of living. It is that moment when we pause and reflect and remember who we are and whose we are. We need selah moments in our lives daily. And when we gather, there should be that sense that we are pausing to breathe and collect and redirect ourselves for the tasks ahead. Psalm 32 is a Selah psalm. There are only three of them, but they are powerful. There is something intriguing about the placement of the word in Psalm 32. The first one comes after a statement about how difficult life is and how faith is sometimes a burden that we bear. After expressing that pain and admitting that weakness, there is the word “Selah,” and then everything changes. The psalm becomes a celebration, a declaration of faith, a cleansing, a renewal. One of the understandings of *selah* is that it means *to breathe*. Some think it is a musical notation for singing or an instrumental interlude like a music bridge. I think it is a call to breathe, to stop and reflect and breathe.

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**Mondays in Lent 2025** ~ Worship starts at noon ~ followed by lunch ~ free will offering at the lunch.

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| March 31 | Centenary UMC       | Rev. Dr. Renae Koehler |
| April 7  | First Christian DOC | Fr. Joseph Faulkner    |

March 30th is a **5th Sunday** with one service only at 11am followed by noon potluck. Bring a dish to share and your own table service. Please stay for **game day** which follows afterwards

The United Women in Faith April 03 Unit Meeting will be held in the church dining room with 11:45 am fellowship and 12 noon luncheon ~ \$10.00 The program: Easter Baskets. Please RSVP.

Senior HS graduates and their family are invited to celebrate their graduation with brunch in the dining room @ CUMC on Sunday April 27, 2025 @ 10am. RSVP to Tiffany 402.806.6450

April 13 ~ Palm Sunday ~ no 9am service ~ 11am only ~ Cantata ~

April 17 ~ Maundy Thursday ~ 7pm ~ Sanctuary ~

April 18 ~ Stations of the Cross ~ 6:30pm with Prayer Service ~ 7pm to follow

April 19 ~ Easter Egg Hunt ~ 10am ~ Churchyard ~ Donation of candy in basket near office door

\*\*Correction to the mailed postcard: There will be 3 services on Easter Sunday

7am Sunrise Service in Charles Park ~ ~ and 9am service and 11am ~ both with communion.

Say "Hello" to your 11am church greeter! Volunteer to be a greeter/usher when you can! It's fun!

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### *Connie's Collection Worksheet (hold info here to put in bulletins later)*

#### **We Collect...**

Food Pantry Items: elbow macaroni, pop tarts - saltine crackers - pudding, jello, and fruit cups, peanut butter n jelly, rice and pasta sides, and any of the "helpers" tuna, hamburger.

Recycling aluminum pop can tabs supports the Ronald McDonald House in Omaha.

They will also accept tabs from canned soups and vegetables.

Sun Mart receipts help local schools with classroom supplies.

A supply list for Epworth Village is updated for September and posted on our

Community Closet and the hallway tv.

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The United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is the not-for-profit global humanitarian aid organization of the United Methodist Church that works to alleviate human suffering caused by war, conflict or natural disaster. UMCOR responds to natural or civil disasters that are interruptions of such magnitude that they overwhelm a community's ability to recover on its own. Visit the UMCOR website for information on how you can help people suffering from disasters and conflicts. Every dollar designated for a specific program goes to that program. UMCOR is 100 percent efficient because they receive donations toward the cost of doing business from the annual UMCOR Sunday.