

### Attendance:

Week of August 22, 2021

Sanctuary: 67 Online: 106 + 43 TOTAL: 216

General Fund Giving: \$ 1,665

### ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR THE WEEK

Mon.	9:00	Newsletter
	7:00	S/PPRC
Wed.	1:00	Threads
	4:15	Mid-week Service
	5:00	Carry-out Meal
	7:00	Lay Leadership
Thurs.,	1:30	Esther's
	7:00	Trustees

### ANNIVERSARIES THIS COMING WEEK

#### September

3 Jacob and Alexis Klima (Woodward)

### BIRTHDAYS THIS COMING WEEK

29 Stephanie Farmer

30 Kelsey Neeman, Kolton Putscher

31 Doug Friedli

#### September

1 Veda Bennett

2 Lynda Larson, Gary Strange,  
Dorthea Fairbanks, Nick Farmer

3 Darci Venem

4 Dan Foster, Rich Schneider

### HEALTH & HEALING

Dale and Diane Hoyle, Fernando Dominguez Sr., Shawn Collins, Colter Krohn, Billy Homan, Roberto Aldana, Myles Addison, Cara Attebery, Helen Attebery, Jerry Attebery, Mark Attebery, Marvin Attebery, Mike Attebery, Amanda Borrego, Teresa Champ (Attebery), Adam Eppert, Matt Lagerstrom, Hanna Peters, Kaylee Riggins, Adam Smith, Anna VanKirk

### PRAYER LIST / SERVING IN THE MILITARY

Zach Snyder, Stefan Vasa (Cindy Meyer's nephew); Josh Runkles (Cindy Meyer's Godson); Doug Long (Dale and Carla Roettger's nephew); Derek Thomson (Dean and Keitha Thomson's son); Jacob Jara (Jerry and Judy Herzog's grandson); Gabe Collins (Shawn and Samantha Collins' son); Grant Welsh (Ruby Welsh's grandson); Dorothy Frerichs-Shea (Nancy Frerichs' daughter); Colter Krohn (Phyllis Royer's grandson); Josh and Jake Smith (Duane and Jackie Smith's grandsons); Casey and Tanner Schmidt (Phyllis Royer's grandnephews); Nathan and Lisy Hunzeker (Paul and Mary Stevenson's nephew and niece); Madison Davis (Lucille Sharp's niece).

**THANK YOU** to all who attended my 80<sup>th</sup> birthday open house and to those who kindly sent birthday wishes. God bless you all. ~Jackie Smith~

### **ARE YOU WISHING TO JOIN FIRST UNITED**

**METHODIST CHURCH AS A MEMBER?** Please visit with Rev. Ever V. Mudambanuki by calling the church at 402-873-3821.

### **DO YOU DESIRE TO USE YOUR TALENT IN**

**CHURCH COMMITTEES?** Please call the church office to let us know your willingness to serve God.

**NEED A PRAYER OR VISIT?** Please feel free to call or schedule an appointment with Rev. Ever V. Mudambanuki for prayers, visits, and pastoral counseling – 316-573-2435.

**FOR PRAYER REQUESTS** please call Phyllis Royer at 402-873-4610 or email Ann Haverty at ahavert@gmail.com.

### **KEY VERSE FOR AUGUST: (JEREMIAH 29:11-13)**

*"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the LORD, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future. Then you will call on me and come and pray to me, and I will listen to you. You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart."*

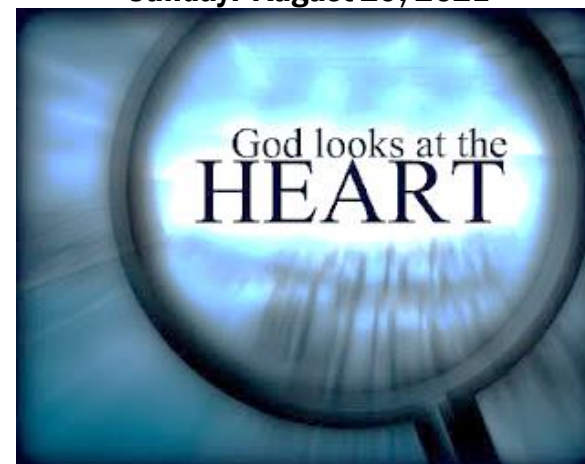
## First United Methodist Church

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**Sunday: August 29, 2021**



***Knowing Christ and  
Making Christ Known***

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**Adults' Sunday School:**

**8:30 – Sunrise: Gage Hall**

**(Also available on ZOOM)**

**WELCOME/  
ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**OPENING HYMN &  
THE ENTRANCE OF THE LIGHT**  
*Congregation Choice*

**INVOCATION PRAYER**

**CALL TO WORSHIP**

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

**WORDS OF ASSURANCE**

**APOSTLE'S CREED**

**GLORIA PATRI**  
*(#70 red hymnal)*

**CHILDREN'S MESSAGE**  
*(#191 red hymnal -  
verse 1 as the children come forward /  
sing verse 2 as the children  
return to their seats)*

**SHARING JOYS/CONCERNS**

**BIRTHDAYS/  
ANNIVERSARIES**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**SILENT PRAYER**

**THE LORD'S PRAYER**

**WE GIVE OUR TITHES &  
OFFERINGS TO GOD**  
*"We Give Thee but Thine Own"*

**HYMN OF PRAISE**  
*Congregation Choice*

**SCRIPTURE**  
*Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23*

**MESSAGE**

*"Clean Hands, Clean Hearts..."*  
*Rev. Ever V. Mudambanuki*

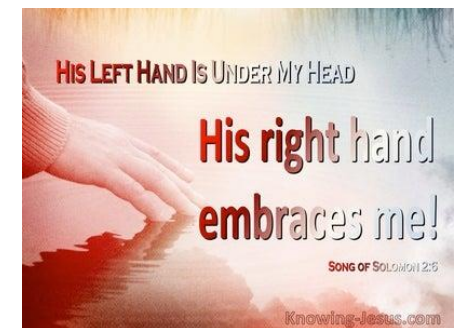
**ALTAR CALL**

**CLOSING HYMN**  
*Congregation Choice*

**CLOSING PRAYER**  
*"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"*

**WEEKLY SCRIPTURE READINGS**

- *Song of Solomon 2:8-13*
- *Psalms 45:1-2, 6-9*
- *Psalms 72*
- *James 1:17-27*
- *Mark 7:1-8, 14-15*



# 5TH SUNDAY POTLUCK

at the **First United Methodist Church  
of Nebraska City**

**Gage Fellowship Hall, 1023 1st Avenue**

## **SUNDAY, AUGUST 29**

Bring a side dish to share or  
simply join us for a meal after  
the service! **FREE** to the public!

10 A.M. - Worship  
11 A.M. - Potluck Lunch



**KNOWING CHRIST AND  
MAKING CHRIST KNOWN**



"Your story starts with you. right here."



# THE DREAM SWITCH

Lyrics by Becky Boesen  
Music by David von Kampen  
Sung by Natalie McClure ☀

Co-produced by Blixt Locally Grown  
and Nebraska Community Foundation

## FREE COMMUNITY PERFORMANCE

SUNDAY, AUGUST 29, 2021

Veterans Memorial Building Parking Lot  
\* Nebraska City \*

4:00 PM Food, art exhibition, and more

6:00 PM *The Dream Switch* concert, followed by  
community conversation

**Bring a lawn chair! Suitable for all ages!**  
**Local youth featured in the concert!**

*The Dream Switch* concert is a free event for everyone! Come early to enjoy food, an amazing art exhibition by local students about Nebraska City, and tour the Veterans Memorial Building!

At 6:00 PM, we kick off our main event—*The Dream Switch* concert, performed by Nebraska's finest musicians. *The Dream Switch* tells the story of a young Nebraskan looking to find her place only to discover the joys of blooming where you're planted. Stick around after the concert for a candid community conversation about welcoming and belonging in Nebraska City!

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