

OPPORTUNITIES FOR FELLOWSHIP AND SERVICE

*For **October** the McCook Food Pantry focus is; **Chili fixings (chili beans, crackers, chili seasoning packets), Soup (prefer tomato and chicken noodle), Ramen noodles.** Please have all items to the church by the end of the month. Thank you!

***Confirmands and mentors will meet tonight, Sunday, October 22 at 6:00 pm. Church Council will be held at 7:30 pm.**

****Choir practice is on hold for a few weeks.**

*Thank you to Beth Tappin for sharing special music on her harp last Sunday, this Sunday, and next Sunday!

*If anyone is interested in Prison Ministry, please fill out a background check form which is in the office. Any questions please talk to Ivan Ortman.

*On Sunday, November 5th, we will celebrate the dedication and baptism of Walker DeKramer. Please hold he and his family in prayer as they prepare for this sacred event.

*Mark your calendars: Trunk or Treat will be held on Tuesday, October 31st at 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm. If you plan to hand out goodies, please be parked by 5:15 pm.

*We are collecting pill bottles for the next 6 weeks for a mission project. Please have them washed and clean when you bring them to the church.

*If you would be willing to volunteer to help our church staff with tech issues, please read on!!! You would serve as a person to offer your expertise to troubleshoot when a problem arises with the office or sanctuary computers on an "as needed" basis. Please talk to Pastor Jerry or Cody Church for more details if you would be willing to help.

Thanks, Carol Woltzen PPR Chair



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Experiencing God's Love and Grace in Worship,
Experiencing God through Christian Fellowship,
Sharing Christ's Love through Ministry to Others,
Sharing the Hope and Promise of Jesus,
Experiencing and Sharing Christ's Principles for Life.**

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**October 22, 2023
21st Sunday after Pentecost**

Order of Worship
Hadassah Church, Organist

October 22, 2023

Please pray for these joys and concerns this week:

Gathering for Worship

*Opening Song “Come, Thou Almighty King” # 88

*Opening Prayer & Greeting

*Prayer of Confession & Words of Assurance

Announcements

Special Music Beth Tappin

Scripture Reading Luke 2:41-52 NT pg 833

Congregational Prayer & The Lord’s Prayer

Children’s Message

Song “Immortal, Invisible” #12

Sermon “Jesus the “Questioner”

Closing Song “To God Be the Glory” # 79

Benediction

Postlude

***Prayer/Praise Requests:**

Prayer for the farmers and construction workers

Carol's nephew Stuart— one scan shows something.. drs not concerned.. has to go back in 3 months.

Prayer for Dr Susan as she receives new treatment.

George Kuhler— continued prayers for David McGirr as he receives treatment.

Prayer for Brad Schroeder’s uncle Allen.

Ongoing health concerns: Sherry (Jerman) McKay, Donna Diede, Alexa and Rylie Rothenberger, Sally Ortman, Margie Stevens, Susan Anderson, Judy Scott, Barb Falk, Rev Dick Rinearson, Dakota Marcucci, Casey Baldwin, Ken Scott, David McGirr, Pastor Roy Caudill and Craig Shanks.

Weekly Schedule &Activities:

Sunday: 10/22

8:15 am Choir Practice

9:30 am Worship

6:00 pm Confirmation meeting

7:30 pm Council Meeting

Monday: 10/23

9:00 am Prayers and Squares

Wednesday: 10/25

5:00 pm Youth Bells

5:30 pm Jr High

6:00pm Dinner

6:30 pm Quartet Bells

6:30 pm SHINE

7:00 pm Sr. High

7:45 pm Adult Bell

Friday: 10/27

6:00 am Men’s Breakfast

Usher and Nursery Schedule

Oct. 22nd is Cody Church Family

Nursery worker is Remacle family

Oct. 29th—Kerrigan Family

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Nov. 5th —Jeff and Angie Scott

Nursery Worker is _____

Nov. 12th —Chad Keller Family

Nursery Worker is Remacle Family

Nov. 19th —Nielsens

Nursery Worker is _____