

OPPORTUNITIES FOR FELLOWSHIP & SERVICE

*For May, the **McCook Food Pantry** focus is: **Canned chicken**
Canned tuna. Please have all items to the church by the end of the month.

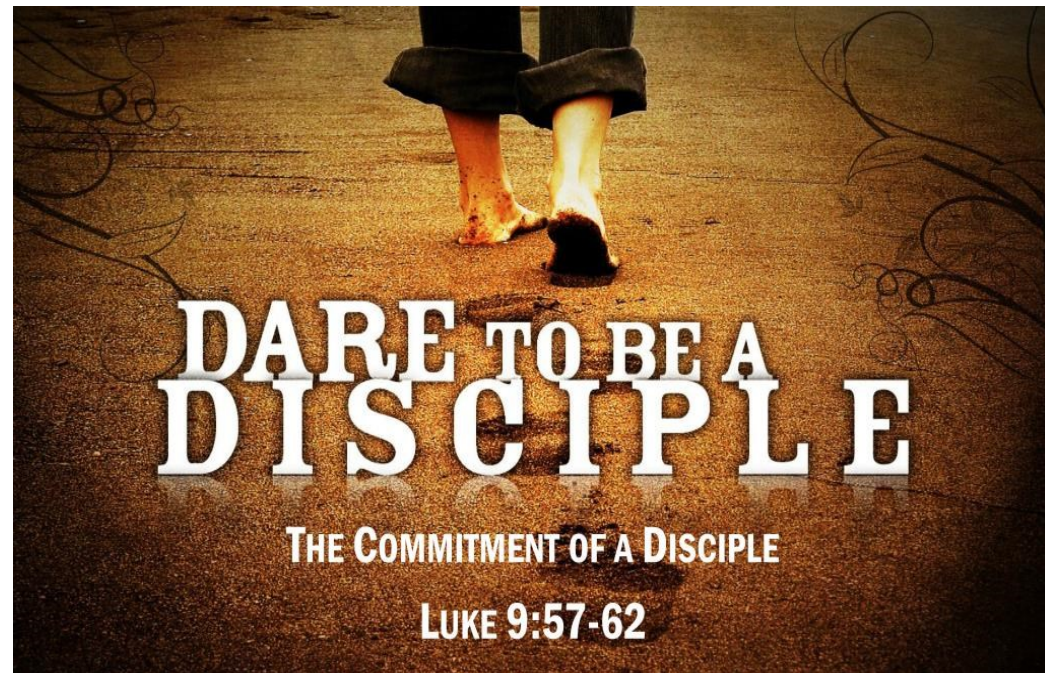
May 12-Mother's Day/Graduation Sunday,

May 19-Confirmation Sunday.

May 26-Memorial Sunday

Each year, churches and individuals in the Dakotas Annual Conference demonstrate their love for God and their neighbors through the Miracle Offering that is presented during worship at our Annual Conference Session.

Drawing from Isaiah 43:1, the theme of this year's Annual Conference is "Jesus, Redeemer." This passage and theme remind us that as beloved children of God, we can live courageously as ambassadors of Christ. We are blessed to be a blessing to others—and that is precisely what our annual Miracle Offering is all about: expressing our gratitude for God's provisions in our lives and sharing God's redeeming love with a broken world. The 2024 Miracle Offering invites us to walk alongside our neighbors near and far, reminding them through our tangible actions that they too are worthy, loved, and beloved. Our generosity will have a lasting impact on each recipient. —Bishop Lanette Plambeck



Experience and Share Life In Christ By:

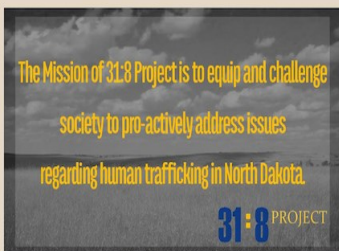
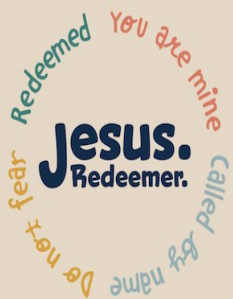
**Experiencing God's Love and Grace in Worship,
Experiencing God through Christian Fellowship,
Sharing Christ's Love through Ministry to Others,
Sharing the Hope and Promise of Jesus,
Experiencing and Sharing Christ's Principles for Life.**

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**May 5, 2024
6th Sunday of Easter**

2024 Miracle Offering



31:8 Project



Bridges Therapeutic Foster Care



Bravery Backpacks



Clergy Sustentation Fund



Recovery Ministry

Order of Worship
Starlyn Church, Organist

Prelude

Gathering for Worship

Opening Prayer and Greeting

Opening Song “ Standing on the Promises” #181

Welcome and Announcements

Responsive Reading “Holy Scriptures” #652

Congregational Prayer and The Lord’s Prayer

Song “Thy Word” #178

Scripture Reading Luke 9:43-62 NT pg 842

Youth Bells “Resurrection and the Book”
Angels: Luminous, Amelia Remacle
Sparky, Lily Montgomery

Children’s Message

Song “Hymn of Promise” #277

Adult Bells “I Will Rise”

Sermon “Excuses, Excuses, Excuses”

Communion Choir Anthem “Born to Be the Bread”

The Lord’s Supper

Song “Our God Reigns” #290

Adult Bells “Plink, Plank, Plunk”

Benediction

May 5, 2024

Please pray for these joys and concerns this week:

***Prayer/Praise Requests (from last Sunday and this week):**

Prayers for Kya as she recovers from her surgery.

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

Weekly Schedule & Activities:

Sunday: 5/5
9:30 am Worship
10:40 am Sunday School
Monday: 5/6
9:00 am Prayers and Squares
Friday: 5/10
6:00 am Men’s Breakfast

***Next Sunday: 5/12**

Graduation Sunday

9:30 am Worship
10:40 am Sunday School

VBS will be 5/20-5/24

Usher and Nursery Schedule

May 5th—Montgomery's
Nursery worker is Bertelson's

May 12th—Perry’s
Nursery worker is Koehn’s

May 19th—Koehn's
Nursery worker is Richardson's

May 26th—Olsen's
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June 2nd—Michael & Margaret
Nursery worker is Koda Popkes

June 9th—Curt & Carol Woltzen
Nursery worker is Pam Jerman

June 16th—Schroeders
Nursery worker is Korkow's

June 23rd—Roger & Al
Nursery worker is Susie Schroeder

June 30th—Lindbloom's
Nursery worker is Latsha’s

