

## OPPORTUNITIES FOR FELLOWSHIP AND SERVICE

\*For **July** the McCook Food Pantry focus is; **Jelly in plastic containers**. Please have all items to the church by the end of the month. Thank you!

\*All are welcome to a church-wide bonfire by the garden at the church on Friday, July 7 at 8 pm – 10 pm. Smore supplies will be provided.

\*A community-wide worship service will be held on Sunday, July 16 at 10 am at the American Legion. There will be no service held at United Church on that Sunday.

\*The building project vote will be held on August 13th after the worship service.

\*Mission U 2023—Each year, United Women in Faith members gather to better understand how to live our faith in the world by studying for spiritual growth and learning about contemporary issues and neighbors in different geographic areas. We engage in transformative educational experiences at Mission U. The Mission U curricula is designed to motivate, inform, and enrich our commitment to global ministry. **(We at the United Church will be doing the Virtual version which is August 10-12)** for more information talk to Katie Ortman. Thank you!

### Dates to Remember:

July 16 Building Project Presentations

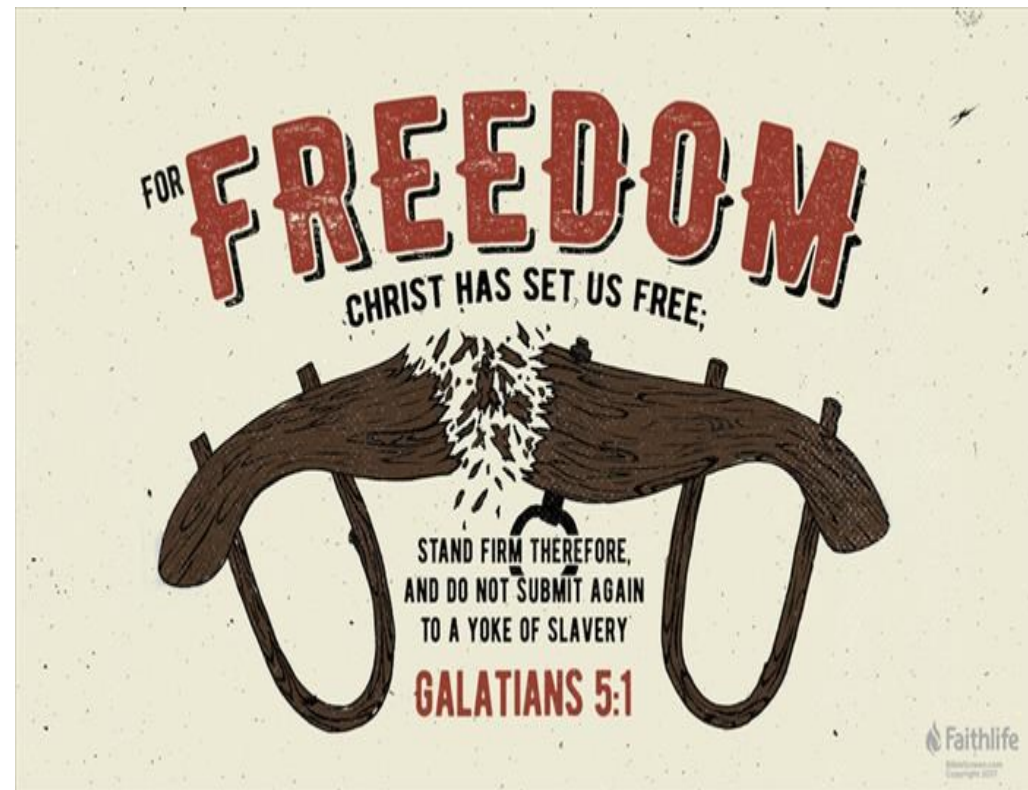
July 7 - Bonfire at United Church at 8 pm.

July 16 - Community Worship Service at 10 am @ the Legion

July 17 - Bloodmobile

August 13 - Congregational Meeting about building

August 17 - Canistota School Begins



### 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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**July 2, 2023**

**5th Sunday after Pentecost**

## Order of Worship

Ashley Tieszen, Organist

Prelude

Call to Worship

\*Opening Song "What a Friend We Have in Jesus" #162

\*Opening Prayer & Greeting

Welcome & Announcements

Birthday & Anniversary Song

Prayer of Confession

Words of Assurance

Congregational Prayer & The Lord's Prayer

\*Song "Since Jesus Came into My Heart" #351

Children's Message: The Christian Flag

Scripture Reading Romans 7:4-6; Galatians 5:1-2 NT pg 915 & 945

Message "Freedom"

Communion Song "Blessed Assurance" #295

The Lord's Table

Prayer of Thanksgiving

Closing Song "America!" #602

Benediction

Postlude

## July 2, 2023

**Please pray for these joys and concerns this week:**

### **\*Prayer/Praise Requests:**

\*Prayer for Juliana Hernandez in the hospital in Houston Tx with health issues.

\*Praise that Susan Anderson is recovering at home from a recent ER visit.

\*Kim (Bunger) Tsosie's dad was recently hospitalized but is back at home and doing better.

\*Prayer for Bonnie White-David White's mom-she transitioned to a skilled nursing facility for rehabilitation after a hospital stay.

\*PTL for the birth of Weston Gerken on the 16th of June, to Anthony and Morgan Gerken.

\*Prayer for Craig and Nicole (Ortman) Shanks. Craigs cancer has come back.

\*Prayer for Brad Schroeder's uncle-Allen-who is discerning the next steps in his care.

**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 and David McGirr.

### **Weekly Schedule & Activities:**

Sunday: 7/2

9:30 am Worship

Monday: 7/3

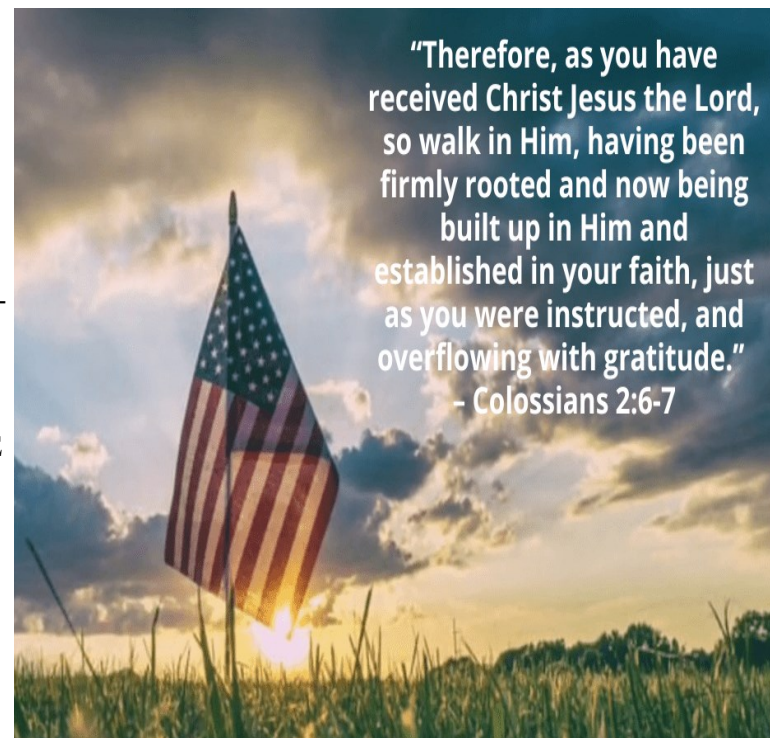
9:00 am NO Prayers and Squares

Tuesday: 7/4

**HAPPY  
INDEPENDENCE  
DAY**

Friday: 7/7

6:00 am Men's  
Breakfast



**"Therefore, as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him, having been firmly rooted and now being built up in Him and established in your faith, just as you were instructed, and overflowing with gratitude."  
- Colossians 2:6-7**