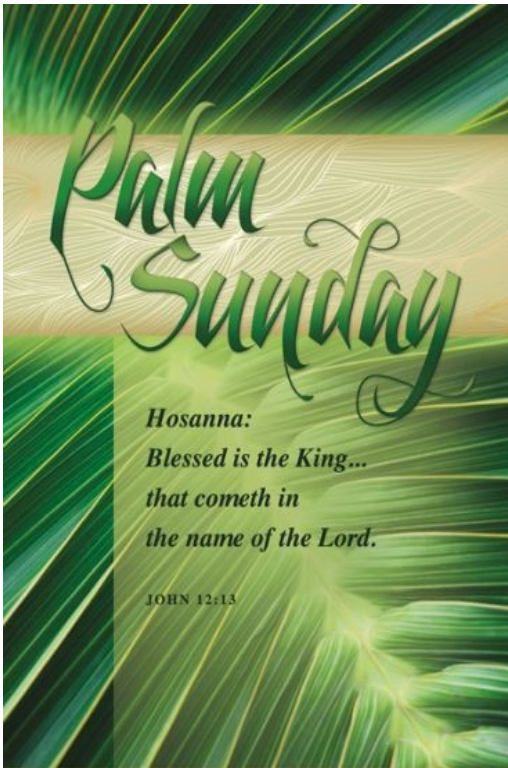
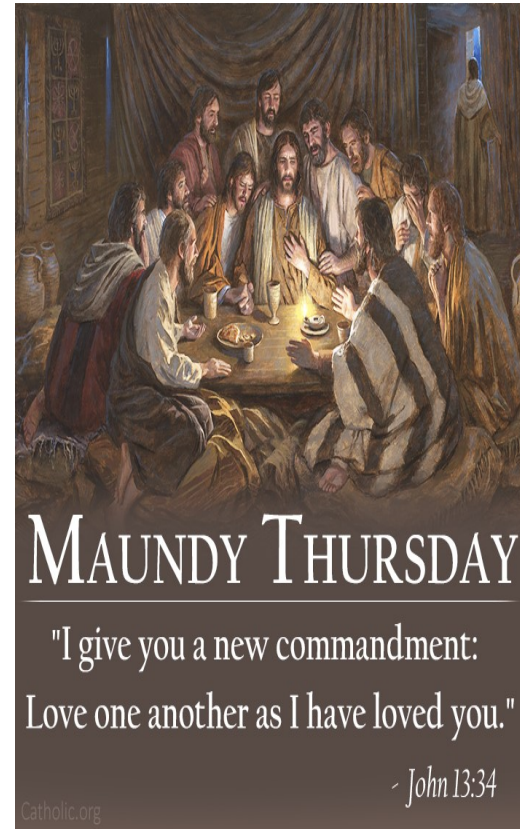


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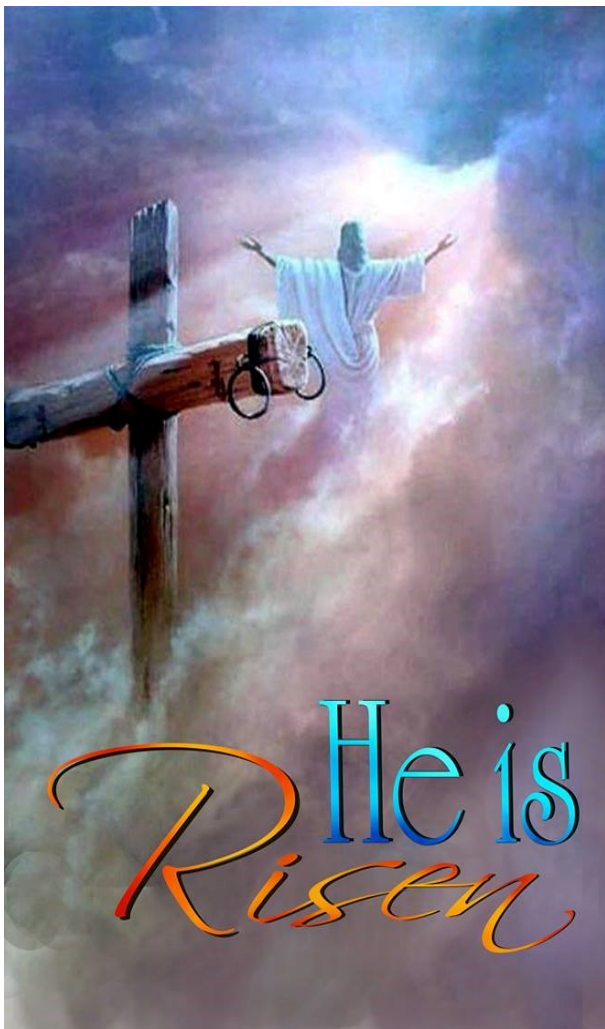
**Palm Sunday
March 24, 2024
Service at 9:30 am**



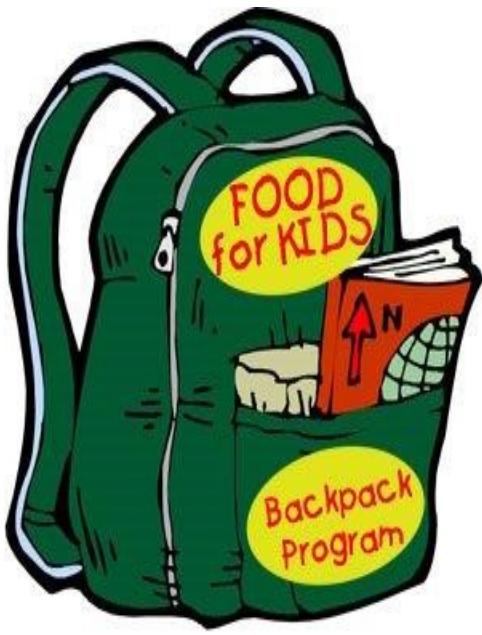
**Maundy Thursday
March 28,
2024 Service at
7:00pm**

**Good Friday
March 29, 2024
Service at 7:00
pm**

**Easter Sunday
March 31, 2024
Worship at 9:30
am.**



SPRING FORWARD DONUTS



Backpacks & Donuts

What do these two things have in common you ask? We will be having a donut fundraiser to raise money for the Backpack Program on Sunday, March 10, 2024 after

Worship Service!! Please come and enjoy some yummy donuts and feel free to donate to give some kids in our community food for their weekends.

Daylight savings time begins on Sunday, March 10th!!!

St Patrick's Ham Dinner

Sunday, March
17, 2024

11:00 am—
1:00 pm

St Patrick's
Church Hall

Montrose, SD

FREE WILL of-
fering

Valet Parking

Carry-out
available

EARLY BIRD DEADLINE

CAMPING DEADLINES

This is a reminder that the early bird deadlines for camping are approaching: **April 30th** for both the Presbyterian and Methodist camps.

Please keep Karyn informed!! Remember, the church will help pay 60% of the early bird deadline!!

Camps are available for all age levels and offer a huge variety of activities.





Usher and Nursery Schedule

March 3rd—Lindbloom's

Nursery worker is Tieszen's

March 10th—White Family

Nursery worker is Remacle's

March 17th—Tieszen's

Nursery worker is Autumn & Bailey

March 24th—Mehlbrech's

Nursery worker is Acheson's

March 31st—Montgomery's

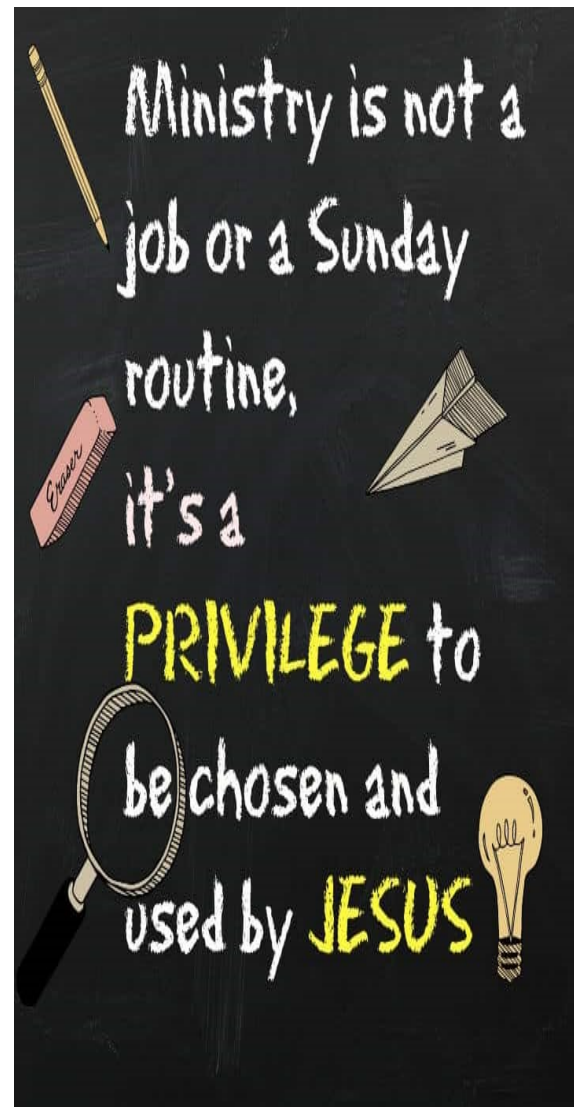
Nursery worker is _____

April 7th—Popkes's

Nursery worker is Josh & Koda

April 14th—Steve & Dorene

Nursery worker is Sienna & Alina



MEMBER SPOTLIGHT—

JOHN & REBECKA BUTZ

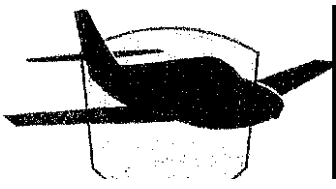
John and I recently got married in October. Together we run my family's dairy farm. I also am a bookkeeper for QuickBooks and John welds for Meadow View Colony.

In our spare time, John & I enjoy showing dairy cattle. We take our animals to different shows around the state.

My grandma Lela Hoffman is a member and we would come to church with her. We also got married in the church.

- Rebecka Butz





MIDWEST OPERATION

HONOR FLIGHT MAIL CALL

www.midwesthonorflight.org

TOP SECRET

**Have you ever wanted to somehow say,
"Thank you for all you have done"?**

Well, here's your chance!

WRITE A THANK YOU LETTER TO A VETERAN!

On May 7, 2024, we will be flying over 80 American Heroes to visit THEIR memorial in our Nation's Capital. The welcome celebration begins on the flight back to Sioux Falls with the MAIL CALL, where they will open letters while on their way back home. Mail call is a very personal, very touching way to let our Veterans know that, even after all these years, their sacrifices are still appreciated. Veterans that have participated in previous Honor Flights continue to look at the letters received during mail call for the rest of their lives. Examples range from a simple card, a hand-written letter, or a coloring page from a young child. Colorful, handmade cards from adults and children alike are pieces that Veterans linger over the longest!

Please, no glitter on the cards/letters • also, do not draw weapons or injured Veterans

Cards and Letters ONLY PLEASE - POSTERS ARE FOR THE WELCOME HOME (reverse)

If you choose to write them a letter or your family does, please send to the address below by ,pr 'd5 to ensure it arrives and is sorted in time for Mission 18: 07 MAY 2024. If you'd like to write other Veterans notes as well, please address to "Dear Veteran" and remove the "ATTN" line in the address below. Thank you for your help with this operation! PLEASE FOLLOW THE INSTRUCTIONS BELOW CAREFULLY SO OUR VETERANS GET THE MAIL INTENDED FOR THEM. WE HAVE MORE THAN 250 VETERANS TRAVELING THIS SPRING:

Please give cards to Kathy Hofer

MWHF MISSION 18 Mail Call

"ATTN: "DEAR VETERAN"

PO Box 22

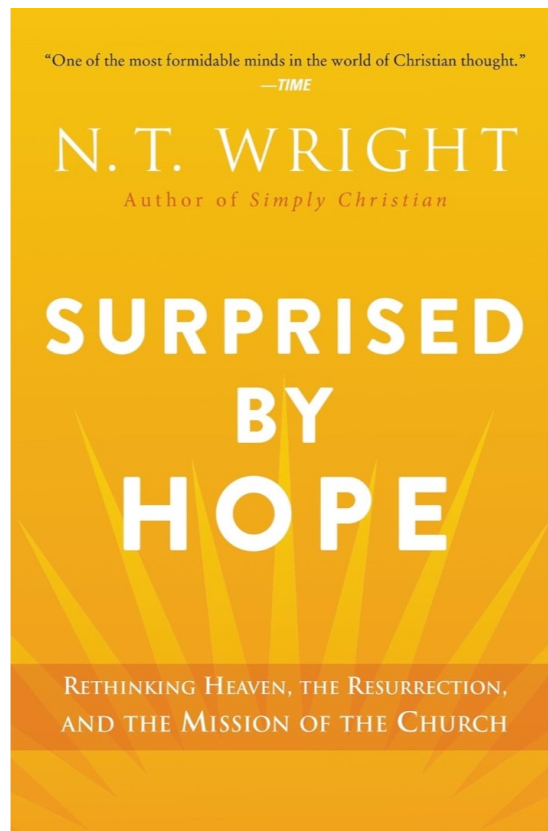
Sioux Center, IA 51250

"Heroes are ordinary people **that** make themselves extraordinary." - Ger⁵ard Way

Lenten Book
Study - 6 pm

March 10th at
Erin & Cody's
house.

March 24th in
church youth
room.



All are
welcome!

Church Council

Meets on March 24 at 7:30 pm
in the adult classroom



Ticket Information

\$25 PER PERSON OR \$250 PER TABLE
A TABLE INCLUDES 8 TICKETS PLUS AN ENTRY INTO A DRAWING

CHILDCARE AVAILABLE AT THE UNITED CHURCH DURING THE
EVENT FOR A FREEWILL DONATION



LENT

A SEASON OF REPENTANCE

Weekly services on Wednesdays at 7:30 pm