



Our mission as a congregation is to glorify God through growing mature disciples of Jesus Christ in our communities and around the world:  
*Exalting the Lord      Evangelizing the Lost      Edifying the Saints*  
*Equipping for Service      Encouraging through Fellowship*

(Call Janet Merrick, 547-2839 or 605-906-1512, by Wed. night of each week for prayer needs)

**“PEOPLE DON’T CARE HOW MUCH YOU KNOW, UNTIL THEY KNOW HOW MUCH YOU CARE”**  
**Concerns for Prayer & Visitation:**  
Pastor JB, Lorelle, Isayah, Lily, Malachi, Jordyn; Wally VanBallegooyen; Val Krause—pneumonia  
Barney Blauth—continued healing for cancer  
Linda Andar- fighting cancer; Dawn Merrick; Dan Solberg; Kay Odle;  
Keiana Merrick-a kidney transplant donor; Jim Leafstedt; Adrian Beeck; Paul Newberg; Roger Sonichsen  
**Missionary of the month:** Adam’s Thermal Foundation, Ethiopia  
**Church of the Week:** Ashland Baptist, Pastor Everett Greathouse, Ashland, NE  
**Families of the week:** Rick & Mary Beth Lundburg, Dawn Merrick  
**Deacon of the month:** Blake Larson **CE Member at Large:** Valere Beeck  
**Home bound:** June Newman; Loyd Lundberg, Bernard & Phyllis Bergdale  
**Our Government Elected Officials:** especially President Trump and VP Pence  
**All our Military and Veterans**

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## Life lessons from Ethiopia

**WELCOME TO BIG SPRINGS**  
MARCH 1, 2020

**WELCOME**

**#103 ALL HAIL KING JESUS**

**COMING TOGETHER** GREETINGS & BLESSINGS  
*CHILDREN AGES 2—5 DISMISSED FOR TOT'S CHURCH*

**MINISTERING TOGETHER** ANNOUNCEMENTS

**GIVING TOGETHER** TITHES & OFFERINGS

**THIS IS AMAZING GRACE**  
**O COME TO THE ALTAR**

**HEARING FROM GOD'S WORD** J.B. HINOTE  
"FOOD FOR THE HUNGRY"  
MATTHEW 4:4

**CLOSING PRAYER**

**Sunday Morning Christian Education**  
9:30—10:15 a.m.

3 years—Kind. Basement North Classroom  
1st—4th Grades East Classroom  
5th—8th Grades JYF Room off the balcony  
High School Office Meeting Room  
Adults Fellowship Hall

**Sunday Evening Youth**  
6:00—7:30 p.m. Merge Community Youth Group  
(Grades 7—12 at Alcester Baptist Church)

**Wednesday Night Christian Education**

5:45 p.m. Supper (Fellowship Hall)  
6:15 p.m. K-6 Club Groups (Fellowship Hall)  
6:15 p.m. Jr. Hi. JYF (Office Meeting Room)  
6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study (Fireside Room)  
7:00 p.m. High School CYF (Upstairs)

**BE ON TIME next Sunday!** It's time to "Spring Ahead" - Daylight Savings time begins next Sunday, Mar. 8th.

The "Over 55" Group will be meeting on Monday, March 9th at 5:30 p.m. at Arleen's Café in Alcester. Please See Marilyn Hansen to sign up.

March is **Union Gospel Mission** month and we would like to collect bottled water and extra large cans of fruits and vegetables to take with us. Anyone wishing to donate items can bring them to the church until Sunday, March 15th. Please leave them in the collection area by the office. If you have questions, please see Karen Nelson.

A watch was found in the Youth Room. Please see Jenelle if you are missing yours!

THANK YOU to everyone who helped with church cleaning while our custodian was away, especially Rich and Brenda Akland and Ron and Sandra Johnson. We appreciate everyone's cooperation and help!

Goodbye  
**FEBRUARY**

Hello  
**MARCH**

**Weather Announcements**

If any activities are cancelled this winter, you will be notified via our church text. It will also be posted on our website and Facebook page, so please check there if the weather is questionable.

**Vocalists next week:** Allen, Gina, Lily, Shannon

**Fellowship: 3/1:** Brian & Melia Small; Jerry & Shonnie Kratochvil

**3/8:** Curt & Carla Winquist, Jaimey & Jenelle Schempp

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