



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
Equipping for Service
Edifying the Lost
Encouraging through Fellowship

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

All our Military and Veterans

Our Government Elected Officials: especially President Trump and VP Pence

Home bound: June Newman; Lloyd Lundberg, Bernard & Phyllis Bergdale

Deacon of the month: Blake Larson **Library:** Cindy Sailor

Families of the week: Janet Merrick; Keiana Merrick

Church of the Week: Bethel Baptist, Pastor Luke Wolford, Hayes Center, NE

Missionary of the month: Adam's Thermal Foundation, Ethiopia

Keiana Merrick-a kidney transplant donor; Jim Leafstedt; Adrian Beeck; Paul Newberg; Roger Sonichsen

Linda Andar- fighting cancer; Dawn Merrick; Dan Solberg; Kay Odle;

Tara Sonichsen, shoulder surgery; Wally VanBallegooyen; Val Krause—pneumonia

Pastor JB, Lorelle, Isiah, Lily, Malachi, Jordyn; Wendy (Cindy Appley's sister) - blood clot in lung;

Concerns for Prayer & Visitation:

"PEOPLE DON'T CARE HOW MUCH YOU KNOW, UNTIL THEY KNOW HOW MUCH YOU CARE"



The Kingdom of Heaven is like



WELCOME TO BIG SPRINGS
MARCH 8, 2020

WELCOME

#48 MIGHTY IS OUR GOD

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

MINISTERING TOGETHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

GIVING TOGETHER TITHES & OFFERINGS

YOU ARE MY KING
JESUS, YOUR NAME

HEARING FROM GOD'S WORD J.B. HINOTE
THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN IS LIKE:
PART 1: WHY PARABLES?
MATTHEW 13: 10-16

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)

The "Over 55" Group will be meeting THIS Monday, March 9th at 5:30 p.m. at Arlene'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!

Financial Update (General & Missions Funds)
February 2020

Income	\$14,154.20
Expenses	<u>12,199.58</u>
Net Income	\$ 1,954.62

*This is why I speak to them
in parables, because seeing
they do not see, and hearing
they do not hear, nor do they
understand*

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: Rick, Becky, Linda

Fellowship: 3/8: Curt & Carla Winquist, Jaimey & Jenelle Schempp
3/15: Allen & Valere Beeck, Karen Nelson

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