

Mid Week Update ~ September 9, 2020



God's Work ~ Our Hands is HERE!

Join us Sunday, September 13 at 10 AM for worship in Word, Sacrament, Song & Deed then stay to help out with any of the following:

- Phone Call Outreach to Members
- Stuff-a-Sock for Veterans (Need socks, shampoo, razors & shaving cream, body wash, toothpaste & toothbrushes)
- Kountze Pantry Donations (Need toilet paper, canned meats, ramen noodles, other dry pantry goods)
- Pen-Pal Activity with Youth & Adults
- Communion Delivery
- Church Clean-Up (weeding, landscape upkeep, wash windows, dust). Bring any supplies you may need to complete the tasks you sign up for.

Light snacks will be provided. Sign up by clicking HERE!



Grab your Rally Sunday Supplies Packet Friday from 1-3 PM or Saturday from 9 AM-Noon at the drive thru communion distribution. If you are joining us from home, click HERE for the ZOOM link!



Middle School/High School Parent's ZOOM Meeting

Hey parents! Join Greta on Sunday, September 13 from 5-5:30 PM for a quick meeting. Click <u>HERE</u> for the ZOOM link!

Children & Youth Corner

Check out our Children's & Youth Ministry page by clicking on the picture above for help to strengthen young people's faith at home! Your very own children's bulletin is HERE!



We are in need of Greeters/Ushers for our worship services each week. If you would like to receive brief training on how to serve this way, contact Pastor Glenn at 402-393-5553.



Join us for Bible Study every Wednesday. Contact the Church Office for the Zoom link or join us LIVE on Facebook at 10 AM. You can always watch at your convenience at www.MorningStarOmaha.org/Virtual-Service-Archive.

Bible Study Sheet

Lectionary Texts:

First Reading Genesis 50:15-21
Psalm Psalm 103:8-13
Second Reading Romans 14:1-12
Gospel Matthew 18:21-35



We are open for public worship with social distancing and face masks in place! All are welcome!

VIRTUAL WORSHIP INFORMATION:

Click <u>HERE</u> to join the LIVE service on Sunday at 10 AM. You don't need a Facebook account to view the service. Don't forget to "like" or comment so we can count you present!

Follow along in the bulletin <u>HERE</u>: Fifteenth Week of Pentecost

All Worship services, past and present, can be viewed by visiting <u>www.MorningStarOmaha.org/virtual-service-archive.</u>

Click **HERE** for a summary on the changes in worship!



The Staff/Council Fall Retreat is Saturday, September 19 from 9 AM-Noon at Camp Carol Joy Holling.





Our newest Confirmation class is about to start! If you have a student entering 7th or 8th Grade or older who hasn't yet gone through Confirmation, contact Greta Carlson, Pastor Chris or the Church Office.







Your continued generosity is greatly appreciated! Click <u>HERE</u> to donate online, contact your bank to subscribe in billpay or you can still mail your gift to the church!

For Green Envelope offerings, choose the EVANGELISM column and it will be applied to this month's recipient:

Food for Friends!



September 6

Fred Zabel

Available

Friends of Morning Star

September 13

The Beck Family

Ric & Pam Miller

Friends of Morning Star

September 20

Sharon McGrath

Francy Van Meter

Don & Bonnie Daubman

September 27

Jan Zarestky

John & Lynn Davis

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Morning Star Church Council Highlights:

- Our Sunday 10 AM services have been going well and attendance has continued to increase. Thank you to
 our members for following all of the established protocol to keep everyone safe. We continue to offer our
 on-line service for members wishing to worship from home. Pending guidance from the taskforce and
 Pastor, Council approved the option to add a Saturday evening service.
- Our preschool has done an excellent job navigating COVID and continuing to care for children and keep them safe. The Council is proud of the work of our preschool staff and their leadership.
- God's Work Our Hands (GWOH) is scheduled for September 13. The Outreach Committee is planning safe ways for us to serve the church and others in need. Watch for additional information on how you can help.
- The Council is scheduled for its Fall Retreat on Saturday, September 19. We'll review Morning Star's strategic plan and set goals for the coming year.







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