

Welcome to Homestead Park United Methodist Church



Announcements ~ This Week ~





We are looking for a musician! Know anyone who might be interested in this position? Please contact Pastor Don.

We are also looking for a backup for the camera on Sundays! Please let us know if you'd like to help!





Tuesday 05/03/22 7 pm - *Tuesday in the Word* Women in the Bible - Elizabeth (4th Fl Annex Hall)









Thursday 05/05/22 11 am - How to Read the Bible for All Its Worth Bible Study (Sanctuary)





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Sunday 11 amPrayer Meeting (Prayer Room)Sunday 6 pmGirl Scouts (Fellowship Hall)MondayCreative Play and

through Friday Begin-der-garten

week

chedule



Monday 930 am Tai Chi (Fellowship Hall)Monday 630 pmCub Scouts (Fellowship Hall)Monday 7 pmBoy Scouts (4th Fl Annex Hall)



Tuesday10amLine Dancers (Fellowship Hall)Tuesday 7 pmJust Recovery (Fellowship Hall)Friday 10 amLine Dancers (Fellowship Hall)





Saturdays and Sundays

Homeless Ministry (Fellowship Hall)

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Other Announcements



Opening Prayer (unison)

(Please stand as you are able)

God on high, give us hearts full of gratitude. We have much to celebrate and we ask that you would fill our souls with a pure desire to worship. The gift you have given us in the raising of your Son from the dead is

worthy of all glory and honor and praise. We want our worship to reflect the elation we feel. Thank you for being present with us. Guide us as we worship today. Amen.

Call to Worship (responsive) (Please stand as you are able)

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Pastor: You are the Resurrection, Lord!

People: You are all goodness and joy!





Pastor: We look to you for guidance. We look to you for instruction.

People: Teach us how to love. Teach us how to pray.



All: Teach us, Lord, how to help others see that you are the way, the truth and the life. Amen.



Hymn of Praise # 92 For the Beauty of the Earth – first 2 verses

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For the beauty of the earth, for the glory of the skies, for the love which from our birth





over and around us lies; Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.





For the beauty of each hour of the day and of the night, hill and vale, and tree and flower,





sun and moon, and stars of light; Lord of all, to thee we raise this our hymn of grateful praise.



Reception of New Members ~ Joe and Lori Straw





Sacrament of Baptism ~ Genevieve Grace Straw



The Baptism Covenant II (page 39 Hymnal)

Children's Message

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Doxology (Please stand as you are able)

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Praise God from Whom all blessings flow. Praise Him all creatures here below. Praise Him above, ye, heavenly host. Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Prayer of Dedication (Please stand as you are able)

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Our Time of Prayer

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The Lord's Prayer

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Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Hymn #70 Glory be to the Father



Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Our Scripture Genesis 1: 27-28 NIV

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27 So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.



²⁸ God blessed them and said to them, "Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over the fish in the sea





and the birds in the sky and over every living creature that moves on the ground."





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Message Our Generative Calling Pastor Don Kephart

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Hymn # 89 Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee

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Joyful, joyful, we adore thee, God of glory, Lord of love; hearts unfold like flowers before thee, opening to the sun above.



Melt the clouds of sin and sadness; drive the dark of doubt away. Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day!



All thy works with joy surround thee, earth and heaven reflect thy rays, stars and angels sing around thee, center of unbroken praise.

Field and forest, vale and mountain, flowery meadow, flashing sea, chanting bird and flowing fountain, call us to rejoice in thee.



Benediction



Thank you for joining us in worship!

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