Welcome to Homestead Park United Methodist Church

Announcements ~ This Week ~



All are welcome!

Sunday 11am (Prayer Room)

Prayer Meeting

Monday 9³⁰am (Fellowship Hall)

Tai Chi

Monday 6³⁰pm (Fellowship Hall)

Cub Scouts



All are welcome!

Monday 7 pm (4th Fl Annex Hall)

Boy Scouts

Tuesday 10am (Fellowship Hall)

Line Dancers

Tuesday 7pm (Fellowship Hall)

Just Recovery



All are welcome!

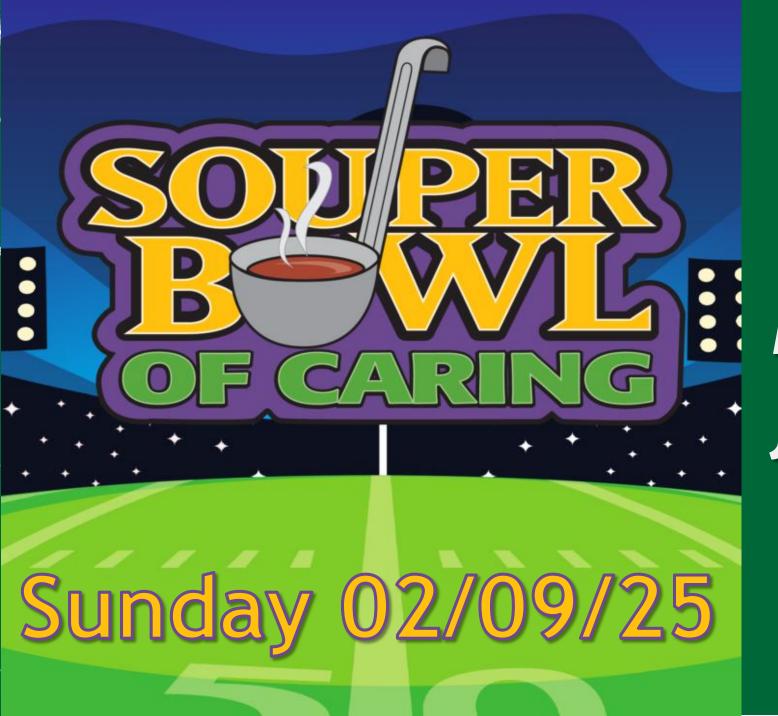
Friday 10am (Fellowship Hall)

Line Dancers

Saturdays and Sundays (Fellowship Hall) Homeless Ministry
Packing and delivery

Opcoming Events





Accepting nonperishable food items until 02/09/25

Other Announcements

Opening Prayer (unison)

(Please stand as you are able)

Ruler of the universe, creator of all the worlds, giver of life, we gather as your own people to praise you

and marvel at your goodness to us. Bring us back from our scattered lives and fragmented loyalties to the shelter of your fold. Assure us once more of your loving care and teach us again that we are called to bear



witness to your truth. Amen.



Cast to Worship

(responsive)

(Please stand as you are able)

Pastor: We come to tend to our lives,

All: As seekers of truth.

Pastor: As we come to turn our lives around,

All: As persons gone astray.

Pastor: we come to search for meaning,

All: Affirming that life is good.

Pastor: We come desiring to be changed,

All: So that we might transform the world in Christ's name.

Hymn of Preparation

Amazing Grace #378

(first four verses only)

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!



lonce was lost, but now am found; was blind, but now I see

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved

now precious did that grace appear the hour I first believed

Through many dangers, toils, and snares, lhave already come

'tis grace hath brought me safe thus far, and grace will lead me home



The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures

he will my shield and portion be, as long as life endures



Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings

Church Center App

Doxology Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow #95 (Please stand as you are able)

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)

Our Time of Prayer



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 Glory be to the Father #70

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

1 Corinthians 9: 24-27

NIV

24 Do you not know that in a race all the runners run, but only one gets the prize? Run in such a way as to get the prize.

25 Everyone who competes in the games goes into strict training. They do it to get a crown that will not last,

but we do it to get a crown that will last forever. ²⁶ Therefore do not run like someone running aimlessly; I do

not fight like a boxer beating the air. 27 No, I strike a blow to my body and make it my slave so that after I

have preached to others, I myself will not be disqualified for the prize.

Message

The Road Less Traveled!

Pastor Don Kephart

Hymn of Dedication Trust and Obey #467

When we walk with the Lord in the light of his word, what a glory he sheds on our way!

While we do his good will, he abides with us still, and with all who will trust and obey

Trust and obey, for there's no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey

Not a burden we bear, not a sorrow we share, but our toil he doth richly repay

not a grief or a loss, not a frown or a cross, but is blest if we trust and obey

Trust and obey, for there's no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey

But we never can prove the delights of his love until all on the altar we lay

for the favor he shows, for the joy he bestows, are for them who will trust and obey



Trust and obey, for there's no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey

Then in fellowship sweet we will sit at his feet, or we'll walk by his side in the way

what he says we will do, where he sends we will never fear, only trust and obey

Trust and obey, for there's no other way to be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey



Benediction



Thank you for joining us in worship!