

Call to Prayer

Ask • Seek • Knock • Matthew 7:7

1. Bible Verse: " Jesus said to her, "I am the resurrection and the life. Whoever believes in me, though he die, yet shall he live, and everyone who lives and believes in me shall never die. Do you believe this?"" John 11:25-26

2. Family of the Week: Susan Cline

3. Glory Family: Dan Midura, Hurd family, Jackie Johnson, Bob Kangas, Gayle Gilbertson, Josh McGuire, Mary & Larry Nutting, Gloria Carlson, interim & pastoral search.

4. Those We Care About: Maurice Anderson, Alissa, Lori, Lenore Rapoport & Barb Schroeder

5. Federal, state & local government officials.

6. Converge Missionary: Tom & Tanya Clyde, UK

7. Glory Missions:

- Pastor Martin & Anne Shikuku, Eldoret, Kenya
- Pastor Nikolai Kolomiyets, Ukraine
- Bill & Sue Arvan, READ Ministries
- Kristian and Cindy Anderson, Dominican Republic
- Karl, Southeast Asia
- Bruce & Julie, N. America

8. AIR FORCE:

MSGT RYAN LEWELLEN, KENNY & BEULAH

WESTVIG'S GRANDSON

MAJ REX VILLA, RICHARD & LISA NIX'S SON-IN-LAW, OMAHA, NE

ARMY: SFC JARED MCGUIRE, DAN & JOEY'S SON, GERMANY

BEN, KIM'S COUSIN

NAVY: TYLER FLOWERS, SON OF BRYAN & GRANDSON OF LILA, SAN DIEGO, CA

"Jesus Appears to Mary Magdalen"

John 20:1-18

Steve Lagoon



This Week at Glory

December 29, 2024

Today 10:30 am Worship Service
12/29 Steve Lagoon
 Sermon Time Kids: Sarah & Mylee

Monday 6:30 pm Council Meeting
12/30

Wednesday Happy New Year
1/1/25

Thursday 5:15 pm Prayer
1/2

Next Week 10:30 am Worship Service
1/5 Pastor Stanley Schultz
 Sermon Time Kids: Fikrte & Talitha



Welcome!

We are so

glad you

are here.

If you need pastoral care, you can contact one of the deacons:
Steve Pearson - 218-851-4655; Gary Bradford - 218-838-0289, Roy Egstad-218-670-0107; Dan Swanson-218-820-4421

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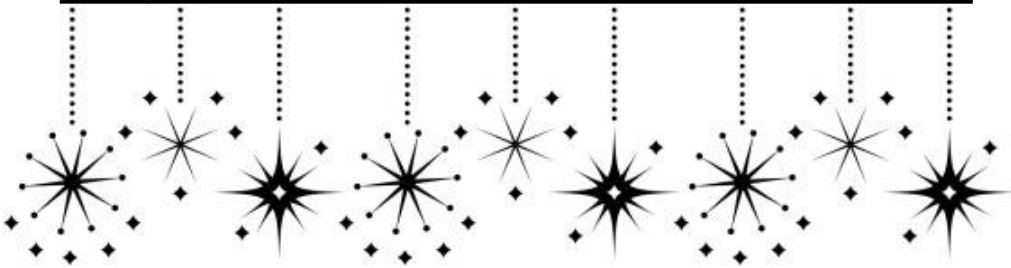
Membership

If you are interested in membership, we will be voting in new members at the annual meeting, January 19th. Please talk to one of the deacons by the end of December if you would like to become part of our covenant community.

Hat and Mitten Tree



The Hat and Mitten Tree will be up this December. If you would like to donate, please feel free to place them around the tree in the entry. Hats and Mittens will be given to community ministries.



Prayer Wall // Requests to be shared during the service: write prayer requests on a tag at the front right of the worship center. Hang your tag on a hook where we will collect them directly before each service.

Confidential Prayer Requests // Deposit the tag in the prayer wall metal box or email: prayer@aitkinchurch.com. Only members of our prayer team will see and be praying for these.

Prayer Chain // Want to be able to pray for requests that come through during the week? Email: prayer@aitkinchurch.com. We'll make sure to add your email to the mailing list.

Assisted Hearing System

Visit the sound booth for a receiver or to connect to your hearing aid.



Praise, Prayer, Hospitalization?

To share requests with the prayer chain, please call or text Ruth Egstad at 218-670-0425.

The Infant/Toddler Nursery is located left of the foyer, past the library. Children through age 5 will have "Sermon Time Kids" and are welcome during the sermon each Sunday. We will have a snack, story, and play time.

Coming Up:

Monday, Dec.30th @ 6:30 pm - Council Meeting

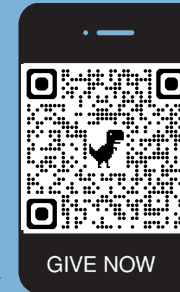
January 19th - Annual Meeting

January 26th - MN Adult & Teen Challenge

February 2nd - Talent Show, start practicing

TREASURER DUTIES -- 1 year term

- Count Offering with Financial Secretary
- Make deposit weekly
- Record offering deposit in checkbook
- Transfer contributions electronically from General account to allocated accounts as needed.
- Pay reimbursements and outstanding invoices
 - Maintain files in office file cabinet
 - Administrate Vanco (online giving)
- Print Vanco weekly contribution statement and monthly report
- Print accounting reports as needed for various committees
 - Quarterly - Print Faith Promise activity report and distribute monies to designated missions per Mission Committee



If you are interested, please contact the Nomination Committee:
(Roy Egstad, Jan Hasselius, Katie Nix)

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Persecuted Church: Pakistan

- . All Pakistani Christians face difficulties, discrimination and persecution because of their Christian identity. Some take great risks to witness to Muslims, baptize converts and gather them into churches, and many work tirelessly to equip, encourage and educate Christian youth. Some Christians boldly share the gospel and distribute God's Word in radicalized Muslim neighborhoods and cities, which in some cases are home to Islamic extremist groups like the Taliban. Most Christians are treated as second-class citizens and are forced to work long hours in labor-intensive jobs while being oppressed by schemes that keep them in bondage to their employers.

- Pray for the encouragement of the roughly 4 million Pakistani Christians, using Joshua 1:9 as a guide.
- Pray that increasingly restrictive blasphemy laws, often used to oppress Christians, will be repealed.
- Many Pakistani Christians are forced to work in low-paying, undesirable jobs. Pray for new opportunities and freedoms.
- Christian converts from Islam are often beaten and threatened by family members. Pray that they will be comforted.

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