

THE STORY

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FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

10:30 am Service

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Greg Brown - Director of Xn Chaos
Don Griffith - Custodian
Denise Cartwright - Choir Kids Director
Dee Wallace - Accompanist

October 5, 2014

THE STORY 10:30 A.M.
Chapter 4: "Deliverance"

Welcome all!! Everyone is asked to record your name on the program insert. Also read, pray and respond to the ministry opportunities on the back of the insert and use it as one of your offerings.

*Children are welcome in worship but we do offer a **Staffed Nursery** during worship for pre-school children. There are children's activity bags at the back of the sanctuary on the coat tree, and two versions of children's bulletins on the table.*

The () invites persons to rise as able for this act of worship.*

Numbers in the 2,000's are in the small, black song book - The Faith We Sing, Otherwise numbers are from The Hymnal, the red, hardbound song book. (CCLI License# 3112810)

PRELUDE

Lighting of the Candles

Ringling of the Bell

CALL TO WORSHIP

L: We praise the God of all nations and peoples,

P: Whose mercy extends to the ends of the earth.

L: We are many members,

P: But one body.

* Praise

"Go Down, Moses"

(vss. 1-5 & 11) No. 448

* Prayer (unison)

God, as we gather in this sacred community of faith, we remember that our congregation is but one of the many parts of your eternal and universal church. Make us ever mindful and understanding of the suffering of our members where ever they are, and jubilant in their joys. We pray for our continued ministry with our brothers and sisters around the world. May we see ourselves one day as you see us. In Christ's name, we pray. Amen.

STORIES OF THE "FESTIVAL OF TALENTS"

HEBREW TESTAMENT

Exodus 3:7-15

A Time for YOUNG DISCIPLES

Pastor Paul

(Pocket change collected in the copper kettles each week is given to missions.)

ACT OF PRAISE

"Hungerin' in My Soul"

Chancel Choir

MESSAGE

"Paul Has Yet To Figure This Out!"

"The Lord's 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. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever. Amen

In the name of Christ, all persons are invited to participate in the meal! If you're not able to come forward, please ask a person near you to inform the servers; or a neighbor can bring bread and a cup to you. Please bring your offering with you when you come, and place it in the plate, located on the outside end of the front pew.

As the serving begins, the chancel Choir will sing "Come Share the Lord."

* PRAYER OF DEDICATION (unison)

God of Mighty Works, all you've asked of us is to "Remember." As the Israelites remember the exodus, we are to remember Jesus. We try... yet we have put other gods before you: money, work, pleasure, and prestige. Even today we have received a reminder of your satisfying goodness. We pray that we may be found by you, far from perfect, but standing on your amazing grace! We ask this in the holy name of Jesus, the Christ. Amen.

* THE BLESSING

L: As we leave this sanctuary of safety, be encourage to go into the world.

P: God will guide us to advance the mission of His holy church and to tend to the needs of our brothers and sisters.

L: "Amen" means 'and may it be so.'

P: Then we say, AMEN!

*MARCHING SONG

"How Great Thou Art" (Refrain after vss. 1 & 4) No. 77

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

How We'll Each Put Hands & Feet To The Gospel This Week

POSTLUDE

"He Has Made Me Glad"

(with lyric change) No. 2270

I will enter [God's world] with thanksgiving in my heart,

I will enter [God's world] with praise.

I will say, "This is the day that the Lord has made."

I will rejoice, for he has made me glad.

He has made me glad, he has made me glad.

I will rejoice, for he has made me glad. (2X)

October 5 Sunday Servants:

Special Sunday: World Communion Sunday, Missions; Liturgist: Mission Committee ; Acolytes: Levi Daniel & Adam Heil; Power Point: Brian and Mary Jo Heil-Create and run; Video: McKinney Family; Nursery: Denise Cartwright ; Ushers: Jason & Kim Walter, Deanna & Steven Licht ; Fellowship Coffee: Mission Soup Luncheon; Greeters: Richard and Helen Palmer; Children's Lesson: Pastor Paul; Flowers: Glenda Holets

October 12 Sunday Servants:

Liturgist: Pat Fankhauser; Acolytes: Caden & Hanna Schmidt; Power Point: Carmen Hoffman-Create and Run; Video: Comstock Family; Nursery: Karen Anderson; Ushers: Jason & Kim Walter, Ruel & Jan Wehde; Fellowship Coffee: Karen Strefling, Sherry Willey, McKinney Family; Greeters: Marv and Kay Miller; Children's Lesson: Dusty Johnson; Flowers: Donna Gault/Erma Lyle

PRAYERS

Hospitalized/Procedures: Marvin Miller @ UIHC, Ray Steinberg @ UIHC(Cartwright's next-door neighbor), Devin Frederiksen @ GrandForks, ND (Pastor Paul's nephew)

Healing: Joyce Abbot (Candi Duesenberry's mom), Karen Anderson, Linda Black(J. Keller's sis), Joe Cheshareck (G.Fleming's bro-in-law,) Darlene (Marjorie Stonerook's sister), Arlene Hein, Betty Hopkins (Deb Bothell's mom), Ken Gould, Lee Huff, (M.Stonebraker's bro), Rex Idlewine, Ed & Margaret Ketelsen (MJ Heil's folks), McKay's nephew Joel and wife Holly, Edna Miller (J Ohrt's sister), Mandy Ohrt (Judy's dau), Dawn Spickermann, Joe T [in NJ; friend of McKays], Gary Taylor, Carolyn Wiggins (S. Gould's sis), and others under care or treatment.

Prayers for those in Life Transitions:

Jim Shontz is now at Cedar Manor Care Center due to physical weakness. Prayers for he and Vivian.
Persons/people persecuted for religious convictions
Persons uprooted due to "natural" and/or "human" disaster; and those who are called to help.
Families struggling with the impact of drug and alcohol abuse or other addiction.

Couples/Families searching for the way forward.

Persons & families of incarceration;

Persons in employment limbo;

In Treatment: Jim Ehresman, Barb Knack (B. Cummin's sis), Sarah Ann Wellendorf (F. Kuehl's sis), Jean Heil (Brian's mom),

Hospice/Palliative Care: Elmer Flory, Francis Kuehl, Gene Weih

Armed Services: Thomas Brown (Seydel's son-in-law), Sean Hannes, Billy Hoffman, Kyle Marchik, Corey Ormsby, Mike Ploeger (McKinney's Nephew), Jake Reidel, Cole Weih

Attendance: 9/28 - 142, Sunday School 9/14-104, 9/21-82, 9/28-99. General Fund 3,191.00, * Preschool Facility Use 100.00, Apportionments 10.00, The Story 45.00, Shared Blessings 12.00, Copper Kettle 44.49, Ingathering 12.00, **Grand Total** 3,414.49

This week:

Sun. 10/5: World Communion Sunday, 8:30am Choir Kids, 9am Confirmation, 9am G.I.G., 9am Sunday School, 10:30am Worship, 11:30am Finalization of the Festival of Talents, 11:45am World Communion Lunch

Mon. 10/6: 6:45pm Creative Worship

Tue. 10/7: 4pm Communion @ Prairie Hills

Wed. 10/8: 8am Pastor @ ECI Exec., 12pm Pastor @ Bible Study, 1pm Confirmation Early Out, 1:30pm Bible Study, 4:30pm Grief Group, 6pm G.I.G, 6pm G.I.G, 7pm Chancel Choir rehearsal, 7:30pm Leadership Council

Thu. 10/9: 8:30am Leadership Development, :9:30am Communion @ Cedar Manor, 10am Pastor @ Senior Park Program, 10am G.I.G., 12pm Pastor @ TMA, 6:30pm Xn Chaos rehearsal

Sat. 10/11: 11am Shared Blessings Meal

Sun. 10/12: 8:30am Choir Kids, 9am Confirmation, 9am G.I.G., 9am Sunday School, 10:30am Worship, 2:30pm KFC, 3pm Cedar Manor Service, 6pm Dominoes