# PRAISE & PRAYER

But thanks be to God, who in Christ always leads us in triumphal procession, and through us spreads the fragrance of the knowledge of Him everywhere. <sup>2 Cor.2:14</sup>

- Pray for Krista Homola as she grieves the unexpected passing of a grandma and an uncle. Pray for her family as they care for another grandma who is experiencing serious health struggles and as they continue care for the grandpa who is left behind. The stress and grief is overwhelming them right now, and Krista feels burdened because she can't stay to help them navigate.
- Praise God for the rain!
- Pray for those in our church family who are sick with Covid or are in the process of recovery.
- Ask God to care for the missionaries we support in lands afar as they navigate the unusual circumstances in the world and as they care for children and families many of whom come from unbelievably challenging circumstances.
- Pour out to Jesus your fears, frustrations, and shame. He can take it. He can lift you up.
- Petition the Holy Spirit to guide our church and our staff to minister in the areas and the ways that are aligned with God's agenda and not our own.
- Praise God! He loves you!

### STAFF

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#### STEWARDSHIP

1 Timothy 2:1-4

Oct. 10, 2021	
Offering	9,613
YTD Total	256,769
Weekly Ministry Need	10,168
YTD Budget	154,453

"First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way. This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of God our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth."



## A Paraphrase of Romans 12:1,2

So here's what I want you to do, God helping you: Take your everyday life—your sleeping, eating, going-to-work, and walking-around life—and place it before God as an offering. Embracing what God does for you is the best thing you can do for him. Don't become so well-adjusted to your culture that you fit into it without even thinking. Instead, fix your attention on God. You'll be changed from the inside out. Readily recognize what he wants from you, and quickly respond to it. Unlike the culture around you, always dragging you down to its level of immaturity, God brings the best out of you, develops wellinformed maturity in you.



#### WELCOME Are you a

first time visitor? Stop by the information counter in the lobby and fill-out a visitor's card. We have a sweet, little gift for you. Thanks for "Beeing" our guest!

## NEED PRAYER?

Please look for people wearing a lanyard in the front of the sanctuary or the lobby after the service. We'd be honored to do this for you.

APPRECIATION For our Friends At Bismarck Baptist,

We want to thank you so much for your prayers, friendship and support over these last 3 months. This last week has been a major turn around, and we are so grateful to be coming out of this medical situation at last. "It" appears to be lifting as quickly as it came to its peak in July, and we are praying for a complete recovery. Rod & Linda Semmen

> NO AWANA Wednesday | October 20 Important Announcement

# WEEKLY EVENTS

**Adult Sunday School** 9:15am Fellowship Hall 1 Thessalonians

**412@9:15** Sunday School in Youth Room

CHILDREN'S CHURCH | SUNDAY 10:45am MEET IN LOBBY

**Jesus & Women** Ост 19 @ 10:30am ок Ост 20 @ 6:30pm

**412 Youтн** Oct 20 MS & HS 6:00-8:00pm

AWANA WEDNESDAYS 6:30pm (No AWANA Oct. 20th)

**Moms in Prayer** Wednesdays | 1:30pm Questions? Call Rita 204-5017

**Spiritual Simplicity | Adults** Wednesdays | 6:45-7:45pm Alea's office

## VIDEO CAFÉ

The Video Café is located directly behind the staircase wall which divides the sanctuary from the lobby. This is a pleasing space where families can continue worshiping with those in the sanctuary while their little ones may be experiencing a difficult moment. It's also a transitional space where those who aren't used to the formality of "church" can gather with a cup of coffee and enjoy a safe place for singing and message. The TV volume is set so that worshipful participation is optimal, while other activities are postponed.

Communal activities like talking, praying, board games, lunch, and informal meetings are encouraged here when church services are not in play. Bible study, computer/phone work, and "waiting" in a comfortable chair are also encouraged in this space.







## **COFFEE & CONVERSATION**



Instead of each person watching out for their own good, watch out for what is better for others. Philippians 2:4