

Church Calendar

Sunday, July 30: 10:00 am - Service

11:15 am - Choir Practice

Tuesday, Aug. 01: 10 am - Craft Group, Fellowship Hall

Thursday, Aug. 03 11:00 am - Bible Study, parlor

Sunday, Aug. 06: 11:15 am - Church Newsletter Meeting, parlor



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> Sunday Service July 30, 2017

Welcome to Elijah Kellogg Church! We are glad that you could be with us this morning!

Please let us know how we can be of service to you. Feel free to fill out an information card found in the pew, and place it in the offering plate.

Sunday School for young children is provided. Child care for small children is available.

Please join us for our Coffee Hour following the morning service.

Prelude

Greetings and Announcements

Introit and Quieting our Hearts for Worship

*Call to Worship (Responsive) Psalm 1

Happy are those who do not follow the advice of the wicked, or take the path that sinners tread.

But their delight is the law of the Lord, and on this law they meditate day and night.

They are like trees planted by streams of water. Their leaves do not whither. In all they do they prosper.

For the Lord watches over the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked will perish.

Service

*Prayer of Invocation and Lord's Prayer (in Unison)

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 debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

*Hymn 7 "Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

> (The children are dismissed to Sunday School. Child care for young children is available.)

First Lesson

Matthew 5:13-20

Pew Bible, p. 786

Responsive Reading - from Micah 6

With what shall I come before the Lord, and bow myself before God on high?

Shall I come before Him with burnt offerings?

Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams. with ten thousand rivers of oil?

> Shall I give my firstborn for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?

He has shown you, O mortal, what is good.

And what does the Lord require of you, but to do justice, to love kindness, and walk humbly with your God.







*Gloria Patri 513

Anthem "The Promises of God"

(Lloyd Larson)

Second Lesson Deuteronomy 30:11-20 Pew Bible, p. 163

Sermon "...Thy Will Be Done"

*Hymn 404 "Take My Life and Let It Be"

Prayers of the People

Sharing Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer Pastoral Prayer Choral Response

Call to Giving

Offertory

*Doxology 515

*Prayer of Dedication

*Hymn 228 "Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"

*Benediction

Choral Blessing

Postlude

*All who are able, please stand.

Serving You this Morning

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Minister	Rev. John Carson
Christian Education Director	Denise Perry
Pianist	Elizabeth Quimby
Choir Director	Sue Luce
Greeters	June & Ed Phinney
Ushers	Herb & Susan Ferris
Reader	Tom Bachman
Nursery Attendants	Denise Perry
Trustee	Morgan Sanford, 751-6251
Hospitality	Hospitality



The flowers today are given by Win & Linda Gillis in honor of our church family.

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Notes & News

Craft Group will not meet next Tuesday, August 1st.

Newsletter meeting will be held right after church on August 6th.

SAVE THE DATE: Wow! The Barn Sale is over, the Chicken Barbecue is over, and its time to think about the next big all church event, The Christmas By the Sea Fair! The date of the fair is Saturday, November 4. All the committee chairs are in place for this year's fair. Our latest volunteers are Patty & Paul O'Brien Carrier who will be on the Silent Auction committee and would love to have four more people join with them in the fun. If this is something you would like to be part of, please contact Paul and Patty at 751-6311. Craft committee has been busy every Tuesday making ornaments, handmade items and more. This is the season for jams, jelly, pickles! Are you canning? Are you thinking of cleaning your attic or basement? Keep the Treasures committee in mind for your unwanted items. Are you willing to bake for the bake sale? Think about how you can contribute to help make the fair a big success!! Fair Co-Chairs: Mickey Maidl,837-9563; Joan Phillips,729-6110; Kay Hunter,865-2280.

Faith & Family

Train a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it.

Proverbs 22:6

August 7-11 - God's Galaxy ... With God every mission is possible. Our Summer Days Vacation Bible School will run from 9am-noon. Help us spread the news - let's go fishing for children ages 3 -10! Older children are welcome to come and help too. Registration forms are available in the office. FMI contact Denise.

Please see page 7 for the VBS Wish List — updated with Snack Items needed!

