

All *prayer requests are welcome. Please write them in the book on the desk in the narthex.*

MEMBERS: Please sign the pew pad and pass it down the pew and then back to the start. The last person should put the sheet in the offering plate. All e-mail addresses will be protected in blind copy so no one else sees your e-mail address. If you are receiving regular e-mails from Church, it is not necessary to write it in again.

VISITORS: Please fill out a yellow card found in the pew and place it in the offering plate.

North Star District Prayer List for this week includes:
Hewitt—Ken Uhren

FIRST MILE MISSION



First Mile Mission Giving begins in all UM Churches with Apportionments: 'A Portion Meant' for mission. Grace's 1st Mile Mission Giving Goal is \$19,860.00 or \$106.25 each member based on a membership of 187.00. Generous givers are already **Paving The Way** to meeting that goal, with \$825.69 given to date.

PRAYER CHAIN



To start a prayer chain for any prayer concerns, please call Paula Horner, 218-790-2141

FOOD PANTRY



March is "Food Shelf Month". Please bring non-perishable food items and place in and around the food donation cart located in the Narthex. All items will be taken to the food pantry.

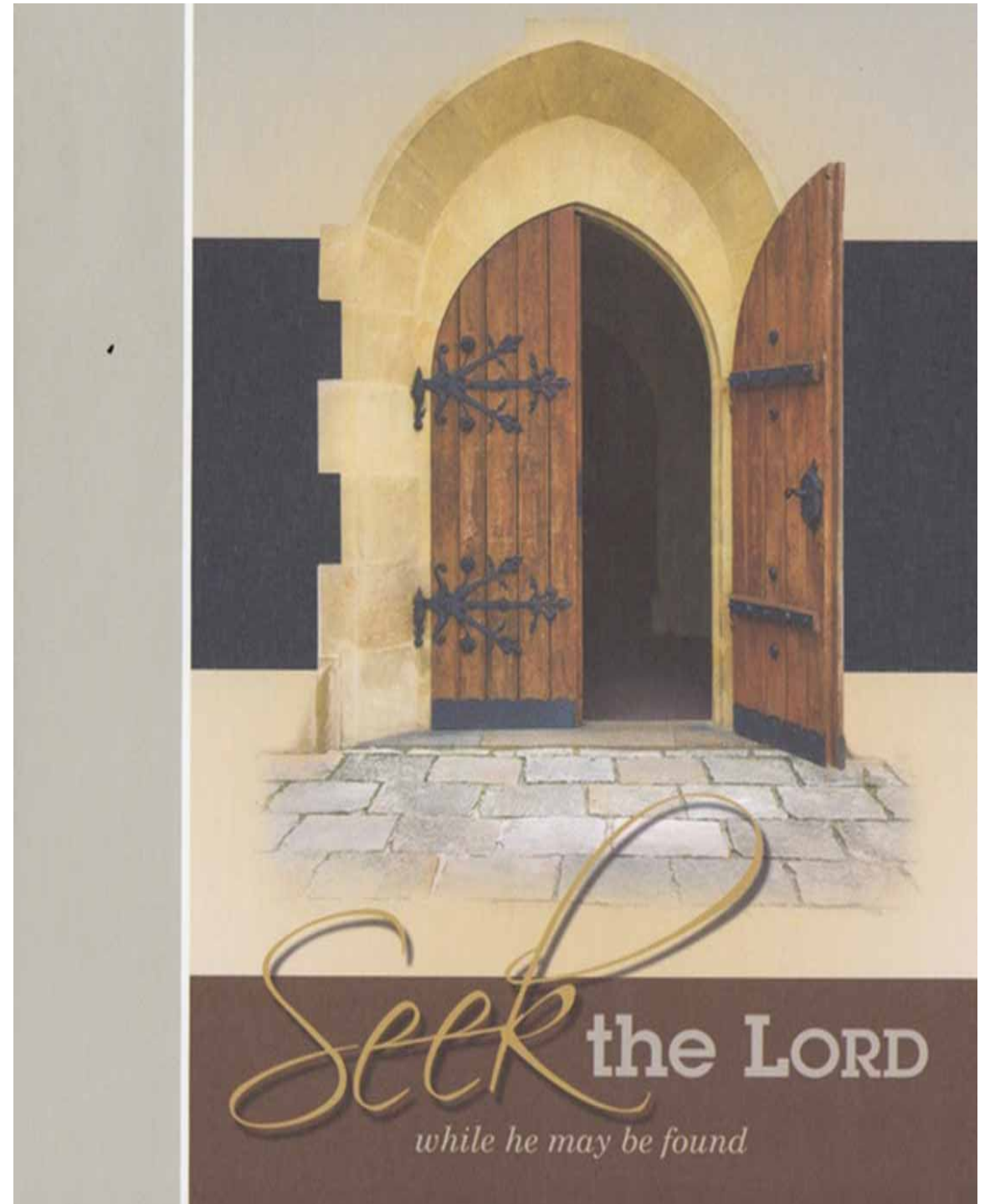
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GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
ORDER OF WORSHIP

February 28, 2016

3rd Sunday of Lent

10:00 AM

The Church of the Neighborhood
Making Disciples of Christ to Transform the World.

WE GATHER TO PRAISE AND PRAY

GATHERING PRELUDE:

Three Chimes calls us to our gathering announcements and Worship Announcements

*Indicates those able may stand

PRAYER PRELUDE:

*CALL TO WORSHIP: #844 (Blue Hymnal) Psalm 121:1-8

*HYMN: - #2008 (Black Hymnal) “Let All Things Now Living”

TO HEAR GOD’S WORD

PRAYER OF ILLUMINATION: #602 (Blue Hymnal)
“Concerning the Scriptures”

GOSPEL LESSON: Matthew 22:34-40 (CEB)

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS:

GOSPEL LESSON: Matthew 28:16-20 (CEB)

HYMN: #156 (Blue Hymnal) “I Love to Tell the Story”

MESSAGE: “Live a Storied Life”

TO RESPOND AND GIVE

SHARING OF JOYS, CONCERNS, AND PRAYERS: -

(Please wait for the microphone and speak clearly, keeping it about an inch or two from your mouth.- Thank you)

THE LORD’S PRAYER: #895 (Blue Hymnal)

OFFERING:

DOXOLOGY: #95 (Blue Hymnal) “Praise God”

OFFERING PRAYER:

TO BE SENT FORTH

*HYMN: #569 (Blue Hymnal) “We’ve a Story to Tell to the Nations”

*BLESSING: Back Cover (Blue Hymnal) “A Closing Prayer”

Let your prayer for this week be the line from the song we just shared:
“Help us share with others the things we’ve shared today.”

AMEN.

POSTLUDE:

PRAYER FOCUS

Those longing for healing of body, mind, and soul.

If you are in need of a prayer, remain in the Sanctuary following worship and a Stephen Minister will be available to pray with you.

WORDS OF WELCOME

It is our hope that no one feels like a stranger in this house of worship. May each of us be open to friendship and acceptance as God’s children. Welcome!

Though no one is worthy of being in your holy presence, Lord, we thank you for the grace that allows us to come anyway.

WORSHIP LEADERS

Ministers: All the People

Pastor: Roger Grafenstein

Guest Organist: Lee Horner

Pianist: Sharon Fangsrud

Choir Director: Kyle Schwartz

Reader: Jodi Miller

Ushers: Jodi Miller and Christy Miller