

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 a blind e-mail so no one else sees your e-mail address. If you are receiving regular e-mails from the 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: Eagle Bend: - Dan Foster

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 \$19,507 or \$104.31 each member based on a membership of 187. Generous givers are already **Paving The Way** to meeting that goal, with \$4,031.25 given to date.

PRAYER CHAIN



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

JARS NEEDED

Quart and pint jars as well as jar lids and rings are needed for the Nov. 7 Fall Festival. If you can donate, please bring them to the church kitchen back counter.

WORLD THANK OFFERING

Please take one of the small jars on the table in the fellowship hall and fill it with your donation before returning to the Women of Grace.

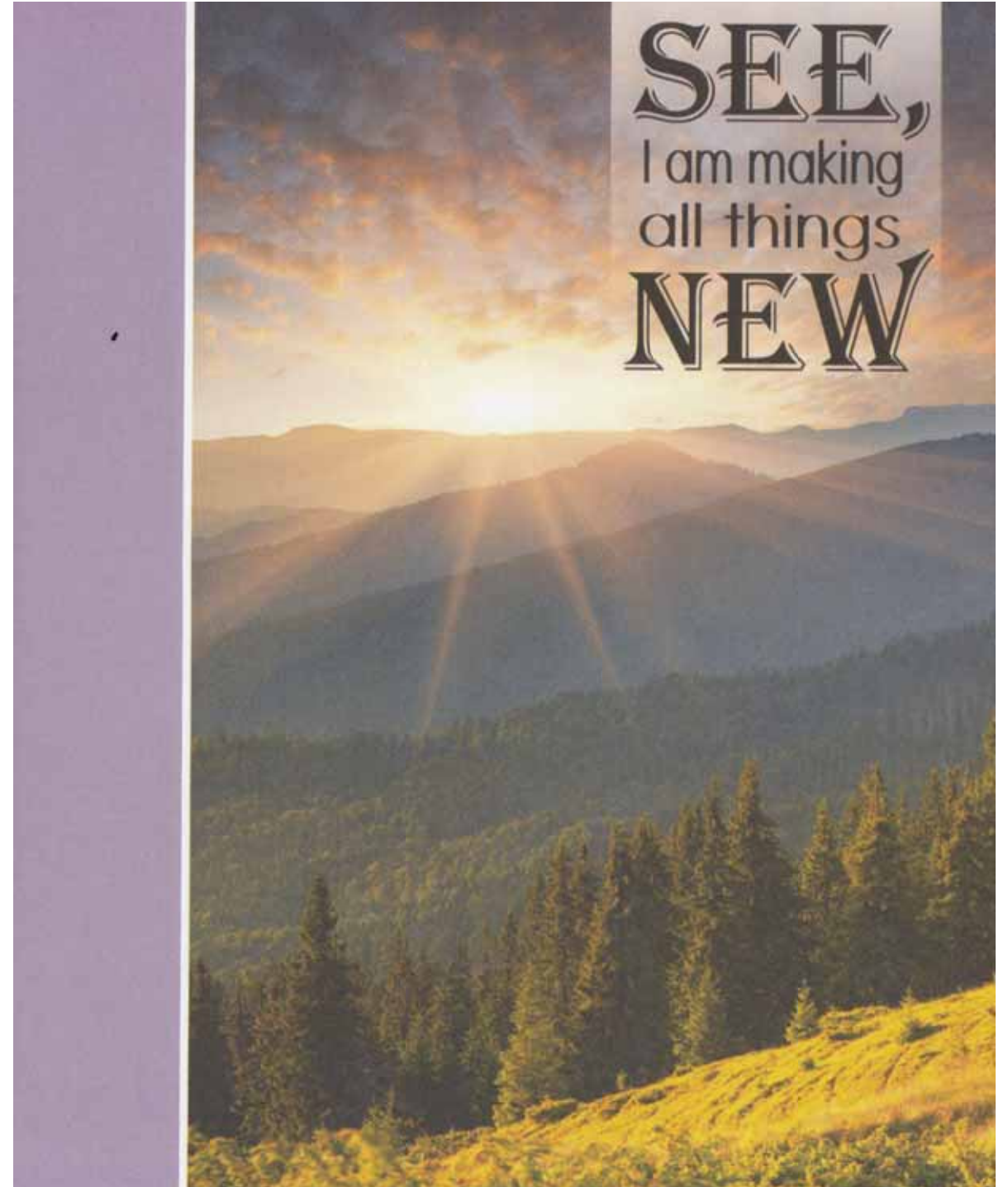
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GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
ORDER OF WORSHIP

November 1, 2015

All Saints' Sunday

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: #769 (Blue Hymnal) Psalm 34:1-8

***HYMN:** #712 (Blue Hymnal) "I Sing a Song of the Saints of God"

TO HEAR GOD'S WORD & RESPOND

CHILDRENS MOMENTS:

MEMORIAL DEDICATION: Memorials were given honoring the following Individuals: Les Burkhardt, Earl Sasby, Darryl Dickelman, Jean Boothroyd, Mildred Weiss, Edyth Bojhanen, Dennis Holte, Floyd Hanson, Mary Ann Held, Jean Sampson, Donna Nix, and Howard Pagen Kopf.

PRAYER:

Scripture reminds us, "Once we were no people; now we are God's people." (1 Peter 2:10) We are reminded God adopts us through Christ and transforms us through the Holy Spirit living within. By the grace of God we are all saints, even while God is helping us overcome sin.

Loving God, as we gather today, may the list of names remind us the church is communion of Saints in heaven and on earth. Remind us the Church is all who carry the faith day by day seeking to live and love like Jesus. Some days we fail. Other days we succeed. All days, Gracious God, you remind us we are adopted as brothers and sisters of Christ—as the Saints of light.

Lord, bless the memories of all those named. Continue to hold them in your care. Hold us all in your care as we remember the mystery of life, death and new life with you. And, bless the gifts given in memory of your followers. In Jesus' name. Amen.

HYMN: #707 (Blue Hymnal) "Hymn of Promise"

SCRIPTURE: Ephesians 2:11-22 (CEB)

CHOIR:

MESSAGE: "Transformed Lives: Let Jesus Change Everything"

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)

TO SHARE AT CHRIST'S TABLE

THE INVITATION & REMEMBRANCE:

THE SHARING OF BREAD AND CUP:

Please come forward to the rail or the servers on the right or left of the chancel. If you need gluten-free, please come to the rail. Please place your offering in the offering plates in the front pew on the way to communion. Thank you.

REMEMBERING THE DEPARTED: Since All Saints Sunday 2014, Grace UMC has held services *celebrating the lives and resurrections of Mary Ann Held and Donna Nix*. We invite you to share the names of those who were blessings in your lives and have gone on to heaven. *Please share those names at the microphone* on your way to communion as a reminder they are worshiping God today as well.

***HYMN:** #2282 (Black Hymnal) "I'll Fly Away"

TO BE SENT FORTH

BENEDICTION: #713 (Blue Hymnal) "All Saints' Prayer"

POSTLUDE:

WORSHIP LEADERS

Ministers: All the People

Organist: Mark Forkner

Pianist: Sharon Fangsrud

Reader: Bonne Christopherson

Pastor: Roger Grafenstein

Violinist: Kay Forkner

Choir Director: Kyle Schwartz

Ushers: Paul Anderson and

Roy Murray