

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. Generous givers are already **Paving The Way** to meeting that goal, with \$3,582.51 given to date.

PRAYER CHAIN



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

PRAYER FOCUS

SUNDAY SCHOOL: Pre-K through Grade 1 - Mackenzie Hamm; Grades 2nd through 4th - Stephanie Grow; Grades 5 and older - Amanda Larson; Regular Helpers - Jean Graning and Judy Anderson.

WEDNESDAY NIGHTS: SOON to be GODapalooza! - Grades 5 and Older - Amanda Larson and Stephanie Grow; Pre-K through Grade 1 - Angela Ybarra; Grades 1 through 4th - Mackenzie Hamm; Regular Helpers - Eddie Ybarra, Jennifer Beck

CALLING ALL WOMEN



All Women of Grace are invited to attend the quarterly meeting on Sunday, September 18th at 11:15 am in the Lounge.

LYDIA CIRCLE

Lydia Circle will meet on Thursday, September 15th at 7:00 pm at the home of Jean Graning, 3918 6th street S in Moorhead. We would love for you to attend and become a part of our circle of friends. Any questions call Jean, 233-1969.

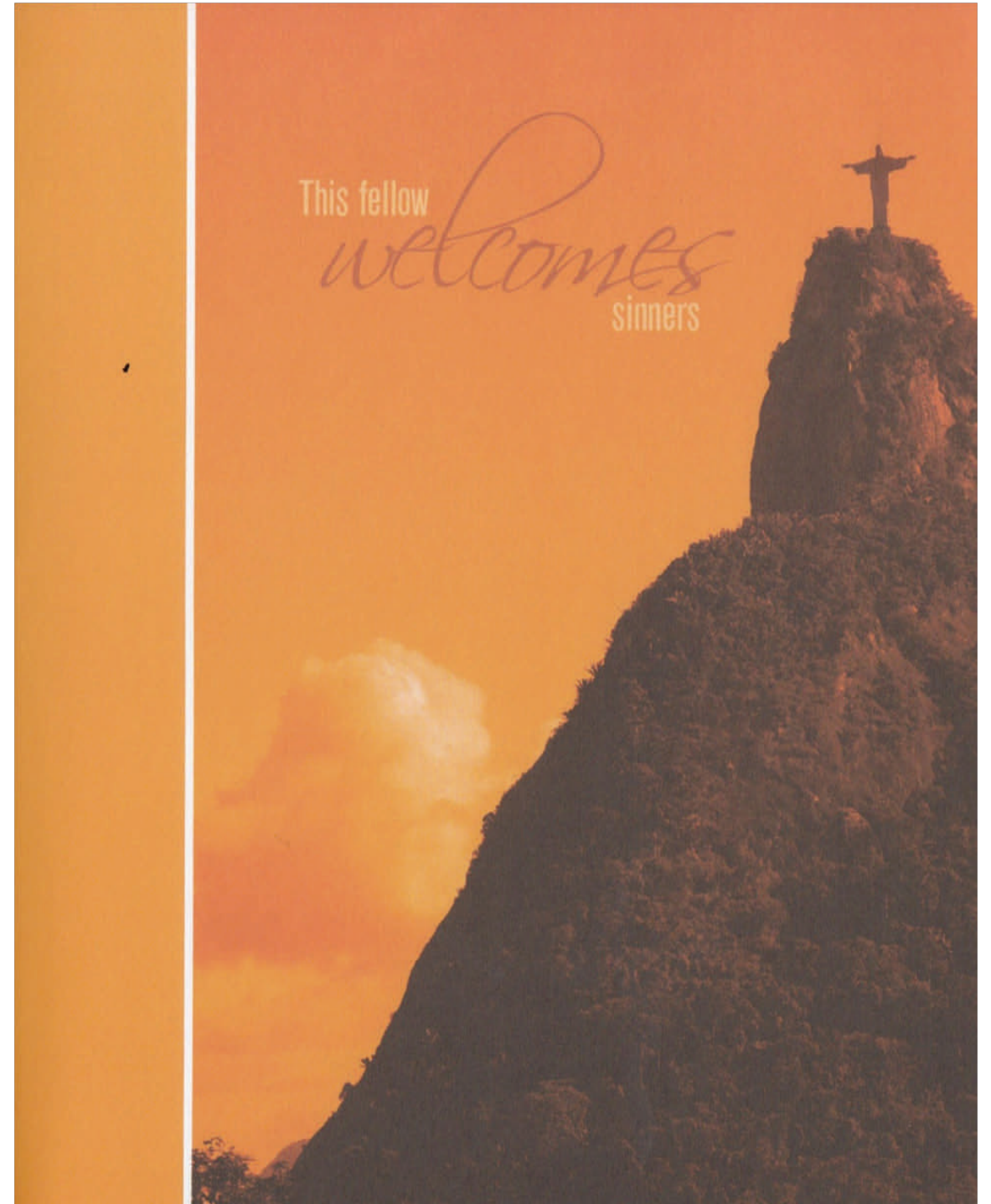
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GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
ORDER OF WORSHIP

September 11, 2016

17th Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 AM

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

KICK-OFF SUNDAY

WE GATHER TO PRAISE, PRAY AND BLESS

GATHERING PRELUDE:

Announcements

*Indicates those able may stand

PRAYER PRELUDE:

***CALL TO WORSHIP: #360 (Blue Hymnal) (in unison)**

“Freedom in Christ”

***HYMN : #2051 (Black Hymnal)**

“I Was There to Hear Your Borning Cry”

TO HEAR GOD’S WORD

GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 21:1-4 (CEB)

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS:

BLESSING GRACE’S EDUCATIONAL MINISTRIES:

GOSPEL LESSON: Luke 18:15-17 (CEB)

HYMN: #605 (Blue Hymnal) “Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters”

CHOIR: “As We Come Together”

MESSAGE: “Bless the Children of God”

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:

***DOXOLOG: #95 (Blue Hymnal) “Praise God”**

OFFERING PRAYER:

TO BE SENT FORTH

***HYMN: #356 (Blue Hymnal) “When We are Living”**

*** BLESSING:**

POSTLUDE:

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: Cross Roads—Spicer—Torgerson Johnson

KICK-OFF SUNDAY



TODAY is Kick-off Sunday. This is the day that we kick off Sunday School for the adults and children for the new year. A potluck dinner will follow Worship Services. Please stay. Following the potluck carnival activities will be set up outside for kids to enjoy. Feel free to wear your favorite sports team jersey

WORSHIP LEADERS

Ministers: All the People

Organist: Sharon Fangsrud

Reader: Judith Eide

Pastor: Roger Grafenstein

Choir Director: Tyler Eliason

Ushers: Tony Rocha