



## 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 \$20,460 or \$122.00 each member based on a membership of 168. Generous givers are already **Paving The way** to meeting that goal, with \$3,838.04 given to date.

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

**EVERYONE:** 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.

**GUESTS:** 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:  
Ada Faith—Karen Finnegan

## WELCOME

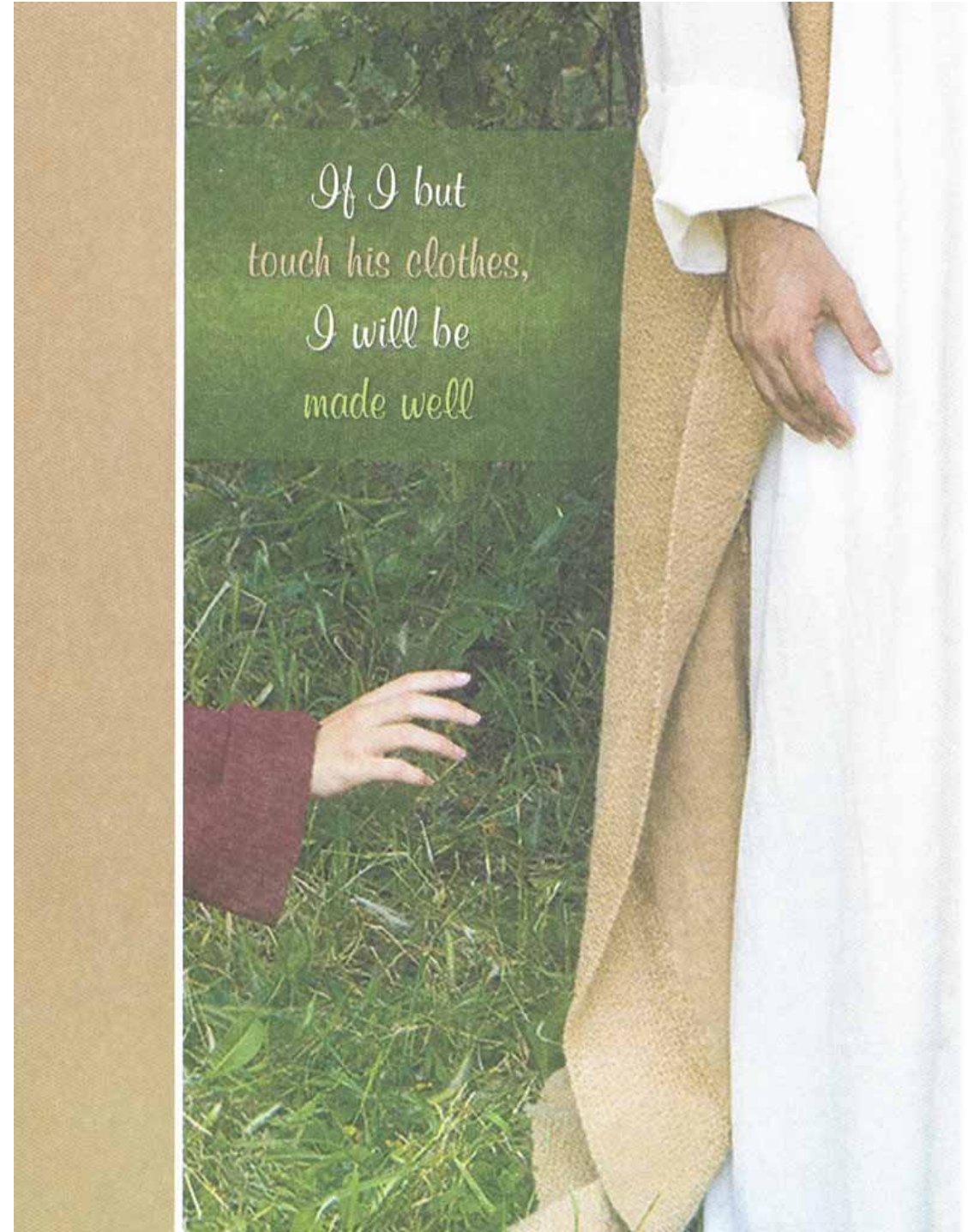
“This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it” (Psalm 118:24, KJV). Welcome, in the name of the One who created this day for us!

## PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

“One does not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God” (Matthew 4:4, NRSV). May we be fed with your Word today, Lord.

## PRAYER CHAIN

To start a prayer chain for any prayer concerns, please call Myrna Swan, 701-261-1672.



**GRACE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH  
ORDER OF WORSHIP**

July 1, 2018

6th Sunday after Pentecost

10:00 am

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

**WE GATHER TO PRAISE, PRAY AND BLESS**

**GATHERING PRELUDE:**

Three Chimes calls us to our gathering announcements and Worship Announcements

\*Indicates those able may stand

**PRAYER PRELUDE:**

**CALL TO WORSHIP: Psalm 130:1 & 5-8**

Out of the depths I cry to you. Lord, hear my voice.

**I will wait for the Lord, my soul waits. In the Lord's word I hope.**

My soul waits for the Lord, more than those who watch for the morning.

**More than those who watch for the morning, O Israel, hope in the Lord!**

With God there is steadfast love and plentiful redemption.

**The Lord saves. Amen.**

\***HYMN: #494 (Blue Hymnal) "Kum ba Yah" (Come by Here)**

**PRAYER: #495 (Blue Hymnal) "The Sufficiency of God"**

**TO HEAR GOD'S WORD**

**GOSPEL LESSON: Mark 5:21-34 (CEB)**

**CHILDRENS MOMENTS:**

**GOSPEL LESSON: Mark 5:35-43 (CEB)**

**HYMN: # 437 (Blue Hymnal) "This Is My Song"**

**MESSAGE: "Set Free"**

**TO SHARE AT CHRIST'S TABLE**

**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)*

**LORD'S PRAYER: #895 (Blue Hymnal)**

**INVITATION:**

Christ our Lord invites to his table all who love him, who earnestly repent of their sin and seek to live in peace with one another. Therefore, let us confess our sin before God and receive the assurance we can begin anew through the love of Christ.

**CONFESSION AND PARDON: #12 (Blue Hymnal)**

**REMEMBRANCE:**

**SHARING THE BREAD AND CUP:**

Please come forward to the rail if you need gluten-free. Otherwise, you may choose to come to the rail or to the servers on the right or left of the stage. If you have an **OFFERING** please place it in the offering plates in the front pew on the way to communion. Thank you.

**TO BE SENT FORTH**

\***HYMN: #696 (Blue Hymn) "America"**

\***BLESSING:**

**POSTLUDE:**

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**PRAYER FOCUS**

Pray for our nation with so many divisions, more talking than listening, and some days more cynicism than hope. Let verse three from "America the Beautiful" guide our prayers this week.

"America, God mend they every flaw, confirm thy soul in self-control, thy liberty in law."

**WORSHIP LEADERS**

**Ministers: All the People**

**Keyboardist: Sharon Fangsrud**

**Reader: Tony Rocha**

**Pastor: Roger Grafenstein**

**Choir Director: Jack Johnston**

**Ushers: The Beck Family**