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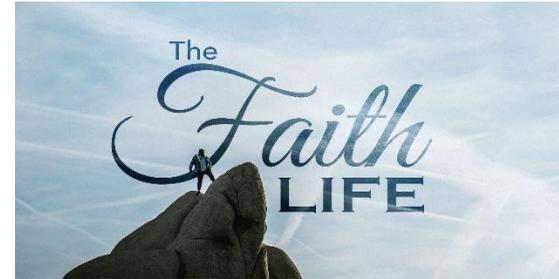
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*Hymn 105 vs 1 & 3

Holy, Holy, Holy

Celebrations and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

Scripture

Matthew 5:13-20 & Isaiah 58:1-12

Children's Time

Sermon

"Integrated Faith"

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The Eucharist

Offering Invitation & Offering

*Doxology (inside hymnal front cover)

*Prayer of Dedication

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Invitation to the Lord's Table

***Communion Hymn 335 vs 1 & 4**

Take My Life, and Let It Be

Unison Prayer of Confession

All: Persistent and loving God, you are forever drawing near to us, always calling us to follow, faithfully beckoning us to trust you in the deeper waters. Yet how often we choose easier paths and turn away from your voice. We see our limitations, but not your assurance of blessing. We wallow in guilt and refuse to believe the Good News of forgiveness. We move so fast we miss your summons in the beauty of the day, the words of a friend, and the hope amidst discouragement.

Assurance of Pardon

One: Calling God, speak to our hearts, lift us from despair, and place us on the path of discipleship. Again and again. Amen.

The Great Thanksgiving

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them up to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

The Lord's Prayer

The Words of Institution

Communion of the People

***Affirmation of Faith:**

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***Invitation to discipleship**

***Hymn 321 vs 1 & 3**

Nearer, My God, to Thee

***Benediction**

***Passing of the Peace**

One: The peace of the Lord be with you.

All: And also with you.

**please stand as you are able*



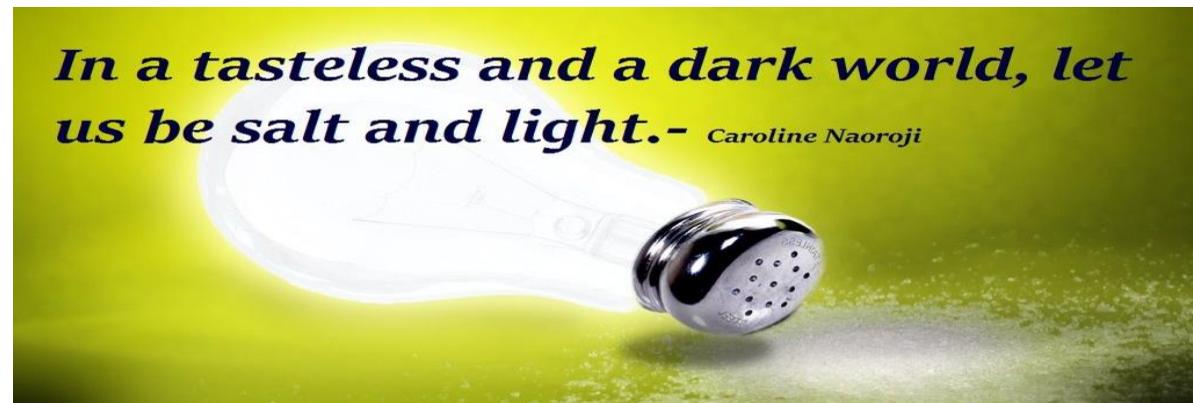
Matthew 5:13-20

¹³ “You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.

¹⁴ “You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. ¹⁵ Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. ¹⁶ In the same way, let your light shine before others, that they may see your good deeds and glorify your Father in heaven.

The Fulfillment of the Law

¹⁷ “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them. ¹⁸ For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth disappear, not the smallest letter, not the least stroke of a pen, will by any means disappear from the Law until everything is accomplished. ¹⁹ Therefore anyone who sets aside one of the least of these commands and teaches others accordingly will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever practices and teaches these commands will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. ²⁰ For I tell you that unless your righteousness surpasses that of the Pharisees and the teachers of the law, you will certainly not enter the kingdom of heaven.



In a tasteless and a dark world, let us be salt and light.- Caroline Naoroji



February 6
Pastor Donna Out of Office
Attending
Minister's Institute



TUF Team
3:45 – 5:15 pm Grades 4-6
Bring your Friends!
February 8 – Treats: Joyce Dent
February 22 – Treats: Jayma Smith



Shrove Tuesday Pancake
Supper
February 21 5-7 pm @ HCUMC
Contact Ed Coffey to volunteer to help



Ash Wednesday Service
February 22 @ 7:00 pm
HCUMC Building



Lent begins February 22
Daily Devotionals have arrived.
Pick yours up today. \$3.50 each





Names will remain on the concerns and celebrations list for two Sundays following the first request.

Concerns

- Kinsley** – allergic reaction to leukemia treatments, 2 yr. old great granddaughter of Tom & Linda Watkins
- Jenny** – ICU at Methodist in Des Moines, friend of Denise Gwinn
- Family of 2 month old who died of SIDS** – Barb Masters' family member
- Family of Wayne Collins** – Nancy Moore's brother-in-law
- Family of Barb Williams**
- Tishia** – treating high blood pressure with meds, Betty Sullivan's mother
- Elaine** – in physical therapy for her leg
- Josh** – adult grandson of Don & Linda Richardson, has cancer, moved to ICU
- Kenneth & Donnabelle** – ongoing health issues
- Duane** – having surgery in February
- Family of Jamie Garrett** – friend of Mary Jackson

Celebrations

- New gymnasium at Mormon Trail is beautiful**
- Maggie Wetterling Fee has new baby girl** – Vince & Amanda proud grandparents
- Brady Sanders** – 21st birthday, boyfriend of Jamison Ceradsky

Isaiah 58:1-12

- 58** “Shout it aloud, do not hold back. Raise your voice like a trumpet.
Declare to my people their rebellion and to the descendants of Jacob their sins.
2 For day after day they seek me out; they seem eager to know my ways,
as if they were a nation that does what is right
and has not forsaken the commands of its God.
They ask me for just decisions, and seem eager for God to come near them.
3 ‘Why have we fasted,’ they say, ‘and you have not seen it?
Why have we humbled ourselves, and you have not noticed?’
“Yet on the day of your fasting, you do as you please and exploit all your workers.
4 Your fasting ends in quarreling and strife, and in striking each other with wicked fists.
You cannot fast as you do today and expect your voice to be heard on high.
5 Is this the kind of fast I have chosen, only a day for people to humble themselves?
Is it only for bowing one's head like a reed and for lying in sackcloth and ashes?
Is that what you call a fast, a day acceptable to the LORD?
6 “Is not this the kind of fasting I have chosen: to loose the chains of injustice
and untie the cords of the yoke, to set the oppressed free and break every yoke?
7 Is it not to share your food with the hungry
and to provide the poor wanderer with shelter—
when you see the naked, to clothe them,
and not to turn away from your own flesh and blood?
8 Then your light will break forth like the dawn, and your healing will quickly appear;
then your righteousness will go before you,
and the glory of the LORD will be your rear guard.
9 Then you will call, and the LORD will answer;
you will cry for help, and he will say: Here am I.
“If you do away with the yoke of oppression, with the pointing finger and malicious talk,
10 and if you spend yourselves in behalf of the hungry
and satisfy the needs of the oppressed,
then your light will rise in the darkness, and your night will become like the noonday.
11 The LORD will guide you always;
he will satisfy your needs in a sun-scorched land and will strengthen your frame.
You will be like a well-watered garden, like a spring whose waters never fail.
12 Your people will rebuild the ancient ruins, and will raise up the age-old foundations;
you will be called Repairer of Broken Walls, Restorer of Streets with Dwellings.

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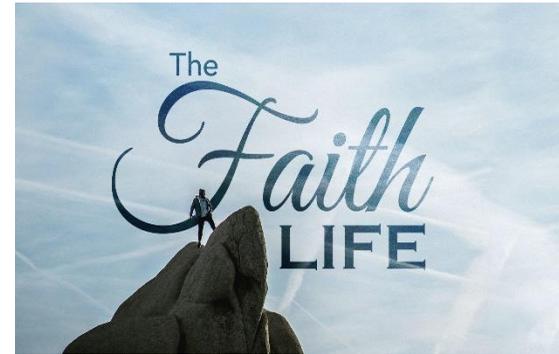
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*Hymn 428 vs 1 - 4

For the Healing of the Nations

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Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer #896

Scripture

Matthew 5:13-20 & Isaiah 58:1-12

Children's Time

Sermon

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*Communion Hymn 640 vs 1 & 2

Take Our Bread

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Invitation to the Lord's Table

Words of Institution

Table Prayer

Partaking of the Bread and Cup (Please hold the cup until all have been served)

Offering Invitation

Offering

***Doxology Hymn 95**

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***Hymn 593 vs 1 - 3**

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***Hymn 672 vs 1**

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