

Welcome to Tulare United Church

July 11, 2021 10:00am

“... Then the fever left her, and she began to serve them.” Mark 1:31b

Gathering Music Carol Esser

Welcome

* Call to Worship by Nancy Townley www.ministrymatters.com

East: Jesus brought healing love to all people.

West: They talked and marveled about his miracles.

East: But they really didn't understand him.

West: They wanted the healing, but not necessarily a change in their lives.

ALL: Jesus brings us transforming compassion.

Lord Jesus, keep our minds and our spirits open to your life-changing words. Amen.

* Opening Hymn

God Whose Love is Reigning o'er Us # 100 (verses 1,2,4,5)

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Morning Prayer (together)

Gracious God, thank you for being a God who hears us when we cry out to you. Today we bring before you all our hurts and fears. Some of the pain we have brought upon ourselves, while some has been completely out of our control. Either way, we trust that you will hear our cries of guilt and grief. Today we bring you our celebrations and joys. We recognize you in all of life's goodness and acknowledge that we become distracted and don't notice the abundance of special gifts we have been given by you. In all our life we seek to trust you. Amen.

Children's Time Table Talk

Scripture Reading Mark 1:29-39

Meditation Hymn For the Beauty of the Earth # 92 (verses 1,2,4,5)

by Folliot S. Pierpoint, Conrad Kocher, arr by W.H. Monk the version of the song we are using today is in the public domain and does not need to be reported

Message Heal then Meal

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer (sins)

Invitation to Share Tithes and Offering

A basket is on the back pew for your tithes and offering.

Ways to give to the work and ministries of Tulare United Church (UMC and UCC) * prayers * time * financial (deposit at Heartland State Bank or online giving at tulareunitedchurch.com), text to 605-299-8102 or use the GivePlus mobile app. Checks can be mailed to the Financial Secretary at PO Box 109, Tulare, SD 57476 Thank you for your generosity!

Special Music

Carol Esser

Prayer of Dedication (together)

Lord, you are the bread of heaven, giving life to the world. Take these gifts that we bring, and use them to bring life and hope to all those who watch and wait for signs of your redeeming love. Strengthen us to serve you and all in need. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ, our Risen Lord and Savior. Amen.

Closing Hymn Jesus' Hands Were Kind Hands

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Words by Margaret Crooper melody harmonized by Carlton Young © 1979, 1989 Stainer & Bell Ltd (Admin. by Hope Publishing Company) reported to CCLI song number 3117945

Announcements and Celebrations

Benediction

*Response Go Now in Peace projected

by Don Besig and Nancy Price, © 1988 Harold Flammer Music (Admin. by Hal Leonard LLC) (Admin. by Tom Cat Music) reported to CCLI, song number 274763

* Postlude

Worship Notes: Thank you for worshiping with us – come again and/or join us online. If you would like more information about joining Tulare United Church please talk to Pastor Lorah. There will be a new member class within the next few months.

Our worship service is a time to move away from outside distractions and focus on God. Thank you for turning off cell phones and not texting during worship.(but feel free to use your Bible app) If you read this please let Pastor Lorah know and she'll put a dollar in the offering. If you do not want to take your bulletin home please help us keep the sanctuary tidy...and recycle it by putting it in the basket in the entry. All hymns and songs printed in the bulletin or projected are used by permission.

June 28 – July 4, 2021

Attendance 23 Tithes/Offering \$ 1,252.00

(\$ 2,219 is needed each week to meet the budget)

Change for Camp \$ 2.50

Change for Camp...All change (and other \$ designated) in the offering basket goes to camperships.

Church Office: 596-4156 Friday and Saturday are usually Pastor Lorah's days off

Web Page: www.tulareunitedchurch.com – all worship services are posted here – under Praise and Worship – Worship Together

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May we pray for you?

Our prayer list... for mind, body and spirit:

Hyke family and all who work at Hyke Funeral Home, Tom & Linda McNeill (children of Sandi McNeill), Karen Kohlen, the United Methodist Church denomination, people in prison, everyone living with cancer and other long term physical or mental illness or addiction, all military and their families at home especially: Edna Knutson (Kianna Binger's mother just back from deployment to Djibouti), Brandon Peters (Pastor Lorah & Rich's son-in-law - SD National Guard), **Dan McNeil** (neighbor deployed to the Middle East), the United Church of Christ denomination (**General Synod July 11-18 – virtual**), Mary Merrigan (Pastor Lorah's friend), McKenzie Lee (Rhonda Stroh's daughter), Karen Stephenson, Tenlee Gatzemeyer, all those with or affected by or recovering from Covid-19, Mona Schultz, Sandra McNeill, Vianne Masat, Dennis Smith, Jasmine Banister, Jerry Bachman

We celebrate with Kerry Steever today as he is recognized and honored for 25 years as the camp director at Placerville Camp. A celebration is taking place in Rapid City at South Park UCC.

We celebrate the birth of Tessa Jolene, born 7-8-21 to Tasha & Brian Gatzemeyer. She joins sisters Tenlee Jean (4 yr) and Turner Linae (2 yr). Happy grandparents are Brian & Pam Hull and Mike & Glenda Gatzemeyer.

StoneyBrook (Huron): Alice MacNeill

Eastern Star (Redfield): Marvin Roeber, LaDean Stoner,

Shirley Stellmacher (Judy Wagner's mother), June Bottum

Lakeside (Redfield): Erma Ames, Amy Garman, **Ray Ernster**

United Living Center (Brookings): **Mona Schultz**

Good Samaritan Home (Miller): **Leone Schultz**

Mail a card or note to someone on this list.

We are being very conscientious of having the correct licenses in place to record and/or live stream songs, scriptures, liturgy, etc.

*CCLI license is 2240454 and 204118604 (streaming)

*One License is 726840

*Lorie Line Music, Inc. streaming license W29645

Do you have a Bible you would like to have disposed of properly? The Redfield Area Ministerial Association will be doing a short ceremony in August at Greenlawn Cemetery. There is a tub in the TUC entryway for your worn or unwanted Bibles. *Please be assured that we will respect your decision and no Bibles will be taken out of the tub and reused.* If anyone needs/wants a Bible contact Pastor Lorah and we will make sure you get a new one.

This week at Tulare United Church...

Sunday 7/11

- 10:00 Worship
- Musician: Carol Esser
- Video: Weston Wagner
- Usher: Dwight & Ann Bottum
- Projection Set-Up: Karla Schultz
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- 4:00 General Synod (UCC) starts with opening worship – all virtual. Pastor Lorah is a delegate from SD.

Monday 7/12

- 10:30 Membership Committee meeting
- 7:00 General Synod keynote speaker

Tuesday 7/13

- General Synod

Wednesday 7/14

- 7:00 General Synod worship

Thursday 7/15

- 8:30 Wesley House class – Mission Rift, Pastor Lorah attends via Zoom
- 10:00 Women's Coffee & Conversation Group in FH
- 10:30 Clergy Cluster (UCC) in Redfield
- General Synod

Friday 7/16

- 3:00 General Synod – plenary
- 6:30 General Synod keynote

Saturday 7/17

- 3:00 General Synod

Sunday 7/18

- 10:00 Worship with Communion
- Musician: Lyn Flint
- Video: Maverick Jones
- Usher: Rich Bottum & Linda Tomsha
- Projection Set-Up: Talisa Buchholz
- Projection: Karla Schultz
- 11:30 General Synod plenary
- 5:00 General Synod closing worship

At church camp this week: Hunter Cole is at Bryon Bible Camp and Mary Buchholz and Evie Paulson are at Grandparents Camp at Lake Poinsett (UMC)

Many thanks to Cody & Jade Shields and family for donating their time and mowing St. John's cemetery!