

TODAY'S SERVICE

Welcome

Songs of Praise

Pastoral Prayer

Offering

Scripture Reading: Matthew 28:1-20

Mission Moment

Hymn #679

“O Zion, Haste, Your Mission High Fulfilling”

“**Kingdom Commission**”

Closing Hymn #684

“We All Are One in Mission”

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

- Matt. 28:1-20, page 966-967 in your pew Bible.

If you do not have a Bible at home, please feel free to take a pew Bible to keep as your own.

SERMON RECORDINGS AVAILABLE

LISTEN TO SERMONS ONLINE REQUEST A SERMON CD

Go to www.wincov.org. Click on “Downloads” and choose the appropriate date from the “Sermon Audio” column. CDs of the full service are available from the church office. Call us at (507)647-5777, email us at wincov@means.net or drop a note in Krystal Stoll’s mailbox.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES THIS WEEK

Today 5/17	9:30 AM Worship
	10:45 AM Sunday School Celebration Neighborhood Canvass to follow
Wednesday 5/20	9:00 AM Prayer Coffee at Eunice’s. 7:30 PM Youth Group
Thursday 5/21	6:30 PM Men’s Bible Study at Chuck Peik’s
Saturday 5/23	10:00 AM Women’s Min. Trip to Arboretum
Sunday 5/24	9:30 AM Worship
<i>Pentecost</i>	10:45 AM Sunday School



Join us in the sanctuary after service today for a celebration of what God has done in Sunday School this year!

HAVE A QUESTION?

Leadership Team:

Darren McKinney, *Chair*
Rueben Rosnau, *Vice Chair*
Sondra Redman, *Secretary*
Dan Messerli, *Financial Offcr.*
Becky Baker
Rose Adema

Ministry Team Leaders:

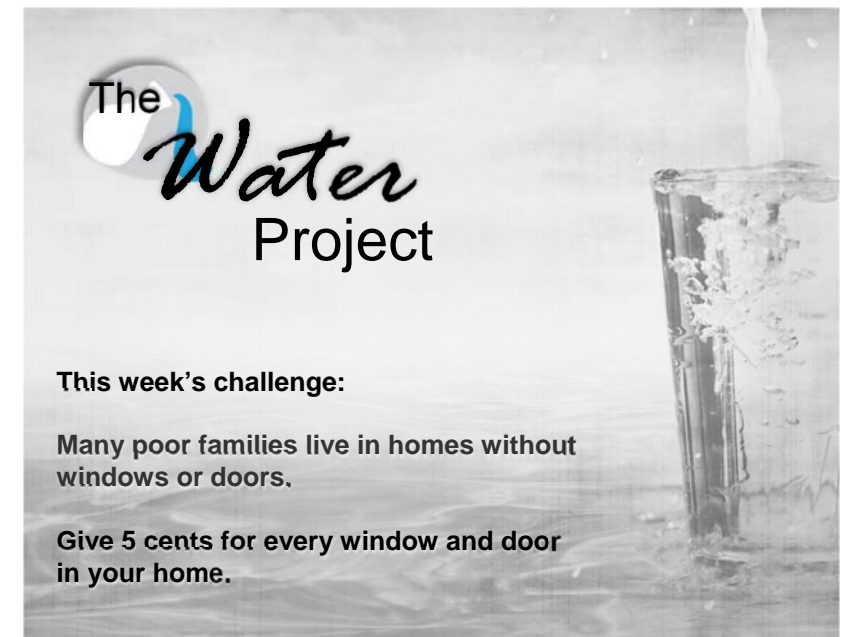
Karen Benson, *Missions/Outreach*
June Oman, *Worship*
Delaine Elseth, *Discipleship*
Property Mgt: Dale & Betty Boyum

Ministries:

AWANA: Kay Linsmeier
Clothes Closet: Mary Jo Boehning
Food Cupboard: Chuck & Barb Peik
Men’s Ministry: Chuck Peik
MOPS: Lindsay Kachelmeier
Nursery: Rose Adema
Sunday School: Delaine Elseth
Women’s Ministry : Becky Baker
Youth Group: Kyle & Lindsay Kachelmeier

SUNDAY SERVANTS

	May 17th	May 24th
Prelude:	Delaine Elseth	Shirley Rosnau
Greeters:	Ann Wind	Kris Kernz and Autumn Bosma
Nursery:	Rose Adema & Kristen Kokesch	Kris Kernz and Autumn Bosma
Scripture:	Kris Kernz	Elias Kachelmeier
Children’s Message:	None Needed	Need Volunteer
Sound Technician:	Jason Portner	Torrey Pitchford
Fellowship Snacks:	None Needed	Stolls
May Mission Mmnt	Eric Sandberg	
May Sanct. Floral:	Kay Linsmeier	
May Ushers:	Ted Oman, Chuck and Barb Peik, Dan Messerli	
May Lawn Mowing	Sandbergs	



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FAMILIES WITH SMALL CHILDREN:

- We have a staffed NURSERY for children three and under – down the stairs and to the left.
- There are pews reserved in the back for you, and children's bulletins with activities and crayons available at the usher stand.

PLEASE JOIN US FOR CHRISTIAN FORMATION AT 10:45am.

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