

TODAY'S SERVICE

Welcome

Songs of Praise

Pastoral Prayer

Offering

Scripture Reading: John 21:1-14

Hymn #379

"Jesus Calls Us o'er the Tumult"

"Kingdom Catch"

Communion

Closing Hymn #379

"Take My Life and Let It Be Consecrated"

SCRIPTURE READINGS:

- *John 21:1-14, page 1053 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 5/3	9:30 AM	Worship
Communion Sunday	10:45 AM	Sunday School
Wednesday 5/6	9:00 AM	Prayer Coffee at Eunice's.
	7:30 PM	Youth Group
Thursday 5/7	9:30 AM	Women's Bible Study
	6:30 PM	Men's Bible Study at Chuck Peik's
	7:00 PM	National Day of Prayer Service
Sunday 5/10	9:30 AM	Worship
	10:45 AM	Sunday School



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 3rd	May 10th
Prelude:	Shirley Rosnau	June Oman
Greeters:	Kachelmeiers	Redmans
Nursery:	Messerlis	Lindsay Kachelmeier & Megan Elseth
Scripture:	Mary Jo Boehning	Curt Redman
Children's Message:	None Needed	Volunteer Needed
Sound Technician:	Krystal Stoll	Isaac Elseth
Sunday School	Mary Jo Boehning/Mary	Redmans
Snacks: Adults/Kids	Jo Boehning	
May Mission Moment	Eric Sandberg	
May Sanct. Floral:	Kay Linsmeier	
May Ushers:	Ted Oman, Chuck and Barb Peik, Dan Messerli	
May Lawn Mowing	Sandbergs	

Today we will join in the sacrament of Holy Communion.

In the Covenant Church, we believe that the Lord's Supper is for all who confess faith in Jesus Christ. **We practice open communion**, meaning that individuals need not be a member of Winthrop Covenant Church. All who seek to be a disciple of Christ are invited to the table.

The elements will be passed from row to row by our ushers. Please hold the bread and cup so that all may partake together.

JOIN US IN PRAYER

Current Requests:

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PRAY FOR COMFORT AND PEACE for the family of Penny Verdeck, who died in a bike accident on Sunday in Glencoe.

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CONTINUE TO PRAY for Kiera Sandberg and others with chronic pain and/or illness.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY and others who are far from home, and for their families.

REMEMBER OUR SHUT-INS: Clarrice R, Mavis W, Margie.

TODAY'S MISSIONARIES ARE: Tammi Biggs, serving with Covenant Merge Ministries. Her information can be found on page 7 of the CMPC.

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SUNDAY MORNING INFO

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.

- Children's Sunday School is open to kids PreK-7th, and is held in the classrooms downstairs. Info about the children's SS curriculum can be found on our website
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