

The Monday Memo

Federated Church members look at the week ahead

August 31, 2020

Then Jesus told his disciples, "If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me." Matthew 16:24

Dear God, help us to pick up our cross as a way to love others through Christ our Savior and Lord. Amen.

Last week — In review

August 30, 2020: We worshiped in Kirkbride Park and the Mission Committee provided muffins and coffee with a free will donation. The Mission Committee matched donations up to \$500. The funds will be going to the Fergus Falls Public Schools for counselors at the school to meet the basic needs of the students through things like food, nutrition, and clothing. Pastor Doug delivered the sermon titled *For Christians Seeking clarity* with the text from Exodus 3:1-15. To read a copy of the sermon visit our website at www.federatedff.org.

This week — Looking ahead

Photo Directory Canceled: Lifetouch photography has decided as the situation with COVID-19 continues to evolve, they have determined that it is in the best interest of Lifetouch staff to postpone church photography. Everyone who is scheduled for September 22, 23, 29, and 30 will be canceled. When Lifetouch is available to reopen and resume photography programs, they will let us know.

Music by Susan Clambey: Susan Clambey is sharing her compositions with the Federated Church. Each week, we will include a link to a song she wrote and recorded at Federated. The eighth link is included in this email. Thank you, Susan, for sharing your gift!

Worship in Kirkbride Park: Worship will be in Kirkbride park on Sunday, September 6 with communion weather permitting. If the weather is bad worship will be held at federated Church. The outside worship will not be live streamed but later put on BoxCast and YouTube. Please bring your own chair.

Monday, September 7th: The office will be closed Monday, September 7 for Labor Day. Our office hours will continue to remain the same Mon-Thur 10-2 and Fri 9-12 until further notice.

Prayer requests

In addition to the people on our prayer list, please remember: Please keep Carri Thompson, Donna Hendel, and Molly Stoddard's step-mom Sandy Herold in your thought and prayers.

If you have a prayer request, please notify the church office.

Weekly Calendar

TUESDAY (9/1)

11:30am Women's Bible Study

ZOOM

6:00pm Praise Team Practice

7:30pm Choir Practice

SUNDAY (9/6)

9:30am Worship In Kirkbride Park



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