JOURNEYS



On December 13-14, the Geminids Meteor Shower will be visible in the night sky. Join us for this spectacular sight on Saturday, December 13 at 7 p.m. in the parking lot. We will be serving Christmas goodies and may do some caroling around the neighborhood if the weather cooperates.



Want to write a Journeys article?
We'd love to read your story.
Call the church office at (308) 382-1952

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME				
ANNOUNCEMENTS				
THE PASSING OF THE PEACE				
ADVENT CANDLE #2#2090				
CALL TO WORSHIP(ON SCREEN)				
OPENING HYMN #221 "IN THE BLEAK MIDWINTER"				
OPENING PRAYER(ON SCREEN)				
CHOIR ANTHEM "SONG OF THE STARS" BY LLOYD LARSON				
OFFERTORY"HEAVEN EVERYWHERE"				
DOXOLOGY#94				
PRAYER OF DEDICATION(ON SCREEN)				
CALL TO PRAYER(ON SCREEN)				
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE(ON SCREEN)				
LORD'S PRAYER#895				
ALL GOD'S CHILDREN(ON SCREEN)				
HYMN OF PREPARATION #431 "LET THERE BE PEACE ON EARTH"				
SCRIPTURE LESSONMATTHEW 3:1-12				
SACRAMENT OF HOLY SACRAMENT				
APOSTLES'CREED#881				
SERMONSPIRIT BAPTISM"				
CLOSING HYMN #196 "COME, THOU LONG EXPECTED JESUS"				
BENEDICTION				
Assistive listening devices are available to anyone that needs it to experience our worship services to the fullest.				



2nd Sunday of Advent 9:30 AM Traditional Worship December 7th, 2025

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SATURDAY WORSHIP IN GOLLAHER CHAPEL
Traditional6 PM
SUNDAY WORSHIP IN SANCTUARY
Traditional or CrossPoint9:30 AM

We speak to God before the service, God speaks to us during the service, We Speak to each other after the service.

CONNECT

DISCOVER

Volunteers For Service

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Greeters	Communion	Reader
Dottie & Athena Whited, Tom Graves	Rob & Christy Horky	Carol Furley
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Catherine Dubois, Furley, Jero	Carol George	
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Baskets of Love . . .

Silent Auction is December 6th - 14th with bids ending at 11 AM. Proceeds go to the roof. Thank you.

Our 34th Live Nativity & Soup Supper...

is Sunday, December 7th from 5 - 7 PM at Fonner Park. This is free-will fundraiser for food pantries. Chili and chicken noodle soups end at 6:30 PM.

Wednesday Night Meals this week . . .

12/10/2025: Baked Chicken, Scalloped Potatoes,

Corn Casserole, Variety Pumpkin

Get your order in for Poinsettias . . .

By December 16th! We are at that time of the year again to dedicate poinsettias. Thank you.





Questions or comments?

Please contact the church during office hours. Thank you.

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We Cordially Invite Everyone . . . in this congregation to become a member of this church, a working member. Call the church if you would like to talk it over with someone.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Loaves & Fishes Food Distribution . . .

December 13th, 2025 at College Park 3180 W Highway 34. Enter Tech Boulevard. Distribution is at 9:30 a.m. until Food is gone. It is best to arrive between 9 am and 11 am. Do not arrive before 7:30 a.m. This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Hospital Visits & Prayer Chain...

If you or a loved one is in the hospital and would like to be visited or put on the prayer chain for prayer, please get in touch with the office. Due to HIPAA security rules, Regional Medical Center cannot release the names of patients to the church.

Advent . . .

Celebrate the coming of Christ all month long with our Advent kits! All materials are FREE and are available. Choose from these activities to make a custom Advent kit for your family:

- devotional book
- Advent calendar
- ornament craft
- star gazing party on December 13
- star diffraction glasses
- Bethlehem soup

Get your roof donation before the end of the year! Everyone that donates or pledges to the roof this December, will receive a hand-crafted Nativity. Thank you.



Blue Christmas Service . . .

Have you struggled finding joy throughout the Christmas season? If so come to this worship service Dec 27th at 6pm and lets release grief for joy as we enter into 2026.

CALENDAR

December 7th - 14th

Sunday Baskets of Love | Communion 9:30 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary, Nursery 10:30 AM Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place PreK - Elementary Sunday School, Nursery Sharing Our Life Stories, Youth Room

Trinity Cup Distribution

Way Seekers Study, Room C Xmas Pageant Rehearsal, Zone Room

5:00 PM 34th Live Nativity & Soup Supper, Fonner Park

Monday Baskets of Love

4:30 PM Senior Wii Bowling, Youth Room

Tuesday Baskets of Love

10:00 AM Staff Meeting, The Gathering Place 1:00 PM Mathetes Study Group, Youth Room

7:00 PM Trustees, Parlor

Wednesday Baskets of Love

5:30 PM Wednesday Night Meals, Miller Hall 6:00 PM Handbell Rehearsal, Bell Choir Room

6:45 PM Empowered Women, Youth Room High School Youth Zone, Tower Room Middle School Youth Zone, Rooms 1 & 2 Christmas Pageant Rehearsal, Zone Room

7:00 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Thursday Baskets of Love | Newsletter Article Deadline

6:45 AM Bible Study, Tommy's Restaurant

11:00 AM Lectio Divina, Zoom

1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Group, The Parlor

2:00 PM Coloring at the Chocolate Bar

Friday Baskets of Love

1:00 PM Bulletin Folding, Parlor

Saturday Baskets of Love

9:30 AM Loaves & Fishes Food Giveaway, College Park 10:00 AM Grand Island Senior High Concert Rehearsal

5:00 PM Scripture Discussion, Parlor

6:00 PM Worship, Gollaher Chapel
7:00 PM Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place
Stargazing Party, Caroling

Sunday Baskets of Love Ending at 11 AM

2.20 AM Court Point Worship Court No.

9:30 AM CrossPoint Worship, Sanctuary, Nursery

10:30 AM Confirmation, Miller Hall

Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place PreK - Elementary Sunday School, Nursery Sharing Our Life Stories, Youth Room

Way Seekers Study, Room C

Christmas Pageant Rehearsal, Sanctuary

3:00 PM Grand Island Senior High Concert