

**DODGE CENTER  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

**August 14, 2022**

**\*Stand as you are able**

**Prelude**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Joys and Concerns**

**\*Centering Hymn UMH #719 (all vs.)  
"My Lord, What a Morning"**

**\*Call to Worship Psalm 82**

L: God is seated in the divine council; and in the midst of the gods holds judgement.

**P: "How long will you judge unjustly and show partiality to the wicked?"**

L: Give justice to the weak and the orphan; maintain the right of the afflicted and the destitute.

**P: Rescue the weak and the needy; deliver them from the hand of the wicked."**

L: They have neither knowledge nor understanding, they walk about in darkness; all the foundations of the earth are shaken.

**P: I said," You are gods. God like offspring, all of you;**

L: nevertheless, you shall die like mortals, and fall like any prince."

**P: Arise, O God, judge the earth, for to you belong all the nations!**

**Hymn of the Day UMH #700 (vs. 1-3)**

**"Abide with Me"**

**Prayer of the Day (In unison)**

O God, judge eternal, you love justice and hate oppression, and you call us to share your zeal for truth. Give us courage to take our stand with all victims of bloodshed and greed, and, following your servants and prophets, to look to the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, your Son, Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord. Amen.

**Old Testament Lesson**

**Jeremiah 23:23-29**

**The Apostles' Creed UMH# 882**

**Prayers**

After minister says, "Merciful God,"

Congregation responds: "Receive our prayer."

**\*Doxology UMH #95**

**"Praise God, from Whom All Blessings Flow"**

**\*Gospel Lesson**

**Luke 12:49-56**

**Sermon**

**\*Closing Hymn UMH #452 (vs. 1-3)**

**"My Faith Looks Up to Thee"**

**\*Benediction**

**\*Postlude**

† Welcome to all visitors, please sign our guest book before leaving.

\*\*The August 21st joint picnic with Trinity Lutheran has been **postponed** to this fall. More details on the time and location will be sent out when we have them. Thank you. \*\*

-Ad Council's next meeting is August 16<sup>th</sup>, at 5:30pm

- Next Community Dinner is August 17<sup>th</sup>, 5-6pm. Want to volunteer? You can sign up through the link in weekly announcements or email Lisa O'Neil (peelette@yahoo.com) and she'll add you to the sign up.

-Next Adult Caregiver Support Group meeting will be held August 25<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30pm. To take part in this book discussion and get a free book, please let Pastor Chad or Beth Hanggi know.

-Quick reminder: Pastor Chad will be on vacation Aug. 22- Sep.3<sup>rd</sup>.

-There is a sign-up sheet in the back to bring treats and serve fellowship. Coffee will be made each Sunday and juice is provided.

-Once a month we are looking for volunteers to clean bathrooms, vacuum, and give a good all-around dusting, please write your name on the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board in back.

**Thank you to our volunteers today:**

Reader: Janet Bugarin

Counters: Dale and Lona Jensen

**Next Sunday:**

Reader: Kelly Amunrud

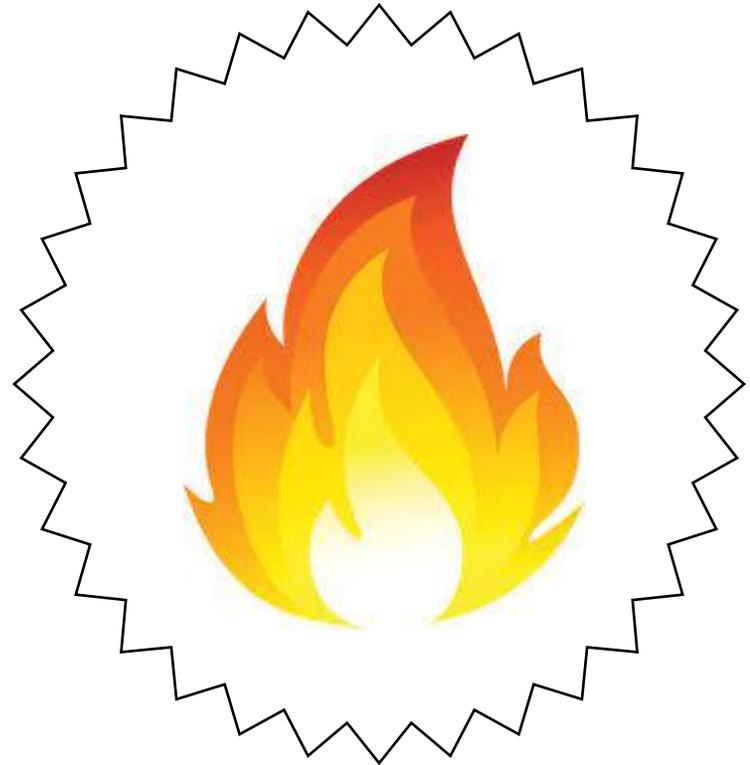
Counters: Kelly Amunrud and Shawn Lepp

Pastor- Rev. Chad Christensen      Pianist-Janet Bugarin

Secretary-Hannah Olson      Sound- Colin Lepp

Total donations needed each week- \$1,637.00

Last Sundays offering amount: \$2089.47



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