

Announcements This Week

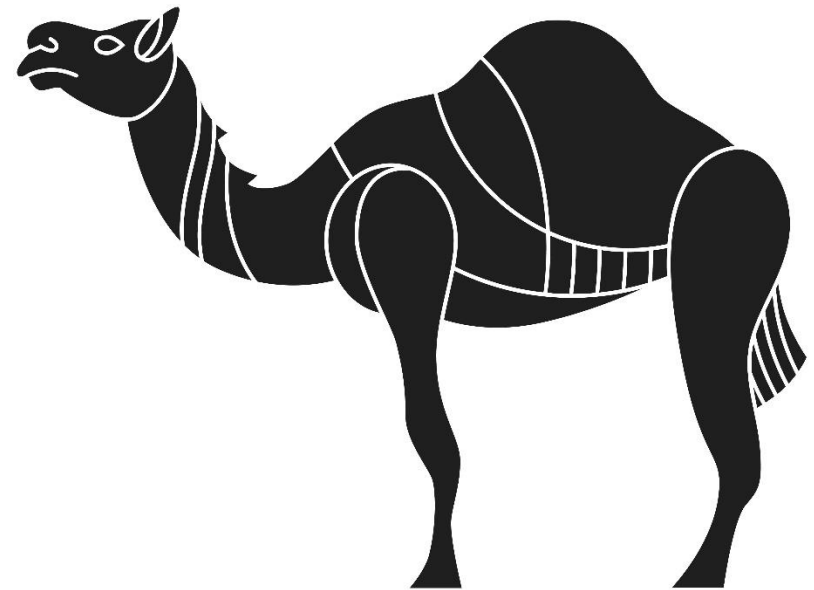
- ✓ **Welcome to our worship this day.** *"No matter who you are, or where you are on life's journey, you are welcome here."*
- ✓ **Youth Sunday School begins at 9:30am** in the downstairs classroom. All are welcome.
- ✓ **Our Liturgist this day is Blaine Anderson.**
- ✓ **Black Hills Association Meeting is today** at Placerville Camp beginning at 3pm. Supper available for \$10. All are welcome!
- ✓ **Wednesday Study Group** is reading, "The Way" by Adam Hamilton. This is a six-week video/book/discussion series. Join us in person at 7pm or via Zoom.
- ✓ **The Hunters Supper is coming!** Make plans now to join us for this annual soup supper event. (I hear John Cooper is preparing a tenderloin.) Mark your calendar for November 13th.

Please pray:

- **For the work of Global Ministries in Israel/Palestine.** (For more about this ministry see <https://www.globalministries.org/>)
- **For native peoples around the globe.** God, on this Indigenous Peoples Sunday, bless your world with an understanding heart that all might be one. Amen.
- **All those who are ill or homebound or in care facilities.**
- **For others in our lives, especially:** our Church Conference, Travelers, Military and First Responders.



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“✠” Invites all to stand in body or in spirit

WELCOME

RINGING OF THE BELL

✠ GREETING (One/**Many**)

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you all.

And also with you.

✠ HYMN

CH #17

“O Worship the King”

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

We know the commandments:

You shall not murder;

you shall not steal;

We know that we want to follow them;

but instead, we cannot let go of the things we think we need, or what we think is important.

Forgive our disobedience,

our lack of commitment,

and our desire to focus on material things instead of on your will for us.

In the name of our Teacher, Jesus Christ, who gave his whole life for us. Amen.

PRAYER FOR MERCY

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

Christ, have mercy. **Christ, have mercy.**

Lord, have mercy. **Lord, have mercy.**

ASSURANCE OF PARDON

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Peace of God be with you.

And also with you.

OLD TESTAMENT LESSON

Amos 5:4-6, 14-15

CHILDREN’S TIME FOR THE YOUNG AND YOUNG AT HEART ☺

GOSPEL LESSON

Mark 10:17-31

MESSAGE

“What You Already Know” Rev. C Aurand

✠ HYMN

“There Is a Balm in Gilead” CH #501

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Hear our prayers, O Lord;

Answer when we call.

CONCERNS OF THE CHURCH/MISSION MOMENT

A TIME OF OFFERING

✠ DOXOLOGY

***Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, you heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.***

✠ PRAYER OF DEDICATION

✠ HYMN

CH #651

“God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens”

✠ BENEDICTION/BLESSING

✠ POSTLUDE

