

Welcome visitors! We are glad you could worship with us today.

MEET YOUR PASTOR & AIMEE - Please sign up on the sheet by the south door if you would like to meet with Pastor & Aimee and a small group over coffee. We will communicate location as soon as we have enough people signed up. If you are willing to host these coffees, there is a place to sign up for that. Pastor Luke & Aimee are excited to get to know you.

Colfax Center will celebrate their **150th Anniversary, “ROOTED IN FAITH - HONORING OUR LEGACY”** on June 12 & 13, 2021. If you have items or information to share, please contact Sandy Simms at 319-269-1687 or tsimms@gcmuni.net.

The 2020 Annual Report is available in the narthex.

Colfax’s Annual meeting will be held following morning worship today, Sunday, February 7th. There will be no Coffee Fellowship or Sunday School.

Treasurers for all church funds can pick their books up in the copy room.

By Law Changes: There is a small change being proposed to our church bylaws to keep them in line with the bylaws of the denomination. Details on this change are available on a printout in the Narthex.

Timothy Christian School is selling frozen lasagnas with a suggested donation price of \$20 (9x13) or \$15 (8x8). They are homemade and ready to go! Please call the school at 641.869.3679 to order! When you order, details about pick up or delivery and payment will be given. Thank you!

Newsletter articles for the March-April newsletter are due Monday, February 15. Would each team leader please submit an article and a list of your members? Thank you!

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February 7, 2021

For Reflection Before Worship -

“Just as the Lord “relented of the disaster that he had said he would do to” the Ninevites for their evil, there was a time when he “relented from the disaster that he had spoken of bringing on” the Israelites for their evil (Ex. 32:14; the Hebrew is exactly the same in Jonah and Exodus). Once more, this is meant to humble the Israelites. No longer can they look down on other nations for their evil, delighting in their coming judgment, when they themselves have been just as evil and just as much in need of the Lord’s mercy and grace.”
~ Jay Sklar

Prelude Sandy Simms

Announcements

***Call to Worship** Psalm 66:16-20
Come and hear, all you who fear God, and I will tell what he has done for my soul. I cried to him with my mouth, and high praise was on my tongue. If I had cherished iniquity in my heart, the Lord would not have listened. But truly God has listened; he has attended to the voice of my prayer. Blessed be God, because he has not rejected my prayer or removed his steadfast love from me!

***Hymn of Praise** GHF 36 – *A Mighty Fortress (1, 3 & 4)*

Call to Confession Psalm 51:1-4
Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin! For I know my transgressions, and my sin is ever before me. Against you, you only, have I sinned and done what is evil in your sight, so that you may be justified in your words and blameless in your judgment.

Prayer of Adoration and Confession

Assurance of Pardon Psalm 32:5

I acknowledged my sin to you, and I did not cover my iniquity; I said, “I will confess my transgressions to the LORD,” and you forgave the iniquity of my sin.

Worship Through Giving
(We will continue to collect tithes and offerings in the narthex.)

***Praise & Celebration** *Lord I Need You*

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Supplication

Reading of God’s Word Jonah 3:1-10

Sermon “Turn to the Lord” Pastor Luke Wolfe

***Confession of Faith** Apostle’s Creed

Celebrating the Lord’s Supper
Time of Reflection Sandy Simms

***Responsive Worship** Speak, O Lord

***Doxology**

***Benediction and Postlude**

**Those who are able, please stand*

This Week at Colfax

Sunday, February 7

9:30 am Morning Worship
10:30 am Annual Meeting

Tuesday, February 9

9:30 am Archive Team
4:00 pm Praise Team

Wednesday, February 10

7:00 pm Youth @ Orchard Hill

Sunday, February 14

9:30 am Morning Worship
10:30 am Coffee Fellowship
11:00 am Sunday School

**Could you please let Karen Dieken know if a team is meeting? You can reach her at 319-240-2728 or mkdieken@gmail.com. We are trying to be diligent with keeping our calendar up-to-date and want to make sure the church is unlocked for groups/individuals needing access.

Thank you, Pastor Luke

Serving Sunday, February 14

Coffee Fellowship: Nathan & Amy Stahl

Elevator Attendant: Mike Dieken

Nursery during Worship: Coty & Kamille Albers

SS Nursery Attendant: Doug Wiers

PowerPoint: Ally Boonmgarden

Sound: Mike Dieken

Camera: Steve Jones

COLFAX CENTER PRAISES & PRAYER CONCERNS

As you go to the Lord in prayer, please read the following scripture:
Romans 12:12 *“Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction,
faithful in prayer.”*

Our nation and its leaders.

The ministries of our church:

- Pastor Luke, Aimee, and their family
- Elders & Deacons as they lead the church
Current Elders: Donn Anderson, Al Harberts, Leon Johnson
Current Deacons: Mike Dieken, Paul Smit, Chuck Thoren,
Doug Wiers, Jesse Willis
- Our Children’s ministries
- The hearts of our congregation
- Our Missionaries, especially those in sensitive countries.

Those battling cancer: Cindy Klaassen

Medical prayer requests:

- **Arnold Ennenga** for comfort & recovery of a fractured lumbar in his back
- **Bruce Harberts** for treatments he is receiving for several cancers
- **Rod Schwab** for encouragement, wisdom and direction
- **Curt Tjepkes** for healing of blood clots in both lungs
- **Kim Venenga** for a kidney donor to be found
- Those suffering with COVID.

Pray also for those on active duty in our armed forces, especially **Cassidy Borwig**, those who are anxious or discouraged; facing difficult situations in their families; struggling with sin in their lives or do not know Christ.

Those who are shut-in or in nursing homes:

Pauline Arends; Mary Bakker; Bernard & Ethel Buskohl;
Phyllis DeNeui; Eldon & Elna Dieken; Deloris Eilers,
Anna Mae Klaassen; Verone Nederhoff; Dixie Spain

You are invited!
Sunday School Schedule

Sermon Notes:

“Turn to the Lord” - Jonah 3:1-10

Bell rings at 10:55 a.m. to go to classrooms
5-minute buzzer rings at 11:40
Final buzzer to adjourn 11:45

1. Jonah Turns

***Please encourage your child to wear a mask. You can bring one or disposable ones are available in the Fellowship Hall and classrooms.**

****Please pick up your students in their classrooms.**

Reminder: Some classrooms have been relocated to encourage physical distancing from each other.

2. Nineveh Turns

Ages 4-5, Teachers: Karen Boomgarden, Claire Belson & Linda Kruger, Yellow classroom

First-Third Grade, Teachers: Cathy Janssen, Sandy Simms & Victoria deFrancisco-Pruin - Purple classroom

Junior High *and* High School, Teacher: Pastor Luke Wolfe, Blue classroom

Adult Sunday School, Teacher: Aimee Wolfe, Fellowship Hall

3. The LORD Turns

Those who want to continue coffee fellowship instead of attending Sunday School are invited to move to the Parlor