

May
May 14 Wednesday Night Supper at 6:00 p.m.
May 29 Men’s Fellowship & Bible Study; 6:00 p.m.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT SUPPERS
Wednesday night supper is at 6:00 p.m. The cost is \$2 per person or \$10 per family. We will be having pizza this week! If you are interested in making a meal and serving it, or even helping with a meal, please see Wes.

MEN’S FELLOWSHIP & BIBLE STUDY
Men of the Church, join us Thursday, May 29 at 6:00 p.m. for a night of great food and fellowship. Please respond to Wes so food can be planned appropriately. Call, text, or email him at (918) 607-8489 or huskerwes1@gmail.com.

HONDURAS 2025
Wes is collecting funds to assist with the **Honduras 2025 Mission Trip**. There are many supplies to purchase. If you would like to contribute, please see Wes. Thank you from Wes and the Honduras 2025 Team.

BIBLE CLASS TEACHERS NEEDED!
Sunday morning older elementary teacher is needed along with gathering place song leaders. Also needed is a Wednesday night toddlers/pre-k and older elementary teachers as well. Please see Kendall if you can help.

MIDWEST YOUTH FOR CHIRST
There will not be a MYC for the month of May due to Labor Day Break. They will resume again June 29 at Derby Church of Christ.

A LITTLE HUMOR
The pre-school Sunday School class was about to re-join the rest of the congregation for a special service. The teacher cautioned all the children to be very quiet as they entered the auditorium. One child asked, "Why do we have to be quiet?", but before the teacher could say a word, a little girl piped up, "So that we don't wake up the ones who are sleeping!"
A mother with a fidgety seven-year old boy finally got her son to sit still and be quiet. How? About halfway through the sermon, she leaned over and whispered, "If you don't be quiet, the preacher is going to lose his place and will have to start his sermon all over again!"
A child came back from Sunday School, and told his mother that he had learned a new song about a cross-eyed bear named Gladly. It took his mother a while before she realized that the hymn was really "Gladly the Cross I'd Bear".
“A merry heart doeth good.” —Proverbs 17:22

FROM THE PREACHERS DESK:
The Wrong Idea

Many have wrong ideas about following Jesus. I’m no different, but I have learned differently.
Allow me to cut through all the excuses that I could use as examples and just simply say that following Jesus will always require two things:
Sacrifice and prioritization.
What I’ve observed, and been guilty of myself, is believing that following Jesus should be easier than it is and more convenient than it has ever been.
When it comes to sacrifice, I’ve learned that following Jesus costs me money or time, but most often it costs me both.
When it comes to prioritization, I’ve learned that not only is following Jesus disruptive to what many would consider the regular patterns of life, but it also means that I must give up other things that I want to do to follow Jesus.
The way that regular life is set up, there’s no room for following Jesus. When opportunities come along to serve or attend, you’ll quickly find out that to do either will most often require some kind of sacrifice and prioritization.
Some do, some don’t. And before we know it, life is over. How about me? How about you?
Consider these things and do what it takes to make obedience to God a reality in your life and not just empty words. James 1:22 warns,
“*But prove yourselves doers of the word, and not merely hearers who delude themselves.*”
Much love!
Wes LeFlore (918) 607-8489 or huskerwes1@gmail.com

CHILDREN’S CHURCH SCHEDULE
April
May 11—Linda Wartick\ May 18—Audra Hudspeth
May 25—**Need Volunteer!**

If you can volunteer, please see Darlene Cooney!

*If you are visiting today, welcome! We are glad that you have joined us in worshiping our God.
Please feel at home with our family!*

Prayer List: Chuck Cole, Sunnye Robinson, Doris Kendrick, Di-anne Jeans, Wynetta Weston, Larry Helton, Marilyn Bartlow, Gary Bodine, Bob & Beth Brownlee, Richard Wartick, Kylie Lock

EXPRESSION OF SYMPATHY
We express our sympathy to the family of Marla Norris, Marla passed away May 1. There is celebration of life planned for May 31 from 11:30 to 3:00 at Northland Mission Church, 600 NW Ter, Kansas City, MO. Marla is the wife of Larry Norris and the sister-in-law of Tom & Shiela Norris.

CHILDREN’S CORNER
Our Theme for Children’s & Teens Bible Classes for May is “God Sees and Hears Here is a peek at this month’s lessons, the Big Picture Question and Bible Verse.
May 11—Samuel Was Born and Called (I Samuel 1-3)
May 18—The Ark Was Captured (1 Samuel 4-6)
May 25—Freedom from the Philistines (I Samuel 7)
Big Picture Question:
Q: How does God care for His creation?
A: God loves and rules over his creation according to His perfect plan.
And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus. —Philippians 4:19

BLESSING BOX MINISTRY
Thank you Church family for your continued support of our Blessing Box ministry! At this time we do not need winter weather items. We are stocked up for next season, which is awesome! Let’s focus on non-canned items with the weather starting to turn warmer.
“*For the whole law is fulfilled in one word: “You shall Love your neighbor as yourself.”*”
—Galatians 5:14 ESV
BLESSING BOX IDEAS

<u>Non-Perishable Food Items:</u> Peanut Butter Canned Tuna, Ham, Chicken Canned Soups, Stews, Chili w/pull top lids Canned Goods w/pull top lids Granola/Protein Bars Nuts, Oatmeal, Cereal, Crackers Beans, Rice, Lentils, Pasta Kitchen Staples (Flour, Sugar, salt/pepper) Pasta Sauce, One Box Meals or Mixes	<u>Hygiene Items:</u> Shampoo/Conditioner Toothpaste/Toothbrush/Floss Brushes/Combs Deodorant Body Wash
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Don’t let the ugly in others destroy the beauty in you.

Outline:

Evil’s Strategy

Another _____

Many _____

God’s Strategy

- A _____ Defense

- Who I _____ Am

- What I Actually _____

Mysterious _____

Notes:

THOSE WHO SERVE

<u>SUNDAY, 10:30 AM</u>	<u>May 11</u>	<u>May 18</u>	<u>May 25</u>
<u>Opening Prayer</u>	N. Bradbury	A. Shields	B. Turney
<u>Song Leader</u>	D. Pierce	D. Pierce	D. Pierce

<u>Communion Talk</u> & Prayer	J. DeJarnett	N. Bradbury	L. Turney
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<u>Contribution Prayer,</u> <u>Collection & Count</u>	R. Harris	R. Harris	R. Harris
	T. Hudspeth	T. Hudspeth	T. Hudspeth

<u>Greeters</u>	D. Clark J. Clark	J. Muhl L. Turney	J. DeJarnett C. Bradbury
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<u>Closing Prayer</u>	T. Norris	T. Norris	T. Norris
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<u>Deacon in Charge</u>	L. Lewis	L. Lewis	L. Lewis
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Attendance: Sunday May 4 Wednesday May 7

Children’s Classes.....	36	28
Adult Class.....	23	30
Worship.....	85		
Children’s Church.....	00		

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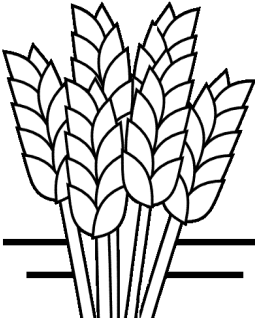
MINISTER
Wes LeFlore

SCHEDULE OF SERVICE
Sunday
Bible Classes.....9:30 a.m.
Worship.....10:30 a.m.

Wednesday
Bible Class.....7:00 p.m.



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ORDER OF WORSHIP
May 11, 2025

Call to Worship

Song #63 “I Will Call Upon the Lord”

Song #767 “In the Hour of Trial”

Prayer

Song #315 “When I Survey the Wondrous Cross”

Communion Prayers

Contribution Prayer

Contribution Collection

Song #524 “I Know Whom I Have Believed”

Lesson

Song #478 “Nearer Still Nearer”

Prayer

Every Sunday during the sermon we offer Children’s Church to boys and girls ages 3 years through 2nd grade. They will meet in the study for stories, crafts and learning about Jesus.