

August
Aug 24 MYC in Douglas; “Power in Giving” van leaves at 2:00
Aug 24 Devotional at Homestead at 3:00 p.m.
Aug 27 Back to School Food & Fun; 6:00 p.m.
Aug 28 Men’s Fellowship & Bible Study at 6:00 p.m.
Aug 31 Special Contribution for Jenkins
Aug 31 5th Sunday Fellowship following services
Aug 31 Devotional at Homestead at 3:00 p.m.
September
Sept 11 Carpenter Place Grocery Pick-Up; bags by the doors
Sept 19 Wedding Reception honoring John & Lyndsey; 6:30 p.m.
Sept 26-27 Ladies Retreat at Silver Maple Camp; details below

MIDWEST YOUTH FOR CHIRST
MYC is today in Douglas. The theme is “Power in Giving.” The van will leave the building at 2:00 p.m.

DEVOTIONALS AT HOMESTEAD
We are in charge of the devotionals this month at Homestead Assisted Living, 500 N. Plum. Devotionals are every Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p.m. Please make time to come.

MEN’S FELLOWSHIP & BIBLE STUDY
Men of the Church, join us Thursday, August 28 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.

LADIES RETREAT AT SILVER MAPLE CAMP
Ladies Retreat at Silver Maple Camp is scheduled for September 26-27. The theme this year is “Even If.” Daniel 3:17-18. Cost is \$50 for the weekend, \$65 for the weekend and a shirt or \$25 for Friday or Saturday only. If you want to guarantee a shirt, please order them by Sunday, August 31. You can register at www.silvermaplecamp.org/registration. There will be vendor tables for shopping.

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK
Some people come into our life as a blessing, while others come into our life as a lesson, so love them for who they are instead of judging them for who they are not.

FELLOWSHIP ROOM USE SCHEDULE
Aug 28—Wes LeFlore
Aug 31—5th Sunday Fellowship
Sept 13—Jami Dodds
Sept 14—Jennifer Hines
Oct 26—Jennifer Hines

FROM THE PREACHERS DESK
Seeking Wisdom

I have been reading through the Proverbs lately and it is striking to me how many times and in how many variety of ways the pleading sentiment can be found: Seek Wisdom.

Which causes me to ask the question of myself, “How often and in what ways do I seek wisdom?”

It should be added that the Bible speaks of two different kinds of wisdom – the wisdom of this world and the wisdom of God. Of course, the wisdom that I’m talking about seeking is the wisdom of God. There is some temporary benefit to wisdom of this world, but Proverbs 14:12 warns us that, ¹² *“There is a way which seems right to a man, but its end is the way of death.* No thank you.

The Lord pleads with us as a father pleads to his children, Proverbs 8:10-11, ¹⁰ *“Take my instruction and not silver, and knowledge rather than choicest gold.* ¹¹ *“For wisdom is better than jewels; and all desirable things cannot compare with her.”*

If no desirable thing can compare to the gaining of wisdom, what sense does it make for me to bend my will toward gaining the things of this world? They will not last, and they cannot bring me peace, contentment or satisfaction.

So, what should I do? I think it would behoove me to establish some patterns in my life that will allow me to pursue gaining wisdom.

Being at church services, where the wisdom of God is regularly taught, is a good place to start, but in a week comprised of 168 hours, and only hearing the Bible taught a little more than 1 of those 168 hours, only seeking wisdom through worship service will starve us to death.

Wisdom should be sought through the regular study of God’s Word. I advocate studying over simply reading because to read without seeking to understand will gain no wisdom. There are more good resources available now than have ever existed and I would be glad to help anyone in their journey of discovery.

Let’s heed to words of Book of Proverbs together and SEEK WISDOM!

Much love!

Wes LeFlore (918) 607-8489 or huskerwes1@gmail.com

Prayer List: Carolyn Kelley, Cody Martin, Jarrod Kline, Harry Ricke, Jenkins Family, Chuck Cole, Brian May, Dianne Jeans, Marilyn Bartlow, Bob & Beth Brownlee, Richard Wartick, Kylie Lock

WEDDING RECEPTION SAVE THE DATE
You’re invited to a wedding reception honoring John Muhl & Lyndsey Turney following their private ceremony Friday, September 19 at 6:30 p.m. The reception will be held at Trigger Guard Banquet Barn, 313 N. Meridian Rd., Wellington, KS. Please RSVP at theknot.com/jlmuhl.

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION AUGUST 31
Special contribution for the Jenkins family for unknown medical expenses and other expenses they aren’t expecting Sunday, August 31. The Elders would like to collect at least \$5000. It is important for friends and family to rally around them and offer them help, encouragement, and especially prayers.

CHILDREN’S CORNER
Like the queen was amazed by the wisdom God gave King Solomon, people were amazed by Jesus’ teaching. Jesus is God’s Son. He taught with power because He is the King of everything. Jesus came to earth to show us how to live and to save us by dying and coming back to life. Our Theme for Children’s & Teens Bible Classes for August is “King Solomon” Here is a peek at this month’s lessons, the Big Picture Question and Bible Verse.

Aug 24—The Queen of Sheba Visited Solomon (I Kings 10)
Aug 31—Wisdom of God’s People (Proverbs 1; 3-4)
Big Picture Question: Q: What does God know?
A: God knows everything.

BACK TO SCHOOL FOOD & FUN
Everyone is invited to a Back to School Food & Fun Bash Wednesday, August 27 at 6:00 p.m. Join us for some fun!

BLESSING BOX MINISTRY
Thank you Church family for your continued support of our Blessing Box ministry! We are in **HIGH NEED** of items! No canned good at this time. Please bring items that can survive well in the heat. **If you would like to donate money and let someone else shop for you, please see Kendall!**
*“For the whole law is fulfilled in one word:
“You shall Love your neighbor as yourself.””*
—Galatians 5:14 ESV

CHILDREN’S CHURCH SCHEDULE
August
Aug 24—Darlene Cooney Aug 31—**Need Volunteer!**
If you can volunteer, please see Darlene Cooney!

Outline:

In Crisis: God is with _____

Through Crisis: God Raises _____

After Crisis: God is _____

Notes:

THOSE WHO SERVE

<u>SUNDAY, 10:30 AM</u>	<u>Aug 24</u>	<u>Aug 31</u>	<u>Sept 07</u>	<u>Sept 14</u>
<u>Opening Prayer</u>	A. Shields	K. Dodds	C. Francisco	A. Shields
<u>Song Leader</u>	T. Norris	T. Norris	R. Harris	R. Harris
<u>Communion Talk</u>				
<u>& Prayer</u>	L. Turney	J. DeJarnett	T. Norris	N. Bradbury
<u>Contribution Prayer.</u>	E. Newberry	E. Newberry	P. Dodds	P. Dodds
<u>Collection & Count</u>	C. Francisco	C. Francisco	T. Hudspeth	T. Hudspeth
<u>Greeters</u>	T. Hudspeth Jill D.	D. Carroll P. Dodds	C. Bradbury J. DeJarnett	J. Cole A. Hines
<u>AV Sermon</u>	A. Hines	J. Cole	J. Muhl	K. Dodds
<u>Closing Prayer</u>	T. Norris	T. Norris	N. Bradbury	N. Bradbury
<u>Deacon in Charge</u>	K. Dodds	K. Dodds	A. Hines	A. Hines

<u>Attendance:</u>	<u>Sunday, Aug 17</u>	<u>Wednesday, Aug 20</u>
Children's Classes.....	3026
Adult Class.....	2723
Worship.....	80	Total.....49
Children's Church.....	06	

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ELDERS

Nathan Bradbury
Rex Harris
Tom Norris

DEACONS

Kevin Dodds	Aaron Hines
Leroy Lewis	David Pierce
Wade Pierce	

MINISTER

Wes LeFlore

SCHEDULE OF SERVICE

Sunday

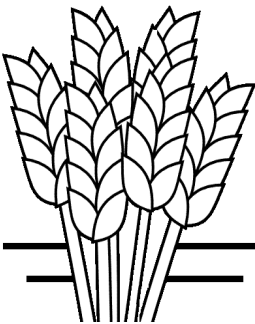
Bible Classes.....9:30 a.m.
Worship.....10:30 a.m.

Wednesday

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



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ORDER OF WORSHIP

August 24, 2025

Call to Worship—Wes LeFlore

Song Leader—Tom Norris

Song #121 “Come, Let Us All Unite to Sing”

Song #123 “The Steadfast Love of the Lord”

Prayer—Alan Shields

Song #1014 “Jesus Loves Me”

Communion Prayers—Levi Turney

Contribution Prayer—Ed Newberry/Chad Francisco & Collection

Song #122 “The Love of God”

Lesson—Wes LeFlore

Song #943 “Do You Know My Jesus?”

Prayer—Tom Norris

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 fellowship room for stories, crafts and learning about Jesus.