



First United Methodist Church

February 5, 2012
Fifth Sunday After Epiphany
8 & 11 a.m. Traditional Worship Service
KELO 1320 AM Radio Broadcast 9:05-9:55 a.m.



CERRO BARRETO '98

... And *hope* does not disappoint us, because **God's love** has been poured into our *hearts* through the *Holy Spirit* that has been **given to us**.

ROMANS 5:5

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME MUSIC

Medley of Spirituals.....(In recognition of Black History Month)

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS.....Pastor Dick Boyd

Please sign the Register of Attendance, take note of those worshipping with you, and introduce yourself to persons seated around you. First-time visitors, we have a gift for you that may be picked up at the Welcome Center after the service.

CENTERING FOR WORSHIP

(8 a.m.) *God, Whose Love Is Reigning O'er Us*Diemer

(11 a.m.) *I Know That My Redeemer Lives*.....Forrest

Combined Choir

CALL TO WORSHIP Laurie Iseminger

Leader: Jesus spoke of God, the Creator, as our heavenly Father.

People: Like a loving Parent, God calls us to be with Him in worship.

Leader: So, let us spend some time with our Father in prayer, in praise, in pondering God’s will.

People: We draw near as children of the heavenly Father recognizing that we are God’s family, living in God’s world.

***HYMN OF PRAISE**

God, Whose Love Is Reigning O’er UsNo. 100

INVITATION TO COMMUNION Laurie Iseminger

PRAYER OF CONFESSION (Unison)

Holy God, we do not understand why you keep on loving us. We hurt our loved ones. We turn our backs on need. We seek revenge for petty wrongs in petty ways. We do not understand why you keep on loving us. Yet even as we speak these words, we know your presence and your love. We are sorry, O God, for we know that sins against one another are sins against you. Make us strong and tender, we pray, that we may live more as you would have us live. Amen.

WORDS OF ASSURANCE..... Laurie Iseminger

GIFT OF MUSIC (11 a.m.)

He Never Failed Me Yet..... Ray
Combined Choir

SCRIPTURE..... Romans 5:1-11

New Testament Pg. 145

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS..... Pastor Bill Bates

(Following the 11 a.m. Children’s Moments, any child wishing to go to Children’s Church may follow their leader.)

SERMON..... “ God Is ...” Part 2

Pastor Bill Bates

THE GREAT THANKSGIVING (Consecration of the Elements)

LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

SHARING THE BREAD AND THE CUP

In the United Methodist Church, we serve “open” communion, all are invited to participate in this gift of God. Please come to the Communion Table by the SIDE aisles receiving the bread at the head of the aisle. When there is an open spot at the Communion rail, come and kneel or stand. You will be served the cup. Place empty cups in the back channel in the rail. After communion return by the CENTER aisles. If it is difficult for you to come forward, we will come to serve you at your seat. Please tell an usher of your need.

PRESENTATION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

You may also bring your offering as you commune and place it in the offering plate at the head of the aisle.

COMMUNION SONGS (Alternated with organ music)

(11 a.m.) *Ave Maria* Combined Choir
O How He Loves You And Me FWS 2108
When I Survey The Wondrous Cross No. 298

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

*HYMN OF COMMITMENT

One Bread, One Body No. 620

*BENEDICTION

*SENDING FORTH

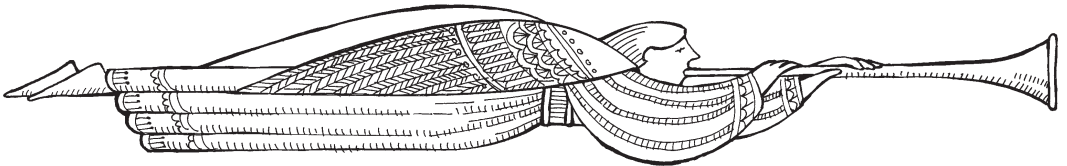
Go, Tell It On The Mountain No. 251, Refrain

POSTLUDE

Festival March Burkhardt

*Please stand as you are able

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First United Methodist Church

9:30 a.m. Hosanna Worship Service

ORDER OF WORSHIP

***GATHERING SONGS** *I Am Free*
..... *Marvelous Light*

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SONG FOR CENTERING *Cannons*

SCRIPTURE Romans 5:1-11
New Testament Pg. 145

Leader: This is the Word of the Lord.

People: Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN’S MOMENTS Pastor Bill Bates

SERMON “God Is ... ” Part 2
Pastor Bill Bates

BLESSING OF COMMUNION ELEMENTS

LORD’S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

COMMUNION AND OFFERING

In the United Methodist Church, we serve “open” communion, all are invited to participate in this gift of God. You will be invited to come forward to receive the bread and grape of the vine. After receiving the bread and grape, you may return to your seat. If it is difficult for you to come forward, we will come to serve you at your seat. Please tell an usher of your need. You may bring your offerings and leave them in the offering plates as you come forward for Communion.

COMMUNION SONGS *Above All*
..... *Revelation Song*

BENEDICTION

***SENDING FORTH** *Jesus, Messiah*

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THIS WEEK AT FIRST UNITED METHODIST

Sunday, February 5, 2012

- 7:45 a.m. Infant/Toddler Nursery, Room 204B
- 8:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary
- 9:30 a.m. Faithlink, Fireplace Room
- 9:30 a.m. Library Open
- 9:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School
- 9:30 a.m. Hosanna Worship, Sanctuary
- 10:30 a.m. Faith Alive, 9-12th Graders, Chapel
- 10:30 a.m. Faith In Motion, 6th & 7th Graders, Room 108
- 10:30 a.m. Joy Choir, Room 306
- 10:30 a.m. Christian Heritage, 8th Graders, Room 109
- 11:00 a.m. Children's Church, Preschool, Room 106 Elementary, Room 301
- 11:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary

Monday, February 6, 2012

- 1:30 p.m. Massage with Carol Anne, Friendship Room

Tuesday, February 7, 2012

- 9:00 a.m. Staff Meeting, Friendship Room

Wednesday, February 8, 2012

- 8:30 a.m. Library Open
- 9:30 a.m. Women's Bible Study, Fireplace Room
- 11:30 a.m. S.A.G.E.S., Round Table Room
- 5:00 p.m. Wednesday Night Supper, Round Table Room
- 5:30 p.m. Heavenly Ringers, Choir Room
- 5:45 p.m. Infant/Toddler Nursery, Room 204B
- 6:00 p.m. Bible Zone Live, Room 301
- 6:00 p.m. Disciples in Training, Room 309
- 6:00 p.m. Joy Choir, Room 306
- 6:00 p.m. Joyful Accord, Sanctuary
- 6:30 p.m. Cherub Choir, Room 306
- 6:30 p.m. Middle School Youth Group
- 7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir, Choir Room

- 8:00 p.m. High School Youth Group

Thursday, February 9, 2012

- 7:30 a.m. TOPS, Fireplace Room
- 12:30 p.m. Quilters, Round Table Room
- 1:00 p.m. Memorial Committee, Friendship Room
- 1:30 p.m. AlAnon, Chapel
- 5:30 p.m. Les Cloches, Choir Room
- 6:15 p.m. Disciple 3, Fireplace Room
- 6:30 p.m. Hosanna Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Friday, February 10, 2012

No Church Activities

Saturday, February 11, 2012

- 5:00 p.m. Triple F Fellowship, Fireplace Room
- 7:30 p.m. Dakota Wesleyan Choir Concert, Sanctuary

Sunday, February 12, 2012

- 7:45 a.m. Infant/Toddler Nursery, Room 204B
- 8:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary
- 9:30 a.m. Faithlink, Fireplace Room
- 9:30 a.m. Library Open
- 9:30 a.m. Children's Sunday School
- 9:30 a.m. Hosanna Worship, Sanctuary
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- 6:30 p.m. "Reel" Faith Movie Night, Fireplace Room

Youth Calendar

FEBRUARY

- Feb. 8 – MS and HS regular youth group
- Feb. 15 – MS regular youth group, HS book study at Johnsen's home
- Feb. 16-20 – Ski Trip to Breckenridge, Co.
- Feb. 22 – MS and HS service project: TBD
- Feb. 29 – MS regular youth group, HS senior companion program

MARCH

- Mar. 7 – MS and HS regular youth group
- Mar. 9-11 – Middle School Rally, Mitchell (details to come)
- Mar. 14 – MS regular youth group, HS book study at Johnsen's

STAY CONNECTED!

For all the latest news and updates, join our Facebook group.

Contact Mark and Lisa for more information at johnsens@sfumc.org



OUR CHURCH FAMILY

GREETERS:	8:00 a.m.	Office Door	Veryl and Kathy Altman
		Sanctuary Door	Marilyn Moorlach
		Duluth Door	George Niimi
9:30 a.m.	Office Door	Sandy Nance	
	Sanctuary Door	Craig and Sheryl Sletten	
11:00 a.m.	Office Door	Jill Callison	
	Sanctuary Door	Don Veglahn	

ACOLYTES: 11:00 a.m. Max Mickelson, Carter Knuth

COMMUNION SERVERS:	8:00 a.m.	Arlene Krsnak
		Carol Ellston
	9:30 a.m.	Sondra Kimball
Kira Kimball		
11:00 a.m.	Carli Steffes	
		Irene Schryver

MISSION OF THE MONTH: Ingathering

SHARE IN PRAYER:

AVERA MCKENNAN HOSPITAL and UNIVERSITY HEALTH CENTER: Russell Davis, Jean Rudd

PRAYER CONCERNS: Donna Arends, Maybelle Barthelman (mother of Roger (Lora) Barthelman), Gary Colwill, Jim Cutler (brother of Rich (Sharon) Cutler), Delores Dawley, Celeste Ellis (daughter of Clarice Voigt, and sister-in-law of Jim Brenden), Chuck Elvin, Bill Elvin, Linda Elvin (cousins of Bev (Wes) Halbritter), Jacinta Gortmaker (sister-in-law of David and Sandy Stverak), Jon Grann, Steve Harris (son of Dale and Darlene Harris), Michelle Dawley Harrison (daughter of Joel and Vicki Dawley), Jeff Foss (nephew of Carolyn (Clare) Vollan), Patricia Hosmer (niece of Bonnie Laughlin), Brandon Jensen (grandson of LaRae and Roxann Jensen), Rev. Don Klarup, Yvonne Kuehn (aunt of Mark (Sue) Kuehn), Deb and Tim McTague (sister/brother-in-law of Diana (Dick) Wells, and Patti Pedersen), Rory Moehnke (son of Donna Moehnke), Matthew Pitchford (grandson of Rosemary Pitchford), Sondra Plachy (Dean and Rita Sorenson), Carol Reisner (mother of Terry (Amanda) Reisner), Jeane Ritzman (sister-in-law of Patti Pedersen, Deb and Tim McTague, Diana and Dick Wells), Donnell Rosenberg, Vernice Schepeler* (mother of Bill (Renita) Schepeler), Donna Kay Schoeberl (mother of Andy (Amy) Schoeberl), Susan Schriever, Kayley Shade (granddaughter of Marlys Shade), Arden Shields, Terina Smith, Rob-in Staffeldt, Joe and Frieda Stritecky (parents of Tom (Becky) Stritecky), Judy Wescott (mother of Greg (Nanci) Wescott

*denotes hospice care

MEMBERS AND FAMILY WHO ARE SERVING IN THE MILITARY HERE AND ABROAD: Luke Anderson (nephew of Don and Jean Anderson), John Berglin (grandson of Betty Berglin), Micky Berglin (granddaughter of Betty Berglin), Jacob Boerboom (son of Paul and Nancy Boerboom), Jeremy Cross (grandson-in-law of Margaret Wickre), Brett Duffus (grandson of Janet Duffus), Rob Hopper (grandson-in-law of Darrel and Marge Walters), Nathan Jensen (grandson of LaRae and Roxann Jensen), Nicholas Jensen (grandson of LaRae and Roxann Jensen), Joel Killian (nephew of Karen Koob), Corey Major (grandson-in-law of Del and Matie Heesch), Donald Meyer (cousin of Gene Meyer), Shawn Moenke (grandson of Donna Moenke and nephew of Rick and Brenda Jorgensen), Lane Moorlach (grandson of Marilyn and Mike Moorlach), Javier Munoz (grandson-in-law of Adela Allen), Max Scholten (grandson of Sandy Scholten), William Schryver (grandson of Irene Schryver), Chris Tilstra (nephew of Ron (Sally) Tilstra)

DEATHS: Mildred Dumke (grandmother/(mother) of Rose Rhead), Correne Gordon (sister of Mary (Steve) Johnson, Norman Johnson (nephew of the late Lyle (Bonnie) Laughlin), Helen Muchow (wife of Ray Muchow)

This week's **1320 AM KELO RADIO BROADCAST** is sponsored by **Milt and Kathy Sorenson** in honor of their wedding anniversary.

This week's **ARGUS AD** is sponsored by **Milt and Kathy Sorenson** in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Please consider sponsoring a Radion or Argus Ad to celebrate a special occasion or to honor or memorialize a friend or a loved one. Sign up on the bulletin board outside of Room 204.



Church Weekly

ANNOUNCEMENTS • EVENTS • ARTICLES

'Reel' Faith looks at racism and human kindness in 'The Help'

Please join us in watching "The Help" and talking about its values and themes from a Christian perspective on Sunday, February 12 at 6:30 p.m. in the Fireplace Room.

"*The Help*" takes us back to a time when racism was overt. Jackson, Mississippi, is a typical southern city of the time. The white middle class households had maids. These maids cleaned, shopped, cooked, cared for the children, and most importantly, knew their place. The story revolves around two groups of women: the young white society women, and the maids who work at their houses everyday. Those society ladies were likely raised

by these same maids, now they employ them and treat them with disdain.

When one of the old society crowd, Skeeter (Emma Stone), a budding writer, comes home from college, she begins to interview the maids about what it's like to have that job and becomes the catalyst for change.

Perhaps the best movie of last year, "The Help" is a timeless, universal and triumphant story about the ability to create change.

Feel free to bring pot luck snacks.



S.A.G.E.S. Feb. 8 program to focus on Black History in South Dakota

S.A.G.E.S. will meet on Wednesday February 8, from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., in the Round Table Dining Room.

"Black History in S.D." will be

presented by Carl Teer, President of the S.D. African-American History Museum. Laurie Iseminger will lead us in devotions.

Please Note that the \$5 meal

reservation deadline is Monday, February 6, at 4 p.m. Please call the church office at 336-3652.

Please feel free to invite a friend.

Nebraska Wesleyan University Choir to perform at FUMC, Feb. 11, 12

On Saturday, February 11, and Sunday, February 12, First United Methodist Church will have as our guests the University Choir from Nebraska Wesleyan University in Lincoln, Nebraska.

The choir will be on the final stretch of an extended tour which has performances in Nebraska, Nevada, Arizona, Colorado, Kansas, Iowa, Wisconsin and South Dakota.

The choir will perform a concert in our sanctuary at 7:30 p.m. on Saturday, February 11, and will participate in our church services on Sunday, February 12. They will return home to Nebraska Wesleyan University following

Nebraska Wesleyan Choir – Host Sign Up

I would be willing to host singers from the Nebraska Wesleyan Choir on Saturday evening February 11.

Responsibilities:

- Following the Saturday evening concert meet students and take them home for the night.
- Provide room, bed, bathroom access.
- Give the students a light breakfast in the morning and return them to the church for participation in Sunday services. (9:30 and 11:00)
- One bed for two students

If you are interested in hosting singers, please call Judy Zikmund at 370-4934, or sign up at the Welcome Center this Sunday.

their participation in the 9:30 and 11 a.m. Sunday services.

There is no charge for the Saturday evening concert, but a free-will offering will be collected

during the intermission. After each service (9:30 and 11 a.m.) choir members will be at the back of the church to collect a love offering.

Bus Ministries offering exciting trips this month and beyond

Sign up now for the Old Towne Dinner Theater in Worthing production of “The Curious Savage” on Friday, February 24 at 5 p.m. The cost is \$40 per person. We will car pool to the show. Please sign up in the office and include the phone number of each person attending. Payment is due by February 16.

The Opland Singers spring concert in Pipestone is set for Saturday night, April 14. This time we will be eating at The Glass House restaurant in Ihlen, Minn. The cost is \$46 per

person. Sign up in the church office. Please provide a phone number for each person attending. Payment is appreciated at time of registration.

Twins Trip sign up starts on Sunday, February 5. We will be going to see the Twins play Milwaukee on Sunday, June 17, at 1 p.m. The trip will be \$76 per person. This year we are asking for a \$10 deposit per person. Please provide a phone number for each person who is registered.

We are excited to announce that our Spring Trip is here! On

May 4-6, we will be going to the Twin Cities. We will visit Bachman’s main store, attend the dinner theater, tour Cathedral of St. Paul and the Wabasha Street Caves, have a guided St. Paul Gangster tour and see Minnesota Landscape Arboretum.

The cost of the trip is \$425 per person for a double, \$390 per person for a triple, \$372 per person for a quad, and \$530 for a single. There are two breakfasts, three lunches, and two dinners included in the price of the tour.

Call Lil Stauffacher at 336-8880 for more information.

Health Forum: What is an AED (automated external defibrillator)?

February is American Heart Month. We would like for you to be comfortable with handling and using an AED. An AED is a life saving tool that delivers a shock to someone who has a sudden cardiac arrest, or collapses.

On Sunday, February 12, in the Fellowship Hall, from 8:45-11 a.m., we will have a demo AED machine that we borrowed from Sanford Health. Stop by to look at it, touch it, and “play” with it to become familiar and comfortable. Questions such as “How do I open it up? How do I use it? When do I use it?” and more can be answered.

We have our own AED here

in the building located near the church office in the East hall.

It is in a white box with a sign hanging above it that says “AED” in red letters. The teens through the elder age should know how to use it.

You can do no harm with an AED, and so we want you to feel comfortable should you need to use it someday on a stranger or a loved one. A shock from a defibrillator is the only effective way to restart a heart. You can't predict when sudden cardiac arrest will strike, but you can be ready. Today these simple-to-operate automated devices are being used in airports,

schools, soft ball fields, and places of worship. AED's have, in many cases, significantly increased survival. The American Heart Association states that for every minute that passes following the onset of cardiac arrest, a patient's chance of survival decreases by 10%. A shock from an AED can help make all the difference.

Also, please mark you calendars for re-certification of AED and CPR (cardio pulmonary resuscitation) that will be held here on Tuesday, April 24, at 10:30 a.m. for staff and those who cannot make it to the evening class. The evening class will be held on Thursday, April 26, at 6:30 p.m.. This is a free service to all members of the First United



ANNOUNCEMENTS

ARGUS AND RADIO SPONSORSHIPS — The 2012 sign-up sheet is available outside Room 204. Radio sponsorships are \$98 and the Argus Sponsorships are \$70. This is your opportunity to select just the right date to celebrate a special occasion or to honor or memorialize a friend or a loved one.

WE WELCOME THE HOLY CROSS LUTHERAN CHURCH CHOIR as they join the Chancel Choir in our music ministry today at the 11 a.m. service. The First United Methodist Church Chancel Choir participated in the 9:30 a.m. service this morning at Holy Cross Lutheran. Be sure to greet them and thank them for participating in our service. The Holy Cross Lutheran Church Choir is directed by Rachael Fode.

SOUPER BOWL SUNDAY IS HERE! — Whether the Patriots or the Giants come out on top today, Kids Against Hunger of Sioux Falls will be the winner! On January 18, 42 youth and leaders participated in the assembly and packing of 3,456 meals. Today's special offering will go toward this organization and the food we prepared. Kids Against Hunger then distributes this food to hungry people in places like Haiti and beyond. Please support this worthy mission with your generous donation today!

PLEASE JOIN US FOR SUPPER ON WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 8, from 5-6:15 p.m. in the Round Table Dining Room. We will have spaghetti and meat sauce, tossed salad, garlic bread, dessert, coffee, milk and water. A donation will be taken to cover the cost of the meal. We invite you to come for the fellowship and one less night to cook at home. We will not have Wednesday night supper on February 15.

NEXT WEEK IN FAITHLINK: The Internet and Faith — Recent protest blackouts by prominent Websites focused attention on a major aspect of everyday life; using the Internet. What are the issues, and what is at stake as we consider our dependency upon the Internet? How does our faith guide us in this complex and ever-changing environment/

MARK YOUR CALENDAR for the annual Shrove Tuesday Pancake Dinner on Feb. 21.

SCOUTING SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12 — We will recognize Girl and Boy Scouts on this Sunday. We would like to have Scouts and their adult leaders assist with the worship services that day. Please let Mary Jane Richardson know if you are a scout or an adult leader by contacting her at 336-3652 or richardsonmj@sfumc.org.

PARENTS WITH YOUNG CHILDREN (UP TO AGE 3) — We want you to be able to enjoy your worship experience. Our nursery staff is available to help. The nursery is located on the main level near the kitchen and is available from 7:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. and staffed by loving adults.

GET YOUR ANNOUNCEMENT IN THE BULLETIN — E-mail your bulletin announcement to lessmank@sfumc.org by the end of the day Tuesday to have it included.

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First United Methodist Church Chancel Choir's Annual

Shrove Tuesday

Tuesday, February 21
4:30-6:30 p.m.
FUMC Fellowship Hall

Menu includes:

- Pancakes with Various Toppings
- Sausage
- Juice and Coffee

Musical entertainment will be provided during the serving hours.

Adults: \$5.00
Children 4 to 12: \$3.00
Children 3 and under: FREE!

Tickets are available in the Fellowship Hall Sunday mornings, 2/13 and 2/20, from any choir member, at the church office, or at the door.

All proceeds go to the local Feeding South Dakota project.

Pancake Supper