

Welcome to Blue Mound United Methodist Church!

Connecting + Perfecting + Directing

Pastor Kevin Kriesel 10/25/2020 21st Sunday after Pentecost

Word for the Week: "You forgave the iniquity of your people, you pardoned all their sin." **Psalm 85:2 (NRSV)**

CALLED TO WORSHIP

PRELUDE

GREETING

◆ **COLLECT:** Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us the gifts of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain what you promise, make us love what you command; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. Amen.

◆ **OPENING HYMN:** "Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee" **UMH 89**

◆ **CALL TO WORSHIP:** Psalm 90 **UMH 809**

◆ **GLORIA PATRI:** **UMH 70**
Glory be to the father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

CALLED TO HEAR

HYMN OF PRAISE: "Stand Up, Stand Up for Jesus" **UMH 514**

PASTORAL READING: Deuteronomy 34:1-12 **NRSV**

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH: Apostle's Creed **UMH 881**

PASSING OF THE PEACE *Please remain in your seats & greet from a distance.*

MOMENT OF INSIGHT: **Matthew 22:34-46**
"Those Commandments"

SCRIPTURE READING: **John 20:24-29**

MESSAGE "To be More Like Jesus" **Pastor Marge Overlot**

CALLED TO RESPOND

With Our Gifts

OFFERING/OFFERTORY

◆ **DOXOLOGY:** **UMH 95**

Praise God from whom all blessings flow
Praise Him all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen

OFFERTORY PRAYER

With Our Prayers

JOYS AND CONCERNS

PRAYER HYMN: **UMH 171**

"There's Something About that Name"

PASTORAL/LORD'S PRAYER **UMH 895**

In the World

◆ **HYMN OF COMMITMENT:** **UMH 399**

"Take My Life and Let It Be, Consecrated"

◆ **BENEDICTION** **Pastor Marge**

◆ **PARTING HYMN:** "Blest be the Tie that Binds" (v1) **UMH 557**

Blest be the tie that binds our hearts in Christian love;
the fellowship of kindred minds is like to that above.

POSTLUDE

◆ *Please stand in body or spirit, as you are able.*

To our guests: thank you for visiting with us this morning, we hope you feel welcomed. Please fill out a tear off and place it in the Offering Plate by the exit to remind us of your time with us.

Next Week's Lectionary Readings

(If you like to read ahead)

Revelation 7:9-17
Psalm 34:1-10,22

1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
Matthew 5:1-12

THOSE SERVING OUR CHURCH:

Pastor Kevin Kriesel 692-2543 (church) 692-2072 (parsonage)
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Leesa Di Ulio - Administrative Asst. Susan Seitz- Council Chair
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Trustee Co Chair Mark & Rebecca Smallwood -
Red Bird Missionary Conference

In Worship This Week

Guest Speaker: Rev. Marge Overlot (Retired)
Liturgist: Gregg Eckols **Pianist:** Karen Brown
Usher: Jerry Reichert

Next Week 11/1/2020

Liturgist: Karen Brown **Pianist:** Gregg Eckols
Usher: Susan Seitz

This Week We Pray For:

Joys:

Concerns:

Continuing: Dorothy Kriesel (Recovery after Surgery), Brian Damery (Heart Issues), John Holmgren (Heart Issues), Fire Victims; Tropical Storm/Hurricane Victims, Dorothy Damery (Health), Rose Damery (New Knee); Maurine Severns (Eyes), Justice in our nation; All affected by COVID 19; Carol Acree, Diane Elder, Doris Bonn, Tom Vaughn, Vic Oxby, Don Younker, Bob Perona, Our Government, Local, State, and National Leaders; First Responders, Members of the Military, Our Bishop (Frank Beard), Our District Superintendent (Brad Watkins), The United Methodist Church.

Those Unable to Join us in Worship: Dorothy Damery (Primrose), Doris Bonn (At Home), Martha Sheppard (Imboden Creek Gardens), Gene Grandfield (At Home), Eleanor Moma (At Home).

Notes: Please Chat, Text, or email your prayer requests to ensure accuracy.

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our Lord and our Community

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Connecting People in Community with God's Love

Perfecting our Faith in God's Love

Directing God's Love into the World