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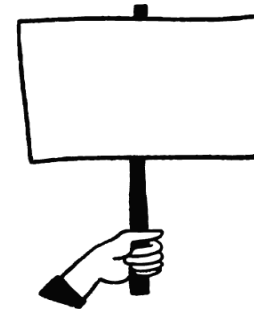
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August 25, 2024

Give Me A Sign



Thank you in advance from Peru Medical Mission Team 2024 for your continued support and prayers. Please pray for travel safety, health and wellbeing, and a successful God filled Mission! Mission dates are September 2-7 with a rest day on September 4 .
Jody Pratt (Michigan); Steve Blake (Wisconsin); Liliana Blake (Peru/ Wisconsin); Annie Solis (Peru); Gianella Herbas (Peru)
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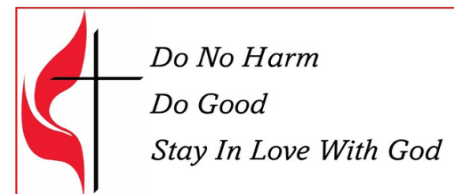
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Today

Greetings and Announcements

Breathing in God's Grace

Call to Worship —

For a day in your courts is better than a thousand elsewhere.

I would rather be a doorkeeper in the house of my God than dwell in tents of wickedness.

For the Lord God is a sun and shield, and bestows favor and honor.

No good thing does the Lord withhold from those who walk uprightly. O Lord of hosts, blessed are those who trust in you!

Doxology

Opening Hymn: *Victory in Jesus* UMH 370

Opening Prayer & Prayer of Thanksgiving

Joys & Concerns

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Children's Time with Pastor Bev

Hymn of Preparation:

Savior Like a Shepherd Lead Us UMH 3814

The Apostles' Creed: UMH 881

Scripture: *Mark 8:11-13*

Message: *Give Me A Sign*

Closing Hymn: *Stand Up Stand Up for Jesus* UMH 514

Benediction & Going Forth

Offering plates are located at the back of the sanctuary.

~ Thank you for your gift! ~

UPCOMING WORSHIP MEETINGS & EVENTS

as of August 25, 2024

Bingo Cards

This is the last Sunday for Sermon Bingo. I hope you enjoyed the summer fun!

Pancake Breakfast

Labor Day is fast approaching. Don't forget the Pancake Breakfast on Monday September 2 from 8-11am. Sign up sheets for volunteers are out in the welcome area.

Peru Mission

On the back is the list of the Peru Mission Trip volunteers. Please keep them in your prayers.

Sunday, September 1

Shifting Attitudes: They Forgot Already
Mark 8:14-21

Sunday, September 8

Don't You See?
Mark 8:22-26
