We pray especially for Jean Preston, Craig Deim, Danielle Richardson, Pastor Bob Kobler, Joy Osborn, Ron Anderson, and Joel Evans.

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Special Upcoming Announcements

Today - 10:00 AM to 12:30 PM - Swea City Community Historical Society's Omelet Brunch at the Swea City Fire Hall

General Announcements

Welcome Jacob Weeks Thank you for sharing your unique way to help share Christ's love in the world.

Sunday School Help Needed: If you would be willing to help with Sunday School, please let Paul Preston or Janet Deim know. From leading a craft to just sitting next to a student who needs some extra attention, the time invested in our kids is never wasted.

The flowers on the altar are in memory of lifelong members Berniece, Orville and Thor Thoreson from Petra and Heidi and their families.

There is a thank you from the Ronald McDonald House on the bulletin board.

Hospice of the Heartland - Grief Support Group - Wednesdays Sept 23 - October 14th 2:00 PM at Kossuth Regional Health Center Conference Room C

Upcoming Camp Events

October 17 - Women's Day Away- Okoboji Bible Camp

Mission Statement

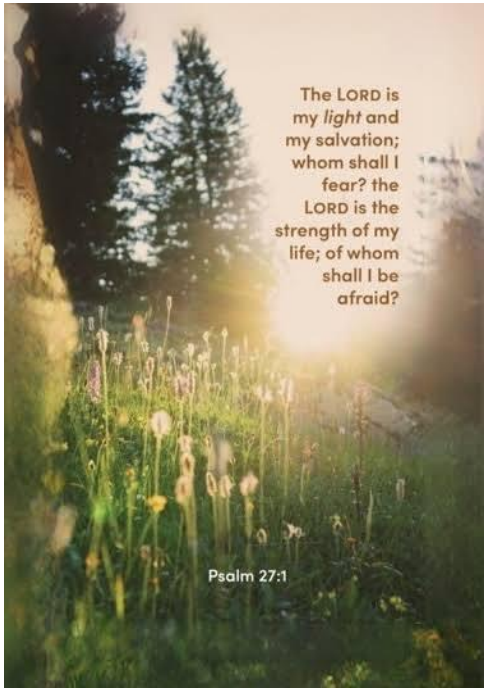
This Congregation of Jesus Christ endorses hands-on mission by seeing, responding, and reaching out to the needs of the congregation, the rural community, and to the world.

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September 20, 2026

Welcome

Welcome visitors and guests. We are glad to have you worship with us today. We confess the Lord Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior, and by baptism we are made children of God. This we affirm by our confession of faith. Therefore, as brothers and sisters in Christ Jesus we welcome you in worshiping our Lord in Word and Sacrament

***Asterisk indicates the congregation stands as each is able.**

Prelude - "Surely the Presence of the Lord"

Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place
I can feel His mighty power and His grace
I can hear the brush of angel's wings
I see glory on each face
Surely the presence of the Lord is in this place

Apostolic Greeting

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the communion of the Holy Spirit be with you. (2 Cor. 13:14)

And also with you

*** Brief Order for Confession and Absolution** **page 77**

Opening Hymn-"We Give Thee ut Thine Own" **#410**

The Word of the Lord

Faith comes from hearing and hearing through the Word of Christ. (Romans 10:17)

First Reading - Philippians 1:19-30 (Pew Bible page 980)

Responsive Reading - Psalm 27

[1]The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?
[2]When evildoers assail me to eat up my flesh, my adversaries and foes, it is they who stumble and fall.
[3]Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war arise against me, yet I will be confident.
[4]One thing have I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after: that I may dwell in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to gaze upon the beauty of the LORD and to inquire in his temple.
[5]For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble; he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will lift me high upon a rock.
[6]And now my head shall be lifted up above my enemies all around me, and I will offer in his tent sacrifices with shouts of joy; I will sing and make melody to the LORD.
[7]Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud; be gracious to me and answer me!
[8]You have said, "Seek my face." My heart says to you, "Your face, LORD, do I seek."
[9]Hide not your face from me.Turn not your servant away in anger, O you who have been my help. Cast me not off; forsake me not, O God of my salvation!

***Gospel Reading - Matthew 20:1-16** (Pew Bible page 825)

Children's Blessing Song - "Jesus Loves Me"

Jesus loves me this I know, For the Bible tells me so
Little ones to Him belong, They are weak but He is strong
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes, Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Jesus loves me He who died Heaven's gate to open wide
He will wash away my sin, Let His little child come in
Yes, Jesus loves me! Yes Jesus loves me!
Yes, Jesus loves me! The Bible tells me so.

Message **Jacob Weeks**

Reflection Hymn- "O Jesus, I Have Promised" **#503**

Confession and Prayer

***The Apostle's Creed** **page 85**

***"Create In Me"** **page 96**

***Prayer**

Prayers of the People

P:……..Lord in your Mercy **C: Hear our prayer.**

***The Lord's Prayer** **page 97**

***Closing Hymn - "Jesus Shall Reign"** **# 530**

***The Benediction**

*Pastor – Go in Peace to Love the Lord

***Congregation – "Thanks be to God – and we will!"**

Three-fold Amen

Postlude

Mission of the Month
Mighty Warrior Kids

Mighty Warriors Kids is a program put on by the churches of the North Kossuth Ministerial Association for youth in grades 1-5. The program meets after school on Wednesdays and features a time for snacks, games, and Bible Study. Funds raised will go towards prizes in the store. Kids can spend points earned throughout the month on snacks for when volunteers are unable to provide them for some reason, and special events such as the Christmas and End of Year parties. In addition to funding, we would love to have parent volunteers who are willing to come once a month and help with snacks, crowd control, and being a special friend to those students who are having a hard day with listening.

Last Sunday Attendance – 58

Church offering thru August: $ 56,335.75 Mission of the Month = $ 2,215.89