



## We Welcome Our Guests to Ankeny

First! At today's worship service we pray that you will sense a new and energized connection with the presence of God as we worship through singing, praying, learning, and experiencing together. We invite you to tear off the Connect Card, fill it out and drop it in the offering baskets.

Worshipping at Ankeny First

**Children** are always welcome in worship, and "Worship Bags" containing children's activities are available for them to use. Childcare is provided on Sunday mornings for infants and toddlers, as well as Sunday School for children ages 3 and up. Just ask an usher for assistance in finding the nursery or Sunday School rooms. A "Wee Care" Room is located in the balcony of the Uptown Sanctuary, so little ones can play while parents watch and listen to worship.

**Special Needs** At our Uptown location, large print hymnals and bulletins, and wireless hearing aids are available—ask an usher for assistance.

**Fellowship** You are all invited to Fellowship Time! **Uptown:** Between the three Sunday services in Fellowship Hall. **Faith Chapel:** Between both services. **Christian Life Center:** Between both services. **Spirit Alive:** Before worship.

**Communion** The first weekend of each month. Healing oil is also available in the Uptown Chapel after communion.

### Worship

**Uptown:** 206 SW Walnut St ~ **964-4249**

Saturdays 5:00pm ~ Spirit Alive

Sundays 8:30am ~ Traditional

9:45am ~ Relaxed Contemporary

11:00am ~ New Traditions

**Christian Life Center:** 710 NE 36th St ~ **289-9153**

Saturdays 7:15pm ~ "The Road"

Sundays 9:00am & 10:45am ~ Contemporary

**Faith Chapel:** 7384 NW 16th St ~ **964-4249**

Sundays 9:00am ~ Traditional

10:30am ~ Casual

### Sunday School

**Uptown:**

9:45: 3yr old -7th grade

11:00: 3yr old -5th grade

9:45: Seekers (adult)

9:45: Alpha & Omega (adult)

9:45: Disciple's Dojo (adult)

**Christian Life Center:**

9:00: 3yr old -5th grade

10:45: 3yr old -5th grade

**Faith Chapel:**

10:30am ~ 3yr old-3rd grade

Nursery available at all Sunday services.

At Ankeny First, we are intentional in keeping our Membership Covenant to uphold the United Methodist Church by our PRAYERS, PRESENCE, GIFTS, SERVICE & WITNESS:

**PRAYERS:** The following are some of our joys and concerns:

**Hospitals:** Blank: McKenna Riebkes **Methodist:** Michael Brown, Terri Goetsch **Sunnyview:** Betty Hirsch, Joyce Lundstrom, Marilyn Sewell **Discharged:** Linda Collins

**Baptism: (CLC 9:00)** Sawyer Douglas Moore, son of Ryan & Stephanie Moore.

**(CLC 10:45)** Tate William Muehlenthaler, son of Scott & Kelly Muehlenthaler. ♦ Brecken Nicholas Lensmeyer, son of Ryan & Wendy Lensmeyer.

**PRESENCE:** The following are attendance figures from last week:

**WORSHIP:** (The Road)36 (Sat)38 (8:30)179 (9:45)96 (11:00)149

(CLC-9:00)250 (CLC-10:45)130 (FC-9:00)62 (FC-10:30)14 Total = 954

**SUNDAY SCHOOL** (Uptown)57 (FC)4 (CLC)109

**GIFTS:** Last week's offering for Christ's work here and around the world:

Operating Budget \$21,704.95 Cap. Campaign \$3,237.23 Mission \$2,686.40 Other \$66.01

Memorial \$260.00

Find us on the web at [www.AnkenyFirst.org](http://www.AnkenyFirst.org).

### In Mission

**Popsicles in the Park and Bottles for Bikers** Each Wednesday evening throughout the summer, we will be handing out popsicles in city parks and ball fields, as well as water bottles to bikers and walkers on our city trails. If you would like to be on the teams offering this gift of hospitality this week, sign the CONNECT CARD in your worship bulletin. We will meet outside the Uptown Fellowship Hall at 6:15pm.

**SummerFest "Bottle Teams"** See your CONNECT CARD to sign up to be on one of the teams handing out free water to folks during Ankeny's SummerFest, Saturday, **July 9** after the parade, just to show we care!

**Ingathering School Bags** If you haven't already done so, please return any school bags that you have sewn *by July 1!* We are still missing some. Thanks!

**UMCOR Health Kits** are sent to those who have endured natural disaster or human conflict in the U.S. and around the world. In 2015, 132,000 health kits were requested. The list of the seven items needed is available at The Connect. Please pick-up a list and return items or complete kits to the UMCOR tubs *by October*. The \$2 for shipping and \$1 for toothpaste should be returned to the church office.

**June Mission of the Month** Our June Mission of the Month is all about addressing hunger in Iowa. Summer is here, and that means children are home and don't have access to school meals. This depletes the DMARC food pantry supplies even faster, so let's help them stock their shelves in the month of June! Bring non-perishable food items to the Mission of the Month bins at all our worship locations. Suggested items: proteins such as peanut butter and canned meat, and diapers and personal hygiene items. Monetary donations are encouraged! Find the Mission of the Month envelopes at the Connect or write "June Mission of the Month" in your check memo.

**Help Needed!** An elderly and disabled woman needs help sorting and packing her belongings for a move. If you have a couple hours to assist her, please sign up on the CONNECT CARD or contact Jacque Coulson for more information.

**\$1.00 Meal at the CLC—You can't beat that!** During our children's soccer league on Monday and Tuesday evenings (May 31-June 28), have a hotdog, chips and a drink, all for just \$1. Everyone is invited to join us for this casual meal at the following times: Mondays—5:15-6:45pm; Tuesdays—5:15-7:45pm.

**Thank you hardly seems sufficient!** Thanks, Family Promise servants for helping our church host three families (six adults and six children) last week at Faith Chapel. Despite it being a holiday weekend, graduation parties and spring sporting event, members rose to the challenge to help cook, drive, entertain, spend the night, wash dishes, and do laundry. Two of the families already have housing arranged for next month. Thanks for your part in assisting them in getting established. Our next hosting opportunity won't be until sometime this fall.

### Sports | Fitness

**Golf FORE a Cause** Our next golf outing at Briarwood Country Club will be held on Wednesday, **June 29**, with a shotgun start at 5:30pm. This golf outing will be played as a best ball scramble. Registration is \$30 per person which includes nine holes of golf and use of a cart. A brown-bag meal will be available to take on the course with you. You can register individually or as a team. Registration is open on our website, [www.ankenyfirst.org/golf.htm](http://www.ankenyfirst.org/golf.htm). Proceeds from our golf outing will benefit our Malawi Partnership of Hope Mission Trip. Space is limited so register today!

**Two Summer Fitness Classes Start Tomorrow June 20!** Try out HIIT (High Intensity Interval Training) or Bootcamp! Register today at [www.ankenyfirst.org/hiit.htm](http://www.ankenyfirst.org/hiit.htm) and [www.ankenyfirst.org/bootcamp.htm](http://www.ankenyfirst.org/bootcamp.htm) or visit these webpages for all the details. Cost is \$40.

### Prayer Requests

- Please keep this confidential to pastors and church staff only.
- Please put this on our public prayer chain.

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- I would like to speak with a pastor or someone from our Christian Care Ministry about this request.

### Hospital Notices

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Hospital \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Ministry Opportunities

- I would like to help with hospitality for the Bereavement Team at our Uptown location
- I would like to help with Popsicles in the Park & Bottles for Bikers **Wed., June 22**
- I would like to help with SummerFest
- I would like to help at the Agape Garden this week.
  - Tues. 6pm-dusk
  - Thurs. 6pm-dusk
  - Sat. 8am-noon
- I am able to assist the women in need on her upcoming move.

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### PRELUDE

WELCOME / \*CONGREGATIONAL GREETING

\*CALL TO WORSHIP Worship Leader: Vicki Engh

\*PROCESSIONAL HYMN "We Are Called"

\*OPENING PRAYER/WORDS OF PARDON & ASSURANCE

### TIME WITH THE CHILDREN

ANTHEM "People Need the Lord" [arr. Fettke]

Lindsay Drake & Scott Marler

OFFERING OUR PRAYERS, PRESENCE, GIFTS, SERVICE & WITNESS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE / THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY / \*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN OF REFLECTION "Here I Am, Lord" #593

SCRIPTURE Matthew 28:18-20

SERMON "Eight Stories—The Great Commission"

Rev. Scott Hibben

\*HYMN OF SENDING "Go Make of All Disciples" #571 vs. 1,2,4

\*BENEDICTION / POSTLUDE

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Worship Hosts: Kathy & Kayla Beyer, Wil & Paula Freeseaman, Jim & Judi Logan, Susan Rhoades, Vance & Jan Temeyer

Pianist: Christine Stone

Acolytes: Confirmation Students Tech Support: Brett Pike, Riley Cullen

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\*PRAISE SONGS

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OFFERTORY "Suit Up, Get in the Game, Don't Quit"

[Nine/Howard/Guthrie] Children's Music @ First

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SCRIPTURE

Matthew 28:18-20

SERMON

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\*PRAISE

PRAYER

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

SPECIAL MUSIC

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CHILDREN'S TIME

OFFERING OF OURSELVES

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 28:16-20

SERMON

"Eight Stories—The Great Commission"  
(Throw and Catch)  
Rev. John Wagner

\*CLOSING SONG

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**\*SONG OF PRAISE** "This Is Amazing Grace"  
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**SONG OF REFLECTION** "Forever Reign"  
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**\*HYMN OF SENDING** "We Are Called"  
**\*BENEDICTION / POSTLUDE**

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**Worship Team:** Lindsay Drake, Scott Marler

**Worship Leader:** Vicki Eng

**Tech Support:** Todd Gilpin, Herb Wilson **Acolytes:** Confirmation Students

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June 11, 2016 ~ 5:00pm**

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**\*SING PRAISE TO GOD** "You Are Good"  
"I Will Follow"

## OFFERING OUR PRAYERS, PRESENCE, GIFTS, SERVICE & WITNESS

PRAYERS/THE LORD'S PRAYER

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY

**SONG OF REFLECTION** "Here I Am, Lord"

**SCRIPTURE** Matthew 28:18-20

**SERMON** "Eight Stories—The Great Commission"

Rev. Scott Hibben

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HYMN SING

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\*CALL TO WORSHIP

\*OPENING HYMN "We Are Called" TFWS #2172

\*PRAYER OF CONFESSION

\*WORDS OF PARDON AND ASSURANCE

\*OUR RESPONSE "Glory Be to the Father" #70

\*PASSING OF THE PEACE

ANNOUNCEMENTS

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE ~JOYS, CELEBRATIONS & CONCERNS

OFFERTORY

\*DOXOLOGY & PRAYER OF DEDICATION #95

SERMON HYMN "Here I Am, Lord" #593

SCRIPTURE READING Matthew 28:16-20

SERMON "The Great Commission" Rev. Angie Loomis

\*HYMN OF DEDICATION "Go Make of All Disciples" #571 vs. 1,2,4

\*BENEDICTION/BENEDICTION SONG

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