

MINNEHAHA CHURCH OF CHRIST

SERVING WITH LOVE

Sermon Today:
**"Saul: A Character Study -
Part 2"**
Mike Kennedy
1 Samuel 10



LORD'S DAY OCTOBER 25TH 2026

MINNEHAHA CHURCH OF CHRIST

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Date: October 25, 2026

9:30 BIBLE STUDY TEAM



Next Week:
Galatians 2
Mark Williams



TODAY:
Galatians 1
Dave Kubow

10:45 MAIN ASSEMBLY SINGING LEADERS



Jimmy Kennedy



Lauren Priest



Stephanie Kennedy



Ken Smithline

Lord's Supper Time – Each week we prioritize the Lord's Supper.



Today – Mike Kennedy

"Saul: A Character Study – Part 2" – 1 Samuel 10

Next Week: Guest Speaker: Bruce Thacker
"As We Go Missions"

The mission of the Minnehaha Church of Christ is to worship God, equipping every member to serve and build up one another and to lead people into a saving and enriching relationship with Jesus Christ.

PRAYER LIST ITEMS:

-- **Ken Bowcutt** – Please keep Ken in your prayers.

-- **Joyce Ryan, Marlo Chapman** – Please be in prayer for these fellow saints and their various struggles.

-- **Matt Shively** – Please keep Matt in your prayers as he deals with the passing of Cynthia.

-- **Stormie Priest** – Be in prayer for our dear sister as she struggles with cancer issues.

-- **Carl Fich** – Be in prayer for our brother as he deals with cancer throughout his body.

-- **Jenn Robinett** – Jenn passed from this life on 10/15/26 and is now with Jesus. Please be in prayer for Russ Robinett and the 2 boys. A “Celebration of Life” service is planned for 11/14/26 at Firmly Planted Homeschool Resource Center at 2:00 pm.

Correction: We sincerely apologize for omitting these names from **last Sunday's** bulletin.

Please join us in wishing a happy belated birthday yesterday, October 24th, to **Bekah Eyler** and **Weston Ferguson**.

BIRTHDAYS

FRIDAY – AUBRIANNE BLACK

Useful Numbers

(Data as of: 10/23/26 11:21 AM)

Facebook Viewers	Class	73
	Sermon	80
YouTube Viewers	Hispanic	68
	Class	17
Rumble Viewers	Sermon	78
	Hispanic	16
	Class	17
	Sermon	15
	Hispanic	14

Weekly also on our own app.

Last Sunday Attendance:	
English	35
Hispanic	6

2026 Weekly Budget:	\$ 1,843
Last week	\$ 645
13-week average:	\$ 1,166
26-week average:	\$1,425

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THIS MONTH AND LATER

Every Tuesday, Noon – Senior Saints Bible Study

Every Wednesday, 6:30 pm - Evening Prayer Meeting

Every Thursday, 6:30 pm – Adult Bible Study

Nov. 7, Saturday, 8:30 am – Staff Meeting

Nov. 11-15 – Mike and Jimmy at ICOM

Nov. 14, Saturday, 9:00 am – Women’s Bible Study

Baggage, Blessings, and the Bold Step Forward

God equips those He calls, but we must step out in faith.

In **1 Samuel 10**, Saul is anointed as king. His journey provides three simple, memorable lessons for our daily walk:

I. God Provides Exactly What We Need:

Before sending Saul out, God gave him signs to confirm his calling. When God asks you to serve, lead, or endure a trial, He will give you the tools and confirmation you need. Trust His timing.

Scripture: "When these signs are fulfilled, do what must be done, for God is with you." — 1 Samuel 10:7 (NLT)

II. God Changes Our Hearts:

God didn't just give Saul a title; He transformed his inner being. To walk rightly each day, we cannot rely on our own strength. We must ask the Holy Spirit to reshape our desires, attitudes, and actions to match His.

*Scripture: "As Saul turned to leave, God gave him a new heart, and all these signs were fulfilled that day."
— 1 Samuel 10:9 (NLT)*

III. Don't Hide From Your Calling:

When it was time to be announced, Saul hid among the baggage out of fear. We often hide behind our insecurities, busyness, or past mistakes. Step out of hiding. God knows where you are, and He wants to use you.

*Scripture: "So they asked the Lord, 'Where is he?' And the Lord replied, 'He is hiding among the baggage.'"
— 1 Samuel 10:22 (NLT)*