Sunday Worship		Scripture Reading
July 24th, 2022	9:00 a.m.	NIV
Welcome/Announcements Prelude Call to Worship* Reverend: We give You thanks O Lord; All: <b>Before You we sing Your praise</b>	Joshua Fit the Battle of Jericho	<b>Luke 11:1-13:</b> One day Jesus was praying in a certain place. When he finished, one of his disciples said to him, "Lord, teach us to pray, just as John taught his disciples."
Reverend: We bow down in Your holy temple; All: <i>We give thanks for Your steadfast love.</i> Reverend: Sing the ways of the Lord; All: <i>Great is the Glory of God!</i>		<sup>2</sup> He said to them, "When you pray, say: ""Father, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come.
Passing the Peace*		<ul> <li><sup>3</sup> Give us each day our daily bread.</li> <li><sup>4</sup> Forgive us our sins, for we also forgive everyone who sins against us.</li> <li>And lead us not into temptation.'''</li> <li><sup>5</sup> Then Jesus said to them, "Suppose you have a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say, 'Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; <sup>6</sup> a friend of mine on a journey has come to me, and I have no food to offer him.' <sup>7</sup> And suppose the one inside answers, 'Don't bother me. The door is already locked, and my children and I are in bed. I can't get up and give you anything.' <sup>8</sup> I tell you, even though</li> </ul>
Opening Hymn*	<i>Seek Ye First</i> UMH 405	
Children's Time		
Offertory	Jesus Loves Me	
Doxology*	UMH 94	
Epistle Reading	Colossians 2:6-19	
Centering Hymn*	<i>'Tis So Sweet to Trust in Jesus</i> UMH 462	
Pastoral Prayer		he will not get up and give you the bread because of friendship, yet
Old Testament Reading	Genesis 18:20-32	because of your shameless audacity he will surely get up and give you as much as you need.
Gospel Reading Reverend: The Word of God for the peo	pel Reading LUKe 11:1-13	
All: Thanks be to God.		<sup>9</sup> "So I say to you: Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will
Gloria Patri*	UMH 70	find; knock and the door will be opened to you. <sup>10</sup> For everyone who asks receives; the one who seeks finds; and to the one who knocks, the door will be opened.
Sermon	" <i>Father Forgive Us"</i> Pastor Bill Novak	
Closing Hymn*	<i>My Hope is Built</i> UMH 368	<sup>11</sup> "Which of you fathers, if your son asks for a fish, will give him a snake instead? <sup>12</sup> Or if he asks for an egg, will give him a scorpion? <sup>13</sup> If you then, though you are evil, know how to give good
Benediction		
Recessional Refrain*	Chorus of My Hope is Built	gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!"
Postlude	<i>Angus Dei</i> Christian Wilkey	

\*Please stand if you are able

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## Volunteers Needed

Please consider volunteering at the Coffee Bar on Sundays before or after the Church service you attend. Any help would be much appreciated! Please contact the church office at (309) 266-7174 or Lisa Huette at (309) 339-1807 if you are interested. Thank you!

## **XYZ Activities**

No XYZ activities this week as Lynn will be out of town. On August 23<sup>rd</sup>, XYZ will be making a shopping trip to Market Place Shopping Center in Champaign. Meet at the Church at 10:15am. Please sign-up at the Welcome Desk if you are interested!

## Be the Church:

9:00AM-Traditional Worship Celebration 10:30AM-Cross Connections Worship Celebration 10:30AM-Sunday School (ages 2 – 6<sup>th</sup> grade) Mon, Wed, Friday- 8:00-9:00AM Walking for Exercise Monday-3:15PM Afterschool at Eli's (sr. high) Monday-6PM Finance Committee Monday-Ad Board Meeting Tuesday-8:30AM Staff Meeting Tuesday-9:30AM Skeins of Love Wednesday-6:30AM Men's Prayer Group Wednesday-10AM Prayer and Care Meeting Thursday-8:30AM Quilters Friday-OFFICE CLOSED – Pastoral Staff available Saturday-7AM Men's Bible Study Sunday-9AM Traditional Worship Celebration Sunday-10:30AM Cross Connections Worship Celebration Sunday-10:30AM Sunday School (ages 2 – 6<sup>th</sup> grade)



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