

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

TODAY *Welcome Visitors. We are glad that you chose to join us for today's worship service. Please let us know if we can pray for you or be a help in any way.*

Linger Longer -- join us after worship for refreshments in the Fellowship Hall. Christian Ed classes for children and youth will begin four minutes after you hear the music. Classes will end 50 minutes later when you hear the chimes.

Adult Education –

Two classes for the adults are being offered. “*The Best Yes*” class meets in the Blanketmakers room downstairs. “*The Neighborhood Initiative*” meets in the fellowship hall. Don't miss out on a good opportunity for spiritual growth.

Membership Orientation Class -- meets at 6:00 p.m tonight at the church. See Pastor Jim with any questions.

NEXT WEEK “**THINK SPRING**” **Celebration Service** -- Dan and Jill Courser and their family will be leading our worship service next week. Plan on joining us and staying for a potluck after Christian Ed classes.

PLEASE NOTE **MINNET Team Meetings** -- Pastor Dave will be meeting with MINNET Teams during the Christian Ed hour for the next several months. Please watch the schedule for when your team will meet with him:

TODAY:	Outreach Team	19 March:	Finance Team
05 March:	Communication Team	26 March:	Worship Team
12 March:	Sound Team	02 April:	Hospitality Team

Altar Flowers for 2017—

If you would like to provide altar flowers for a month in memory or in honor of someone, there are a few openings on the sign up sheet at the Information Center.

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FEBRUARY 26, 2017

SERVICE: 9:30 AM

JUNIOR CHURCH: 10:10 AM

SUNDAY SCHOOL: 11 AM

ADULT ED CLASSES: 11 AM



MISSION STATEMENT

“WE HONOR GOD THROUGH REGULARLY ASSEMBLING TOGETHER TO WORSHIP HIM AS LORD, STUDY AND OBEY HIS WORD, AND ATTEND TO THE NEEDS OF HIS PEOPLE. WHEN WE LEAVE, WE GO OUT COMMISSIONED AS CHRIST’S REPRESENTATIVES TO A NEEDY WORLD.”

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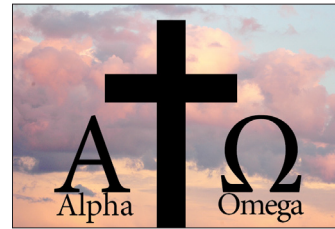
GREETERS Solano and Jennie deAraujo
NURSERY Laura Jury, Sally Davis
SOUND ROOM..... Kenny Bennett, Frank Cabrera

ORDER OF WORSHIP SERVICE

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS..... David Minard
OPENING WORSHIP.....Tim Butters
 Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah Hymn 51
 Standing on the Promises (verses 1,2,4) Hymn 271
 No One Understands Like Jesus (verses 1,2,3)..... Hymn 417
 My Savior's Love (verses 1,4,5)..... Hymn 512
 In My Life (verses 1 and 2) Hymn 394
OFFERING.....Solano deAraujo
 Special Music Stutzman Family
JUNIOR CHURCH (TODDLERS-GRADE 5) Dismissal
MESSAGE.....Jim Erwin
 In My Life..... Hymn 394
 Altar flowers are furnished by Greg and Nikki Maertin in memory of their son-in-law, Shawn, and Nikki's father, Gil.

CHRISTIAN ED.

ADULT ED. Jim and Kim Erwin, Ronda Falknor
MINNET (OUTREACH TEAM) David Minard
TODDLER Marcia Albright
GRADES 1-5 Mandy Ward
 HELPER Kristi Long
YOUTH (6TH-12TH GRADES) David Erwin



GOD'S STORY

Introduction:

“Like Father, Like Son”

- I. **MANASSEH -- “DROPS THE BALL”** ([2 Kings 21:1-9](#))
 - Destroying a father’s legacy.
 - Other failed father-son relationships.
 - “Each generation must have it’s own encounter with God.”
- II. **THE WAGES OF SIN!** ([2 Kings 21:10-15](#))
 - The law of cause and effect. ([Galatians 6:7-8](#))
- III. **HOW NOT TO RUIN THE NEXT GENERATION** ([Judges 2:10](#))
 - Prioritize your personal faith.
 - Set boundaries for your kids.
 - Reinforce consequences for actions.
 - Spend as much time as possible with your family.
- IV. **OUR PARENTAL PREROGATIVE** ([Ephesians 6:4](#))
 - Do not exasperate your kids.
 - Do instruct and train them.
 - Four Parenting Styles:
 - Passive
 - Permissive
 - Authoritarian
 - Authoritative

APPLICATION

1. *How much like your parents are you?*
2. *What kind of model am I for this generation of youth?*
3. *What kind of instructor/trainer am I?*



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