Abundance

We belong to God, creator of all that is and all that is to come. Abundant provider of the gifts in this life and the gifts in our own hearts.

It is God alone who gives life, who is generous beyond measure with grace and blessing. We follow Christ, whom God sent to teach and heal, to show us a new way of living, with love and trust and courage, with joy and generosity.

God raised Jesus from death, and he lives among us, and grants his spirit to us. We live by that Holy Spirit, and entrust ourselves to its guidance and empowerment.

As members of the church, the Body of Christ, we devote ourselves to lives of love, rejoicing in the power of forgiveness, the reality of resurrection, and the mystery of eternal life.

Amen.

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Curlew United Methodist Church August 13, 2023 10:30 AM

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

All are welcome as we come together to worship in the House of the Lord.

Organ Selections

Announcements

*Greeting and Sharing the Peace

*Opening Hymn "As the Deer" TFWS 2025

Prelude Prayer

GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

Prelude

*Call to Worship Chaplain Helen Hershman

Leader: Merciful and Mighty Christ, you proclaim and answer with authority. You reveal

the way of righteousness.

People: All authority in heaven and earth is yours. Receive the sacrifice of our trust

and time.

Leader: You deliver and heal with authority. You call for our turning and transforming.

People: All authority in heaven and earth is yours. Receive the sacrifice of our trust

and time.

Leader: You breathe and share your authority. You send us to work and witness in your

world.

All: All authority in heaven and earth is yours. Receive the sacrifice of our trust

and time for the honor and glory of your name. For the building of your

kingdom. For the saving of all creation. Amen.

*Affirmation of Faith Abundance (Back of Bulletin)

*The Gloria Patri

Prayers and Praises Chaplain Helen Hershman

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Rachel Hughes

Tithes and Offerings

*The Doxology UMH 95

Offertory Prayer Pastor Rachel Hughes

Special Music

Scripture Isaiah 61: 3 NSRV

The Message "Sometimes, the Failure is the Lesson" Pastor Rachel Hughes

*Closing Hymn "Trust and Obey" UMH 467

WE GO FORTH TO WITNESS

*Benediction Pastor Rachel Hughes

Pastor Rev. Rachel Hughes

Director of Music Ministries Ben Winkler

*Stand if you are able

Praise Band. "The Relics"

Guitar: Pastor Rachel Hughes, Vocals: Katie Rowe-Ventrucci Keyboard: Linda Wells, Piano: Ben Winkler

Birthday:

Gene May

August 17th



Please Keep In Your Prayers

Pastor Rachel & Family, Tom Gibbs & Family, Sandy Fika, Meredith Triplett & Family, Kim, Max & Maxine, Riley Faith's Family, Teachers and students returning to school, Our Military, the Curlew Church Family, The United Methodist Church, Our Country