

**PLEASE KEEP IN PRAYER ...**

Ernie & Nancy Bear, Richard & Linda Hicks, Helen Kamp,  
Betty Johnson, JR & Linda Melvin, those in our Military,  
our Curlew church family, the United Methodist Church,  
our country, and those still fighting the pandemic.  
Contact information for church family shut-ins can be obtained  
by calling the church office and are published monthly in the  
“Curlew Courier”.

Mary DeDea, Eileen Huntington, Vivian Cox,  
Barbara Bardua, Esther Besch



**Psalm 91: 1-3, 9-13**  
*A Psalm of Moses*

You who live in the shelter of the Most High,  
who abide in the shadow of the Almighty,  
<sup>2</sup> will say to the LORD, “My refuge and my fortress;  
my God, in whom I trust.”  
<sup>3</sup> For he will deliver you from the snare of the fowler  
and from the deadly pestilence;  
Because you have made the LORD your refuge,  
the Most High your dwelling place,  
<sup>10</sup> no evil shall befall you,  
no scourge come near your tent.  
For he will command his angels concerning you  
to guard you in all your ways.  
<sup>12</sup> On their hands they will bear you up,  
so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.  
<sup>13</sup> You will tread on the lion and the adder,  
the young lion and the serpent you will trample under foot.



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**David** was  
**dancing before the LORD**  
with all his might,  
while he and all Israel were bringing up  
**the ark of the LORD.**

2 SAMUEL 6:14-15, NIV



*Curlew United Methodist Church*  
*July 18, 2021*

# 8th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST WE GATHER TO WORSHIP

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

Organ Selections

Announcements

Birthdays: 7/18 Vivian Cox; 7/19 Bob Click;  
7/21 Walt Anderson, Joyce Hubbs

\* Greeting and Sharing the Peace

\* Congregation "As the Deer" TFWS 2025

## GOD'S WORD PROCLAIMED

Prelude Praise Band

\* Call to Worship Liturgist

Leader: May our souls magnify God.

**People: *May our souls rejoice in God, our Savior.***

Leader: God gives rest from all that afflicts us.

**People: *God goes with us wherever we go.***

Leader: This is the God of mysteries, of prophecies and promises.

**People: *This is the God who lifts up the lowly and fills the hungry with good things.***

Leader: May our souls magnify God.

**All: *May our spirits rejoice in God, our Savior. Amen.***

Special Music "Stand By Me" Praise Band

\* Affirmation of Faith *A Modern Affirmation* UMH 885

\* The Gloria Patri UMH 70



Prayers and Praises

Pastoral Prayer Pastor Rachel Hughes

Tithes and Offerings

\*The Doxology UMH 95

Special Music "Hallelujah" Praise Band

Scripture **2 Samuel 7:1-14**

The Message Pastor Rachel Hughes

**Be A David**

## COMMUNION

Holy Communion in the United Methodist Church is open to all people.

## WE GO FORTH TO WITNESS

\* Hymn of Adoration "Standing on the Promises" UMH 374 (v. 1,4)

\* Benediction Pastor Rachel Hughes

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Pastor Rev. Rachel Hughes  
Director of Music Ministries Ben Winkler

**\* Stand as you are able**

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All men of the church are invited to attend the **Men's Breakfast** this Saturday, July 24. They will meet at Johnny Grits, 857 E. Klosterman Rd., Tarpon Springs, at 9:00 am.

Did you know that you can purchase a leaf for our **Tree of Life** at the rear of the sanctuary for \$50? They can be ordered "in honor of ..." or "in memory of ...". Please call the church office for more information on a leaf or the larger acorns and stones.

There are **hand-held prayer crosses** and **New Testaments** on a table in the Narthex. If you or someone you know would be blessed by either of these items, please feel free to take as many as you need.