

We Welcome You To

SPICELAND FRIENDS CHURCH

August 11, 2024

In this time of worship, may all gathered here experience your lavish love, O God, through your Word and through one another. Amen.

PRELUDE Connie Brown, Pianist

WELCOME Bob Rust

* WORSHIP IN SONG

"Holy Spirit, Thou Art Welcome" – #387

"My Faith Looks Up to Thee" – #539

Tasha Crandall, Song Leader

PRAYER OF INVOCATION

PRESENTATION OF OUR TITHES AND OFFERINGS

CHILDREN'S STORY Amanda Judge

All children will be worshipping with us until after the Children's Story. Preschoolers are invited to go to Jr. Church with Kristin Davis downstairs. Children (grades 1-5) may go with Jessica Noteboom to the Family Center. Nursery is available for parents with babies or toddlers.

SHARING OUR HEARTS

PASTORAL PRAYER Eric Bowman

SCRIPTURE Sandra Swann

2 Corinthians 2:12-3:6

MESSAGE David Brock

"Living Letters"

COMMUNION AFTER THE MANNER OF FRIENDS

"I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you; I will remove from you your heart of stone and give you a heart of flesh." *Ezekiel 36:26*

* SONG OF DEDICATION #635

"My Hope Is in the Lord"

* BENEDICTION David Brock

* POSTLUDE #76

"Jesus Is the Sweetest Name I Know"

* All who are able may stand

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES

MONDAY – WALKING GROUP – 10:00 a.m. in the Family Center.

MONDAY – MINISTRY & OVERSIGHT MEETING – 6:30 p.m. in the Mary M. Room.

TUESDAY – DRAPER LUNCHEON – 12:00 p.m. in the Family Center.

THURSDAY – BIBLE STUDY – 11:00 a.m. in the Mary M Room. They will be starting a new book by Max Lucado, *In the Eye of the Storm*, Jesus Knows How You Feel, led by **Nancy Wadman**. You are invited to join us.

THURSDAY – CROCHET GROUP RESUMES – 4:00 p.m.

THURSDAY – 200TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION MEETING – 6:00 p.m.

FRIDAY – WALKING GROUP – 10:00 a.m. in the Family Center.

NEXT SUNDAY – **David Brock** will be preaching on "Inner Renewal." Scripture – 2 Corinthians 3:7-4:18.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you have a **Prayer Concern or Celebration** that you would like to share, please fill out, sign, and date a green card found in the pew rack and place it in the offering plate. You may pick up a sheet listing Prayer Concerns in the Welcome Center or at the west door.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

(Continued)

Sympathy – We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the family and friends of **Wesley Cumins** upon his passing on Thursday, August 8. He was the father of Claudia Garner and grandfather of Jack and Luke. Visitation will be Monday from 5:00-7:00 p.m. at the South Memorial Drive Church of God in New Castle. The funeral will be Tuesday at the church at 11:00 a.m.

Newsletter – Extra copies of *The Spiceland Friend* August/September newsletter are available in the Welcome Center.

199 Years and Counting: A new parsonage was erected in 1962 to replace the old one at 126 West Main Street. This structure was built west of the church and athletic field at a cost of \$23,997.98. This building was sold with the funds used in the construction of our latest addition.

Life Lifter to Share: “May these words of my mouth and this meditation of my heart be pleasing in your sight, Lord, my Rock and my Redeemer.” *Psalm 19:14*

Happy Birthday to: Max Upchurch (20th), August 13; Barbara Meade, August 14; Ralph Adams, August 16; Janet Putnam, August 18.

Greeter: Virginia Newkirk

Ministry Coordinator: Nancy Wadman

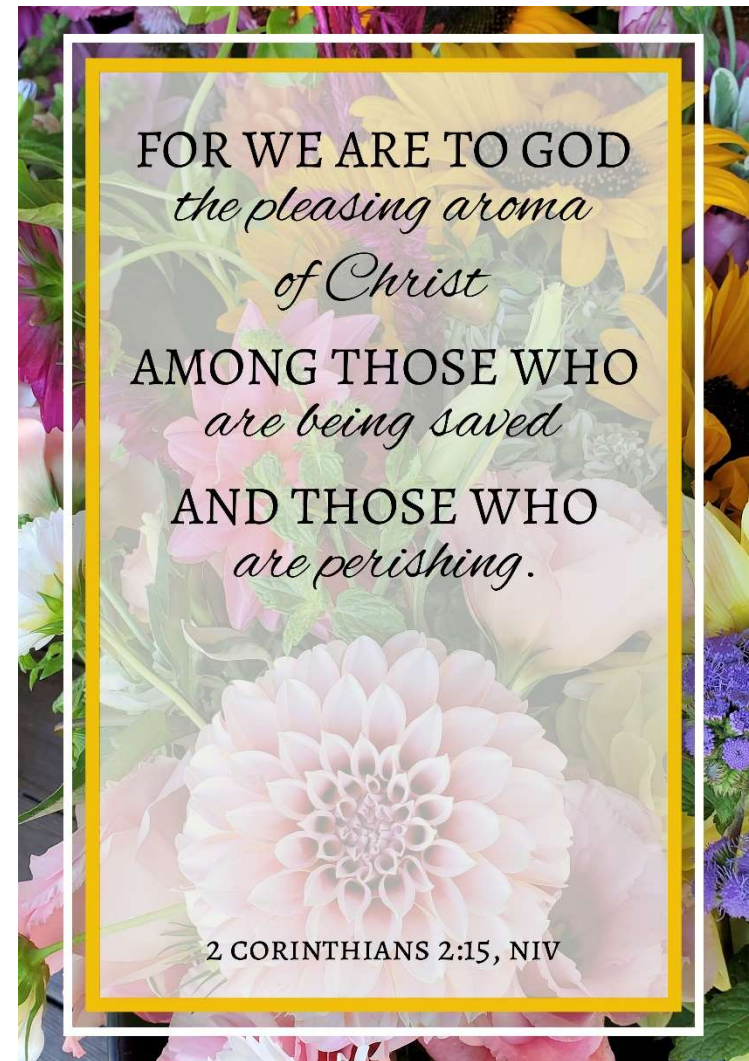
Communications Coordinator: Lisa Knotts



Weekly Devotional by Barb Meade at www.spicelandfriends.org

Mixed Signals – A newcomer approached the pastor after worship and said, “I’d like you to pray for my hearing.” Placing hands on the man’s ears, the pastor said a very passionate, earnest prayer and then asked the visitor, “How’s your hearing now?” With a confused look, the man said, “Well, it’s scheduled for tomorrow.”

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Morning Worship – 10:30 A.M.

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