

We Welcome You To

SPICELAND FRIENDS CHURCH

October 17, 2021

“O magnify the Lord with me, and let us exalt his name together.” (Psalm 34:3) Welcome to worship at Spiceland Friends Church!

PRELUDE Virginia Bryson, Organist

“My Tribute”

* CALL TO WORSHIP #18

“Let’s Just Praise the Lord”

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Richard Ratcliff

* HYMN OF PRAISE #12

“Praise Him! Praise Him”

* INVOCATION

OFFERING MEDITATION *“Did You Stop to Pray This Morning?”*

CHILDREN’S STORY Mike Van Osdol

The children (grades 1-4) are invited to go to Junior Church with Linda Brock. Youth (grades 5-8) are invited to meet with Mike Van Osdol upstairs. Youth (grades 9-12) will remain in worship. The nursery is available for preschool children.

* SONG OF CELEBRATION #3

“Holy, Holy, Holy”

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

PASTORAL PRAYER

SCRIPTURE Eric Bowman

James 1:19-27

MESSAGE Nancy Wadman

“Who Do You See in the Mirror?”

COMMUNION AFTER THE MANNER OF FRIENDS

Matthew talks about the Parable of the Four Soils which is really about the four types of hearts. Which heart do you have? Hard Heart: Does not understand or receive the Word of God, so it does not bring forth fruit. Shallow Heart: Receives the Word with great emotion but has no depth, so it withers over time and bears no fruit. Crowded Heart: Lacks repentance and permits sinful attitudes and behaviors to crowd out the word, so it bears no fruit. Fruitful Heart: Receives the Word, allows it to take root, and produce a bountiful harvest. (Quoted from Live Faithfully, A Study in the Book of James, by Lenya Heitzig & Penny Rose)

* SONG OF DEDICATION #56

“To God Be the Glory”

* BENEDICTION

* POSTLUDE #235 (v. 1)

“Take the Name of Jesus with You”

* All who are able may stand

THIS WEEK’S ACTIVITIES

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

WEDNESDAY – BIBLE STUDY – **Eric Bowman** will be leading the study this week on If God Is For Us. Meal is at 6:00 p.m. and study is at 6:45 p.m. Main dish will be provided; feel free to bring a side dish to share. All are invited!

THURSDAY – CROCHETING GROUP – 4:00-6:00 p.m. in the Mary M Room. Come and join us!

NEXT SUNDAY – **David Brock** will be preaching on “This World Has Nothing for Me.”

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 at the west door.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family of **Rick Little** upon his passing on Wednesday, October 13.

Operation Christmas Child – Shoe boxes are available in the Welcome Center and are due back Nov. 15. There is information on how to pack your shoebox and labels inside the box.

Newsletter – The deadline for the November newsletter will be Monday, October 25, and will be folded on October 28, at 9:30 a.m.

Holiday Bazaar – **Mark your calendar for Nov. 13, 8:00-2:00 p.m.**

TRUNK OR TREAT will be October 30 from 6:00-8:00 p.m. in the church parking lot. If you would like to pass out candy, please arrive by 5:45 p.m. Candy donations may be dropped off any time in the Welcome Center.



Happy Birthday to: Judy Smith, Oct. 18;
Jessica Thomas, Oct. 19; Charlie Byrket, Oct. 20.

Happy Anniversary to: Mr. & Mrs. Don Crandall, Oct. 17; Mr. & Mrs. Dale Albertson, Oct. 18.

Life Lifter to Share: **“The Bible is the book that holds hearts up to the light as if held against the sun.” – William A. Quayle**

Greeters: Jim & Janet Putnam

Ministry Coordinator: Nancy Wadman

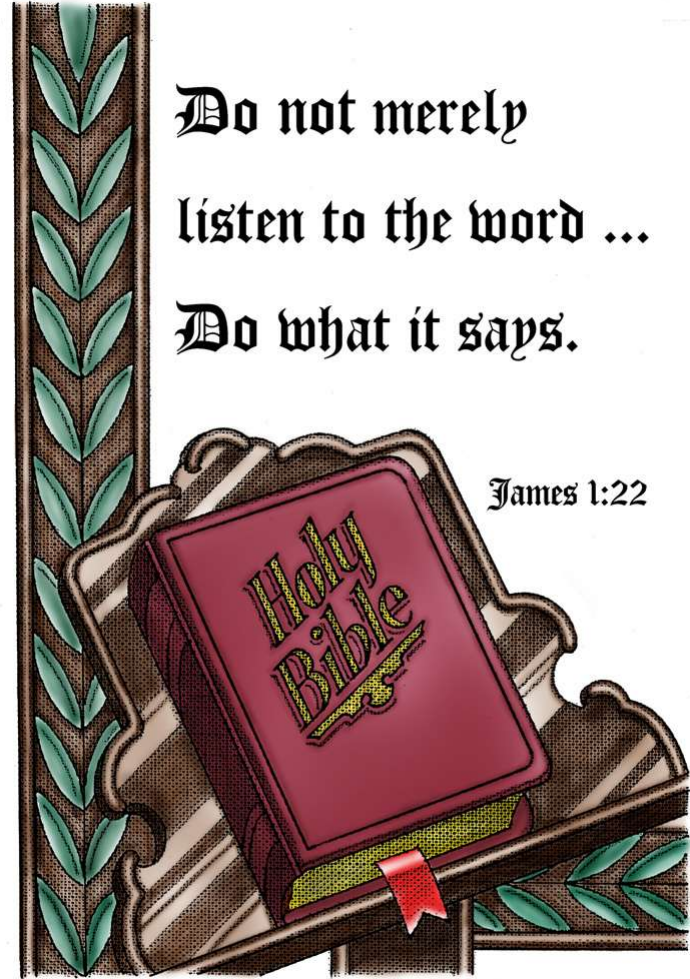
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Spiceland Friends

**Do not merely
listen to the word ...
Do what it says.**

James 1:22



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Sunday School – 9:30 A.M.
Morning Worship – 10:30 A.M.

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