

On November 12, we will be hosting a Quilt Show in the Fellowship Hall. This is a part of our S.O.A.P. (Sharing Our Awesome Passions) efforts. B Auman, Barbara Fossler, and Patty Peters will be displaying their creative and beautiful handiwork. There will also be coffee and cookies available. Come any time between 1:00 and 3:00 p.m. to enjoy the show!



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The Strategic Ministry Planning Team would like to give an opportunity for those in our church family or in our community to share their talents. If you have something you would like to share, or if you know of someone whose talent you would like to learn more about, please sign up on the clipboard on the S.O.A.P. table display in the Fellowship Hall.

What happens during Children and Worship?

Every Sunday, the children are invited to leave the sanctuary for their own worship time. After they have gathered in their room with the storyteller for that day, the first thing they do is say this prayer: *Dear Jesus, this is our worship service to you. Just because we are small doesn't mean we can't worship you in a big way. Thank you for loving us and knowing each of us by name. Amen.* Then the storyteller shows the children where in the Bible the story for the day can be found. To tell the story, wooden figures are used to act it out. Sometimes the desert box is used (as shown in the picture on the left). Other times, felt underlays are used. After the story is told, there is a craft that reinforces the story or the lesson learned from it. The craft pictured here is from the Old Testament story of Abram and Sarai. For the craft, the children "packed" a camel with things they needed, because the lesson for the children was



"Abram and Sarai obeyed God, and moved when He told them to move." Genesis 12 & 13



WiNGS (Women in God's Service)

Our next Wings meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 1, at 7:00. We will be finishing the book Living Victoriously in Difficult Times. Susan O'Connor will lead the Bible study and Ann Wubbels will provide the lunch. At this meeting, we will be determining our mission projects for 2023. Our December meeting will be our Christmas party, then in January we will begin our new book, Road to Freedom: The Ten Commandments. The author of this book is Vic Folkert. Yes, the same Vic Folkert who faithfully served as our pastor for a number of years! Please consider joining us in January as we begin this new study.



Holland Church News

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Meet our Pastor Anthony Godtel

Anthony and Jamie have been married for 15 years and have 3 kids: Gabe (12), Josh (10) and Audrey (6). They have lived in the Hickman area for 8 years, ministering primarily to the youth at Norris.

The kids all attend Norris (in three different buildings this year!) Gabe loves basketball, Josh is an avid reader, and Audrey loves creating arts and crafts.

Jamie grew up in a suburb of Houston, Texas, and graduated in Omaha, Nebraska. She graduated from Nebraska Christian College with a Family Life and Counseling Degree.

Anthony grew up on a farm in Southwest Nebraska and finished high school in the Sandhills, after which he joined the Air Force. He studied Elementary and Special Education at Nebraska Wesleyan University, transferring after 3 years to Nebraska Christian College to complete his degree in Youth Ministry and Bible Studies.

Anthony and Jamie feel blessed to be a part of the Holland Church family, and are excited to continue sharing the Good News of Jesus!

Contact information for Anthony is 402 984 3702 (call or text)

Thank you, military men and women, for your service to our country.



Menu for November

- 2 Soup, dessert
- 9 Soup, cinnamon rolls, carrots, fruit
- 16 TBA
- 23 Thanksgiving: No Wednesday Nights Alive
- 30 TBA



There will be Fellowship Time following our service on being thankful.



- 3 Wilbur and Carol Auman
- 4 Jerry and Jamie Prange



- 11 Gary Pence
- 16 Mona Auman
- 19 Wendy Essink
- 20 Christian Townsend
- 20 Keri Pritschau
- 27 Mike Vande Griend
- 27 Randal Wubbels