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This Weekend in Worship...*how are we called as Christians to claim God's Kingdom and values and to find this kindness in our lives?*

Sat @ 6 PM (OC) and Sun @ 8 AM & 10:30 AM (Church) – This weekend, Rev. Cindi will talk about the series “**Kingdom Issues**” with a focus on **Giving** and a reflection on Matthew 6:1-15.

Ignite on Sun @ 6 PM (OC) –This weekend join Pastor Joe @ Ignite as he digs into the series “**#BeKind**” with **Be Kind to the World** from Luke 10:30-37 and Proverbs 14:21. **Remember to stay for snacks & fellowship in the evening.**

“Honoring our Veterans” / We will be honoring our veterans this weekend as part of celebrating Veterans Day with slides of our church members that were active in the military. Thank you for your service!

Homemade Pie Orders / Youth will be turning in orders on **November 7** if you haven't ordered a pie for Thanksgiving please see a youth or call the church office to place your order. This is a wonderful fundraiser for our youth and it frees up your time to concentrate on the Turkey!

“Can You Help Us Help Them?” / The Columbus Rescue Mission needs supplies to help fill their Thanksgiving baskets. **Thru 11/15/18** we will be collecting: canned pumpkin, canned sweet potatoes, boxes of stuffing mix and canned vegetables. If you care to share ~ please leave the items in the box by the West Entrance. Thank you for sharing your blessings with the Mission.



Wanna taco
bout it?

***NEW* TACO TUESDAY** / Check out Taco Tuesday – meet the pastors on **Tuesday, November 13** at **El Tapitio** at **11:30 AM to 1 PM** for dutch lunch and conversation. Feel free to invite a friend – and stop by over your lunch hour & schedule; we'll save some tacos (or tamales) for ya!

SOUPER SOUPS COMING SOON!/UMW is preparing for Souper Soups which will be held on **Thursday, November 15**. If you are interested in volunteering, please fill out a green insert sheet in this week's bulletin. Jane Schneider reports we are low on volunteers and pies; please consider your time and resources for pies. Thank you!

Confirmation Sunday, November 18 / First UMC will be confirming **nine** students on **Sunday, November 18**. The worship service will *last a few minutes longer on the 18th*, and the students invite congregation members to join them in donating the following to local agencies: gently used coats **AS WELL AS** ***NEW*** socks, hats & gloves! Watch for the laundry hampers to collect these items! Thank you on behalf of Confirmation Class 2018.

Spaghetti Fundraiser for Sarah Borgman / First UMC wants to show its support & prayers for Sarah Borgman, our Christian Education & Youth Coordinator, who suffered a severe concussion on Sun. Sept. 23. She is improving each week, and she is now able to work a few hours each day. On **Wednesday, November 28**, we will be having a **Spaghetti Fundraiser** from 5 to 7 PM at our Outreach Center to help with Sarah's medical expenses. *Thank you to the Thursday Evening Bible Study members for coordinating the meal!*

Nebraska Brass Quintet / A Nebraska Brass Christmas will be held on **November 30 @ 7:30 PM**. You can purchase tickets in advance and First UMC will get a portion of all presold tickets! What a wonderful event to kick off the Christmas season! Tickets can be purchased in the office. Adults \$12; Seniors \$10; and Children are FREE!

CALENDAR: <https://www.mychurchevents.com/calendar/74025457>

Mark Your Calendars:

November 15 – *Circuit Rider Due*

November 15 – Souper Soup Day

November 16 & 17 – Pie Baking Days! Youth Fundraiser

November 30 – *Nebraska Brass Concert @ First UMC*

Community Connection! – *Please check-out the Community Bulletin Board located outside of the Church Office! Click on the hyperlinks to go to learn more about the events listed below.*

- [CCC Choir Concert](#) - November 8
- [Peace Lutheran's Soup Supper](#) – November 9
- [Festival of Trees](#) – November 15, 16, 17 and 18
- [Annual Cookies 'N More](#) – November 15
- [Jam the Van](#) – Through November 16
- [Phil Stacy Concert](#) – November 29
- [Bowling Fundraiser for Suicide Awareness & Prevention](#) – December 1

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