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8:30 am

**Prelude** – Rhonda York

**Welcome and Greeting** - Pastor Dave York

**Call to Worship** (Joshua 24 and Psalm 78) - Kathy McKinley

Leader: God is from everlasting to everlasting

**People: The Lord inhabits all eternity and everything that is, or was, or ever will be.**

Leader: God is the source, guide, and goal of our lives.

**People: We acknowledge God as the center of our lives and of our world, not ourselves.**

Leader: We come today to worship God.

**People: We come with thanks and praise.**

Leader: Let us humble ourselves before God's holy presence.

**People: May God teach us the way of life as we pray.**

**Opening Hymn** – Rejoice, the Lord is King UMH 715

**Prayer of Illumination** – Holy God, the words of scripture sometimes comfort us, sometimes surprise us. Help us listen for a new and inspiring word from you. May our hearts understand that you still speak in and through our words and actions. **AMEN.**

**Choir Anthem** – First Fruits – Schram

**New Testament reading** – 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 - Jim Wolfe

**Middle Hymn** – Blessed Assurance UMH 369

**Gospel Reading** – Luke 12:35-48

**Sermon** - Much Given, Much Expected

**Veteran's Day Quilt Presentation**

**Prayer Time and Lord's Prayer**

**Next Steps, Offering and Doxology**

**Prayer of Thanksgiving** – Lord, with humility and with gratitude, we offer to you the first and best of all we have, our first fruits. We bring to your house our gifts for you. We know that these gifts have come from you. They already belong to you. Thank you for your generosity. **AMEN.**

**Closing Hymn** – Sing with All the Saints in Glory UMH 702

**Benediction**



Norm & Nancy Dawson, Maurice Wheeler, Doug & Alice Hall, Mary Stephenson, Jennifer Bell, Richard Hansen, Scott Glick Margary Scheele, Kristi Edington's family, Mark Petesch



Today we honor these veterans with patriotic Quilts of Honor made by our Itchin' to Stitch sewing group. Join us in thanking them.

Ed Garven	US Army	10 years
David Gaumer	US Army	23 years
Jeff Hastings	Active US Army	2005-present
Keith Hubbert	US Army	20 years
Bob Mott	Active US Army	30 years
Mike Nielsen	US Army & Iowa Nat'l Guard	24 years
Tom Palowski	US Army	26 years
Wade Schmierer	US Army	23 years
Daniel Stupinski	Active US Air Force	2000-present
Doug Wakely	US Army	20 years
Brian Wood	US Navy	4 years
Charles Ebbe	US Navy	6 years

## MEN'S PRAYER & STUDY BREAKFAST

**NOVEMBER 18**  
**8:00 AM**

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All men of the church are invited to a Men's Prayer & Study Breakfast on November 18, 8 am in Fellowship Hall. We'll enjoy a hot breakfast, and a devotion. Please let Mike Mix ([hairymule@gmail.com](mailto:hairymule@gmail.com)) or Dave Landis ([dlandis@hughes.net](mailto:dlandis@hughes.net)) know if you will attend.

The prayer group meets on Wednesdays at 9:00 am in Wesley Hall. Anyone is welcome to join in prayer even if you can only come one time. Contact Marsha at [marsha.gaffin@gmail.com](mailto:marsha.gaffin@gmail.com)



Fifth and sixth grade students are invited to lunch and Bible study after the second service. **Seventh through twelfth grade students will meet at 6 pm in the basement of the Education building. For info, contact Kristen at [khowell@fumclvks.org](mailto:khowell@fumclvks.org).**



Trinity House is a local food pantry and free clothing closet. They're in need of all types of food staples. They take donations Tues-Thurs 10 am to 1 pm at 2101 10th Ave.

Stronghold is a food pantry on Ft. Leavenworth for military families. They're gathering staples like tuna, spaghetti sauce, pasta, soup, cereal, rice and canned vegetables. There's a plastic tote in the foyer for these items.



The HUB is a UMC food pantry. In Nov. we're collecting cooking oil, any type of spices, and canned beans. You can bring the items to the box in the foyer.

# WEEKLY Sneak Peek

## Monday, November 13

1:00 pm AIR Dementia Ministry

## Tuesday, November 14

10:00 am Ladies Bible Study - Room 101

2:00 pm Spouse Grief Share

6:30 pm Pastor Dave's Bible Study

## Wednesday, November 15

1:30 pm Heart and Soul - Room 101

3:45 pm Wonderful Wednesday

6:30 pm Choir Rehearsal

## Thursday, November 16

8:30 am Staff Meeting

1:30 pm Itchin' to Stitch

6:30 pm Ladies Bible Study - Room 101

## Saturday, November 18

8:00 am Men's Prayer Breakfast

## Sunday, November 19

8:30 am Traditional service

9:45 am Sunday School

11:00 am Contemporary service

12:00 pm Fusion 56

4:00 pm Bell Rehearsal

6:00 pm Refuge Youth



## DIGITAL OFFERING

Online giving is available at [fumclvks.org/product/give](http://fumclvks.org/product/give) or use the QR code above to go directly to the website. You can use a check or credit card. For help, contact Steven at [sshade@fumclvks.org](mailto:sshade@fumclvks.org)



*Thanksgiving*  
OFFERING



Every Thanksgiving we have a special offering for local charities that help feed the hungry of our community. This year we will split the offering between Trinity House, Stronghold and Meals on Wheels. If you would like to give, please mark your envelope.