

JUDSON

MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH



Bring your Hopes. Bring your Doubts. Feed your Soul.

January 17, 2025, 9:30 am

Welcome to Judson Memorial Baptist Church. This Sunday, January 19, We will celebrate Martin Luther King, Jr. Sunday. The choir will offer "In the Bleak Mid-Winter," and there will also be time with children. Travis will offer the third sermon in the series 8 Habits of Love: Truth. And yes – The Phones are still out.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SOUP LUNCH – You are invited to a Soup Lunch on **January 19, 2025**. It will be in the Ann Judson Room. All are invited, no charge, just community get together. Volunteers are needed **Saturday, January 18, 2025**, for soup prep. Table & Chairs set-up. Please contact Diana Larsen. Text or call 612-644-4396. Thanks to all. Diana Larsen.

GREAT GATHERINGS - Happy New Year! We hope your holidays were filled with joy and memorable gatherings. In the spirit of gatherings, we invite you to participate in the February 2025 Great Gatherings Auction as a host and/or participant. See the enclosed flyer for more information.

STRATEGIC REVENUE PLAN PLANNED GIVING CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENT - A Planned Giving Informational Seminar will be held at 11 am on Sunday, January 26th, in the Ann Judson Room. During this seminar, Scott Simpson and Diane Kolodziej, along with Kimberly Gray, an Estate Attorney, will present the many ways anyone can donate to Judson Church through their wills. Planned giving is not connected with the annual pledge drive. The Strategic Revenue Task Force is working diligently to create more revenue ideas for Judson Church and hopes that Planned Giving will be an idea you consider and act upon. Please sign up on the sheet located in the rear of the sanctuary. We hope to see you after our Sunday service on **January 26th at 11 am** in the Ann Judson room.

PRAYER AND YOU—ZOOM JANUARY 28 - "Prayer and You" is the topic for our two Wild & Precious Zoom Conversations (aka "Spiritual Voyagers"). Join us, 7:00-8:30 pm, **on Tuesday, January 28**. Keith Ford will send out the Zoom link: if you are not already on our email list, let him know, and he will add you to it.

You are invited to join us whether you never pray or pray all the time--whether your prayer life is traditional, or based on nature, or meditation, or relationships. What perspective of prayer did you grow up with, and what is your perspective now? How does prayer "work" (or "not work") for you?

Here are two quotes to consider...

* *Pray without ceasing* (from the Bible-- 1 Thessalonians 5:17)

* *I don't know exactly what a prayer is. I do know how to pay attention...*

(from the beginning of Mary Oliver's "wild and precious life" poem)

NEW MEMBERS CLASS – A new members class will start in February. Dates to be announced. Please let the pastor know if you are interested.

CHURCH DIRECTORY. There is a large copy of the current directory in the back of the church. Please check it out and make sure we have your correct information (address, phone, email). If you are not listed, please add your information. After a couple of weeks, updated directories will be available.

JUDSON CHURCH IS LOOKING FOR A PART-TIME LEAD CHILD CARE PROVIDER. We're looking for someone to lead our youth in a safe, nurturing, and engaging environment on Sunday mornings. They'll lead educational, mindfulness, character-building, and nature-based programming. The candidate needs to have experience caring for infants and children of all ages, with an emphasis on school-age children, and must be at least 21 years of age. Prior classroom experience is strongly preferred. A full description of the role can be found in the announcements section of our website or via this link: <https://www.judsonchurch.org/childcare-provider/> - We have some pretty amazing youth at Judson, so let's support them by sharing this opportunity among your networks! If you have any questions, feel free to contact Jeff O'Halloran at personnel@judsonchurch.org.

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Now Hiring a
Part-time Lead Child Care Provider
for Sunday mornings

Qualifications:
Experience caring for school-age children. Classroom experience preferred.

Time Commitment:
2-3 hours per week



Compensation:
\$22.50/hr.

www.judsonchurch.org


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 KINGFIELD
 Neighborhood

CRAFT WORKSHOP: Victorian Puzzle Purses for Valentines' Day



Saturday, January 25
10:00 am to noon

Ann Judson room, Judson Church, 4101 Harriet

Cost: \$5.00
All supplies furnished.

Register:
www.JudsonChurch.org
info@judsonchurch.org

The Victorians used these origami riddles as secret friendship tokens and love notes (one even appeared in the film Emma), while in Japan, they have been used as little storage containers. Learn the fascinating history, make your own puzzle purse, have a treat and go home with instructions so you can make more.

Hope to see you there: Pam, Cindy, Leslie, Susan

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK OF JANUARY 19 THROUGH JANUARY 26, 2025

Sunday-January 19

9:30 am **Worship Service**-Sanctuary
Music: Judson Choir
 11 am **Soup Dinner** – Ann Judson Room

Monday-January 20

Office Closed/Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday

Tuesday-January 21

10 am **Staff Meeting**– Library
 4:30 pm **TRUST Board Meeting** – Ann Judson Room

Wednesday-January 22

2 pm **Building Use Meeting**– Library
 7 pm **Choir Rehearsal**-Sanctuary

Thursday-January 23

4:30 pm **Meals on Wheels Meeting**– Fellowship Hall
 7 pm **Mahjongg** – Ann Judson Room

Friday-January 24

Saturday-January 25

10 am **Craft Workshop** – Ann Judson Room
 1-3 pm **Textile Group** – Ann Judson Room
 3 pm **Minneapolis Trombone Choir Rehearsal**-Sanctuary

Sunday-January 26

9:30 am **Worship Service**-Sanctuary
Music: Judson Choir