PRELUDE……Tom Fuchsen

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
-Please sign the attendance pad and place it in the offering plate.

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

*CALL TO WORSHIP
L: Brothers and sisters in Christ, we gather today in the presence of the One who calls us His own.
**P: We come, united in faith, to worship the One who understands our struggles and bears our burdens.**
L: Jesus, our pioneer of salvation, walked among us, sharing in our joys and sorrows.
**P: We rejoice in His love, which binds us together and gives us hope.**
L: Let us lift our voices in praise, for He has conquered sin and death, offering us new life.
**P: With grateful hearts, we come to worship, to remember His sacrifice, and to celebrate His resurrection.**
L: Come, let us worship the Lord who walks with us every step of the way.
**ALL: Amen!!**

*UNISON PRAYER:
**Gracious and loving God, we gather in Your presence, thankful for the gift of Your Son, Jesus Christ. In Him, we find our comfort and strength, For He understands our struggles and walks beside us in our pain. We come seeking your grace, longing to be reminded of the hope we have in You. As we worship together, open our hearts to your word, and help us to embrace the love and sacrifice of Christ, our Savior. May your spirit fill this place, uniting us as one body in worship and praise. Guide us as we seek to reflect your light in the world, empowered by the love of the one who has called us by name. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen!**

HYMN……..…“What a Friend We Have in Jesus”……..……..UMH #526

JOYS and CONCERNS
PASTORAL PRAYER
THE LORD’S PRAYER

OFFERTORY INVITATION *Scan here to give electronically*
OFFERTORY……Tom Fuchsen
*DOXOLOGY……“Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow”…...……UMH #94

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

HYMN……..…..…“He Lives”……..……...…...UMH #310

SCRIPTURE READING…….....Hebrews 2:10-18, Pew Bible Pg. #1822-1823
Liturgist, Ben Pullen

SERMON……..“Jesus: The Perfect Savior Who Understands Us”
Bri Pullen

*HYMN……..…“Great is Thy Faithfulness”…….....UMH #140

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE……..……“God Be With You”……..……UMH #672
*Please stand as able

Notes: _____

CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS

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| **Sunday, August 2**<br>*Hebrews 2:10-18* | 9:30 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)<br>10:45 AM Fellowship (Narthex) |
| **Monday, August 3** | 9:30 AM Essentrics (Wesley Room)<br>10:00 AM Chair Yoga (Wesley Room)<br>4:30 PM Missions (Fireside Room)<br>6:00 PM SPRC Meeting (Fireside Room) |
| **Tuesday, August 4** | 12:00 PM Instructor Lead Chair-Yoga (Wesley Room) |
| **Wednesday, August 5** | 9:30 AM Coffee at Grace (Narthex)<br>10:00 AM Chair Yoga (Wesley Room)<br>1:00 PM Men's Bible Study (Narthex)<br>2:00-4:00 PM Loom Work Session (Fellowship Hall) |
| **Thursday, August 6** | 12:00 PM Instructor Lead Chair-Yoga (Wesley Room)<br>1:30 PM UWFaith (Narthex) |
| **Friday, August 7** | Office Closed |
| **Saturday, August 8** | 10:00 AM Worship Team (Narthex)<br>2:00 PM Prayer Group (Chapel) |
| **Sunday, August 9** | 9:30 AM Worship Service (Sanctuary)<br>10:45 AM Fellowship (Narthex)<br>10:45 AM Adult Education (Fireside Room) |

## Announcements:

**August 30-Worship in Fellowship Hall**
**August 30-Potluck following Worship**
-Wednesday night visioning

# Grace United Methodist Church – Spencer, Iowa

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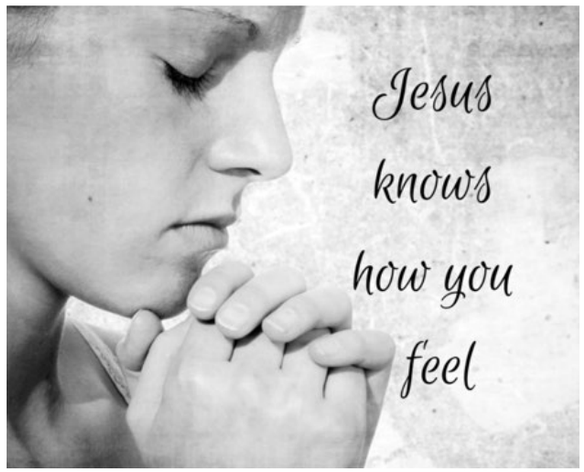
Brianna Pullen
Liturgist: Ben Pullen
9:30 A.M.
Sunday, August 2, 2026




***"Jesus: The Perfect Savior Who Understands Us"***

**Grace Mission Statement:**
*Everyone is invited to know and feel God's love, experience spiritual growth, encounter forgiveness, receive respect, and gain hope.*