

Matthew 18:21-22 niv
The Parable of the Unmerciful Servant

²¹ Then Peter came to Jesus and asked, “Lord, how many times shall I forgive my brother or sister who sins against me? Up to seven times?”
²² Jesus answered, “I tell you, not seven times, but seventy-seven times.

Ephesians 4:31-32 niv
³¹ Get rid of all bitterness, rage and anger, brawling and slander, along with every form of malice. Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you.

The SPPRC would like to welcome Bailey Pachta to Belleville FUMC as our **Christian Education Coordinator**.

Bailey and her husband Hughston and one-year old son live in Cuba, Kansas. Bailey grew up in the Clay Center United Methodist Church. She is a Special Education Preschool Teacher with LCNCK in Washington and Pike Valley and will be available after school and on weekends to be our Christian Ed Coordinator.

Please help us welcome her and her family to the Belleville FUMC family.

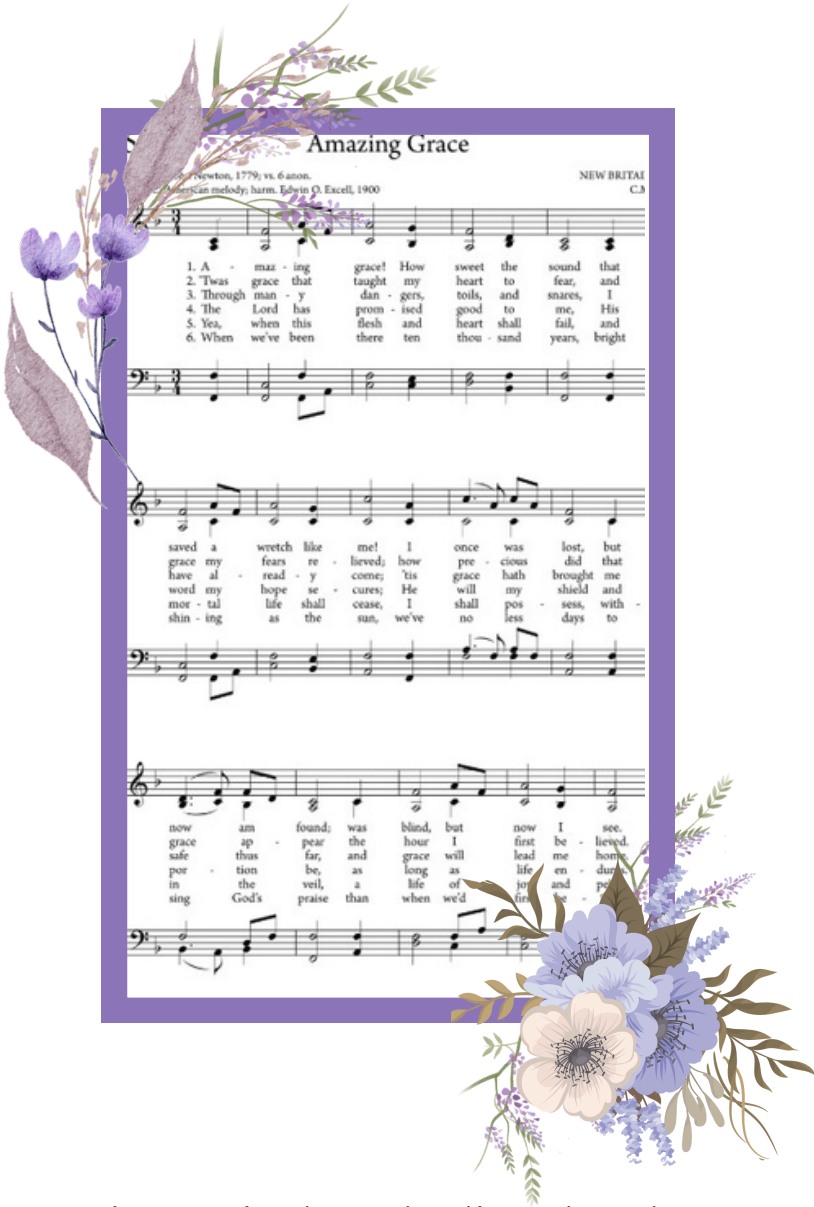
Church Conference November 8th
2:00p.m. Concordia 1st UMC

Confirmation Class
Sept 13th, 2026 4:00p.m.

Bishop David Wilson-Great Plains Conference
DS Zach Anderson-Western Kansas District Superintendent
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DS Chali Chali South Central Kansas District Superintendent
ks.southcentralds@gpcumc.org (316) 684-6652
District Office: 785-414-4238
Pastor Amos McCarthy--Belleville FUMC & Agenda UMC

Ongoing Project
Back Pack Collection
Collections will be accepted through the whole year.
If you need a backpack, or know of someone who does, please contact the church office.

New National Suicide Prevention
and Crisis Lifeline: 988



First United Methodist Church
2013 M Street - Belleville , KS
September 13, 2026

Our Mission is to prayerfully:
SEEK God GROW in faith LOVE and SERVE others
For the transformation of lives!

Belleville First United Methodist Church

September 13, 2026 10:45 Service

Message: Pastor Amos McCarthy Liturgist: Tandy Rundus
Café: Jeanette Sheets Children's Message: Bailey Pachta
Prelude/Gathering Music (*Please stand if you are able-Congregation BOLD)

Entrance/Lighting of the Candles (10:45) Acolyte(s) enter

Welcome/Announcements Tandy Rundus

*Praise Song "My Jesus" A/V

*Congregational Hymn "Amazing Grace" UMH #378

*Call to Worship: Tandy Rundus

Come, let us worship the God who is rich in mercy and abounding in steadfast love.

We come with grateful hearts, remembering the forgiveness we have received.

When our hearts are burdened by hurt, God invites us to lay our burdens before Him.

We come seeking healing, freedom, and peace.

Jesus teaches us to forgive, not because every offense is small, but because God's grace is greater than our debt.

Lord, soften our hearts and teach us to extend the mercy we have received.

Let us release bitterness, seek reconciliation where possible, and trust God with the hurts we cannot change.

We come ready to receive God's grace and to share His love. Gracious God, cleanse our hearts, renew our spirits, and make us people of forgiveness. May our worship today reflect the mercy You have shown us through Jesus Christ. Amen.

Joys & Concerns Tandy Rundus

Prayer

Song of Prayer "Glory Be to the Father" UMH #70

Collection of Fish Money & Children's Message Bailey Pachta

Offertory

*Doxology

*Offertory Prayer

Scripture: Matthew 18:21-22; Ephesians 4:31-32 Tandy Rundus

Message "Are You Carrying a Backpack of Stones" Pastor Amos

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

*Closing Song "Lord I Need You" A/V

Dismissal/Blessings

Birthdays & Anniversaries

9/13 Waylon Sheetz,
Tiffany & Brandon Hansen
9/17 Linnea Anderson
9/20 Elly Williams
9/22 Dianna Snapp,
Brian & Linda Young
9/23 Rex Bird
9/24 Vickie Walker
9/25 Mike Knedlik



Pew cards available for guests / prayers
& information requests.

Place in the offering plate or turn in to
the office

PRAYER LIST

Doug Hofman (Emma's niece's husband), JoAnn Parrack (Kaye Ray's sister), Vance Wendelburg (Susie Arbuthnot's cousin), Mona Svoboda, Solly Vanouhlden, Cindy Frye (Kaye Ray's daughter), Nancy Naysmith, Alicia Samorano (Joan's granddaughter), Tyson Douglas, Ruth & Ron Hyden (Joel Anderson's parents), Elaine Sedlacek, Randy Jelison-Knock, Rev. Dr. Shadrach A. Sankolo (P. Amos Family), Judge Mardea Chenoweth (Cancer survivor, P. Amos cousin), Norine Koester & Neva Demanett (Audrey's sisters) Jim Elyea (Audrey's son), Gary Wagonblast (Stephanie Schintler's father, Sue Knedlik Walker, Betty Mohr Family, Marge Nelson Family

WORSHIP MINISISTERS 9-20-2026

Message: Pastor Amos McCarthy
Liturgist: John Surber
Children's Message: Kathy Aeillo

Upcoming Events....

Caring Congregation Ministry Seminar
Oct. 9-10th Manahattan \$100 per church unlimited attendees. Everyone welcome

Church Conference-Nov. 8th, 2:00p.m.
Concordia First UMC

Other October Events

Fall Fest & Trunk or Treat
at Piroutek's



Ow!

You need is Jesus!

Pastor Amos available for visitations.

Please inform me of any Nursing Home residents or others in need of visitations- Pastor Amos

First United Methodist Church
M-Th 9am-12:30/1:00, 2013 M Street,
785-527-5608

Kim VanNortwick
adminoffice@bellevillefumc.com
785-614-0624 (c)

Pastor Amos McCarthy
pastor@bellevillefumc.com
Cell: 937-270-3996

Office Hours: Belleville T-W-Th 9-1
Food Bank Hours: Mon-Thurs 9-11:30
785-955-0086 Lana Novak

Sunday, Sept. 13th Grandparents Sunday

Cafe 10:15

Worship 10:45

Nominations meeting following worship

4:00p.m. Confirmation Class

Wednesday, Sept. 16th

9:00a.m. Bible Study

6:30p.m. Energize

Sunday, Sept. 20th

Cafe 10:15

Worship 10:45

7:00p.m. ZOOM Bible Study

Wednesday, Sept. 23rd

9:00a.m. Bible Study

9:15 Commodities delivery

Volunteers needed

6:30p.m. Energize

Energize

Wednesdays

6th-12th Grade

6:30p.m.

Invite your friends!!

Giving Options

Text Giving: 844-509-2398

enter amount - follow directions as prompted.

Link to online giving

Home | Belleville First United Methodist Church (myvanco.com)

July-Sept Fish Money: After School Program

\$ Sunday July-Aug: School Supplies-Faithworks

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Apple App



Google Play Store App



Did you know....

In our Chancel Window, the theme of the fourth panel on the left is from *Ephesians 2:8*

“For by grace you have been saved through faith; and this is not your own doing, it is the gift of God.”



Mon 9/14 East - Westphals

West - Lela

Tues 15th East - Snapps

West - Rhonda

Weds 16th East - Pam&Sid

West - John&Waylon

Thurs 17th East - Annette

West - Bob&Susie

Fri 18th. East - Annette

West - Jewelda

Sign Up sheet in foyer

Liturgists for Sept

9/6 Stacia Piroutek

9/13 Tandy Rundus

9/20 John Surber

9/27 Dense Dove

Children's Moments

9/6 Kim VanNortwick

9/13 Bailey Pacht

9/20 Kathy Aeillo

9/27 ?

Café for Sept

9/6 Kim VanNortwick

9/13 Jeanette Sheets

9/20 Tandy Rundus

9/27 Jewelda Scofield

Audio Visual

Bob Arbuthnot, Kelly Struebing,

Tandy Rundus, Mike Hadachek

Head Usher-John Surber

September: Jerry & Shirley

Richecky

Praise Singers

Megan Ritchie, John Surber

Tandy Rundus



Belleville First/Agenda Fall Study

The Shepherd's Path: A Journey through Psalm 23

September 20 - October 18, 2026

Zoom link <https://zoom.us/j/96723275316>

Resources: “Don’t Give the Enemy a Seat at your Table,”

by Louie Giglio

“Life’s Lessons from the Psalms,” by Max Lucado

Wednesday Bible Study

Sept. 2nd 9:00a.m.

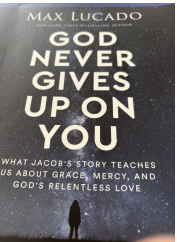
In the Parlor

A Study on Jacob, a misbehaving

patriarch, who God chose to use.

“God Never Gives Up On You”

by Max Lucado



Community Prayer Team

Please join every Monday morning

at 8:00a.m. from your home. The

prayer focus for the months of Aug.

& Sept. will be to pray for people

going through change - students

back to school, graduates leaving

home, persons in care facilities -

and, always, peace.



Please save your Best

Choice bar codes.

There is a container on the long table in the foyer.

