



*do justice • love tenderly • walk humbly with God* Micah 6:8

**June 9, 2025**

We begin all of our prayer in the presence of our loving Creator; because we are all created in the very image and likeness of God!

**As a Christian community, we know this:**

**God wants us to help each other**

**Daily reflection:**

(Philippians 2:1-5)

*"If there is any encouragement in Christ, any solace in love, any participation in the Spirit, any compassion and mercy, complete my joy by being of the same mind, with the same love, united in heart, thinking one thing.*

*Do nothing out of selfishness or out of vainglory; rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves, each looking out not for his own interests, but everyone for those of others. Have among yourselves the same attitude that is also yours in Christ Jesus."*

**Daily call to action:**

Jesus spent his life caring for others. He listened to them. If they were sick, he healed them. If they were afraid, he gave them courage and comfort.

We are called to be like Christ.

Let's pray today that we can be united in love, not looking out for our own interests. When we all help each other, we all become stronger.

**Intercessions/ our prayer for our world:**

For all leaders in the Church, may they always be an example of service to others. That government leaders will keep in mind the needs of those who experience poverty when they make decisions.

That the people of our city will share their time, their talent, and their treasure with each other, especially those impacted by the recent tornado, in order to build a community of love and peace.

For our families and our friends, that we all will be generous and helpful to people in need.

**Blessing:** *(the prayer of Aaron over the people of God: Num. 6:23b-26)*

May the Lord bless you and keep you!

May the Lord let his face shine upon you, and be gracious to you!

May the Lord look upon you kindly and give you peace!

*And we say together with all of the people of God:*

**Amen.**