Today's Scripture Colossians 1:24-2:5 (ESV)

5-14 – Child Dedicaiton **Wednesdays** – Youth @ Cabin for dinner/bible study 6 p.m.

Junior Church

Children ages 2-grade 5 will be dismissed prior to the sermon for worship time in the Fellowship Hall. Helpers:

Today: Mark L & Christi S **5-7:** Mike & Karen U



The nursery is located on the east side of the sanctuary.

Today: LouAnn & Sue **5-7**: Heidi/Maggie/Carla

☐ Coffee Bar

Coffee, tea, and hot cocoa are offered at our coffee bar in the lobby.



Sunday School

Join us for Sunday school after the service. Classes available for all ages.



Paul's Ministry to the Church

²⁴ Now I rejoice in my sufferings for your sake, and in my flesh I am filling up what is lacking in Christ's afflictions for the sake of his body, that is, the church, ²⁵ of which I became a minister according to the stewardship from God that was given to me for you, to make the word of God fully known, ²⁶ the mystery hidden for ages and generations but now revealed to his saints. ²⁷ To them God chose to make known how great among the Gentiles are the riches of the glory of this mystery, which is Christ in you, the hope of glory. ²⁸ Him we proclaim, warning everyone and teaching everyone with all wisdom, that we may present everyone mature in Christ. ²⁹ For this I toil, struggling with all his energy that he powerfully works within me.

2 For I want you to know how great a struggle I have for you and for those at Laodicea and for all who have not seen me face to face, ² that their hearts may be encouraged, being knit together in love, to reach all the riches of full assurance of understanding and the knowledge of God's mystery, which is Christ, ³ in whom are hidden all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge. ⁴ I say this in order that no one may delude you with plausible arguments. ⁵ For though I am absent in body, yet I am with you in spirit, rejoicing to see your good order and the firmness of your faith in Christ.

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We are glad you are here to worship with us this morning! It is our prayer that you will experience a touch from the Lord during your time with us today and there will be a desire in your heart to reach back to Him with love. Feel free to love Him back during our singing, prayer and scripture reading in any manner you wish: standing, sitting, kneeling, raising of hands, clapping, shouting praises, head bowed or other acts of praise.





Sermon Series Greater Than

Sermon Title Secrecy

- Offering is collected in the box at the entrance of the sanctuary. You can also tithe through tithe.ly.com
- **EXCUSE OUR MESS** We are currently undergoing a renovation project to expand our Day Care. We gladly share our space upstairs with the Day Care while reno takes place. Thanks for your patience!
- Child Dedication is May 14

Attention

- If you are a visitor with us, please fill out a connect card from the pew pocket and place in the offering box. Thank you.
- If you have a prayer request please fill out a prayer card and place in the designated Prayer Requests holders on the side aisles. Your request will be mentioned during prayer time.



Looking Ahead

Colossians 2:6-15 In this passage, we see Paul describe what it means to be in Christ.



Prayers & Praises

- -Bill Beck PRAISE heart procedure success
- -Colton Bender broken leg healing
- -Rod Bontrager –thyroid cancer –continued healing
- -Jamie Fennell's dad cancer
- -Johnetta Henard health concerns
- -Nancy Ingham healing
- -Bonnie Johnson family grief
- Sarah Schlabach healing/hospitilized
- -RYLM Re-model finish strong



