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Welcome to Promise Ministries!

We're glad you are here. If there's anything we can help you with this morning, feel free to approach Pastor Scott, Pastor Sean, a staff member at the Welcome desk, a greeter, an usher, or an elder.

Promise is a welcoming community living and growing in Christ while following His example in active service to others.

Children's ministry is offered for 3 year olds through 5th grade during Pastor's message time at 9:00am worship. The **nursery** is staffed with a volunteer for little ones during 9:00am worship. The nursery is open and parent supervised during 10:30am worship.

Offering: If you would like to make an offering electronically visit us at www.promisefw.org or scan the QR code. Text 'GIVE' to: 260-308-1059. Or you can place your offering in a 'joy box' (located on the wall near each door).



THIS WEEK AT PROMISE

Sunday, September 6th

9:00a Worship

10:30a Worship

Tuesday, September 8th

11:45a Lunch Bible Study

6:30p Young Adults Group

Wednesday, September 2nd

6:30p Bible Study

Thursday, September 10th

1:00p Elderberries Meet

6:30p Prayer Gathering

Friday, September 11th

6:00p Jr High Youth Night

Saturday, September 12th

1:00p Golf Outing

Sunday, September 13th

9:00a Worship

10:30a Worship

6:00p Sr High Youth Meet

LAST WEEK'S NUMBERS

Sunday, August 30, 2026

Attendance 9:00/10:30 312 / 100

General Fund

Offerings Last Week \$9338.97

Needed Weekly \$14,043.00



TODAY IN WORSHIP

September 6, 2026

Message

"Who is the greatest?"

Pastor Sean Sheppard

Scripture Reading

Matthew 18:1-14

Songs

Your Ways

Amazing Grace

How Great Is Our God

Indescribable

Great Are You Lord

Build Your Kingdom Here



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Announcements, Upcoming Events and Service Opportunities



Elderberries Meeting this month!



Promise Elderberries will meet THIS Thursday September 10, 2026, from 1:00 to 3:00 PM. We will meet in the barn, and plan to play euchre. We will also discuss plans for the group for the months of October and November. We hope you can join us.

Community of Men Bonfire Night

Join us **Monday, September 21st at 6:00 PM** at Promise for an evening of flames, fellowship, and peak backyard cuisine: brats, hot dogs, and maybe hamburgers if we're feeling bold.

RSVP so we know how many mouths we're feeding. RSVP to Mark at smittyville54@gmail.com.



Don't miss it--show up hungry, bring a friend, and come ready to laugh, relax, and leave smelling like smoke and good memories. This is one of those nights you'll wish you didn't skip.

Bible Studies

Every **Wednesday at 6:30pm** with **Pastor Sean**: Bible Study over Acts

Tuesdays | 11:45 AM-1:00 PM

Join **Pastor Scott** for a Bible study exploring the topics of Heaven & Hell during your Tuesday lunch break! Feel free to bring your own lunch. Your registration with the QR code helps us prepare the room and keep you informed if there are any changes to the schedule or timing.



Church Office Closed for Labor Day

Please note that the church office will be closed on Monday, September 7, in observance of Labor Day. Regular office hours will resume on Tuesday, September 8. Thank you, and have a safe and blessed Labor Day!

SERMON NOTES

“Who is the greatest?”

Matthew 18:1-14

PRAYER

For Healing Needs: Dan Bremer, Glen Boston, Jerry Hapke, Tammy Liggett, Jeff Reece, Sandra Shanebrook, Sandi Wolff, Anne, Asher M., Beth, Daphne, Gabe, Jeff G., Jim, Kristi, Kylie, Mike, Paula, Sara, Sean B., Toby