WELCOME

Meeting Together In Prayer

(Weekly Church Prayer Focus)

Proverbs 29:25 says, "The fear of man lays a snare, but whoever trusts in the Lord is safe." And Psalm 27:1 "The Lord is my light and my salvation—whom shall I fear?" This week, confess any ways you have lived to please people more than God. Ask God to free you from the fear of man and its snare. Pray for a deep trust in God as your light and salvation. Request courage to live boldly for Him, regardless of what others think. Ask for humility to hear God's truth and faith to obey joyfully.

THIS WEEK

TUES..... Ladies Bible Study 9:30 AM FRI..... Men's Bible Study 7 AM

NEXT SUNDAY

9:20 AM - Prayer Meeting 10:00 AM - Worship Service Sermon Text: Matthew 14:13-21

Ministry Volunteers next Sunday

Nursery: Amanda & Dirk Elings Children's Church(ages 3-5): Glenn & Stacey Steele Greeters: Garrett & Torie Grubb and boys

LOOKING AHEAD

May 25: Summer Schedule Begins June 1: Evening Service 6PM June 5: Blood Drive June 6: Celebration of life Service for Dale & Georgia Smeltzer 11 AM June 8: Worship in the Park 10 AM June 8: Church Barbecue following Worship in Park

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our <u>Summer schedule will begin Next Sunday</u>, <u>May 25</u> which means Sunday School will be taking a break until the fall and our worship service will change time. Our **Worship Service will be at 10:00 AM** instead of 10:45 AM throughout the summer. The Prayer Meeting Time will change from 9 AM to 9:20 AM.

Worship In The Park:

On <u>Sunday, June 8th</u> we'll join other local churches for a special **Worship in the Park** service. Instead of our regular Sunday gathering, we'll meet at the swimming pool park at 10 AM to worship together as a community.

Bring a *lawn chair or blanket* to sit on, and come ready for a meaningful time of music, fellowship, and encouragement from God's Word. *Pastor Josh will be one of several pastors sharing brief messages of hope and truth from the gospel* – we'd love for you to join us.

In case of inclement weather the service will be held at the Conrad High School Auditorium.

Our First Barbecue for the season will be on **Sunday, June 8th** following the Worship Service in the park. So come back to the church for food and fellowship with each other. The main dish will be provided and you are asked to bring the sides. If your last name starts with **A-L: bring a salad/side dish** and if your name starts with **M-Z: bring a dessert.**

Missionary News

We have received an update letter from Easton and Kelsey Sikes, who are missionaries with ABWE in Phnom Penh, Cambodia. They are missionaries that our church helps support. You will find their newsletter on the missionary table in the foyer, if you would like to read it.

Finances and Giving			
	March	April	YTD
Income	\$20,583	\$19,515	\$75,906
Expenses	\$14,055	\$20,549	<u>\$58,314</u>
Mission Disbursements \$2,804		\$2,404	\$10,268
Total Expenses	\$16,859	\$22,953	<u>\$68,582</u>

Church directories are located on table by the office in the lobby. **To have your name added to the church directory,** to update your contact info, or to request a **church mailbox,** please email the church office. You may also write your request on the enclosed Connection Card.

For information about our ministries, please visit CMC's website, conradmissionchurch.com or contact the church office 406.278.3553, conradmissionchurchmt@gmail.com

families with small children~We're so glad you're here! Infants and children of all ages are welcome to stay with you during the service. Or, if you prefer, we also have childcare available in the **Nursery** (down the hall, 4th door on the right), as well as **Children's Church** (ages 3-K, during the sermon). You are also welcome to use the **Family Room** located at the back of the auditorium if your child needs a little extra wiggle room. Finally, there are some **kids' activity bags** in the back of the auditorium for use during the service.

Sermon Notes

The Trap of the Fear of Man Matthew 14:1-12

CMC LEADERSHIP (2025)

PASTOR JOSH NELSON

BOARD of ELDERS Allan Underdal John Kleinsasser Glenn Steele Jay Grubb

Loren Utterback Garrett Grubb

BOARD of DEACONS

Locke Mellott Ryan Wood

ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT

Elin Hohman

CHURCH COUNCIL

Pastor, Elders, Deacons Clerk (Sharon Mellott) Treasurer (Steve Farrar) Sunday School Superintendent (Dirk Elings) Music Ministry Leader (Cynthia Grubb) Women's Ministry Representative (Samantha Alspaw)

NOMINATING COMMITTEE for 2026 Elders/Deacons:

Josh Nelson, Allan Underdal, Loren Utterback and Darla Baliko



Josh Nelson, Pastor

May 18, 2025