

**Sermon “Administration (Head)”
by Pastor Kayla Mangrich**

Sermon Title: “Administration (Head)”

Responsive Hymn

“God the Spirit, Guide and Guardian” UMH 648

Offertory

Doxology UMH 94

Prayer of Dedication

***Benediction**

Closing Hymn: “Go, Make of all Disciples” UMH 571

Postlude by Glen Haselbarth

September 13-19, 2026

Sunday

9:00am Sunday School

10:00am Worship

6:00pm Boy Scouts

Monday

Happy Birthday—Mary Nelson

7:00pm Girl Scouts

Tuesday

Happy Birthday—Elaine Curren (104)

Wednesday

Happy Birthday—Amelia Propp

7:00pm Leadership Board

Thursday

1:30pm Prayer Time

Happy Birthday—Deb Smidt

Friday

Saturday

Happy Birthday—Fred Will



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Order of Worship for September 13, 2026

16th Sunday after Pentecost

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Prelude by Glen Haselbarth

**Welcome of Guests—Greeting—
Sharing of Announcements**

1. Leadership Board meeting is Wednesday, September 16th at 7pm.
2. Youth Group September 20 at 7pm.
3. Charge Conference is at Kearney First United Methodist Church on October 18th at 3pm.
4. If you'd like to volunteer as a helper during worship service please sign up on the sheet located at the back.

Invocation

Transfer of Membership Scott Jacobsen

Opening Hymn

“The Church’s One Foundation” UMH 545

*Call to Worship

One: God calls each of us into the work of ministry.

Many: We come with different gifts but a common calling.

One: God gives wisdom to those who seek it.

Many: May our minds be attentive to God’s direction.

One: God does not ask us to carry the work alone.

Many: We will share the responsibility and encourage one another.

One: God gathers us into one body for the sake of the world.

Many: Every member is a minister, and every gift has a purpose.

One: Let us worship the God who equips and sends us.

Many: Together, we will serve the Lord!

Passing the Peace of Christ

“Where Children Belong” TFWS 2233

Young Disciple’s Lesson

Prayer Hymn: “Blest Be the Tie that Binds” UMH 557

Joys and Concerns

Silent Prayer of Confession

Pastoral Prayer

Lord’s Prayer

Preparatory Hymn

“We Are One in Christ Jesus” TFWS 2229

Scripture Proclamation read by Marilyn Rasmussen

Exodus 18:13-27

The next day Moses sat as a judge for the people, while the people stood around Moses from morning until evening. When Moses’ father-in-law saw all that he was doing for the people, he said, “What’s this that you are doing for the people? Why do you sit alone, while all the people are standing around you from morning until evening?” Moses said to his father-in-law, “Because the people come to me to inquire of God. When a conflict arises between them, they come to me and I judge between the two of them. I also teach them God’s regulations and instructions.” Moses’ father-in-law said to him, “What you are doing isn’t good. You will end up totally wearing yourself out, both you and these people who are with you. The work is too difficult for you. You can’t do it alone. Now listen to me and let me give you some advice. And may God be with you! Your role should be to represent the people before God. You should bring their disputes before God yourself. Explain the regulations and instructions to them. Let them know the way they are supposed to go and the things they are supposed to do. But you should also look among all the people for capable persons who respect God. They should be trustworthy and not corrupt. Set these persons over the people as officers of groups of thousands, hundreds, fifties, and tens. Let them sit as judges for the people at all times. They should bring every major dispute to you, but they should decide all of the minor cases themselves. This will be much easier for you, and they will share your load. If you do this and God directs you, then you will be able to endure. And all these people will be able to go back to their homes much happier.” Moses listened to his father-in-law’s suggestions and did everything that he had said. Moses chose capable persons from all Israel and set them as leaders over the people, as officers over groups of thousands, hundreds, fifties, and tens. They acted as judges for the people at all times. They would refer the hard cases to Moses, but all of the minor cases they decided themselves. Then Moses said goodbye to his father-in-law, and Jethro went back to his own country.

The Word of God, for the people of God.

Thanks be to God.