



### *Highlands Vision:*

We, the Highlands congregation, will be a church dedicated to living the gospel of Jesus Christ within our community; thus, the community will see the Highlands as a vital resource for peace, healing, and reconciliation. We will be a vibrant congregation where the dignity and worth of each person is recognized and where diversity is embraced.

We will be a loving, safe and caring community of faith and vision where each person is encouraged to use their unique gifts and talents for the building of the Kingdom, and we will utilize a variety of educational opportunities, worship experiences and fellowship activities to make disciples of Jesus Christ.

To this end, we accept the personal stewardship of this vision and give freely of our time, talents, and financial resources, as an expression of the love of Jesus Christ in our community.

## *We Believe*

That God, the foundation of our being, loves, sustains and calls us to discipleship.

That Jesus is the Christ, who for our sake lived, was crucified, died, rose from the dead, and now leads us in ministry of joy, hope, love and peace.

That the Holy Spirit is the empowering presence and breath of God, confronting and inspiring us to do God's work in the world.

That, as followers of Jesus Christ, we will share in eternal life.

## *The Sacraments*

*Baptism*

*Confirmation*

*The Lord's Supper*

*Blessing of Children*

*Ordination*

*Marriage*

*Administration*

*Evangelist Blessing*



## **Welcome**

### **To the**

# *Highlands*

## **Community of Christ**



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Dear Friends,

Thank you for sharing in worship with us today. Our fellowship is enriched by your presence, and I hope you find comfort and challenge in the ministry that is offered. We seek always to reflect the ministry of the Holy Spirit affirming Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior of all who accept Him.

The Highlands congregation of the Community of Christ is vibrant in their witness of living Christ's Mission as our Mission. All who seek peace and justice for the world are invited to join in the building of the Kingdom of God (Zion) here on earth. Jesus' coming was the beginning of a journey toward a peace in which He would have us all engaged.

We gratefully welcome you to our congregation and to the ministries of love, joy, hope, and peace which we promote in our journey toward a true community for everyone. Please come again and strengthen our fellowship as we seek such community together in the name of Jesus Christ.

Should there be some specific area of concern we can further assist you in your journey; please do not hesitate to contact us.

### **Sunday Morning Worship**

Partaking of Communion is offered the first Sunday of the month.

Breakfast 9:00am  
Sunday School 9:30am  
Worship 10:30am  
Nursery available 10:20am

### **Wednesday Evening Fellowship**

September through May  
Dinner 5:30-6:15pm  
Carpenters Kids 6:15-7:30pm (preschool-5th grade)  
Jr & Sr High 6:15-7:30pm (6th-12th grade)

All Year  
Prayer & Testimony Worship 6:30-7:15pm

### **Summer Fellowship**

Vacation Bible School  
Camps  
Reunions  
Various Youth/Congregational Activities

### **Other Ministries**

Various Youth Activities  
Senior Adults - Potluck the first Thursday of the month, 12noon at the church. Breakfast 8:30am at Perkins 6292 N Oak, the third Tuesday.  
Classic Choir - performs Sept. through May 1st. Practice Sept. through April  
Prayer Warriors and Prayer Circles  
Bible Studies  
Men & Women Ministries  
Bake Sales  
Scouting

