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WELCOME...to Remembrance Church! Please visit the Welcome Center to learn more about our ministries and to pick up a gift bag.

NURSERY...is provided for infants through children 36 months of age.

CHILDREN...age 3 through 1st grade are dismissed to “Trailblazers Worship” during the offering.

BUSY BAGS...are available for preschoolers to use during worship. They can be checked out at the Family Resource Center in the Commons.

THE FAMILY ROOM...is an alternate worship location for families with babies and young children (located in the Chapel).

CHAIR CREWS...We *do need* to stack/move chairs after the first worship service this morning, and stack chairs after the second worship service today.

SUNDAY SCHOOL...for all ages, 10:15am. *Children*, age 3 through 5th grade, meet in Basecamp, on the Upper Level”. Adults meet in the Teaching Room, on the Lower Level. Today is the last day of Sunday school for the summer.

COMMUNION...we celebrate Communion today and remember Jesus’ amazing sacrifice. *Gluten-free bread is available. The cup contains grape juice.* (Please place empty cups in the buckets by the exit doors at the end of the service.)

BENEVOLENCE OFFERING...A benevolence offering will be received this morning. This special offering helps meet current and future needs of those requesting assistance.

P R A Y E R

PLEASE PRAY...for our staff and ministries: Pastor Todd Schmidt, D.J. Olson, Dave Vander Woude, Julie Wilson, Dave & Char Alexander (Taiwan), Words of Hope (RCA).

C O M I N G U P

“STEPPING UP”...men’s study on Wednesdays, 6:30pm – 8pm. The study concludes this week.

CLASS OF 2017...we would like to acknowledge your upcoming graduation! There’s a link to a form in the Midweek News. Please complete it by May 12. Contact Katie Kragt at katiekragt@gmail.com if you have questions or need the link.

WOMEN’S MINISTRY VISION BOARD PARTY...May 17, 6:30pm – 8:30pm. Stacy Tarrh will guide an evening of casual fellowship, snacks, and creativity. There is a link to sign up in the Midweek News.

PRIMETIMERS...brunch at Pop’s Restaurant, this Wednesday, May 17, at 10:15am.

COMMUNITY MEMORIAL PICNIC...May 24, 5:30pm, picnic meal at 6pm, memorial service at 7pm. Come remember and celebrate with military honors, children’s activities and special guests.

COMPASSION EXPERIENCE...coming to Remembrance June 2 – 5. Experience the journey of children living in poverty in developing countries. Help is needed with set up and tear down. Please contact Rennae Jacobitz at 791-6226 for details.

REMEMBRANCE FAMILY

ONLINE REVEAL SURVEY... please give us your feedback on our church and on your spiritual journey. You can access the survey on the church website. If necessary, there are computers and people to assist you in the church library this morning. Please take the survey by *May 14*.

POST SERVICE PRAYER TIME...Anyone who has a prayer need is encouraged to meet with a prayer team member at the front of the Worship Center following the service.

PRAYER REQUESTS...to request prayers that will be sent out by e-mail to our prayer team, please fill out a prayer request card (Found in the Connect Pad folders. Place it in the prayer boxes on the tables in the rear of the Worship Center or at the Welcome Center), call Joy in the office, or e-mail bruggema@remembrancechurch.org.

MIDWEEK NEWS...we send out an electronic newsletter every Wednesday. If you are not receiving it and would like to, please contact the church office.

May

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The Backward Wisdom of God

May 7, 2017; 9am & 11:15am

Pastor Eric Cook

Introduction:

- The Cross is the Test of Everything.

Message: *1 Corinthians 1:18-25*

- The Message of the Cross

- The Power of the Cross

Making It Personal:

- Lead me to the Cross