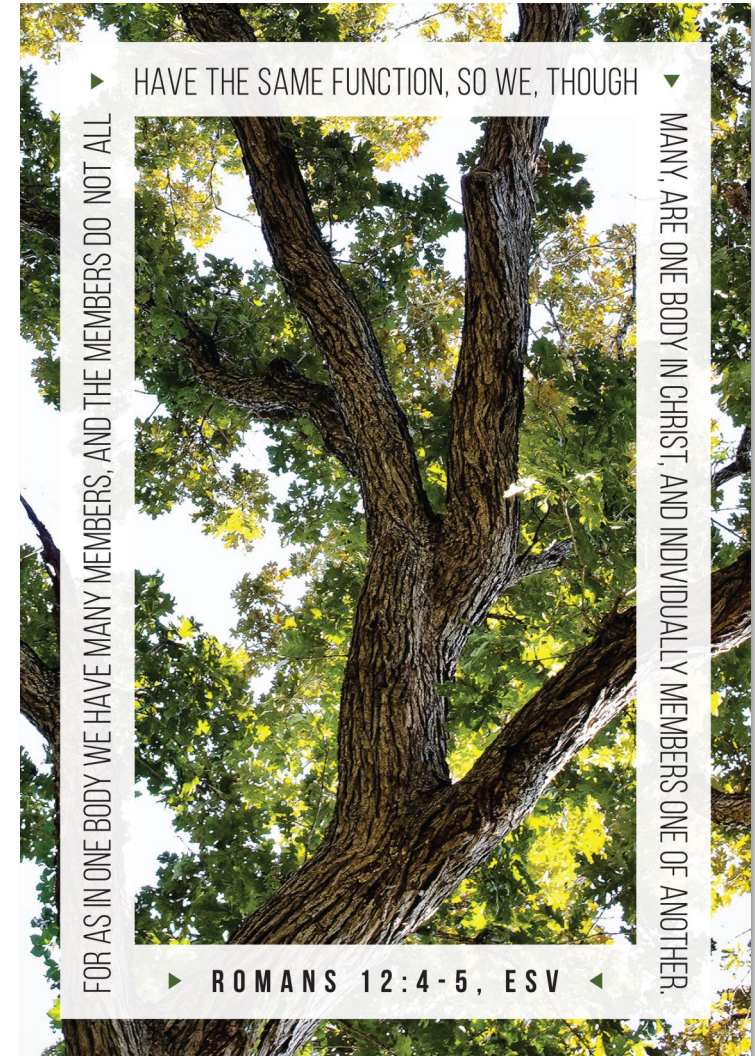




*Growing in Our Identity in Christ.*  
Ephesians 2:1-10



▶ HAVE THE SAME FUNCTION, SO WE, THOUGH ◀  
 ◀ FOR AS IN ONE BODY WE HAVE MANY MEMBERS, AND THE MEMBERS DO NOT ALL  
 MANY, ARE ONE BODY IN CHRIST, AND INDIVIDUALLY MEMBERS ONE OF ANOTHER.  
 ▶ ROMANS 12:4-5, ESV ◀

*September 15, 2024*

## Sunday School Classes

2 yrs.—5 yrs.— <i>Jesus Teaches Us</i> — Diane M. & Keshia W.—B3	HS— <i>John 1-3</i> — Chris & Julie N.—E2
K-1— <i>God's Greatness</i> — Jenny G. & Kylee N.—B6	<i>The Divided Kingdom</i> —Darren M.—E5/E6
Elem. Grades 2-4— <i>How We Got the Bible</i> — Grace H. & LuAnn M.—B1	<i>John</i> —Steve C.—E4
MS Grades 5-8— <i>Blessings from God</i> — Scot L.—E3	<i>Revelation</i> —Theo R.—Upper Room
	<i>The Engagement Project</i> — Larry & Jeanette F.—E1

## Nursery

September 15: SS—Scott & Amy V.      Worship—Rob & Tami H.  
 September 22: SS—Chad & Val M.      Worship—Dennis & Diane M.

## Offering

9/08/24:    \$5,663.15      Budget Weekly Need: \$7,867.00  
                  \$30 Missions

## Upcoming Events

Sept. 15 Dr. Paul Pettit of DTS preaching  
 Sept. 18 Wednesday Night Supper, 5:30-6:15 PM  
           1<sup>st</sup> night of Garden Kids, 6:30 PM  
           Prayer Gathering, 6:30 PM  
           YG @ Church Office, 6:30 PM  
 Sept. 19 Journey to Hope, 6:30 PM  
 Sept. 22 Skype w/ James & Angela  
 Sept. 25 Wednesday Night Supper, 5:30–6:15 PM  
           Prayer Gathering & Garden Kids, 6:30 PM  
           YG @ church office, 6:30 PM  
 Sept. 26 Journey to Hope, 6:30 PM  
 Sept. 29 Josh & Camila Goossen share during SS hour;  
           Luncheon for those interested in a Life Group

## Church Office

P.O. Box 338, 349 N. Old Hwy 81; Hesston  
 620-327-4413 | gardencommunitychurch.org

Service Schedule: SS—9:00 a.m.    Worship—10:15 a.m.

## GUEST INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Visitor for the First Time

Would like a Visit

Would like to Know More about the Church

New in the Community

\*Please place in offering



## Morning Worship—September 15, 2024

Scripture Reading—Psalm 66:8-9, 16-17

#45—Crown Him with Many Crowns

#345—What a Wonderful Savior!

Welcome & Announcements

Offering

\*Christ, the Sure and Steady Anchor

\*I Am Not My Own

**Message—God wants you ... the church needs you!**

**Romans 12:1-8**

**Dr. Paul Pettit**

\*He Is Able

\*Chorus Sheets available from ushers

Live Stream: [youtube.com/@GardenCommunityChurch](https://youtube.com/@GardenCommunityChurch)

## Prayer Requests

### Missionary of the Week:

Peter & Rachel Hansen  
Nebraska

[peter\\_hansen@ntm.org](mailto:peter_hansen@ntm.org)  
[rachel\\_hansen@ntm.org](mailto:rachel_hansen@ntm.org)



Praise:

- ◆ Steffan and Jenna's wedding was 9/07 in Albuquerque. Pray as they start married life together. They will be living in Omaha.
- ◆ 7 of our 8 sons were present. PTL for safety in travel for all.

Prayer:

- ◆ 9/16 to 9/23 Rachel and I will be in Arizona for meetings at the aviation training center.
- ◆ 9/30 to 10/04 Rachel and I will be in Missouri to connect with candidates interested in serving overseas.

- David McCloud
- Leo Miller
- Shirley Vogt
- Annika
- Karen Smithson

## Announcements

**MEET WITH PASTOR DIZZY:** Pastor Dizzy would like to meet with you and your family to get to know you better. If you would like to meet with Dizzy, please sign up on the calendar in the foyer or you can call or email the church office to schedule a time to visit.

**CHRISTMAS MUSIC:** It's still warm outside, but the Music Committee is starting to think about Christmas. We are looking for instrumentalists & singers who would be willing to share their gifts with the congregation at the Christmas Eve service. If you will be willing to participate either in a group or individually, please contact one of the Music Committee members: Jordana Goossen, Mandi Crist, LuAnn McMannis, Larry Friesen, Cherie Wohlgemuth, or Elaine Brown.

**LIFE GROUPS:** Anyone who is not currently in a Life Group, but is interested in joining one, please sign up on the welcome table in the foyer and join us for a luncheon in the fellowship hall after church on September 29<sup>th</sup>! Life Groups are a small group of individuals who gather to study God's Word while building closer relationships with each other.

### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDIES:

**Monday Evening Bible Study**—Please join us for a 7-week Bible Study (Oct 7–Nov 18) at the GCC Church Office. We will meet from 7 p.m.—9 p.m. to explore a scriptural framework for suffering, loss, & longing. There is a sign-up sheet on the Welcome Table, along with a sample book. Please sign up by September 29 so we can get books ordered. Ladies of all ages welcome!

All women are invited to join a Hebrews Bible Study. This year we will be covering chapters 9-13. The Bible study will be held at Danae's house in Moundridge on **Tuesday mornings** from 9:30—11 a.m. We will start October 1 and go through the beginning of May. No childcare is provided. Feel free to look through the notebook on the welcome table and please sign up on the sheet if interested. Please sign up by Sunday, September 22 in order to get the materials together on time. If you have any questions, please talk to Danae Pyle or Cynthia Quick.

**CHILDREN'S CHURCH SURVEY:** Parent of Garden Community Church children please fill out the survey that was sent via email this week. If you missed the survey please contact the church office for link to complete the survey.

**OUR CONDOLENCES:** We extend our condolences to Verne Goering and family in the passing of Ruth this past week. A Memorial service for Ruth will be held on Tuesday at 11 a.m.

**HESSTON RESOURCE CENTER:** For the past several years, I have had the privilege of representing Garden Community Church as a board member for the Hesston Resource Center and I want to thank all of you for your support during that time. However, after serving three terms I have decided to step down and Julia Renich has graciously accepted the nomination as my replacement. Please join me in congratulating and supporting Julia as she takes on this new role. Blessings, Sharon Smith

**THANK YOU** to everyone who prepared meals/helped serve at the New Hope Shelter. You are a blessing. Sharon Mierau

## Elder of the Week

September 15-21, Larry Friesen.....620-367-2257  
 September 22-28, Steve Crist .....785-243-6866  
 September 29-October 5, Lindley Harms .....316-283-1435  
 October 6-12, Rob Hiebert .....316-772-3283

**PRAYER CARD**

Name (Optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



Scan QR code to submit a Prayer Request digitally

