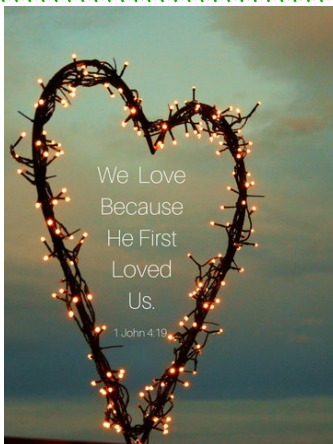


<https://bellwoodmontessori.org>

Check out the  
Montessori's new  
website!

~Grounded Youth~

Tonight at 6:30, we are  
carpooling to Hillcrest Church  
in Seward for the "We The  
Many" Christmas Concert. We  
will leave Bellwood at 6:30!



### Weekly prayer requests from Central Plains Mennonite Conference

We pray for those in our conference  
who are taking classes in seminary  
and/or exploring calls to ministry. We  
give thanks for the nudgings of the  
Spirit, and pray for fortitude and  
courage for those who are studying,  
praying, and discerning the ministries  
to which God has called them.

LOVE is patient. Love is kind.  
It does not envy. It does not boast.  
It is not proud. It is not rude.  
It is not self-seeking. It is not easily  
angered. It keeps no record of  
wrongs. Love does not delight  
in evil, but rejoices with the truth.  
It always protects. Always trusts.  
Always hopes. Always perseveres.

~ Corinthians 13:4-7

Gage Dunlap (Sun)

Donovan Steckly (Mon)

John Stauffer (Tues)

Happy Birthday

### BELLWOOD YOUTH

"MERCY ME" CONCERT @  
PINNACLE BANK ARENA ON  
MARCH 26TH, 7:00 PM

PLEASE SIGN UP BY JAN 8TH  
WITH TARA STAHL.

**Pastor Steve Griffin**

**402-646-0714**

**stephenpaulgriffin@gmail.com**

The Fathers' Love

**Bellwood Mennonite Church**

**520 South B Street**

**Milford, NE 68405**

**402-761-2709**

*Welcome to Bellwood Mennonite Church! Whether you are joining us on-site or online, we are so happy to have you worship with us today!*

**December 18, 2022**

**Prelude:** Jessica Dunlap

**Announcements &**

**Call to Worship:** Stahl Family

**Congregational Singing:** Worship team

**Prayer:** Tim Burkey

**Scripture:** Frank Steckly  
Matthew 1:18-24

**Message:** Steve Griffin  
"The Fathers' Love"

**Please drop your offering in the box at the back of the church.**

**\*\*\*\*Sunday Morning Schedule\*\*\*\***

9:15 am - Sunday School

10:00 am - Worship in Person & on YouTube Stream

What's happening at Bellwood this week:

Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup> - Church Council - 6:00 pm

Thursday, December 22<sup>nd</sup> - A.A. & Alanon - 7:30 pm

Saturday, December 24<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Eve Service - 5:30 pm

**Show the world a Jesus-looking God!**

**YOUTH SERVICE PROJECT (FOR GRADES 7-12)**

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 8 - IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING CHURCH.**

LUNCH AT LA CARETTA, FOLLOWED BY VOLUNTEER WORK AT THE ETC. SHOP IN SEWARD. (TRANSPORTATION PROVIDED.) PLEASE SIGN UP IN THE BACK OF THE SANCTUARY IF YOU ARE INTERESTED. PLEASE SEE TARA OR JESSICA WITH ANY QUESTIONS.

**Last Week: Worship Attendance 90 / Online 9**

**6<sup>th</sup> Week Budget Report**

<b><u>Budget Giving Summary</u></b>	<b><u>Last Week</u></b>	<b><u>Fiscal YTD</u></b>
Contributions	\$6,676	
School Lunch Programs	\$1000	

**Ukraine**

LORD, IN YOUR  
**mercy**  
HEAR OUR  
PRAYERS.

