

Elected Leaders in Congregations #inthisTogether

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Please come to the location and time listed below that works best for you.

Christ is with you,

Bishop Michael L. Burk

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Bettendorf, IA

Thursday, August 30, 2018
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Fairfield, IA

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