

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Week of Oct. 10, 2021

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### JOYS:

- \*Youth Group went to Wilson's Orchard last Sunday & had a great time; we're going for a hike today at Wickiup
- \*Fall Season: harvest, pumpkins, corn mazes, football games - such a nice time of year
- \*Wrapping up of fall sports as we move into winter
- \*Joy of travel
- \*ImOn Ice Arena grand re-opening
- \*First all black mountaineering group to climb Mt. Everest

### PRAYER CONCERNS:

- \*Les Minor's mother died on Tuesday; she was 102 & lived in South Dakota
- \*Perkins Professor, Dr. Billy Abraham, died unexpectedly this week
- \*Nancy Miller as she continues to recover
- \*Jim & Jan Robinson - prayers for Jan's brother in-law with a serious lung condition & was removed off life support
- \*Jan Robinson's sister's dementia, adjusting to new environment
- \*Those experiencing burnout
- \*Continued prayers re COVID & the pandemic
- \*Lebanon - central electric grid shut down after fuel shortages
- \*Mosque explosion in Afghanistan

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### UMW is hosting a "Book Swap" Thursday, October 14th, at 7:00 PM EVERYONE IS WELCOME!

Here's your chance to **SWAP** some of your *book club* books and **MEET** some new friends at the same time! Join UMW (United Methodist Women) in the Fellowship Hall on Oct. 14<sup>th</sup> for a hot cup of coffee/tea and browse the selection of books brought in to swap. If you carry in 4 books, you can pick 4 new titles to take home! Chat with other participants to get their opinions and recommendations! **If you don't have any books to swap, extra books will be available for \$1 each!**

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**CHURCH CHOIR DIRECTOR NEEDED** to work 6-8 hrs. per week; will have weekly rehearsal and Sunday worship duties. A cover letter and resume can be sent to: SPPR Committee, Lovely Lane UMC, 2424 - 42<sup>nd</sup> St. NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402.

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### CWM IS IN IMMEDIATE NEED OF Elementary Daycare (BASE) Associates

PLEASE share this need with your family and/or friends who may be interested! To ease their minds, please assure them that all children and staff are currently required to wear masks when at Lovely Lane. Contact Dawn DuPont (393-8189 or [ddupont@lovelylane.org](mailto:ddupont@lovelylane.org)), Director of Children's Weekday Ministries, if you are interested or need more information.

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**CHILDREN & YOUTH SUNDAY SCHOOL:** We have Sunday School for all ages in between our two worship services. Children and youth meet at 9:30 AM in the Fellowship Hall. Our theme is "*Beginning to learn more about Jesus and our faith lives.*" (See Adult Sunday School options next.)

**OPTIONS FOR ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL THIS FALL:** The *Faith Issues* class looks at contemporary topics and social issues of the day. Myrna Loehrlein is the leader; class members take turns teaching. This class meets in the library. The *Faith Journeys* class is focusing on the book *Words of Life: Jesus and the Promise of the Ten Commandments*, by Adam Hamilton. The Rev. Steve Pudinski is the leader. This adult class meets in Rm. 205 (1<sup>st</sup> room on the left in the education part of the bldg.).

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**KIDSClub IS IN FULL SWING!** Every week the evening begins with a family meal at 5:30 PM, followed by the Kids-Club program. Our theme this year is "Learning to Love Like God." There are stories from the Bible, singing, puppets, acting, and other fun activities! Children make new friends, friends to walk their faith journeys with as they grow.

Please fill out the registration form completely on the church website ([www.lovelylane.org](http://www.lovelylane.org)) [form is for KidsClub and Sunday School]. Early registration for the meal is appreciated (*no later than each Tuesday by noon*) in order for food quantities to be determined. The registration link is now the same for each week: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C054BA4AA22ABF49-wednesday8>.

Masks are required for the children, assistants, and for all those attending. We will be monitoring the CDC's recommendations as the year progresses.

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**WORSHIP VOLUNTEER SERVANT SIGN-UP:** With in-person worship having resumed, you're invited to sign up as a Worship Volunteer for either our 8:30 or 10:30 AM service.

Here are the direct sign-up links:

8:30 am Worship Servants Sign-Up

<https://signup.com/go/eTOpoEa>

10:30 am Worship Servants Sign Up

<https://signup.com/go/dnjpTwa>

Sunday greeters, ushers, and lectors are needed. Please check your calendar and choose a date (or dates) to serve in this important ministry. Thanks!!

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**KENNEDY H.S. PANTRY DONATIONS:** Please place the following donations in the collection tubs under the table by the church office (these are needed items that the pantry cannot get from HACAP).

**Granola Bars**  
**Cereal**  
**Snack Crackers**  
**Fruit snacks**  
**Pretzels**  
**Boxed Mac n Cheese**  
**Peanut Butter**  
**Jelly**  
**Juice Boxes**  
**Gatorade or Powerade**  
**Any & all hygiene products**  
(shampoo, conditioner, body wash,  
toothpaste, toothbrushes,  
deodorant, pads, tampons, toilet paper)

Also, E-mail [jmcattee@crschools.us](mailto:jmcattee@crschools.us) if you're able and interested in **volunteering at the pantry**, or using your van or truck to **pick up and drop off items from HACAP to Kennedy.**

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS** are 9 AM to 4 PM Mon.-Thurs., closed on Friday. Specifically, Marti's set hours are Mon., Tues. & Thurs. 9 AM-12:30 PM, with a volunteer in the church office on Weds. 9-12. Sue's set hours are Mon.-Thurs. 12-4 PM.

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO GIVE FAITHFULLY** to Lovely Lane. Offerings can be mailed to the church or made online by going to [lovelylane.org](http://lovelylane.org) for giving options. We appreciate your faithfulness in supporting LLUMC's missions and ministries.

**A SUPPLY DRIVE FOR HIS HANDS FREE CLINIC** is taking place through Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> via donation drop-off at the clinic (1245 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. SE, CR) *OR* at Thrivent Community E. Central Iowa (3349 Southgate Ct. SW, Ste. 101, CR). Donors will receive a gift while supplies last.

Needed supplies are toothbrushes, facial tissue, OTC cold/flu/allergy meds, basic oral or sticker thermometers, Post-it notes, toilet paper, and pulse oximeters.

A Drive-by Donation Drop-off takes place Monday, Oct. 18<sup>th</sup>, 5-7 PM, in His Hands' parking lot. Call 319-366-2991 for more information. No products will be sold at this event.

### HACAP VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

**Mobile Food Pantry Volunteers:** Volunteers are needed to pass out food to families driving through the pantry.

Contact Chris at [cackman@hacap.org](mailto:cackman@hacap.org) or 319-739-1505 or go to their website for more information.

## THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

### *Ministry Opportunities*

Events in Bold Face = everyone \* = childcare

#### **SUNDAY — Oct. 10<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:30 AM **Worship Service** (in person only) – Sanctuary
- 9:30 AM **Sunday School for All Ages**
- 10:30 AM **Worship Service** (in person & live stream) – Sanctuary
- 1:00 PM Youth Group (hiking @ Wickiup)

#### **MONDAY — Oct. 11<sup>th</sup>**

- 10:00 AM Happy Endings – Library
- 6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

#### **TUESDAY — Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>**

- 9:30 AM UMW Bible Study – Library

#### **WEDNESDAY — Oct. 13<sup>th</sup>**

- 9:30 AM *Online Bible Study with Scott*
- 5:30 PM Family meal – Kitchen & Fellowship Hall
- 6:00 PM Kids Club program – Misc. rooms
- 6:00 PM Bible Study with Pastor Scott – Library
- 6:00 PM Confirmation Class – Youth Room or Fireside
- 7:15 PM Bell choir rehearsal – Sanctuary

#### **THURSDAY — Oct. 14<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:00 AM Leadership Team (offsite)
- 6:00-7 PM *Nourished* Thursday Centering (@Groundswell Café)
- 7:00 PM UMW "Book Swap" – Fellowship Hall

#### **FRIDAY — Oct. 15<sup>th</sup>**

6:00-8 PM *Nourished* Fork n' Folk (@ Pastor Kristina's)

#### **SATURDAY — Oct. 16<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:30 AM Men's Breakfast Group – Fellowship Hall, Kitchen
- 10 AM-4 PM Confirmation Retreat (@ Thomas Park)
- 1:00-4 PM Celebration of Life for Al Stiers & Steve Stiers – Sanctuary, Narthex, Fellowship Hall, Kitchen

#### **SUNDAY — Oct. 17<sup>th</sup>**

- 8:30 AM **Worship Service** (in person only) – Sanctuary
- 9:30 AM **Sunday School for All Ages**
- 10:30 AM **Worship Service** (in person & live stream) – Sanctuary
- 5-6:30 PM Youth Group

## OCTOBER 10, 2021

### *Serving in Worship*

#### **Greeters**

- 8:30 – Marci Wittles
- 10:30 – Anne Craig & Andy Craig

#### **Ushers**

- 8:30 – Kathy Gilbert
- 10:30 – Scott Seibert

#### **Lectors**

- 8:30 – Myrna Loehrlein
- 10:30 – Rose Blank

#### **Preacher**

All services.....Kristina Roth-Klinck

#### **Staff**

- Lead Pastor – Dr. Scott Meador
- Associate Pastor – Rev. Kristina Roth-Klinck
- Senior Office Manager – Sue Moss
- Office Manager – Marti Bowman
- Children's Weekday Ministries Director – Dawn DuPont
- Kid's Club Director – Julie Meyer
- Christian Educator – Barb Geissinger
- High School Youth Director – Ryan Roth-Klinck
- Handbell Director – Charlie Kucera
- Organist – Dennis Ramsey
- Children's Choirs – Carla Jesse
- Nursery Team – Shelbie Wood, Tara Neveu, & Paige Gerjets
- Wedding Coordinator – Becky Wood
- Custodians – Rex & Rhonda Heasty
- Audio / Visual Coordinator – Eric Wylie
- Webmaster – Shelly Turner
- Treasurer – Marcie Stumpf
- Finance Secretary – Patty Logsdon

#### **Oct. 3, 2021 Worship (in-person)**

47 @ 8:30; 52 @ 10:30

**Total In-person Attendance = 99**

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or [www.lovelylane.org](http://www.lovelylane.org)