

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of Feb. 27, 2022

JOYS:

- *Giving thanks for Regina Culbertson & Rollo in children's time
- *Alfred thanks God for a new day
- *Birthdays for staff members: Sue Moss & Eric Wylie
- *Jayne Woodson's son found a house to rent here
- *Joy that the manager at Craft'd Coffee opened up the coffee shop after hours for Youth Group this week
- *Nourished's last series saw the highest number of attendance each week & really good intentional conversation
- *Percentage of COVID numbers and hospitalizations going down in Linn County
- *New Matthew 25 grocery store opening up at end of March
- *First black woman to be nominated to the Supreme Court
- *Ahmaud Arbery trial came to a close with justice being served

PRAYER CONCERNS:

- *Chris Budny's Aunt, Betty, passed away; sympathy to the Budny family
- *Regina Culbertson's mom, Moana, following foot surgery
- *Eric Engelmann's friend's daughter with health concerns
- *Eric Engelmann & Frank Camp have a friend in Ukraine-Stakh Vozniak & family Stakh Natalia, & Yama
- *Continued prayers for the situation in Ukraine, prayers for safety & protection
- *COVID-19 pandemic situation
- *Fires last week at Geneva Towers - prayers for the residents displaced



ASH WEDNESDAY PANCAKE SUPPER: Come and join us this Wednesday, March 2nd, for a pancake supper at 6 PM in the Fellowship Hall. Gluten-free pancakes will be available. A free-will donation will be taken; proceeds go to the Youth for their Summer Service Trip to Wichita, KS. *We would love to hear if you will be joining us for supper. Please use the RSVP on today's STUB to let us know!*

The supper will be followed by our Ash Wednesday worship service at 7 PM. Please join us for both!

LENTEN OFFERING RECIPIENTS:

Our Missions Committee has chosen the following to be recipients of this year's Lenten offering:

- 1) Matthew 25
- 2) UMCOR
- 3) Green Square Meals
- 4) Water@Work

Stay tuned for further details on each of these organizations.

SPONSOR CIRCLE TEAM: Margaret Nelson is gathering a team from Lovely Lane to partner with Friendship Force CR-IC to co-sponsor a family from Afghanistan. The US State Department is allowing US citizens to sponsor and resettle refugees in a newly developed Afghan Resettlement Sponsor Circle Program. Sponsors work on multiple teams to welcome

the newcomers into the community: welcome and local orientation, finance and employment, housing and basic needs, benefits and healthcare, and education and language. We are exploring an opportunity to "welcome the stranger".

If you're interested or have questions, sign up on the STUB. For detailed information, go to <https://sponsorcircles.org>.

CHANGE COMING FOR CHILDREN'S SUNDAY

SCHOOL: Starting next Sunday, March 6th, Children's Sunday School is moving to the 10:30 AM worship service. This will give parents the ability to worship and listen to the sermon without the added stress of keeping their children quiet and entertained. At the children's time, children will leave to go downstairs for the duration of the service.

KENNEDY COUGAR PANTRY DONATIONS: Place the following in the labeled tubs on the table outside the church office:

- Ramen Noodles
- Mac & Cheese
- Nutritious snacks (trail mix, granola bars, nuts, crackers, etc.)
- Hygiene items (toothbrushes, toothpaste, deodorant, body wash, shampoo, feminine products, laundry detergent, toilet paper, etc.)
- Non-perishable food items

Thanks in advance for donating so that no Kennedy student goes hungry at home, especially on the weekends when they're not in school!

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OPTIONS: *Faith Issues* looks at contemporary topics and social issues of the day. Myrna Loehrlein is the leader; class members take turns teaching. This class will meet back in the library starting March 6th. *Faith Journeys* is continuing their study on the book "The Lord's Prayer" by Adam Hamilton (several books still available). The Rev. Steve Pudinski leads this class that meets in Rm. 205 (first room on the left in the education part of the building).

KIDSCLUB CONTINUES! A weekly family meal is offered at 5:30 followed by a program at 6 PM. This year's theme is *Learning to Love Like God*. There are Bible stories, singing, puppets, acting, and more! Children make new friends to walk their faith journeys with as they grow.

Register online (for KidsClub & Sunday School) on LL's website (www.lovelylane.org). We request meal registration *no later than noon each Tuesday* so food quantities can be determined: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C054BA4AA22ABF49-wednesday8>.

Masks are required for children, assistants, and all attending. We'll monitor CDC's recommendations as the year continues.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY: If the CR School District cancels classes due to inclement weather, LL church activities/events will also be canceled that day. You can call the church with specific questions. If Sunday AM worship is canceled, look for the notice that should be posted on KCRG-TV (ch. 9) and KGAN-TV (ch. 2).

We will also attempt to post a notice on our website when activities are canceled or postponed.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday–Thursday: 9 AM–5 PM

Friday: **CLOSED**

PLEASE CONTINUE TO GIVE FAITHFULLY to Lovely Lane. Offerings can be mailed to the church or made online by going to lovelylane.org for giving options. We appreciate your faithfulness in supporting LLUMC’s missions and ministries.

WORSHIP VOLUNTEER SERVANT SIGN-UP: You’re invited to sign up as a Worship Volunteer at these direct links:

8:30 am [Worship Servants Sign-Up](https://signup.com/go/eTOpoEa)

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

10:30 am [Worship Servants Sign Up](https://signup.com/go/dnjpTwa)

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Sunday greeters, ushers, and lectors are needed. If you’re unable to sign up online through our website, please call the church office and Sue or Marti will sign you up online. Thanks!!

THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

Ministry Opportunities

Events in Bold Face = everyone

SUNDAY — Feb. 27th

8:30 AM **Worship Service** (in person) – Sanctuary

9:30 AM **Sunday School**

10:30 AM **Worship Service** (in person & live stream) – Sanctuary

12-2 PM Congolese congregation – Sanctuary

5-6:30 PM Youth Group – Coffee Shop Hop (meet at Craft’d Coffee)

MONDAY — Feb. 28th

9:00 AM Prayer Shawl mtg. – Library

6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY — March 1st

6:30 PM SPPRC – Library

WEDNESDAY — March 2nd Ash Wednesday

6:00 PM Pancake Supper – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen

7:00 PM Ash Wednesday Worship Service – Sanctuary

THURSDAY — March 3rd

FRIDAY — March 4th

SATURDAY — March 5th

SUNDAY — March 6th 1st Sunday in Lent

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4:00 PM *Living Last Supper Practice* – Sanctuary

FEBRUARY 27, 2022

Serving in Worship

Greeters

8:30 – Kathy Gilbert

10:30 – Patty Logsdon

Ushers

8:30 – Kathy Gilbert & Eric Stumpf

10:30 – Joy & Kent Jackson

Lectors

8:30 – Marcie Stumpf

10:30 – Helen Anderson

Preacher

Today’s service.....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 Geissing

High School Youth Director – Ryan Roth-Klinck

Organist – Dennis Ramsey

Choir Director – Nancy Patrick

Children’s Choirs – Carla Jesse

Handbell Director – Charlie Kucera

Nursery Team – Shelbie Wood, Tara Neveu & Paige Gerjets

Wedding Coordinator – Becky Wood

Facilities Manager – Curtis Thomas

Custodians – Rex & Rhonda Heasty

Audio / Visual Coordinator – Eric Wylie

Webmaster – Shelly Turner

Treasurer – Marcie Stumpf

Finance Secretary – Patty Logsdon

Feb. 20, 2022 Worship (in-person)

36 @ 8:30 & 70 @ 10:30

Total In-person Attendance = 106

YouTube views as of 2/23 (of 2/20 10:30 service) = 183

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