

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of May 22, 2022

JOYS:

*Congratulations to our High School Graduates! Very well Done, everyone!

*Congratulations to graduate, Justin Hingtgen, with Kadlec Scholarship

*Nourished will have free s'mores during Matthew 25's Mega Market on Thursday, May 26, 4-8 pm

PRAYER CONCERNS:

*Sympathy to Anita DeVries & family following the passing of her husband, Tom; services in Rock Island, IL

*Berta Mullin in hospice care

*Jim & Barbara Vancura's neighbor, Bob, with health concerns

*Alfred Zigbuo's, sister-in-law, Katie

*ReGina Culbertson with health concerns

*Marci Wittle's sister, Lela, with health concerns

*Country of Ukraine & world concerns

SUMMER WORSHIP TIME BEGINS IN ONE WEEK!!

Beginning on Sunday, May 29th, we will move to **one worship service at 9:30 AM** as our summer worship schedule begins. Please make a note of it!

SUMMER MUSIC SIGN-UP SHEET: There is a sign-up sheet located at the Welcome Center in the Narthex for summer special music. We have plenty of open dates – all we need is YOU! Summer worship at 9:30 AM begins on May 29th, Memorial Day weekend, and goes thru Labor Day Sunday, Sept. 4th. Please consider sharing your musical gifts with the congregation this summer! Thanks!!

DO YOU HAVE A SEWING MACHINE TO DONATE?

Iowa MMJ (Migrant Movement for Justice, f/k/a JFON) is looking for donations of sewing machines for a Women's Collective. A team of immigrant women have come together to form this collective to promote economic self-sufficiency and leadership development. Their goal is to provide an inclusive community and exchange knowledge, services, and skills to create better opportunities for immigrant women and their families. The first program will be a 4-week sewing course starting later this month. If you can donate a sewing machine or donate financially to help purchase machines, E-mail amurguiaortiz@gmail.com.

SUMMER STAFF/VOLUNTEERS NEEDED @ LAKE

OKOBOJI UM CAMP: Summer-long paid positions for persons 18+ years provide fun, faith-filled experiences with youth and families. Contact Eric or Kali @ 712-336-2936, or apply online at OkobojiCamp.com. For more information regarding current openings at Lake Okoboji Camp, go online to: [- United Methodist Camp & Retreat Center at Lake Okoboji Iowa \(okobojiCamp.com\)](http://UnitedMethodistCamp&RetreatCenteratLakeOkobojiIowa(okobojiCamp.com)).

REGISTER FOR THE EFY RACE! Individuals and teams can now register online for the 2022 *Especially For You* race, which will be held on October 9th. Team creation is free until

May 31st. We encourage you to create your team ASAP so your teammates can join your team when they register.

DISASTER RESPONSE TEAM LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS!

Your Pictured Rocks District Disaster Coordinators are looking for volunteers to join our district disaster response teams. With the new districting, our coverage area has grown significantly in the last year. We currently have 2 core disaster teams: our long-term recovery team that works to repair homes for those who suffered a disaster AND our chainsaw response teams which respond in the rescue and recovery phases of wind damage throughout eastern Iowa.

Volunteers of any age are needed for these vital teams. Training and equipment are provided. We have opportunities to help in any aspect of a disaster. If you'd like more details or are interested in joining, email or call a district disaster coordinator: Pastor Keith Pitts (pastorkeithp@gmail.com/319-361-4255) or Pastor Phil Rogers (okduckman@aol.com / 319-573-0589).

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL OPTIONS: *Faith Issues* meets in the library and looks at contemporary topics and social issues of the day. The leader is Myrna Loehrlein; class members take turns teaching. *Faith Journeys* meets in Rm. 205, first room on the left in the education part of the building. All are welcome!

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS: Mon.–Thurs. 9 AM–5 PM & Fri. **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: Visit our website (www.lovelylane.org) to sign up as a greeter, usher, and/or lector. The sign-up links for the 8:30 and 10:30 services are listed in the website under *Worship Servant Signup*. Please check your calendar and choose a date to serve in this important ministry!

Sue or Marti in the church office can sign you up online if you are unable to do so.

THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

Ministry Opportunities

Events in Bold Face = everyone

SUNDAY — May 22nd *Graduation Sunday*

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

9:00 AM Chancel Choir practice – Choir Room

9:30 AM **Adult Sunday School**

10:30 AM **Worship Service** (in person & live stream) – Sanctuary / **Children's Sunday School**

12:00-2 PM Congolese congregation – Sanctuary

4:00 PM New Members Class – Library

5:00 PM Youth Pre-trip Meeting – Fellowship Hall

MONDAY — May 23rd

9:00 AM Prayer Shawl Group – Library

6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY — May 24th
6:30-8 PM SPPRC – Library

WEDNESDAY — May 25th

THURSDAY — May 26th
4-8 PM Mega Market (@ Cultivate Hope Urban Farm)
6:00 PM *Nourished* Thursday Centering (@ Cultivate Hope Urban Farm)

FRIDAY — May 27th
3:30-5:30 PM *Nourished* Climate Strike (@ Alliant Tower)

SATURDAY — May 28th

SUNDAY — May 29th *Ascension Sunday / Memorial Day Weekend*
9:30 AM **Summer Worship Service** (in person & live stream) – Sanctuary
12:00-2 PM Congolese congregation – Sanctuary

Serving in Worship – May 22nd

Greeters

8:30 – Joel & Marilyn Goodman
10:30 – Mike & Karlene Nesslage

Ushers

8:30 – Phil & Shirley Martin
10:30 – Laurie Craig & Andy Craig

Lectors

8:30 – Lyn Lewis
10:30 – Marci Wittles

Preacher

Today's service.....Scott Meador

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 & Brenda Holub
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

May 15, 2022 Worship (in-person) attendance

44 @ 8:30 & 113 @ 10:30 = 157 Total

YouTube views as of 5/18 (of 5/15 10:30 service) = 78