

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of May 8, 2022

JOYS:

- *Appreciation for our mothers & the wonderful women in our lives
- *Celebrating the baptism of Madelyn Rae Worley, daughter of Brock & Rachel Worley
- *Millie Corbett with family in worship & news of grandson's engagement
- *Bill & Gloria Jahnel celebrate birth of great grandchild
- *Celebrating Julie Meyer's years serving as KidsClub Director
- *Educating ourselves about ways to support refugee families

PRAYER CONCERNS:

- *Sympathy to the family of Jean Fitz; service is on 5/11, at Cedar Memorial, 4 PM
- *Sympathy to the family of Glenn & Kim Hammer after Kim's father's passing
- *Tom DeVries hospitalized at St. Luke's
- *Rita Stewart's son, Quintin, in New Mexico with wildfires (also Rita's mother with health concerns)
- *Travis Meiborg's nephew, Maxwell
- *Emotion following the potential overturning of the Supreme Court Decision, Roe vs. Wade
- *Ukraine & world concerns

DO YOU LOVE TO COOK? CWM is looking for a summer cook to provide breakfast and lunch to approx. 50 children. The position is for 10 weeks, June 6th-Aug. 11th; it's flexible on being Mon.-Thur. or Mon.-Fri. Call Dawn DuPont (393-8189).

CELEBRATING OUR HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS: High School graduates will be recognized during 10:30 worship on Sunday, May 22. Graduates are encouraged to share photos in preparation for the day. A college scholarship is also available. Specific information was sent in the mail to graduating seniors and families; contact the church office if you didn't receive it.

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://United Methodist Camp & Retreat Center at Lake Okoboji Iowa (okobojicamp.com)).

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!

KIDSCLUB has a family meal at 5:30 PM, followed by the program at 6 PM. Our theme is *Learning to Love Like God*. Children enjoy Bible stories, singing, puppets, acting, and making new friends to walk their faith journeys with.

Register (for KidsClub & Sun. Schl.) at www.lovelylane.org. Meal registration must be made by noon each Tuesday at <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C054BA4AA22ABF49-wednesday8>.

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

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- SUNDAY — May 8th Mother's Day**
- 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
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- MONDAY — May 9th**
- 9:15 AM CWM Preschl. Graduation Practice – Choir Rm.
 - 10:00 AM Happy Endings – Library
 - 6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall
 - 7:00-9 PM CWM Board Mtg. – Fireside
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- TUESDAY — May 10th**
- 9:15 AM CWM Preschl. Graduation Practice – Choir Rm.
 - 6:30 PM VBS Mtg. – Fellowship Hall
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- WEDNESDAY — May 11th**
- 9:15 AM CWM Preschl. Graduation Practice – Choir Rm.
 - 9:30 AM *Pastor Scott's Online Bible Study*

5:30 PM Family meal – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen
6:00 PM KidsClub – Fellowship Hall et al.
6:00 PM Youth Group – Fellowship Hall et al.
6:00 PM Pastor Scott's Bible Study – Library
7:15 PM Bell choir rehearsal – Sanctuary

Treasurer – Marcie Stumpf
Finance Secretary – Patty Logsdon

May 1, 2022 Worship (in-person) attendance
57 @ 8:30 & 87 @ 10:30 = 144 Total
YouTube views as of 5/4 (of 5/1 10:30 service) = 86

THURSDAY — May 12th

8:00 AM Leadership Breakfast (offsite)
9:15 AM CWM Preschl. Graduation Practice – Choir Rm.
1:00 PM UMW Mtg. – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen
6:00 PM *Nourished* Thursday Centering (@ Cultivate Hope Urban Farm)

FRIDAY — May 13th

9:15 AM CWM Preschl. Graduation Practice – Choir Rm.
3:30-5:30 PM *Nourished* Climate Strike (@ Alliant Tower)

SATURDAY— May 14th

1:00-4:30 PM MahJong Group – Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY — May 15th

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
5-6:30 PM Youth Group Party (@ Pastor Kristina's & Ryan's house)

Serving in Worship – May 8th

Greeters

8:30 – Ron & Margaret Nelson
10:30 – Curt & Lisa Pakkebieer & family

Ushers

8:30 – Marcie & Eric Stumpf
10:30 – Gloria & Bill Jahnel

Lectors

8:30 – Ron Nelson
10:30 – Nancy Snyder

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 Geissinger
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