

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 2, 2023

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## JOYS:

- \*Worship at Coe College on 7/2 (it was a joy to come together with other churches)
- \*Pride Fest on Saturday, 7/8, at NewBo City Market from 12-6; our church will have a booth with other UMC's
- \*Youth & adults leaving on Saturday, 7/8, for their trip to the U.S./Mexico border; prayers requested for this meaningful learning experience
- \*New Member Class joins the church during the 9:30 worship service on Sunday, 7/9
- \*Vacation Bible School takes place from 7/16-7/19; each night starts at 5:30 with the theme "Hero Hotline"
- \*Kernels Baseball Outing will be Tuesday, 7/18 (Let the office know if you're interested. Tickets are \$14, with \$3 from each ticket going to missions.)
- \*Church Shower on Sunday, July 30; this is a time to bring basic church necessities to worship so we can take "a bite out of the budget"
- \*Golf Outing coming up in August!

## PRAYER CONCERNS:

- \*Jo Hoover recovering from shoulder surgery
- \*Cathy Homard recovering from cataract surgery
- \*Ted, Frank & Susan Camp's son, recovering from surgery
- \*Phillip, brother of Kathy Hartgrave, recovering from retina detachment surgery
- \*Sean, son of Curtis & Maggie Thomas, with medical school exams
- \*Those who have lost loved ones, including those lost at sea

**VBS DONATIONS:** Vacation Bible School is coming up in July! To help us decorate for the week, we are asking for donations of the following:

- Pool noodles
- Newspapers
- Old spray paint (any color)
- Old cans of spray foam
- Refrigerator boxes (or other large cardboard boxes)
- Old Christmas lights
- Old landline phones (preferably with cords)

Please only donate things you have that you no longer want. Any donations can be left in the tub located in the narthex. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Olivia Schneider via E-mail at [msoschneider3703@gmail.com](mailto:msoschneider3703@gmail.com) or via phone at (319) 573-0588. Thank you!!

**SUMMER MUSIC SIGN-UP SHEET:** There is a sign-up sheet located at the Welcome Center in the Narthex for summer special music. We still have some open dates – all we need is YOU! Summer worship at 9:30 AM goes thru Labor Day Sunday, Sept. 3<sup>rd</sup>. Please consider sharing your musical gifts with the congregation this summer! Thanks!!

**NEED TO CONTACT CURTIS THOMAS, LL FACILITIES MANAGER?** Access our new *Breeze* easy to use Facilities Work Order form by either clicking on the following

link: <https://lovelylane.breezechms.com/form/1db47c> or accessing the form through the Lovely Lane website. If using the website, click on the down arrow located on the main page, then choose Policies & Forms under the Resources tab.

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## ***NOURISHED* SEEKING ACCOUNTING VOLUNTEER:**

*Nourished* is so grateful for Lovely Lane's staff in finance for keeping track of money coming in from tithing, fundraising, and sales, and keeping our budget. We're doing great things with the Gluten Free Bakery, and it is reaching a point where we need to be more formal in bookkeeping. *Nourished* is seeking some help with accounting as it continues to expand its Gluten Free Bakery. We need help keeping track of profit and loss, inventory, and other financial matters as we continue to grow. At this time, the position would be voluntary.

Please E-mail Pastor Kristina at [kristina@nourishedcr.org](mailto:kristina@nourishedcr.org) if you have any questions, are interested, or know of anyone who would like to serve in ministry in that way.

**COUGAR PANTRY DONATIONS** will not be collected in June or July, at Kennedy or at Lovely Lane. Look for an announcement in August as to when that collection will start up.

**WE ARE, HOWEVER, COLLECTING FOOD FOR THE LINN COMMUNITY FOOD BANK IN JUNE AND JULY.**

Please place these items in the marked container in the narthex:

### **Food Staples Always Needed**

Canned items: vegetables, fruit, pork & beans, soup, tuna, chicken

Creamy peanut butter, instant mashed potatoes, pasta, pasta sauce, macaroni & cheese, saltine crackers, cereal, corn muffin mix, pancake mix

*Also toilet paper & personal hygiene products*

### **Extra Food Items Clients Love**

Canned meals: spaghetti, chili, beef stew

Boxed/packaged items: hamburger helper, ramen noodles, scalloped potatoes

Condiments: ketchup, mustard, pickles, jelly, salad dressing, mayo

Bring nothing that is perishable, expired, homemade, or in a glass container. Thank you in advance for your generosity!

**WORSHIP VOLUNTEER SERVANT SIGN-UP:** Please use the following link to sign up as a summer worship volunteer (one service @ 9:30 AM): <https://signup.com/go/NbZgWmh>. You can also visit our website ([www.lovelylane.org](http://www.lovelylane.org)) to sign up as a greeter, usher, lector, &/or communion server. The sign-up link is listed in the website under *Worship Servant Signup*. Sue or Marti in the church office can sign you up online if you are unable to do so. Thank you!!

**CHURCH OFFICE HOURS** are Mon.–Thurs. 9 AM–5 PM & Fri. **CLOSED.** Thank you for taking note of it!

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## **THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE**

**Ministry Opportunities (*Events in Bold Face = everyone*)**

**SUNDAY — July 2<sup>nd</sup>**

9:30 AM **Special Joint Worship Service @ Sinclair Auditorium, Coe College**

12:00-2 PM Congolese congregation – Sanctuary

**MONDAY — July 3<sup>rd</sup>**

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**TUESDAY — July 4<sup>th</sup>** *HAPPY FOURTH OF JULY!!*  
*Church & office closed*

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**WEDNESDAY — July 5<sup>th</sup>**

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**THURSDAY — July 6<sup>th</sup>**

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**FRIDAY — July 7<sup>th</sup>**

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**SATURDAY — July 8<sup>th</sup>**  
12-6 pm *Nourished & LL* (along with other UMCs)  
@ Pride Fest

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**SUNDAY — July 9<sup>th</sup>**  
9:30 AM In-person & live-stream Summer Worship  
(1 service)  
12:00-2 PM Congolese congregation – Sanctuary

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### **Serving in Worship – July 2<sup>nd</sup>**

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#### **Greeters, Lector, Ushers**

9:30 – n/a (combined service @ Coe)

#### **Preacher**

Today's service (combined @ Coe).....Scott Meador

#### **LOVELY LANE UMC STAFF**

##### **Administration & Worship**

Lead Pastor	Dr. Scott Meador
Associate Pastor	Rev. Kristina Roth-Klinck
Director of Media & Technology	Eric Wylie
Organist	Dennis Ramsey
Chancel Choir Director	Nancy Patrick
Handbell Choir Director	Charlie Kucera
Director of Children's Choirs	Carla Jesse
Chancel Choir Accompanist	Linda Bayliss

##### **Children & Youth**

Director of Family Ministries	Annie Walker
Director of Youth Ministries	Ryan Roth-Klinck
Nursery Caregivers	Shelbie Wood, Brenda Holub
Children's Weekday Ministries Director	Dawn DuPont

##### **Office & Facilities**

Sr. Office Manager	Sue Moss
Office Manager	Marti Bowman
Treasurer	Susan Kohl
Financial Secretary	Tammy Martin
Membership Secretary	Susan Camp
Website & Social Media	Shelly Turner
Facilities Manager	Curtis Thomas
Custodians	Rex & Rhonda Heasty
Wedding Coordinator	Becky Wood

**June 25 '23 summer worship attendance: in-person @ 9:30 AM  
= 95; no YouTube views (live-stream had technical difficulties)**