

ANNOUNCEMENTS

October 29, 2023

JOYS:

- *Trunk or Treat Event on Sat., 10/28; thanks to all who helped!
- *Stewardship Sunday focus: "Becoming a Tremendous Church"
- *Appreciation to all who completed a commitment card for 2024
- *Infant/Toddler Sunday School coming up
- *Friends of Deb Streff visiting in worship
- *Alina & Mariia, students from Ukraine, in Sunday School & worship
- *Appreciation to Friendship Force for bringing Alina and Mariia to LLUMC
- *Daylight savings time ends next weekend
- *The beauty of the fall season!
- *Prayers for a happy & safe Halloween for all!

PRAYER CONCERNS:

- *Bob & Jo Hoover's daughter, Lorinda, with surgery to remove blood clot
- *Nancy Hinkel's father, Tom Rimmer, at delicate time in life
- *Jerry & Virginia Weiland's friend, Pam, receiving hospice care
- *Mitch Turner's friend, Rick, receiving hospice care
- *Darla Reed-Tinderholt's friend, Jim, with surgery after a fall
- *Rob & Barb Olive's friend's 2-year-old daughter, Bella, with struggles
- *State of Maine following mass shootings last week
- *National & international concerns

CWM STILL NEEDS part-time daycare staff, for 6:30-9am or 3:20-5:45pm. They're also looking for substitute pre-school staff, for 9am-12pm or 12:45-3:30pm. An office assistant is also needed, 6:30am-12:45pm. Applicants must be at least 16 and pass a background check.

To apply or if you have questions, contact Children's Weekday Ministries director ASAP: Dawn DuPont (ddupont@lovelylane.org).

FALL SCHEDULE IN FULL SWING: The weekly Wednesday night family meal is at 5:30 PM, with Kid's Club following at 6 PM. Sunday worship services are @ 8:30 & 10:30 AM. There are 2 adult Sunday School classes at 9:30: Faith Issues (Library) and Faith Journeys (Rm. 204, 1st classroom on left). Sunday School for kids is after Children's Time in 10:30 worship.

homemade soups, fresh baked pies, tempting breads & desserts, peanut brittle, and fancy cookies to eat or freeze for the holidays. You'll also find holiday gnomes, beautiful quilt hangings, unique Christmas ornaments, Fair Trade items, holiday music, a casual Weds. evening baked potato or nacho bar supper, tattoos for the kids, and a photoshoot opportunity.

There will be a "Thursday Theme Table" luncheon along with a style show by Yana's Ladies Boutique in the Amanas. Tickets for the luncheon & style show are \$20 each; call Kate Buroker at 319-929-2109 to reserve a ticket or tickets.

HOPE UCC'S ANNUAL BEEF DINNER is on Sun., Nov. 5th, carry-out only, from 3:30 to 6:30 PM. The cost is \$14 for adults; a donation for children 12 & under. Enjoy roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, green beans, a roll, and dessert. Hope Church is located at 150 – 9th Ave. in Hiawatha.

KENNEDY PANTRY NEEDS DONATIONS: Food and personal care items may be placed in tubs outside the church office OR dropped off to the basket inside Kennedy's front entrance (M-F, 7:15 am-3:30 pm).

Current suggested donations: Ramen noodles, cooking oil, aluminum foil, plastic wrap, bottled water, deodorant, & toothpaste. Look on LL's website for a sign-up link to help at the Pantry.

RED CROSS CR NEEDS VOLUNTEERS IN LINN CO.: Please contact Kara Kinder @ 402-214-0898 (call or text) or E-mail her @ kara.kinder@recross.org.

CONTACT CURTIS THOMAS (LL Facilities Manager) by accessing our *Breeze* easy-to-use Facilities Work Order form. Click on: <https://lovelylane.breezechms.com/form/1db47c> or access the form thru LL's website (www.lovelylane.org); click on the down arrow on the main page, choose Policies & Forms under Resources.

WORSHIP VOLUNTEER SERVANT SIGN-UP: We need YOU to sign up to help in worship! Please use one of the following links to sign up as a worship volunteer:

8:30 Worship: <https://signup.com/go/vHHMzKm>

10:30 Worship: <https://signup.com/go/BmLsDmp>

You can also sign up thru LL's website (www.lovelylane.org) to be a greeter, usher, lector, and/or communion server on one or more Sundays. The sign-up link is listed in the website under *Worship Servant Signup*. Sue or Marti in the church office (319-393-6674) can sign you up online if you are unable to do so.

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

THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

Ministry Opportunities

SUNDAY — Oct. 29th Stewardship Sunday

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| 8:30 AM | In-person worship – Sanctuary |
| 9:00 AM | Chancel Choir rehearsal – Choir Room |
| 9:30 AM | Adult Sunday School – Library & Rm. 204 |
| 10:30 AM | In-person & live-stream worship – Sanctuary |
| 12:00-2 PM | Congolese congregation – Sanctuary
(<u>NO</u> Youth Co-op) |

MONDAY — Oct. 30th

CHRISTMAS MUSIC EXTRAVAGANZA

The CR Metro Circuit Laity is excited to host a **Christmas Music Extravaganza** @ St. Paul's UMC on Thursday, Dec. 7th, at 7 PM. Vocal/instrumental soloists or small groups, bells, kazoos, etc. are needed from each participating church to share their musical talent at this event. There will also be a CR Metro Community Choir. Contact Becky Wood if you are interested in participating and/or if you have questions (Rebecca.wood@mchsi.com).

ST. PAUL'S UMC HOLIDAY FAIR 2023 is on Nov. 1st & 2nd (3:00-7:30 PM Weds. & 10 AM-2:30 PM Thurs.) They will have



TUESDAY — Oct. 31st

6:00-8 PM *Nourished* Halloween Potluck & Party
 (@ Pastor Kristina's)

Facilities Manager
 Custodians
 Wedding Coordinator

Curtis Thomas
 Rex & Rhonda Heasty
 Becky Wood

WEDNESDAY — Nov. 1st

9:30 AM *Pastor's Zoom study*
 5:30 PM Family Meal – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen
 6:00 PM Kid's Club – Fellowship Hall et al.
 6:00 PM Confirmation – Youth Room
 6:00 PM Youth Group (@ St. Paul UMC)
 6:00 PM Pastor's Study Group – Library
 7:15 PM Bell Choir – Sanctuary

THURSDAY — Nov. 2nd**FRIDAY — Nov. 3rd****SATURDAY — Nov. 4th****SUNDAY — Nov. 5th *All Saints Sunday / Daylight Saving*
*Time ends***

8:30 AM In-person worship – Sanctuary
 9:00 AM Chancel Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
 9:30 AM Adult Sunday School – Library & Rm. 204
 10:30 AM In-person & live-stream worship – Sanctuary
 12:00-2 PM Congolese congregation – Sanctuary
 Time TBD Youth Co-op (Service project, location TBD)
 5:30-7:30 PM Charge Conferences (LL et al.) – Sanctuary
 & Fellowship Hall

Serving in Worship – Oct. 29th**Greeters**

8:30 – Nancy & Dave Wittenburg
 10:30 – Jim & Trish Palmer

Lectors

8:30 – Travis Meiborg
 10:30 – Helen Anderson

Ushers

8:30 – Myrna & Jim Loehrlein
 10:30 – Mike & Becky Wood

Preacher

Both services.....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	Tara Neveu (lead) Brenda Holub, Paige Gerjets & Claire Van Erde-Wyk
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