

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

March 2, 2025

### JOYS

- \*Happy birthday to Sue Craig and Andy Craig
- \*Happy 23rd birthday to Jaired Lyons
- \*Support and love for the transgender community
- \*Curtis Thomas recovering well from back surgery
- \*Maggie Thomas's great nephew doing well after procedure
- \*Ron Malick and Belinda Muller recovering well from knee surgeries
- \*Pastor Kristina's brother-in-law, Sheldon, becoming a U.S. citizen
- \*Appreciation for help moving Nourished member, Damian, to his home state
- \*Nourished Lenten study on the risk of being "woke"
- \*Nancy Patrick celebrates birth of new great niece
- \*Transfiguration Sunday and Lenten season coming up
- \*Ash Wednesday worship this week at 7:00 pm

### CONCERNS

- \*Persons impacted by state legislation to remove civil rights protections
- \*Phil and Shirley Martin's sons experiencing various challenges
- \*Country of Ukraine following complications and challenges last week
- \*Lynn Heidt at St. Luke's Transitional Care Center
- \*Sympathy to Justin and Melissa Davis after passing of Melissa's cousin's daughter, Kelli
- \*John Roland's uncle, Tommy, with health concerns and surgeries coming up
- \*Darwin and Pam Moore's daughter-in-law, Lee Ann, with kidney cancer
- \*Darwin and Pam Moore's cousin, Lori, with reoccurring breast cancer
- \*Sharon Vavra's cousin's family with daughter facing cancer challenges
- \*Dan and Kim Moore's neighbor, Larry, receiving hospice care
- \*Family and community of child who died of measles in Texas
- \*Parents of young children needing to make informed decisions
- \*Pastor Kristina's colleague in ministry with a biopsy coming up
- \*Ongoing national and international concerns

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**HAND BELL LOVE OFFERING** - The hand bells team at Lovely Lane, AcabeLLa, recently purchased five used bells from a church in Florida. The new bells allow the choir to ring with a greater range of sound. The bells match the existing set. The cost of the bells was \$2,500. If you would like to contribute to the cost of the bells, that would be greatly appreciated. Checks can be written to the church with "New Bells" on the memo line. Contributions can be made online at [Give Online](#) and select "Give to New Bells." Thank you!

**HANDBELL REHEARSAL** – AcabeLLa Bell Choir will have a rehearsal on **Thursday, March 6 from 7:00 – 8:30.**

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**ASH WEDNESDAY** – Please join us for a pancake supper at **6:00 pm** and worship service at **7:00 pm on Wednesday, March 5.** All regular Wednesday evening activities will **not** be held on Ash Wednesday.



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**PUZZLE & PIE PALOOZA UPDATE** – Come and celebrate Pi Day with the Health & Wholeness Committee. The committee will have identical puzzles for groups to complete. Groups will compete for pie and gift cards. Pie and drinks will be served as well, by committee members. **Friday, March 14, at 7:00 pm** in the fellowship hall.

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**MEN'S BREAKFAST IN MARCH** – Join us for an hour-long Dementia Friendly Learning Session to learn more about how to support friends and loved ones on their journey. Lindsay Glynn, Director of Operations at Meth-Wick Community will be the speaker. Lindsay has worked in the aging services field for over 20 years assisting individuals with Alzheimer's and their family members. **Saturday, March 22, 8:30 am** in the fellowship hall. All are welcome!

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**FIFTH SUNDAY POTLUCK** – **Sunday, March 30** - Please join us in the fellowship hall following 10:30 worship service for a delightful culinary gathering. We encourage everyone to bring a dish that they love and would like to share. It can be an appetizer, main course, or dessert. Drinks will be provided. We look forward to seeing you all there and tasting the wonderful dishes you will bring. Let's make this potluck lunch a memorable and delightful event for everyone. Please contact Judy McDowell at [jmcdow51@aol.com](mailto:jmcdow51@aol.com)

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**SCIENCE AND RELIGION LECTURE – SAVE THE DATE** Our first annual Science and Religion Lecture will take place on **Tuesday, April 29, at 7:00 pm** in the sanctuary. The speaker is Dr. Adam Meyers, Assistant Professor of Philosophy at Mount Mercy University. The lecture series is funded with memorial money in memory of long-time church member, Jack Murphy.

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**HELP WANTED AT CHILDREN'S WEEKDAY MINISTRIES** – CWM currently has an opening for someone to eat lunch with and to supervise a small group of 4-year-olds from 11:45 to 12:45 pm Mondays and Wednesdays. This could be a volunteer position or a paid position. Please contact Dawn DuPont, (319) 393-8189.



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**LOVELY LANE AND INSTAGRAM** - Lovely Lane now has an Instagram account. Find and follow us at: [www.instagram.com/lovelylaneumc](http://www.instagram.com/lovelylaneumc)

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## This Week at Lovely Lane

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### Ministry Opportunities

#### Sunday – March 2 – *Transfiguration Sunday*

8:30 AM Worship – In person  
9:00 AM Choir Rehearsal  
9:30 AM Adult Sunday School  
10:30 AM In-person & livestream worship  
10:45 AM Children’s Sunday School  
12:00 PM Congolese congregation  
2:00 PM AirFX Trampoline Park Family Fun

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#### Monday – March 3

6:30 PM Scouts Troop 766 (Fellowship Hall)

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#### Tuesday – March 4

6:30 PM SPPRC (Library)

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#### Wednesday – March 5

9:30 AM Zoom Book Study  
12:00 PM Women’s Book Study (Fireside Room)  
6:00 PM Pancake Supper  
7:00 PM Ash Wednesday Worship Service

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#### Thursday – March 6

7:00 PM Bell Choir Rehearsal

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#### Friday – March 7

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#### Saturday – March 8

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#### Sunday – March 9 - *First Sunday in Lent*

8:30 AM In-person worship  
9:00 AM Choir Rehearsal  
9:30 AM Adult Sunday School  
10:30 AM In-person & livestream worship  
10:45 AM Children’s Sunday School  
12:00 PM Congolese congregation

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If you have not already checked in and printed a name tag, please let us know you are here today and use this QR code to register your attendance.

To use a QR code, scan it with your phone's camera and then follow the instructions that appear on your screen:

- Open your phone's Camera app
- Point the camera at the QR code so it's in focus
- Wait for your phone to recognize the code
- Tap the notification or icon that appears on your screen
- Follow the instructions to open the link associated with the QR code, fill out the form and submit.



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## Assisting in Worship – March 2

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### Communion Servers

8:30 am – Kevin Crist & Wilma Parsons  
10:30 am – Rev. John & Bobbie O'Bryon

### Greeters

8:30 am – Travis Meiborg  
10:30 am – Teri Krumm, Natalie Krumm,  
Heather Leske & Harrison Leske

### Lector

8:30 am – Travis Meiborg  
10:30 am – Stephanie French

### Ushers

8:30 am – Phil & Shirley Martin  
10:30 am – Kent & Joy Jackson

### Acolyte

10:30 am – Ava Maher

### Preacher

Pastor Scott Meador

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## Lovely Lane UMC Staff

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### 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 Caregiver Lead	Tara Neveu
Nursery Caregiver	Paige Gerjets
Nursery Caregiver	Hailey Ryan
Nursery Caregiver	Brooke Johnson
Director of CWM (Children’s Weekday Ministries)	Dawn DuPont

### Office & Facilities

Office Administrator & Finance Sec.	Tammy Martin
Office Assistant	Marti Bowman
Treasurer	Susan Kohl
Membership Secretary	Susan Camp
Website & Social Media	Shelly Turner
Facilities Manager	Curtis Thomas
Custodians	Rex & Rhonda Heasty
Wedding Coordinator	Becky Wood

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### Church Office Hours

Monday – Thursday  
9:00 am to 5:00 pm

Friday – Closed

Office Phone (319) 393-6674