

ANNOUNCEMENTS

for the week of Nov. 8th

Prayer Concerns:

- *Barb Geissinger - cataract surgery on both eyes
- *Cathy Weber - serious back issues, undergoing tests and scheduled to see a surgeon
- *Susie Gould - back issues

Joys:

- *22 health kits completed for the Ingathering (\$264 value)
- *LL Care & Concern Card Ministry is thriving!

NEW MEMBER CLASS COMING! If you're interested in learning more about Lovely Lane and church membership, sign up on the STUB and Pastor Gayle will contact you. The next set of 2 required classes will be on Sun., Jan. 24, 2016, at 9:15 & 11:30 AM - child care and lunch provided!

BLUE ZONE SAYS: Protect your neck. Pay attention to your posture when reading a book, using a mobile phone or tablet today. Tilting your head down over long periods of time puts a lot of extra pressure on your neck which over time can lead to headaches and neck pain. Adjust your posture by bringing your book or device to eye level and raise your chin so it is parallel to the floor.

ADULT EXPLO began a new study last Wed.: "What's the Least I Can Believe and Still Be a Christian? A guide to what matters most" by Rev. Martin Thielen. Sign up on the STUB if you'd like a book for Wed. nights @ 6 PM!

FAITH ISSUES: On Nov. 8, 15 & 22, Margaret & Ron Nelson will introduce *modern peacemakers* for discussion: Gandhi, Martin Luther King, Dorothy Day, Cesar Chavez, and Desmond Tutu. Each of these individuals have influenced the spiritual development of Richard Rohr, O.F.M., a Franciscan friar, author, and international speaker who shared this most recently in his Daily Meditations. We will use the spiritual discipline of prayer and contemplation to learn more about our own ability to become peacemakers in our family, community and world.

Decorating the Church - Nov. 22nd

Come join us after 10:30 worship on Sunday, Nov. 22nd, as we decorate the church for Christmas! Everyone is welcome—children, youth, and adults of all ages! Please sign up on the STUB in worship and plan to bring your own table service and a potluck dish to share! *Come One, Come All, and Decorate the Halls!!!*

UMW'S BAKE SALE is on Sunday, Nov. 22nd, between worship services. Donations of breads, cookies, cakes, pies, and candies will be greatly appreciated; please bring priced baked items to the church narthex. Sale proceeds will help support UMW's mission projects.

This will be a good time to pick up some delicious baked goods. We hope that you help make this sale a success!

CONSTRUCTION MISSION TRIP TEAM: A U.M. construction mission trip team going to Honduras Jan. 15-29, 2016, is looking for more people. They'll be working on a

fairly new church building and doing ladies ministries, sewing, VBS, etc. Cost is approx. \$2,000/person. Contact Clay Eakins (641-208-6496; ceakins06@gmail.com).

CHURCH CONFERENCE 2015: Rev. Jerry Oakland will lead our annual Church Conference (*A Piece of the Puzzle*) after a noon meal next Sunday, Nov. 15th. We'll celebrate how far we've come with our 2015 ministry goals and announce our new 2016 goals. Sign up on the STUB!



WE'LL HAVE OUR 1ST "READ & FEED" FOR 2015 this Friday, Nov. 13th. We can have 12-15 children, Kindergarten thru 3rd grade participate. Please sign up on the STUB if you have a child who will attend or a 4th-6th grader who'd like to be a helper/reader at the event.



CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS PROGRAM PLANS are in progress for Dec. 13th during 9:15 worship. *The First Christmas* is based on scripture from the Gospels of Luke and Matthew. The story will be presented in pictures to be taken in various locations during the month of November. Those pictures plus songs, scripture, and narration will be used to tell the wonderful news of Jesus' birth.

We need to know WHO'D LIKE TO BE IN THE PICTURES! We'll need kids costumed and posed as Mary, Joseph, Augustus Caesar, shepherds, angels including Gabriel, King Herod, 3 kings, and an innkeeper and his wife. If your child/ren wish to participate, contact Mrs. G (393-6674 or christianedu@lovelylane.org) or Carla Jesse (campcarlaj@yahoo.com) ASAP! All of our children's Sunday School classes will be singing during the program.

CALLING ALL YOUNG MUSICIANS!! This year we will again have a Family Friendly 5 PM Christmas Eve worship service! I'd like to invite any young musicians who might be interested in playing/singing for that service to contact me! You can sign up on the STUB or send me a message at gaylew@lovelylane.org. I look forward to hearing from you! *Pastor Gayle*

LOOKING FOR 9:15 LECTORS: If you attend the 9:15 service and would like to be on the list to read scripture, please contact Dee Lubahn (coreysangel07@yahoo.com). Thank you in advance for serving your church in this way!

A CAREGIVER WELLNESS DAY ("Solutions for the Family Caregiver—Tools You Can Use") is on Nov. 12, 1-7:30 PM, at the Kirkwood Training & Outreach Center (3375 Armar Dr., Marion). This free event is sponsored by The Heritage Agency, Guaranty Bank, and AARP. Register @ <https://aarp.cvent.com/CaregiverDayMarion>.

PRAIRIEWOODS HOLIDAY BAZAAR is on Saturday, Nov. 21, 8 AM–1 PM, featuring many handcrafted items for sale. (Prairiewoods is @ 120 E. Boyson Rd., Hiawatha.)

THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

Ministry Opportunities

Events in Bold Face = everyone * = childcare

SUNDAY — Nov. 8

8:00 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
 9:00 AM **Fellowship*** – Fellowship Hall
 9:00 AM Chancel Choir – Choir Room
 9:15 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
 9:15 AM **Adult Sunday School***
 9:15 AM **Children’s Sunday School***
 10:30 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
 10:45 AM **Children’s Sunday School** – F’ship Hall
 2:00 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall
 6:00 PM Sr. High Youth Group (@ Ben Oliver’s)

MONDAY — Nov. 9

9:00 AM ESL (English as a Second Language) – Lib.
 10:00 AM Happy Endings – Library
 6:00 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

TUESDAY — Nov. 10

9:30 AM UMW Bible Study – Fireside
 3:30 PM Lego Robots – Youth Room
 6:00-9 PM Cooking prep. for Wed. eve. – Kitchen
 6:30 PM Mental Health Support Group – Study
 6:45 PM Women’s Study – Library

WEDNESDAY — Nov. 11

12:00 PM Women’s Study – Library
 4:50 PM Youth Bells – Sanctuary
 5:30 PM Family Meal – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen
 6:00 PM Kid’s Club – FH, Rms. 204, 103 & 101
 6:00 PM M.S. Youth / Confirmation – Yth. Rm. / 202
 6:00 PM Disciple IV – Library
 6:00 PM Adult Explo – Fireside
 7:30 PM SPPRC – Youth Room

THURSDAY — Nov. 12

6:45 AM-4:30 CWM Preschl. Fall Conferences – Study
 7:00 AM Leadership Breakfast (@ Panera’s)
 1:00 PM UMW Meeting – Fellowship Hall
 3:30 PM Lego Robots – Youth Room
 5:30 PM SOS Bible Study – Library
 6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall
 6:45 PM Handbells – Sanctuary

FRIDAY — Nov. 13

6:45 AM-4:30 CWM Preschl. Fall Conferences – Study
 9:00 AM ESL – Library
 6:00 PM “Read & Feed” – Library

SATURDAY — Nov. 14

8:30 AM-5 Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

SUNDAY — Nov. 15 *Church Conference Sunday*

8:00 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
 9:00 AM **Fellowship*** – Fellowship Hall
 9:00 AM Chancel Choir – Choir Room
 9:15 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
 9:15 AM **Adult Sunday School***
 9:15 AM **Children’s Sunday School***

10:30 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
 10:45 AM **Children’s Sunday School** – F’ship Hall
 12:00 PM MEAL & CHURCH CONFERENCE – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen
 3:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall
 6:00 PM Sr. High Youth Group – FH & Youth Rm. (preceded by leaf raking @ 3:30 PM)

Nov. 8, 2015

Serving at Worship...

Preacher

All services.....Pastor Paul Wilcox

Liturgists

8:00.....Myrna Loehrlein
 10:30.....Frank Camp

Lectors

8:00.....Nancy Miller
 9:15.....Marcie Wittles
 10:30.....Helen Anderson

Greeters

8:00.....Dave & Linda Keefe
 9:15.....Deb & Randy Noecker
 10:30.....Richard & Velma Rainville

Ushers

8:00.....Al Stiers & Jayne Woodson
 9:15.....Deb & Randy Noecker
 10:30.....Brian & Michele Haines, Barb Mussman

Acolytes

8:00.....Ryan Stumpf
 9:15.....Mason Turner
 10:30.....Brooke & Morgan Johnson

Staff

Lead Pastor.....Paul Wilcox
 Associate Pastor.....Gayle Wilcox
 Office Manager.....Sue Moss
 Director Children’s Weekday Min.....Carolyn Barnes
 Youth Director/Kids’ Club.....Jenny Seylar
 Christian Educator.....Barb Geissinger
 Choir Director.....K. Weiler
 Organist.....Dennis Ramsey
 Children’s Choirs.....Carla Jesse
 Director of Handbells.....Gayle Wilcox
 Nursery Team.....Shelbie Wood, Tara Weber,
 Holly Hasenbank, & McKenna Woods
 Wedding Coordinator.....Becky Wood
 Custodians.....Rex, Rhonda, & Jessica Heasty
 Audio/Visual Coordinator.....Eric Wylie
 Webmaster.....Shelly Turner
 Treasurer.....Marcie Stumpf

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Presence at worship: Sunday, Nov. 1st

60 (8:00), 74 (9:15) & 177 (10:30), Total = 311