

## ANNOUNCEMENTS for the wk. of June 11<sup>th</sup>

### Prayer Concerns:

- \*Karon Niebuhr – recovering from hospitalization
- \*Judy McDowell's mother, Virginia – recovering from and undergoing tests after a TIA; Judy has travelled to be with her

### Joys:

- \*The flowers at the front of the sanctuary today are to celebrate Bev & Gene Kadlec's 65<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary on 6/14
- \*Our first all-together Summer Service @ 9:30 AM last Sunday was very well-attended

**THANK YOU, HARRY WIDMER!** For the past 18+ yrs., Harry has delivered Lovely Lane Food Basket items to the Linn Community Food Bank at 1st Presbyterian Church (downtown CR). Now he's moving on to new things! We're looking for someone to carry on this important ministry that helps to feed our community. Here's how it works:

- \*At the end of the month, come to church and pick up filled bags (bags available in LL kitchen if needed) with donated groceries
- \*Count the # of bags filled and give an estimated value (usually \$10 or so); record those on the small clipboard in the Food Basket
- \*Deliver bags of non-perishables to 1<sup>st</sup> Pres. which houses LCFB
- \*The Food Bank receives items Mon.-Fri. 8-10 AM (Food distribution takes place in the afternoons)

*As they say, 'easy-peasy'!*

Please sign up on the STUB if you're interested and we'll check back with you. We would welcome one or multiple volunteers!

Thank you, Harry, for your faithful ministry, and Best Wishes on your new adventures!!

**CARDS FOR CAMPERS:** Lovely Lane kids would *love* to hear from you while they're @ camp! Pictured Rocks' address is 12004 190<sup>th</sup> St., Monticello, IA 52310.

**CAR WASH CLEANS UP!** Thank you for making the youth car wash a big success! With the proceeds we'll be able to rent a 15-passenger van for our Colorado trip. Thanks, Lovely Lane!

**PRESCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP SPECIAL OFFERING ON FATHER'S DAY, JUNE 18<sup>TH</sup>:** NEXT Sunday we'll receive a special offering that's near and dear to every parent's heart: Scholarships to Preschool for 2 & 3 year olds. Every year Lovely Lane and Trinity Lane Preschools extend learning, nurture, and love to the very children who most need it and can least afford it. Let's help them touch a life!

**TAI CHI/QI GONG SESSIONS** continue on June Mondays at 5:15 PM in Fireside. So, put on comfortable clothes and join us! Call/text Linda Keefe (319-551-7783) with any questions. (*Tai Chi emphasizes slow, gentle movements and controlled breathing, and Qi Gong is a gentle form of Tai Chi.*)

**SUMMER GAMES FOR YOUTH:** Lovely Lane sponsors this summer youth get-together each Wed. from 6-7 PM. Anyone from grades 12<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> is welcome and so are your friends! We play games for 45 mins. and then cool down with treats and highs/lows, concluding with a prayer. Summer Games runs June 14<sup>th</sup>-Aug. 16<sup>th</sup>. Join us for fun plus time to get to know fellow LL youth and to share your summer adventures.

**CPR & AED PRESENTATION-SUNDAY, JUNE 25<sup>TH</sup>:** Our church has an AED, but do you know where it is or how to use it? We'll have a Family Hands-Only CPR & AED presentation from St. Luke's on Sun., June 25th, after church in the Sanctuary. Please plan to attend this short presentation so you'll be better prepared in case of an emergency! Sign up on the STUB to attend and please note if you'll need nursery.

*Sponsored by LL's Health & Wholeness Committee*

**HABITAT FOR HUMANITY BUILD:** Habitat has a no. of homes they're building for the homeless here in CR, but there's a shortage of workers on weekdays. So, some LL retirees have come to the rescue and will work **a weekday morning each month with them.** To help, contact Les Minor ([lminor@imonmail.com](mailto:lminor@imonmail.com)).

**4<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY SUMMER BRUNCHES AFTER WORSHIP** will be simple continental style with rolls, coffee cakes, breads, yogurt or fresh fruit, coffee, juice and milk. Dates & hosts:  
**June 25<sup>th</sup>**—SPPRC (fruit or yogurt), Trustees (juice & milk, help clean up), Education Committee (cakes, muffins, breads, etc.)  
**July 23<sup>rd</sup>**—Ad Council (cakes, muffins, breads, etc.), Finance (juice & milk, help clean up), UMW (fruit or yogurt)  
**August 27<sup>th</sup>**—Health & Wholeness (cakes, muffins, breads, etc.), Missions (juice & milk, help clean up), Hospitality (fruit or yogurt)



**SNAP – FUN – COOL...**

### **JULY 16-20 VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL!**

**\*11:30 AM to 2 PM on Sun., July 16<sup>th</sup>,  
& the remaining days from \*5:30 to 8 PM**  
(\*meal followed by program)

*This year's theme is "Hero Central –  
Discover Your Strength in God!"*

Go to <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2017-vbs-hero-central-discover-your-strength-in-god-sun-july-16-thu-july-20-tickets-33384653397>, to LL's website ([www.lovelylane.org](http://www.lovelylane.org)), or look for registration forms in the narthex.

**BLUE ZONE SAYS–Take 5.** Inhale thru your nose as you count to 5, then exhale thru your mouth to a count of 5; repeat 9 more times. Counting brings your awareness to your breath. Slow, controlled breathing can bring calm and relaxation.

**FALL CLASSES - Basic and Advanced Lay Servant Training @ Anamosa, 1<sup>st</sup> UMC:** Classes are Fri., Sept. 1<sup>st</sup>, 6:30 PM-9 PM, and Sat., Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9 AM-3 PM. Cost is the price of the book and a donation to be collected for the noon meal at the church on Sat.; lodging and other meals are on your own. *To register for classes, click on [Basic Lay Servant](#) or [Advanced Lay Servant](#).*

**WOMEN AT THE WELL REENTRY WORKSHOP @ ST. PAUL'S UMC JUNE 25<sup>TH</sup>:** This is a training to develop reentry programs in the E. Central District for women leaving Mitchellville to return to the area. Join in a meal and conversation from 1-2 PM to learn more about WATW's reentry program; stay till 5 PM if you're interested in starting a program @ LL. If you sign up on the STUB, we can RSVP as a group.

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## THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

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### ***Ministry Opportunities***

Events in Bold Face = everyone \* = childcare

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#### **SUNDAY — June 11** *Annual Conference Sunday*

- 9:30 AM **All-Together Worship Service\*** –  
Sanctuary  
10:30 AM **Fellowship** – Fellowship Hall

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#### **MONDAY — June 12**

- 10:00 AM Happy Endings – Library  
5:15 PM Tai Chi class – Fireside  
6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

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#### **TUESDAY — June 13**

- 6:30 PM Mental Health Support Group – Study

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#### **WEDNESDAY — June 14**

- 6:00 PM Summer Games – Outside or Fellowship  
Hall (in case or rain)  
7:30 PM SPPRC – Library

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#### **THURSDAY — June 15**

- 5:30 PM Yoga – Youth Room  
6:45 PM Trustees – Library  
7:00 PM Committees  
7:50 PM Ad Council – Library

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#### **FRIDAY — June 16**

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#### **SATURDAY — June 17**

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#### **SUNDAY — June 18** *Father's Day & Special Offering for Preschool Scholarships*

- 9:30 AM **All-Together Worship Service\*** –  
Sanctuary  
10:30 AM **Fellowship** – Fellowship Hall

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## June 11, 2017

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### ***Serving at Worship...***

#### **Greeters**

9:30.....Jayne Woodson & Al Stiers

#### **Ushers**

9:30.....Joel & Marilyn Goodman, Barb Geissinger

#### **Acolytes**

9:30.....*Ushers*

#### **Lector**

9:30.....Jayne Woodson

#### **Message**

9:30.....Marci Wittles & Cathy Weber

#### **Liturgist**

9:30.....Kathy Gilbert

#### **Staff**

Lead Pastor.....Paul Wilcox  
Associate Pastor.....Gayle Wilcox  
Office Manager.....Sue Moss  
Director Children's Weekday Min...Carolyn Barnes  
Youth Director.....Paul Wilcox  
Kid's Club Director.....Julie Meyer  
Christian Educator.....Barb Geissinger  
Choir Director.....K. Weiler  
Choir Assistant / Accompanist.....Reagan Linder  
Organist.....Dennis Ramsey  
Children's Choirs.....Carla Jesse  
Director of Handbells.....Gayle Wilcox  
Nursery Team.....Shelbie Wood, Tara Neveu,  
& Paige Gerjets  
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 summer worship on June 4<sup>th</sup> = 220