

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## for the week of June 18<sup>th</sup>

### Prayer Concern:

\*Upcoming HS adventure trip to Colorado – youth & counselors

### Joys:

\*Last Sun.'s worship leaders did a *great* job; special thanks to Marci Wittles for writing the skit she & Cathy Weber presented

\*Updates from the Iowa Annual Conference last weekend:

**Mission of the IAC:** Inspire, equip and connect communities of faith to cultivate world-changing disciples of Jesus Christ.

**Vision of the IAC:** God's hope for the world made real through faithful leaders, fruitful communities, and fire-filled people.

**Wildly Important Goal (WIG):** Each church will establish a WIG for "intentionally forming disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world by the year 2020."

\*Our summer campers (Connor Culbertson, Carly Pulju, Kyla & Leah Mulnik, Mara Budny) & LL youth on their CO trip

### PRESCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS SPECIAL OFFERING: Today

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!

**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 downtown. 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:

\*Come to church once a month and pick up filled bags with donated groceries

\*Count # of bags and give an estimated value (usually \$10 or so); record on small clipboard

\*Deliver bags to LCFB Mon.-Fri. 8-10 AM

Please sign up on the STUB if you're interested.

Thank you, Harry, for your faithful ministry!

**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.

**SUMMER GAMES FOR YOUTH:** Lovely Lane sponsors this summer youth get-together each Wed. from 6-7 PM. Any-one from grades 12<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> is welcome and so are your friends! We play games for 45 mins., cool down with treats and highs/lows, and conclude with a prayer. LL 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-SUN., 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 in the Sanctuary NEXT Sunday after worship. Please plan to attend this short presentation so you'll be better prepared in case of an emergency! Please sign up on the STUB to attend and note if you'll need nursery. *Sponsored by Health & Wholeness*

**REV. DR. JILL SANDERS APPOINTED SR. PASTOR @ COLLEGIATE UMC/WESLEY FOUNDATION IN AMES:** Bishop Laurie Haller has appointed EC District Field Outreach Minister, Jill Sanders, as senior pastor of Ames Collegiate UMC, beginning July 1. Jill has been a Field Outreach Minister (or 1 of its predecessor titles) for 17½ yrs. and is a skilled preacher, leader, and visionary. Her gifts will be invaluable at Ames Collegiate Wesley Foundation.

*A celebration of Jill's ministry and "farewell" party will be held NEXT Sunday here at Lovely Lane from 4:00-7 PM. Please stop in to wish Jill blessings on her new adventure!*

### **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.

### **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. The dates & hosts are as follows:

**June 25<sup>th</sup>**—SPPRC (fruit or yogurt), Trustees (juice & milk, help clean up), Education Comm. (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—Say bye-bye to impulse buys.** Look thru your Inbox, find a store that bombards you with online sales, and *unsubscribe* from their list. By never seeing the *deal*, you're less likely to buy something you may not really need.

### **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 collected for the noon meal at the church on Sat.; lodging and other meals are on your own. To register, go to <http://eastcentral.iaumc.org> and click on the applicable training under the District Calendar (towards the upper right).

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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 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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**MONDAY — June 19**

5:15 PM Tai Chi class – Fireside  
6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

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**TUESDAY — June 20**

10:30 AM-5 PM JFON Office Hours– Fireside  
5:00-8 PM JFON Clinic – Fellowship Hall, Kitchen  
& Narthex

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**WEDNESDAY — June 21**

9:30 AM Care Center Ministry (offsite)  
6:00 PM Summer Games – Outside or Fellowship  
Hall (in case or rain)

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**THURSDAY — June 22**

5:30 PM Yoga – Youth Room  
6:00-8 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

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**FRIDAY — June 23**

7:30 PM Sr. High Youth depart on Colorado trip

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**SATURDAY — June 24**

9 AM-1:30 PM International Ladies Fellowship – Fellowship  
Hall

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**SUNDAY — June 25** *3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Pentecost*

9:30 AM **All-Together Worship Service\*** –  
Sanctuary  
10:30 AM **Summer Brunch** – Fellowship Hall  
10:40 AM **Family Hands-on Only CPR & AED  
Presentation** – Sanctuary  
4:00-7 PM **Jill Sanders' Celebration of Ministry  
& "Farewell" Party** – Fellowship Hall &  
Kitchen

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## June 18, 2017

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

#### **Greeters**

9:30.....Craig & Pam Nixon

#### **Ushers**

9:30.....Craig & Pam Nixon & friend

#### **Acolyte**

9:30.....Cade Pakkebieer

#### **Lector**

9:30.....Stephanie French

#### **Sermon**

9:30.....Pastor Paul Wilcox

#### **Liturgist**

9:30.....Pastor Gayle Wilcox

#### **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 Geissingner  
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 11<sup>th</sup> = 146