

ANNOUNCEMENTS

for the week of Sept. 6th

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**Prayer Concerns:**

- \*Marci Wittles' grandson, JT – concussion
- \*Velma Rainville – dealing with esophageal health issues
- \*Syrian refugees

**Joys:**

- \*Successful summer All-Together worship services
  - \*All of the activities starting up this fall at LLUMC!
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**BLUE ZONE SAYS: Do a chair stretch.** Sit in a chair, clasp your hands behind your back, and lean forward from your hips. This stretch can help relax the muscles in your back, shoulder and thighs that can become tense and achy after sitting at a desk or driving for a long period of time.

**A FRESH START THIS FALL!** Adults, we have a wonderful opportunity for you to begin fresh this fall with a 9:15 class Sunday AMs entitled *Genesis*, co-led by Joel Goodman and Jane Nesmith. This is a 10-week journey into the rich tapestry of the interaction between God and very human people – pride, family relationships, and conflict all show-case the best known stories of Creation, Noah, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and Rebekah and Joseph. Participants will enjoy the DVD, printed materials, and energizing conversations. Plan now to attend! Please sign up on the STUB or contact Pastor Gayle (393-6674 or [gaylew@lovelylane.org](mailto:gaylew@lovelylane.org)).

**RALLY SUNDAY, SEPT. 13<sup>TH</sup>**, is coming up next week; this year's theme is *Sharing God's Love, Sharing Faith!* Sunday School begins on Sept. 13<sup>th</sup> for the 2015-2016 school year. Registrations are in the narthex to sign your child(ren) up - *prior to the 13<sup>th</sup>, please!* Also on Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>, 3rd graders will receive a *Hands On Bible* from the church. (If you have a child now in 3rd grade, E-mail Mrs. G @ [christianedu@lovelylane.org](mailto:christianedu@lovelylane.org) to be sure he/she is on the list.) Volunteers are invited to work with children in our 9:15 and 10:30 AM Sunday services. We are again using the Sparkhouse Rotation. If you like science, art, cooking, story, games, or drama--there's a Sunday for you!

**ADULT EXPLO BEGINS WED., OCT. 7<sup>TH</sup>:** Pastor Paul will be leading Adult Explo from 6:00 – 7:15 on Wednesday nights beginning Oct. 7<sup>th</sup>. October's study will focus on Islam: its values, its history, and its relationship to Christian America. If you're interested in participating, please sign up on the STUB! We will meet in Fireside.

**END-OF-SUMMER ARTS EVENT:** We are creating a digital presentation for a special end-of-summer celebration in worship on Sunday, Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>. We ask that you please **E-mail your favorite digital photos from this summer** to [suem@lovelylane.org](mailto:suem@lovelylane.org). We are especially looking for pictures of nature, wildlife, and specific favorite summer activities enjoyed by you and your family. We need you to send us your digital photos by Sept. 7<sup>th</sup>. Thank you in advance for sharing your summer memories with your church family!

**THE PASTOR'S S.O.S. BIBLE STUDY** (Study Our Sermon) will begin on Thursday, Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>, 5:30–6:30 PM. Pastor Paul will lead the study on the next Sunday's sermon text.

**"LADIES DAY OUT"** takes place Sunday afternoon, October 11<sup>th</sup>. We will go to Amana to see the play *The Church Basement Ladies In: The Last (Potluck) Supper*. After the play, we'll be eating at an Amana restaurant. The cost of the play is \$26. Sign up on the STUB if you're interested; registration forms are available at the display in the narthex. Please join us!

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**Wednesday Night Kid's Club Presents:**  
***JUMP! Jesus Use Me Please!***



**Starting Wednesday, Sept. 16:**

Children aged preschool through 5<sup>th</sup> grade are invited to come to Kid's Club on Wednesday evenings. Children will **JUMP** into the Bible as they explore how Jesus calls them to use their gifts!

Wednesday, September 16, will kick off our fall Kid's Club.

**Co-leaders are needed for the following Age Level**

**Groups:** Preschool (age 3 & up) - Kindergarten  
Grades 1-2  
Grades 3-5

Please contact Jenny Seylar ([jennys@lovelylane.org](mailto:jennys@lovelylane.org) or 393-6674) if you are interested in helping or have any questions.

**"COLLISION – Collide with Christ":** This city-wide youth worship experience happens on Sunday, Sept. 13, 3:00–8 PM at Matthew 25 Ministry Hub (201 Third Ave. SW, CR). Come join other youth from the CR metro area for an afternoon of mission, fun, food, and worship! Come listen to area professional youth pastors and directors speak. Please call Jenny Seylar (393-6674) with any questions you have.



**FRIENDLY FELLOWSHIP** is taking a bus trip to Moline where we will board the **Celebration Belle Boat**. The entertainment will be a husband and wife singing oldies from the 50's & 60's. The date is Wed., Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>; the cost is \$99 per person. If you're interested and have **not** already signed up, please sign up on the STUB or you can contact Sharon Kouba (319-393-0156 or [sdkouba@gmail.com](mailto:sdkouba@gmail.com)) or Nancy Miller (319-393-6349 or [vmnpmiller@aol.com](mailto:vmnpmiller@aol.com)). We've reached the minimum we needed of 25 people – the limit is 50.

# THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

## Ministry Opportunities

Events in Bold Face = everyone \* = childcare

### SUNDAY — Sept. 6 Communion Sunday/ Regular Worship Schedule returns

- 8:00 AM **Worship\*** – Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM **Fellowship\*** – Fellowship Hall
- 9:15 AM **Worship\*** – Sanctuary
- 10:30 AM **Worship\*** – Sanctuary

### MONDAY — Sept. 7 Labor Day (church & office closed)

### TUESDAY — Sept. 8

- 3:30 PM Lego Robots – Youth Room
- 4:00 PM Shepherds mtg. – Library
- 6:30 PM Christian Education mtg. – Fireside
- 6:30 PM Mental Health Support Group – Study
- 6:45 PM Women's Study – Library

### WEDNESDAY — Sept. 9

- 12:00 PM Women's Study – Library
- 5:00 PM Youth Bells – Sanctuary
- 5:30 PM Confirmation Kick-off – Fellowship Hall
- 6:00 PM Disciple IV – Library
- 7:30 PM SPPRC – Fireside

### THURSDAY — Sept. 10

- 7:00 AM Leadership Breakfast (@ Panera's)
- 1:00 PM UMW (offsite @ larger meeting)
- 3:30 PM Lego Robots – Youth Room
- 5:30 PM SOS Bible Study – Library
- 6:45 PM Handbells – Sanctuary

### FRIDAY — Sept. 11

### SATURDAY — Sept. 12

- 9:00 AM International Ladies Fellowship – Fellowship Hall
- 5:00 PM Staff Appreciation Picnic (offsite; @ LL in FH in case of rain)

### SUNDAY — Sept. 13 Rally Sunday

- 8:00 AM **Worship\*** – Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM **Fellowship\*** – Fellowship Hall
- 9:15 AM **Worship\*** – Sanctuary
- 9:15 AM **Adult Sunday School\***
- 10:30 AM **Worship\*** – Sanctuary
- 10:45 AM **Children's Sunday School** – F'ship Hall

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### July financial totals

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| Cash inflow, July 2015:              | \$40,490 |
| Budget Need, July 2015:              | \$46,650 |
| Cash outflow (pd. bills), July 2015: | \$42,700 |
| Unpaid bills:                        | \$23,202 |

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## Serving at Worship...

### Preacher

All services.....Pastor Gayle Wilcox

### Liturgist

All services.....Pastor Paul Wilcox

### Communion Servers

8:00.....Jayne Woodson & Dorothy Speight  
 9:15.....Andy & Mary Vorwerk  
 10:30.....Abby Blum, Carol Wilson, Susan Camp,  
 & Judy McDowell

### Lectors

8:00.....Dean Lanning  
 9:15.....Patty Logsdon  
 10:30.....Anne Heefner

### Greeters

8:00.....Phil & Shirley Martin  
 9:15.....Brian & Heidi Barnhart  
 10:30.....Susan Camp & Reagan Linder

### Ushers

8:00.....Joel & Marilyn Goodman  
 9:15.....Brian & Heidi Barnhart  
 10:30.....Brian & Michele Haines and Richard  
 & Velma Rainville

### Acolytes

8:00.....Jared Stumpf  
 9:15.....Blake Barnhart  
 10:30.....Ethan McCord & Kaitlyn Haines

### 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.....  
 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, Aug. 30 = 212