

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## for the week of April 22<sup>nd</sup>

---

### CONCERNS:

- \*Karen Wardenburg – hospitalized with MRSA
- \*Kim Currie's Aunt Carol – battling lung cancer which has spread to her brain & spine (Kim's mom is Carol's caregiver)
- \*Jayne Woodson's kids, Lisa & Scott – traveling to Nepal to hike Mt. Everest
- \*Margaret Nelson's brother-in-law, Dick – treating / anticipating surgery for a large benign cyst in his brain

### JOYS:

- \*CWM (Children's Weekday Ministries) made \$1,188.90 by collecting HyVee receipts for the 2017-2018 school year
  - \*We celebrate **National Volunteer Week** by thanking the MANY volunteers who give of their time and talent to help our church thrive! Kudos to all!!!
- 



## THE MUSIC MACHINE MUSICAL

**Performed by Lovely Lane's  
Sunday School & Kid's Club Kids  
TODAY, April 22nd, 9:15 AM service**

Our LL kids and our children's music director, Carla Jesse, have been working hard to prepare for this special event. We've had just a taste in several recent Sunday worship services of some of the fun songs included!

---

**CONFIRMATION 2018:** On Sunday, May 6<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30 AM worship, your 8<sup>th</sup> grade youth will be confirmed in the Christian Faith as followers of Jesus, take vows of church membership, and join Lovely Lane UMC! These youth have spent 8 months studying the Christian faith, learning about John Wesley, and helping with local missions. They have done a lock-in, walked a labyrinth, worshipped at a synagogue and with African Nationals, been part of LL's youth group, written their personal statements of faith (their creeds), and attended a personal faith interview. Please pray for them as they are confirmed in the faith, join the church, and embark on a new season of faith development and serving Christ. Following the May 6<sup>th</sup> service, there will be a reception in the Fellowship Hall.

---

**DO YOU SHOP AT HY-VEE?** CWM Preschool is selling Hy-Vee coupon books! Books are \$10 (\$5 profit to preschool). The very first coupon in the book is \$5 off with any \$50 purchase. Other coupons are for Free Bananas if you spend \$10; 50¢ off chips, frozen vegetables, milk, potatoes, etc. Sue has books in the office or see Mrs. Barnes in the preschool office. It's a double win if you put your Hy-Vee receipt in our box!

---

**TEACHERS NEEDED FOR THE FALL:** Share your time and talents with our LL children! Please sign up on the STUB now to be a teacher for the 2018-2019 school year. Bible-based curriculum is provided that has kept our children engrossed in

the stories. Lessons are Art, Cooking, Science, Bible Stories, and Games; which one interests you the most? Choose Sunday mornings for Sunday School OR Wednesday Kid's Club to work with Lovely Lane's children. Many thanks!!

---

**A BIG THANK YOU** to Anne Heefner, who has *retired* from her double duties of filling our sanctuary candles AND providing weekly reminders to our Sunday worship volunteers. Thank you, Anne, for your diligence, dedication, and willing spirit!!!

We also want to welcome on board Marlo Jack and Sharon Kouba, who will be keeping our liquid paraffin candles filled, and Cindy Schile and Kay Oloff, who are already sending out reminders to our worship volunteers. Thank you, ladies, for stepping up to take on these very important tasks!!

---

**LOVELY LANE SUMMER READING – ADVENTURES IN GOD'S WORLD** is coming soon!! Sign up on the sheet in the Narthex and pick your dates now! You can use your books or ones from the LL Library to read to our children.

---



**A VBS COMMITTEE IS FORMING** which will meet on Wednesday evenings beginning in May to plan for Summer 2018! We will check out curriculum, gather craft and science needs, and plan scenery and decorations to make it fun and engaging for kids! If you'd like to join us, please sign up on the STUB or contact me – Mrs. G ([christianedu@lovelylane.org](mailto:christianedu@lovelylane.org)).

---



**5<sup>th</sup> WED. NURSING HOME MINISTRY:** Lovely Lane currently brings a simple worship service to the residents at Northbrook and Hiawatha Care Centers on the 1st and 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays of the month. There are 2 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays left in 2018 and 4 total in 2019. Myrna Loehrlein, the leader of the 5<sup>th</sup> Wed. services, would welcome a partner in ministry. If you're called to support, care for, and encourage older adults, sign up on the STUB!

---

**LOOKING FOR ADDITIONAL MONEY COUNTER:** LL is looking for someone to help with: 1) preliminary sorting of money collected on Sundays after each service; and 2) further sorting of monetary donations for computer entry. Monday AM availability is preferred for the 2<sup>nd</sup> task. Sign the STUB if you're interested.

---

**LOOKING FOR A FEW GOOD MEN (& WOMEN!):** We have 2 great youth mission trips planned for this summer, but we need help from a few good adults!! Our Middle School mission trip this year will be June 12-14 at St. Ludmila's Catholic Church here in CR. We'll be working to prepare their school rooms to house our Trinity Lane Preschool for next Fall. We'll be painting, cleaning, and building a playground! We need men and women to serve as counselors for all or parts of the trip.

Our Senior High will be traveling to Houston, TX with incoming Pastor Jenny Seylar, July 21-29. We really need a man to go with them. We'll be traveling by bus, so no driving is necessary! Please sign up on the STUB!

---

# THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

---

## **Ministry Opportunities**

Events in Bold Face = everyone \* = childcare

---

**SUNDAY — April 22<sup>nd</sup>** 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter  
8:00 AM **Traditional Worship\*** – Sanctuary  
9:00 AM **Fellowship\*** – Fellowship Hall  
9:15 AM **Music Machine Musical (LL kids)\*** – Sanctuary  
9:15 AM Children's & Adult Sunday School  
10:00 AM **Chancel Choir\*** – Choir Room  
10:30 AM **Traditional Worship\*** – Sanctuary  
10:45 AM Children's Sunday School  
1:00-5 PM Eagle Scout Crt. of Honor (Gill) – Fellowship Hall & Sanctuary  
6:00 PM Sr. High Youth – Fellowship Hall/Kitchen & Youth Room

---

**MONDAY — April 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
10:15 AM Lexington E. Social Gathering – Fireside  
5:30 PM Tai Chi – Narthex  
6:30-9:30 PM PEO meeting – Sanctuary  
6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall  
6:30-9:30 PM PEO meeting – Sanctuary

---

**TUESDAY — April 24<sup>th</sup>**  
9:30 AM UMW Bible Study – Library  
2\*-5 PM JFON Office Hrs. (\*start time later than usual)  
5-8 PM JFON Clinic – Fellowship Hall & Narthex  
5:30 PM Library Team – Library  
6:45 PM W.O.F. (Women Of Faith) – Library  
7:00-9 PM CWM Board – Fireside

---

**WEDNESDAY — April 25<sup>th</sup>**  
12 noon W.W.W. (Wed. Women of the Word) – Library  
**LAST NIGHT OF WED. EVE. ACTIVITIES**  
5:30 PM Family Meal – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen  
6:00 PM Kid's Club – Fellowship Hall et al.  
6:00 PM M.S. Youth – Youth Room  
6:00 PM Adult Explo – Narthex

---

**THURSDAY — April 26<sup>th</sup>**  
5:30 PM Yoga – Youth Room  
6:45 PM AcabeLLa – Sanctuary

---

**FRIDAY — April 27<sup>th</sup>**

---

**SATURDAY — April 28<sup>th</sup>**

---

**SUNDAY — April 29<sup>th</sup>** 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter  
8:00 AM **Traditional Worship\*** – Sanctuary  
9:00 AM **Chancel Choir\*** – Choir Room  
9:00 AM **Fellowship\*** – Fellowship Hall  
9:15 AM **Traditional Worship\*** – Sanctuary  
9:15 AM Children's & Adult Sunday School  
10:30 AM **Traditional Worship\*** – Sanctuary  
10:45 AM Children's Sunday School  
6:00 PM Sr. High Youth – Fellowship Hall/Kitchen & Youth Room

---

April 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2018

---

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

### **Greeters**

8:00.....Sharon Kouba & Kathy Gilbert  
9:15.....Andy & Mary Vorwerk, MariLu Smith  
10:30.....Richard & Velma Rainville

### **Ushers**

8:00.....Curtis & Maggie Thomas  
9:15.....Andy & Mary Vorwerk, MariLu Smith  
10:30.....Joy & Kent Jackson, Pat & Jeff Swartzendruber

### **Acolytes**

8:00.....(Ushers)  
9:15.....Abby & Alex Hume  
10:30.....Jared Lauritsen & Jaiana Renken

### **Lectors**

8:00.....Ron Nelson  
9:15.....Courtney Ball  
10:30.....Helen Anderson

### **Liturgist**

All.....Gayle Wilcox

### **Preacher**

All.....Paul Wilcox

### **Staff**

Lead Pastor.....Paul Wilcox  
Associate Pastor.....Gayle Wilcox  
Office Manager.....Sue Moss  
Children's Weekday Min. Director..Carolyn Barnes  
Youth Director.....  
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, & Claire Van Erde-Wyk  
Wedding Coordinator.....Becky Wood  
Custodians.....Rex, Rhonda & Jessica Heasty  
Audio / Visual Coordinator.....Eric Wylie  
Webmaster.....Shelly Turner  
Treasurer.....Marcie Stumpf

\* \* \* \*

Visit us on Facebook:

[www.facebook.com/lovelylaneumc](http://www.facebook.com/lovelylaneumc)

\* \* \* \*

April 15<sup>th</sup> Worship Attendance:

39 @ 8:00, 69 @ 9:15, 126 @ 10:30 = 234 Total