

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of Sept. 30, 2018

CONCERNS:

- *Paul Sale – on the death of his mother
- *Phil Martin – recovering from hip surgery
- *Michele Maus – her sister has breast cancer and is facing radiation, surgery & chemo
- *Marlo Jack – her brother is recovering from a stroke
- *Susan Wear – asks for prayers for Todd, 37 yrs. old, who has Hodgkin's Lymphoma
- *Abuse towards women, and all those affected by violence

JOYS:

- *Women's Retreat was a great gathering!
- *Kid's Club is off to a good start!

CROP Walk for Hunger, Sunday, October 14



*We walk because they walk!!
In October in the state of IA,
hundreds of CROP Walkers
will walk miles to raise money
to support hunger relief pro-
grams of Church World Service
AND for local hunger agencies.*

The Cedar Rapids/Marion CROP Hunger Walk is on Sunday, Oct. 14th, at Thomas Park in Marion. Registration is at 1 PM and the walk starts at 1:30. The CROP walk is a symbolic walk of solidarity with people around the world who must walk miles every day in order to get the basic necessities of food, water, and firewood.

To join the group of walkers from Lovely Lane UMC, contact Pastor Jenny at 393-6674 or her E-mail: jennys@lovelylane.org. If you're unable to walk, please consider sponsoring one of our youth. They'll be available to answer questions and receive pledges in Oct. outside the sanctuary before and after worship.

NEW MEMBER CLASSES: If you're interested in becoming a member of Lovely Lane UMC (or just wish to learn more about the church), you're invited to attend our New Member Classes on **Sundays, Oct. 7th, 14th & 21st, @ 4 PM**. If you haven't already indicated your interest, see Pastor Scott or Pastor Jenny, and/or sign up on the STUB. Thanks!!!

ADULT EXPLORATION: Pastor Scott is excited to lead the **Adult Exploration Group** meeting Wednesdays @ 6 PM (started 9/19). If there's enough interest, there'll be another meeting night on Sundays @ 6 PM—start date TBD. The group is using *A New Reformation*, written by Rob Fuquay; it looks at Martin Luther and the Protestant Reformation that took place over 500 years ago and the lessons we learn today. **All are welcome; you can still join in!**

CHILDREN'S WEEKDAY MINISTRIES IS HAVING A COUPON BOOK FUNDRAISER: The cost is \$25 per book which can easily be made back by using just a few of the coupons! (They're good thru 2019.) Coupon books are available from Sue in the church office, from Dee or Carolyn in the CWM office, or @ <http://www.supportourgroupp.com/GN/280493>.

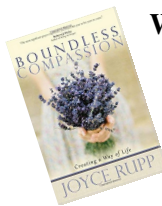
DIRECTORY UPDATE: Lou & Gerry Stolba
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Marion, IA 52302

CEDAR VALLEY HABITAT FOR HUMANITY invites you to a home dedication/reception at 5 PM on Monday, Oct. 1st, at 1638 3rd Ave. SE, CR. This home, believed to be the first new house in the 2nd and 3rd Ave. Historic District in 60 years, has been built as a tribute to the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. upon the 50th anniversary of his assassination and the passage of the Fair Housing Act. This is also in conjunction with Habitat's 30th birthday celebration and World Habitat Day.

Away in a Basement: A Church Basement Ladies Christmas is showing at the Amana Old Creamery Theatre on Sunday, Dec. 2nd, at 2:00 PM. If you'd like to join us, Health & Wholeness has a limited no. of tickets available for the show. They are \$27 each and on a first come, first serve basis. If you are interested in going to the Ronneburg Restaurant in Amana for dinner afterwards or if you'd like to carpool, let us know. We will leave about 1 PM from the church.

Checks need to be made out to **Jayne Woodson**. We'll have an envelope on the table by the office for checks or give them to Sue in the office. The deadline is Sunday, Nov. 2nd.

Please contact Linda Keefe if you are interested (319-743-0591 or davlinke@msn.com) and/or sign up on the STUB.



WWW: Wednesday Women of the Word Meets Wednesdays at Noon

All women are invited to this study that's placed during the lunch hour, and **IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO JOIN IN!** If you are able to schedule your work day once a week to join us, please do. For those coming over the noon hour, feel free to bring your lunch to eat during the study. Food, faith, and fellowship are a great combination!

The group has begun to read and discuss the book *BOUNDLESS COMPASSION* by Joyce Rupp. In a world where compassion is NOT the norm, Joyce provides practical, real-life situations to move the reader to "develop a compassionate consciousness and find the behaviors that embody it. It was love that motivated Jesus to act in his ministry and mission. Come join the conversation toward a more compassionate lifestyle.

There'll be minimal reading between meeting times. The book is divided into 6 sessions, but we will likely break it down even more to go up to 12 weeks with this study.

The cost of the book is \$15.00 and can be picked up in the office after Labor Day. For more information contact Pastor Jenny at 319-393-6674 or email at jennys@lovelylane.org.

PICTURED ROCKS FALL RETREATS—Keeping it Reel: Exploring Our Faith Through Movies:

For 3rd-5th graders: Oct. 6-7, 1 PM-1 PM; \$50/person
For 6th-8th graders: Oct. 26-28, 7 PM-1 PM; \$75/person
Family Camp: Oct. 12-14, 7 PM-2 PM; \$225 per family (lodge room) or \$175 for a campsite

Pictured Rocks United Methodist Camp & Retreat Center is at 12004 190th St. in Monticello, IA. Visit www.picturedrocks.org.

THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

Ministry Opportunities

Events in Bold Face = everyone * = childcare

SUNDAY — Sept. 30th

- 8:00 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
9:00 AM **Fellowship*** – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen
9:00 AM Chancel Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
9:15 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
9:15 AM Sunday School for all ages
10:30 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
2:23 PM *Praying Our Way Forward*
6:00-8 PM H.S. Youth Grp. – F'ship Hall, Kitch. & Yth. Rm.

MONDAY — Oct. 1st

- 2:23 PM *Praying Our Way Forward*
5:30 PM Tai Chi – Youth Room
6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall
6:30 PM Christian Education Mtg. – Library

TUESDAY — Oct. 2nd

- 9:30 AM UMW Bible Study – Fireside
2:23 PM *Praying Our Way Forward*
6:45 PM Women of Faith (WOF) – Library

WEDNESDAY — Oct. 3rd

- 9:30 AM Care Center Ministry (offsite)
9:30 AM Mom's Club – Library & Nursery
12 noon Wednesday Women of the Word (WWW) – Library
1:30 PM Staff meeting – Library
2:23 PM *Praying Our Way Forward*
5:30 PM Family Meal – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen
6:00 PM Kid's Club, M.S. Youth Group/Confirmation – Fellowship Hall, Youth Room, Choir Room, and Rms. 104, 204 & 205
6:00 PM Adult Explo – Library

THURSDAY — Oct. 4th

- 2:23 PM *Praying Our Way Forward*
5:30 PM Yoga – Youth Room

FRIDAY — Oct. 5th

- 2:23 PM *Praying Our Way Forward*

SATURDAY — Oct. 6th

- 2:23 PM *Praying Our Way Forward*

SUNDAY — Oct. 7th World Communion Sunday

- 8:00 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
9:00 AM **Fellowship*** – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen
9:00 AM Chancel Choir rehearsal – Choir Room
9:15 AM **Worship*** – Sanctuary
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2:23 PM *Praying Our Way Forward*
4:00 PM New Member Class – Library
6:00-8 PM H.S. Youth Grp. – F'ship Hall, Kitch. & Yth. Rm.

September 30, 2018

Serving in Worship

Greeters

- 8:00.....Al Stiers & Jayne Woodson
9:15.....Mark & Kelly Fisher
and Mike & Pam Morris
10:30.....Vicki Cangemi & Liz Briggman

Ushers

- 8:00.....Lyn Lewis & Myrna Loehrlein
9:15.....Mark & Kelly Fisher
and Mike & Pam Morris
10:30.....Bill & Gloria Jahnel and Cindy Schile

Acolytes

- 8:00.....(Ushers)
9:15.....(Ushers)
10:30.....Isaac Schneider & Frances Roland

Lectors

- 8:00.....Jayne Woodson
9:15.....Marci Wittles
10:30.....Cheryl Murphy

Liturgist

- All.....Frank Camp

Preacher

- All.....Pastor Scott Meador

Staff

- Lead Pastor – Dr. Scott Meador
Associate Pastor – Rev. Jenny Seylar
Office Manager – Sue Moss
Children's Weekday Ministries Director – Carolyn Barnes
Youth Director – Pastor Jenny Seylar
Kid's Club Director – Julie Meyer
Christian Educator – Barb Geissinger
Choir Director – K. Weiler
Organist – Dennis Ramsey
Children's Choirs – Carla Jesse
Director of Handbells –
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
Finance Secretary – Vicki Cangemi

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Sept. 23, 2018 Worship Attendance:

43 @ 8:00; 53 @ 9:15; 142 @ 10:30; **Total = 238**