

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

## Week of March 17, 2019

### CONCERNS:

- \*Wear & Starmer families – grieving after family loss
- \*Carol Wilson – recovering from lung surgery
- \*Richard Rainville – home after being hospitalized w/pneumonia
- \*Lois McNeil – hospitalized
- \*Patty Logsdon – for family matters to be resolved fairly
- \*April Drew's father, Darrell Robinson – receiving rehab at Allen Hospital after a stroke
- \*Linda Carollo – has a friend in hospice
- \*Ron Nelson – has a friend with leukemia; he & Margaret also have friends, Steve & Jane, in need of prayer
- \*Alabama tornados – for the victims & families

### JOYS:

- \*Great UMW Potluck & Program, celebrating 150 yrs. in mission
- \*Birthdays: Olivia Schneider is 16; Madeline Hinke is 1 yr. old

### Join one of the following Adult Studies this Season of Lent:

Group Name	Day & Time	Study Topic	Location	Contact Person
Faith Issues	Sunday, 9:15 am	Each wk. the group studies a different topic that impacts faith	Library	Myrna Loehrlein
Faith Journeys	Sunday, 9:15 am	<i>Simon Peter - Flawed But Faithful Disciple</i> by Adam Hamilton	Rm. 205	Joel Goodman
Adult Explo	Sunday, 6 pm & Weds., 6 pm	<i>The God We Can Know</i> by Rob Fuquay - The "I AM" sayings of Jesus	Library	Pastor Scott Meador
Women Of Faith	Tues., 6:45 pm	<i>Grace, Not Perfection</i> by Emily Ley	Library, Fireside	Pam Nixon
Weds. Women of the Word	Weds., noon	<i>The God We Can Know</i> by Rob Fuquay - The "I AM" sayings of Jesus	Library	Pastor Jenny Seylar

**NEW MEMBER CLASS:** If you'd like to join Lovely Lane, or if you have any questions about becoming a member, contact Pastor Scott or Pastor Jenny. Current plans are to have 3 classes from 4:30-5:30 PM on a weekday (TBD). Sign up on the STUB.

**UPDATED 2019 COMMITTEE SHEETS/ROSTERS** are located on the table outside of the church office.

## 2019 LENTEN LUNCHEON SERIES

*Facing the Cross with Courage*

Thru the season of Lent, the community is invited to come and reflect on the theme of the courage of Jesus Christ in the face of betrayal and death. The 12:10 pm services will be followed by a light lunch. A freewill offering (\$5 suggested) will be used to cover the meal cost. The schedule is as follows:

**3/20 @ Sharon UMC      4/10 @ Trinity-St. James UMC**  
**3/27 @ Salem UMC      4/17 @ Lovely Lane UMC**  
**4/3 @ Asbury UMC**

**WRAPPED EASTER CANDY IS NEEDED** that is small enough to fit in plastic Easter eggs. Our collection basket will be in the Narthex until April 14th.

We are also **short a few hundred plastic eggs** to fill, so any donations of eggs would be much appreciated!

**FRIENDLY FELLOWSHIP IS SPONSORING A DAY TRIP** to the Cinnamon Ridge Farm in Donahue, IA, on Thursday, May 16th. The bus trip will include a tour of the Robotic Dairy Barn, lunch, and a visit to the farm store. A surprise visit is included on the way back. The cost will be \$64-\$72 depending on how many people go. Sign up on the bulletin STUB in March, on the sheet in the narthex (look for the play barn), or call Nancy Miller (393-6340); April 15<sup>th</sup> is the reservation deadline.

### 2019 LENTEN OFFERING RECIPIENTS

Missions picked the following as our Lenten Offering recipients: **Matthew 25** (3/24 speaker) is a local non-profit that exists to strengthen core neighborhoods on Cedar Rapids' west side. M25 partners with the west side to work in three program areas: Neighborhood Building, Youth Development, and Cultivating Hope. This summer, our 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade youth group will be involved in a mission trip helping M25 during Transform Week, June 24-28.

**Restoring Vision** (3/31 speaker) provides reading to people in underdeveloped and impoverished countries. Vision is one of our most important senses, impacting one's ability to interact with the environment and other people. By providing a simple pair of reading glasses, we can immediately and positively impact a person's life, the well-being of one's family and community.

**Heifer International** (4/7 speaker) is a non-profit, humanitarian organization dedicated to ending hunger and poverty, and caring for the earth. Heifer provides livestock, trees and seeds plus teaching skills to beneficiaries to further lift themselves out of poverty.

**Trinity Lane Preschool** (4/14 speaker) is mid-way through its first year of operation in the new St. Ludmila's location. There are still many needs to be addressed in the new space, including tuition scholarship assistance for lower income families.

You'll be receiving a Lenten mailing, and there will be extra Lenten Offering cards and envelopes in the pews.

**BEDS URGENTLY NEEDED:** LL member Carmen Johnson is assisting with efforts to help those impacted by the recent fire at Hawthorne Hills Apts. If you have a twin or full-size bed (NO queens or kings) to donate, please contact Carmen (319-651-1192 or [cjohnson0802@gmail.com](mailto:cjohnson0802@gmail.com)). Pick-up & delivery is available.

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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 — March 17<sup>th</sup>** *2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Lent / St. Patrick's Day*  
*& Holy Communion (& Spring Break Week)*

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  
4:00 PM *Living Last Supper practice* – Sanctuary

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**MONDAY — March 18<sup>th</sup>**

5:30 PM Tai Chi – Library  
6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

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**TUESDAY — March 19<sup>th</sup>**

9:30 AM UMW Bible Study – Library  
10:30AM-5PM JFON Office Hours – Fireside & Narthex  
5:00-8 PM JFON Clinic – Fellowship Hall, Kitchen & Narthex  
6:45 PM Women of Faith (WOF) – Library

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**WEDNESDAY — March 20<sup>th</sup>**

12:00 noon Wednesday Women of the Word (WWW) – Lib.  
1:30 PM Staff meeting – Library  
(**NO** Weds. evening activities due to Spring Break)

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**THURSDAY — March 21<sup>st</sup>**

5:30 PM Yoga – Youth Room  
6:30 PM AcabeLLa – Sanctuary

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**FRIDAY — March 22<sup>nd</sup>**

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**SATURDAY — March 23<sup>rd</sup>**

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**SUNDAY — March 24<sup>th</sup>** *3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Lent*

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### Serving in Worship

#### **Greeters**

8:00.....Ron & Margaret Nelson  
9:15.....  
10:30.....Meador family

#### **Ushers**

8:00.....Maggie & Curtis Thomas  
9:15.....  
10:30.....

#### **Acolytes**

8:00.....(Ushers)  
9:15.....(Ushers)  
10:30.....

#### **Lectors**

8:00.....Margaret Nelson  
9:15.....  
10:30.....Helen Anderson

#### **Communion Servers**

8:00.....Myrna Loehrlein & Barb Geissinger  
9:15.....Amber Mulnik & friend  
10:30.....Vicki Cangemi, Joy Jackson,  
Helen Anderson, & Carol Wishnowski

#### **Liturgist**

All.....Pastor Scott Meador

#### **Preacher**

All.....Pastor Jenny Seylar

#### **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  
Handbell Director – Charlie Kucera  
Organist – Dennis Ramsey  
Children's Choirs – Carla Jesse  
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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**March 10, 2019 Worship Attendance:**

34 @ 8:00; 53 @ 9:15; 117 @ 10:30; Total = 204