

# ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of October 27, 2019

## PRAYER CONCERNS:

- \*Sympathy to the family of Gwen Bray; her celebration of life was held here on 10/24, followed by a time of fellowship
- \*Jerry Showman's former mother-in-law, Harriet, passed away
- \*Donna Houts hospitalized
- \*Kay Oloff has health concerns
- \*Judy McDowell's brother-in-law, BD, is now in hospice
- \*Amy Conyers' teenage nephew, Reece, is recovering from stomach & lung complications due to vaping; please pray that all youth learn & understand the dangers of vaping
- \*Barb Waterhouse-Miller's aunt is needing assistance
- \*Jan Culbertson's cousin's husband recovering from a fall
- \*Ron & Margaret Nelson's friends, Rob & Susie
- \*Kurdish people facing hardships in Syria

## JOYS:

- \*The Women's Retreat was a success; thanks to all who helped!
- \*Rev. Paul Akin preaching in worship last Sunday
- \*Stewardship focus in worship
- \*Celebrating the gift of a new day
- \*Lincoln Oliver recovering well after surgery
- \*Happy Birthday to Jan Culbertson

**Capital Campaign Giving Statement:** Your giving statement may contain 2 lines related to our building improvement efforts. If you see a line labeled, "Capital Campaign," with a negative amount (amount owed), please disregard it, as that debt reduction campaign ended early due to the congregation's generosity. Our current building effort is related to the statement line marked, "Capital Campaign Phase 3." Please contact Financial Secretary Vicki Cangemi if you have any questions about your statement. Thank you for your continued support!

**CHURCH PRAYER CHAIN:** Please share prayer requests with the church office during normal working hours M-F, 9-5: [office@lovelylane.org](mailto:office@lovelylane.org) or 319-393-6674. We'll work to share prayer concerns with the church-at-large. Pastor Scott can also be reached during the week for emergency situations @ 319-594-2597 or [scottm@lovelylane.org](mailto:scottm@lovelylane.org). Thank you!!



**All Saints Sunday** will be observed at Lovely Lane next Sunday, Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>, at all 3 worship services. At this special service, we will honor those who have died in the Lord in the past year (since last All Saints Sunday). Please join us!!

**ADULT EXPLO STARTS A NEW STUDY** on Sunday, Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup>, and Monday, Nov. 4<sup>th</sup>, using the book "Why?" by Adam Hamilton. This study looks at the big questions of life. Book cost is \$10, and both groups meet @ 6 PM in the Library.



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**ONLY TWO TICKETS LEFT!!** for Amana's Old Creamery Theatre showing of "**NOT ANOTHER CHRISTMAS LETTER-The Musical**" on Sunday, Nov. 24th @ 2 PM. The cost is only \$28.50, but **time is running out!** We will meet at the church at 1 PM to carpool and, for those interested, have dinner at the Ox Yoke Restaurant in Amana afterwards. The sign-up sheet is in the Narthex on the table by the office, OR contact Linda Keefe at 319-551-7783. (Make checks payable to Linda Keefe, as she will order the tickets.) Registration and payment must be received by 11/4 but will be on a first come first serve basis!

## DIRECTORY UPDATE

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Tom & Dixie Mercer  
1411 Applewood Dr.  
Fairfax, IA 52228

*Please alert the church office to any changes in your contact information! Thanks!!*

**CHAINS INTERRUPTED** will present "**Human Trafficking**" on Tuesday, Nov. 5<sup>th</sup>, at 6:30 PM, at Jefferson High School. Human trafficking is a fast-growing and urgent concern worldwide and in our local community. Chains Interrupted was organized by a group of local citizens with passion to fight trafficking and help keep our youth and community safe. In order to break the chains of human trafficking, we must equip and educate parents, youth, and community members.

*Be informed. Be educated. Be aware. Take action.* This event is free and open to the public.

**TRINITY-ST. JAMES UMC IS HAVING A COOKIE WALK & BAZAAR** on Sat., November 9<sup>th</sup>, 9 AM to 2 PM. A light luncheon will be served from 11:30 AM to 1 PM. Besides the Cookie Walk, you can enjoy their Holiday Shop, White Elephant Sale, Country Store, and Arts & Crafts! Their church is located at 1430 Ellis Blvd. NW, CR.

## THIS WEEK AT LOVELY LANE

### Ministry Opportunities

Events in Bold Face = everyone \* = childcare

#### SUNDAY — Oct. 27<sup>th</sup> *Commitment Sunday*

- 8:00 AM **Worship Service\*** – Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM Chancel Choir – Choir Room
- 9:15 AM **Worship Service\*** – Sanctuary
- 9:00 AM **Fellowship\*** – Fellowship Hall
- 10:30 AM **Worship Service\*** – Sanctuary
- 12:00-2 PM Congolese Worship Service – Fireside
- 4:00 PM New Member Class – Library
- 6:00 PM Adult Explo – Library
- 6:00 PM H.S. Youth – Fellowship Hall/Kitchen & Youth Room

#### MONDAY — Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00 AM Prayer Shawl Group – Fireside
- 5:15 PM Tai Chi – Youth Room
- 6:00 PM Adult Explo – Library
- 6:30 PM Boy Scouts – Fellowship Hall

#### TUESDAY — Oct. 29<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 AM UMW Bible Study – Fireside
- 6:45 PM Women Of Faith (WOF) – Library

#### WEDNESDAY — Oct. 30<sup>th</sup>

- 9:30 AM Care Center Ministry [5<sup>th</sup> Weds.] (offsite)
- 11 AM-1 PM Building Renovation Core Team mtg. – Fireside
- 12:00 PM WWW Study Group – Library
- 1:30 PM Staff meeting – Library
- 4:45 PM Zamar handbells – Sanctuary
- 5:30 PM Family Meal – Fellowship Hall & Kitchen
- 6:00 PM Kid's Club & M.S. Youth Group – Fellowship Hall, Youth Room, et al.
- 7:15 PM AcabeLLa handbells – Sanctuary

#### THURSDAY — Oct. 31<sup>st</sup> **HAPPY HALLOWEEN!!**

- 5:30 PM Yoga – Youth Room

#### FRIDAY — Nov. 1<sup>st</sup>

- 1-2 PM All Saints Sunday set-up – Sanctuary

#### SATURDAY — Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>

**SET YOUR CLOCKS BACK AN HOUR / Daylight Saving Time Ends!!!**

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### Serving in Worship

#### Greeters

- 8:00.....Joe & Becky Helle
- 9:15.....Amber & Matt Mulnik family
- 10:30.....Jeff & Pat Swartzendruber

#### Ushers

- 8:00.....Maggie & Curtis Thomas
- 9:15.....Amber, Matt & Kyla Mulnik
- 10:30..Dale & Nancy Snyder, John & Nancy Hinkel

#### Acolytes

- 8:00.....Usher(s)
- 9:15.....Leah Mulnik
- 10:30.....Usher(s)

#### Lectors

- 8:00.....Maggie or Curtis Thomas
- 9:15.....Amber Mulnik
- 10:30.....Carla Jesse

#### Liturgists

- 8:00.....Maggie Thomas
- 9:15.....Marci Wittles
- 10:30.....Heather Meador

#### Preacher

- All services.....Scott Meador

#### Staff

- Lead Pastor – Dr. Scott Meador
- Senior Office Manager – Sue Moss
- Office Manager – Marti Bowman
- Building Project Manager – Amber Mulnik
- Children's Weekday Ministries Director – Carolyn Barnes
- Director of Youth Ministries – Amy Perry
- 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

#### Oct. 20, 2019 Worship Attendance:

52 @ 8:00; 53 @ 9:15; & 120 @ 10:30  
Total = 225

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