

August 2016

The New Wine



## Blessings of the Backpacks

Pastor Oh will be blessing backpacks on **August 14th** during the **9:30 a.m.** service.

Please invite your kids, grandkids and even grate-grandkids for this event and join us while we help our children, youth, teachers, school administrators, and bus drivers prepare for another wonderful year of school.



Blessing  
of the Backpacks

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

I hope and pray that you are having a restful and enjoyable summer. It was a few Sundays ago during children's time when many of us were stunned by one of the children who shared that he is scared of terrorists. Unfortunately, even in the eyes of the boy, our world seems full of fear due to the terrorist attacks, gun violence, racism, and hate and many more. It is sad and heartbreaking that our children are living in and seeing the world this way.

One of the reasons for that, I ponder, is the generations before the children who grew weary and lost their hearts. We as adults, parents, or grandparents tend to fix our eyes on the political system, political leaders, customer goods, economy, and TV news. We are scaring the children. Since our children are getting cues from us, we are giving them "O my goodness we don't get the right people in office, if we don't fix our economy, it is the end of the earth, O my goodness, we don't get the right policies, and O my goodness, eventually all come in rebel.

Though the government, the economy, and the policies matter, neither of those matters as much as men and women who understand faith. God made the covenant with us and became one of us in Jesus to show us how much God loves each everyone of us. We have Jesus, who is abiding with us in Spirit, who understands our struggles and pain, and who even overcame evil and death. There is nothing to fear. Instead, we need to model for the next generation about faith that God is in control, God is with us, God is at work, and God can be trusted. All we need to do is to fix our eyes on Jesus while involving things in our community, government, economy, and politics, so that our children find hope in and through us for times such as these.

Since I am new to Lemont and have felt anxiety and uncertainty about how things are going to work out, I have walked around the city for several days. It has helped me know the community better and enable me to pray for the city and the people. At the beginning of the prayer walk, the city seemed like a huge fortress that I could not climb or conquer. Yet, one morning, suddenly, it turned to be the very beautiful city to live in and beautiful people to minister to. No matter how small I am, how capable I am, and how scared I am, God has given me strength, peace, and faith to cope with while praying. With this conviction in mind, I move on with my fingers crossed, hoping and believing that God is on my side and works in and through me. I believe God will show His presence in whatever I do, pour His blessings upon those whom I bless, and use me to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world through the power of the Holy Spirit.

I am sure it is not only my calling but also all of us who are called by God as ministers in the business of transforming lives. A prayer walk or prayer calms us down and helps us overcome our fears. One of my previous parishioners has been praying whenever there is a siren going on in town. When she babysits her grandson, she stops whatever she is doing and holds the hands of her grandson and offers a prayer. What a good example of faith! She has been modeling to her grandson how to manage fear and showing what faith looks like. It is a good idea that you sit with your kids since they are going back to school soon and listen to what they are afraid of and pray together. Remembering that we have Jesus, we have stories to tell, and we have faith granted to us, let us fix our eyes on Jesus. In doing so, surely our children and grandchildren, and great-grandchildren will face the future unafraid and our world will be a better place to live. Fingers crossed~!!!

Peace and grace,  
*Pastor Hyo Sun Oh*

## ***Celebrations in August***

### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

August 5th-Hannah Van  
August 6th-Emily Hennebry  
August 10th-Nathan Villacres  
August 12th-Marci Pierce  
August 14th-Jane Woytek  
August 18th-Rebecca Peraino  
August 19th-Ron Walter  
August 20th-Jacob O'Neill  
August 22nd-Stephen Weary  
August 24th-Mary Jane Nelson  
August 26th-Daniel Stood  
August 26th-Seung Woo Lee

### **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY**

August 2nd-Deb & Chuck Belander  
August 2nd-Sue & Dave Hinks  
August 6th-Amy & Mike Cheehy  
August 13th-Sue & Roland Tasker  
August 28th-Margaret & Bill Flynn  
August 29th-Karin & Tim Peraino



## **SCRIP FUNDRAISING**

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## OPEN PANTRY NEWS



Volunteers are needed to help staff the Open Pantry Hours on the first Saturday of the month from 9:00 AM to 10:00 AM, this is light work and helpful to families that work during the day. The Open Pantry is in need of jams, jellies, pasta sauce and rice.

## Sanctuary Volunteers Are Needed!

As you have seen, the video and audio are up and running. What we need now are volunteers! We do not want to have one person stuck in the booth every Sunday. Plus we need to spread the knowledge around so when someone goes on vacation, there will be someone to fill in. Our goal is to have 4-6 people who are comfortable flipping through the computer presentation slides and 4-6 people who are comfortable raising and lower the sound on a mic so we do not have feedback. You do not have to worry. We will walk you through the programs and train you so you feel comfortable with the devices! We just need volunteers!

There is a sign-up sheet in the back of the sanctuary for both sound volunteers. We need people for both the 8:30 and 10:45 services. The more we have the better. That means that everyone will be able to sit with their family most Sundays. So, please put your name on the sign up sheet or stop by the booth and let Jana Stelter or someone on the Worship committee know. We will get you familiar with the program so you can get in the rotation to volunteer for a service.

## Welcome our sister, Rory Cochran



Pastor Oh will administer the sacrament of baptism on Sunday, July 31 for Rory Cochran.

Rory was born on January 26, 2016 at New Lenox, IL to Ernest and Kelly Cochran.

Please send the family welcomes at [<kcochran1212@yahoo.com>](mailto:kcochran1212@yahoo.com)

## Camps and Retreats

Last year for the first time ever, I attended a woman's retreat. It was Awesome. There was wonderful fellowship, an excellent speaker and fun things to do. I actually went zip lining. Below are two websites for family camps, kids camps for all ages, men camps and women camps just to name a few.

**Silver Birch Ranch** (White Lake, Wi) This is the one I attended. It's up near Green Bay.  
[www.silver birch ranch.org](http://www.silverbirch ranch.org)

**Grace Adventures** (Silver Lake Michigan) [www.graceadventures.org](http://www.graceadventures.org)

If anyone is interested in going, please let Peg Pecher (847-204-1747 or church) know and we can try to get a group set up. I'd be up for a week end in Sept or Oct!

## FUN OPPORTUNITY

Looking for a fun way to participate and serve our church? Then think about joining our Activities Committee. We will be planning activities that include everyone for the year. Some suggestions have been a talent show, a ladies luncheon, a game night, a campfire and movies. If you are interested, please contact Peg Pecher: (847-204-1747) or the church. Come help us make our church a joy filled church.



## SUGGESTED NEW MINISTRY

In a recent Upper Room devotional, the author talked about visiting a retirement center for fellowship and sharing with the residents. After reading this article, I was so moved. Maybe we could form a group to have this kind of ministry! In the Lemont area, there are many centers. Please call me if you are interested. My number is: [815 838 6318](tel:8158386318). Looking forward to hear from you.

Paulette Fries

### Liturgist Schedule

**August 7  
9:30 Sue  
Gergescz**

**August 14  
9:30 Marty Knott**

**August 21 9:30  
Mark  
Huegelmann**

**August 28  
9:30 Cris Kerins**

## **The Greatest Speaker 2**

**By Richard H. Lee**

Our new pastor spoke recently about how public speaking was a great problem for her in her early years of her ministry. But obviously she has overcome that fear and that reminded me of my years in Toastmasters at Argonne National Lab. I joined that group to learn how to speak at conferences and soon learned the basics and got guided practice.

One of the most important things to become a good speaker is to know what you are talking about. And be prepared for people asking you questions after your speech, which is common at a conference. A third important rule is to use humor in your speeches to make them more interesting and entertaining. But don't try to be a stand-up comedian unless the subject needs some humor or you want it to be more entertaining.

I am reminded of one of my favorite speakers, Abraham Lincoln, who was known and respected for his knowledge of the facts and the morality of it. He was also known as a good storyteller, which helped him work with his opponents and enemies. Yes, he had enemies! Sometimes he would quote Scripture and was known to be a student of the Bible. There is a church in Chicago, Saint James that I have been to and seen the memorial plaque in the lobby honoring Lincoln who attended there sometimes. Moses was another man who was timid and afraid of being a spokesperson until he received orders and encouragement from God personally. This was at the age of 80, so it's never too late!



August 2016



**Children's Message Schedule**

**Volunteer's Needed**

**Please contact the church office if you are interested.**



**Greeters**

**August 7  
9:30-Ron & Carol  
Walter**

**August 14  
9:30-Shirly Stout &  
Dottie McAdams**

**August 21  
9:30-Marty & Arlene  
Knott**

**August 28  
9:30-Juanita Fick**

**MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES**

**For More information please contact the church office at (630)257-5210 or ministry leaders.**

**SMALL GROUPS**

- Bible Study: TBA
- Prayer Meeting: TBA
- ALPHA: July 10<sup>th</sup> John Nelson 630-254-0867
- Methodist Essential: Bill Price 630-754-7667
- VBS: Jodi Stood 630-243-9366
- The Last Supper: Arlene Knott 630-2016057
- Adult Sunday School: Richard Lee 630-257-7339
- Sr. High Youth: Karin Peraino 630-846-1415
- Jr. High Youth: Jodi Stood 630-243-9366
- Breakfast Club: K. Peraino 630-846-1415
- Jr. High Sunday School: K. Peraino 630-846-1415
- Children's Sunday Sch: K. Peraino 630-846-1415
- Prime Timers: Joyce Koon 630-257-6275  
Joanne Goszczycki 630-257-6790
- Men's Group: Tony Ferrazzi 815-886-4177
- Couples: Tim and Karin Peraino 630-846-1415

**MINISTRIES WITHIN OUR CHURCH**

- Prayer Warrior: Pastor Oh 630-257-5210
- Care Bear: Alice Lange 815-838-5158
- Coffee Social: Amy Cheehy 815-834-1097
- Script Fundraising: Marge Fox 630-243-8166
- CAPS: Cris Kerins 630-257-5660
- Audio and Visual: Jana Stelter 630-243-9122
- Handyman: Amy Cheehy 815-834-1097
- Landscape Team: Bill Stelter 630-243-9122
- Hospitality Team: Amy Cheehy 815-834-1097
- Widows Group: Richard Lee 630-257-7339
- Usher Team: Mark Olinger 815-838-0660
- Welcoming Team: Sue Hinks 630-257-6743
- Worship Choir: Sue Gergescz 815-483-7282
- Praise Band: TBA
- Junior Choir: Cris Kerins 630-257-5660
- Any Other Ministry You Would Like to Start

**OUT-REACH MINISTRIES**

- Pantry Workday: Debbie Chappell 815-836-0256
- Panera Bread: Debbie Chappell 815-836-0256
- Daybreak Shelter: Vickie Olinger 815-838-0660
- Worthy Treasures: Paulette Fries 815-838-6318
- ESL: Kay Norfleet 630-257-6699
- Red Bird: Steve Walter 630-783-1621
- \*\*Any Other Ministry You Would Like To Start

## Stewardship Minute

Marty Knott  
Chairperson, Stewardship and Finance Committee

This is the next in a series of articles about stewardship. In these articles I will try to inform you about the many ways you can contribute to your church's programs.

### **“The Capital Repair Fund has Started”**

Well, the new Capital Repair Fund (CRF) has been established with \$20,000 from the Endowment Fund and two member loans totaling \$40,000. Money has been taken from this fund to pay for some of the work already billed and under way. I have learned that there may be other members who wish make a loan to the CRF and they would be welcome. Just contact Don Mueggenborg for instructions.

The work on replacing the leaking underground electrical supply system and new interior electrical equipment is now complete and we have a much safer system for the church. Later this year the renovation of the side gardens and construction of the sidewalks to the lower entrances will be completed and more bills will be paid by the CRF.

It is now our turn to contribute to this fund to pay back the loans. This will be one of the subjects of my stewardship talks this fall but early contributions will be welcome. Just mark your envelope with “Capital Repair Fund” or just “CRF.”

With our contributions to the CRF over the next few years, our member loans and the Endowment Fund can be paid off. And we will have accomplished a great set of improvements, many of them safety improvements, to our church for those who follow us here.

<b>General Fund Beginning Balance:</b>	\$10,515
<b>Receipts:</b>	9,136
<b>Disbursements:</b>	10,999
<b>Ending Balance:</b>	8,652
<b>Maintenance Fund Ending Balance:</b>	Negative 16,380

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## RAINBOW COVENANT

### August Loose Change Sunday (8/28/16)

Today is "Loose Change Sunday." All loose change collected on the fourth Sunday of each month goes to support the Rainbow Covenant charities. For August, we are highlighting the **green band charity, Wesley Woods**. This is a Christian summer youth camp and adult retreat center in Wisconsin. Their mission is to Impact Lives with Jesus Christ. This mission is fulfilled through high-energy worship, creative and unique programs, and an exciting team of believers who love serving our Lord. Your gifts will help Wesley Woods upgrade the quality of their amenities to enhance the camping experience. Please place your loose change in the offering plate today to help the Wesley Woods. If you would like to make a larger offering to this specific charity, write "Wesley Woods" on a pew envelope. Thank you for your support of the special ministries in the Rainbow Covenant.

### New Pamphlets

"Learn to read the Bible in One Year" and "Prayers for Prodigals through Scriptures" are available on the back table for anyone who is interested.

### **"Worthy Treasures"**

I'm very excited to announce a new ministry in our church, "Worthy Treasures". Our ministry would involve going to various local retirement communities spreading Christ's message by visiting these residents that are precious Children of God too. Our main concern would be the Memory Unit clients. We have some of our church family already interested and could always use some more people to serve! You will receive wisdom, insight, and acceptance from the awesome residents. Please sign up!

Thank you,  
Paulette Fries

### JUNIOR CHOIR

What can you hear but cannot touch or see?  
What has 88 keys but cannot open a door?  
These are some musical riddles for you and the answers will come at the end of this note. I hope that you have been enjoying your summer and that you've spent some time singing. I think God must feel happy when He hears you sing. We will begin Jr. Choir in September so watch for information in the late August bulletins or in your mailbox for the date. If you have a friend or relative who enjoys singing, ask her/him to join us.

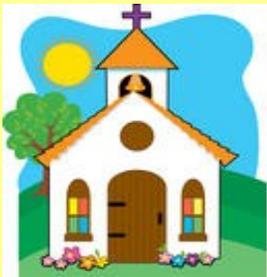
O.K.— here are the answers: your voice, a piano.



## Books Available in the Library By Kay Norfleet

### Handyman wanted

We have widows in our church who may occasionally need help with household repairs: basic maintenance and grass cutting or snow shoveling. Ideally it could be a retired man with experience in building. Please contact the church office at: 630-257-5210 if you are interested.



### ESL Tutoring

Kay Norfleet has graciously offered to teach English as a second language to anyone in need in our church family. If you are interested, you can contact her at 630-257-6699.

### August Book Reviews

Gratitude is a prerequisite to giving (generosity). Gratitude means thankfulness, thankfulness to God who is in charge. That thankfulness results, or should result in, generosity (giving)." When we practice gratitude that should result in generosity, not only do we grow in our trust of God. We benefit physically, emotionally, and spiritually." Really thinking of a Christian response to the situations that confront us opens our minds to ways we can show our generosity (gratitude to God who has allowed the situations we find ourselves in). Gratitude (generosity) is our finding ways to help our neighbors. That is completing one of God's commandments. So think, think, think whenever you experience a situation whether it be when you open your refrigerator and find food that you could donate to food pantry. OR if you hear of a person experiencing a health crisis, pray, and tell them you are praying. Pray with them. A gratitude journal is an excellent way for each of us to track what God has put in our paths. ...whether it be positive or negative. Then maybe we'll know what to do to please Him

Debbie Macomber in this book "One Simple Act" recounts how Corrie ten Boom remembered her situation in the Nazi prison camp. She had been housed with many other women in a place that was infested with fleas. She had used her Bible to bring comfort to those sisters. However, the Nazi guards were supposed to confiscate any Bible. But because of the fleas, they would not enter the room where Corrie and the women were kept. So, strange as it seems to us, Corrie gave thanks for the fleas. You may, and I have seen people do this, pay for someone else's meal or groceries when they can't. It's appropriate then for you to give thanks to God that you were able to help. You may send a card or letter to comfort or wish someone a happy day or ???, but you don't see a return envelope. Yet you are able to thank God for that empathy. If you hear of someone going through a difficult time, don't just say "I'm praying for you," offer a prayer right at the time, whether written or softly, but clearly said. In her book, Debbie Macomber writes short stories that display the act of giving. Be like Pollyanna, look for something in everyone, and thank God you can see it. Then act upon it. Be generous.

Deep in the mountains of Romania stands a fortress, and deep within that fortress lies a chamber. In that chamber, ruling the dead for over two thousand years, lives one Shataiki bat straight from the bowels of the Black Forest. He seeks the final Books of History with which he will destroy the world. But there are four who stand in the way. The Chosen are trapped in a new world of high technology and weapons of mass destruction. In the midst of chaos, they must find the last book before the Dark One can in this final test to save the world. Ted Dekker's "Chaos" is a young adult book that pits the forces of good and evil, the choices the characters make bring focus to their final mission. A summer read that takes you away from too many screens or ipads or whatever those things are called.

Going Public With Your Faith" or evangelizing. The book reminds us that it isn't necessary to be a prolific writer or public orator to share what we have as Christians, we can do that by Acting out our faith...by doing as the book of James reminds us: SHOW that we know and serve a God who we know is in charge,

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who made the earth, man, animals, all things and who gives good things to those of us who delight in him and praise him continuously. Or in other words, act out the fruits of the Spirit. Oh I don't mean that we need to be mumbling praises always, although that's a good start. (I remember being put on hold on the phone one time, but the person at the other end, hadn't pressed the right button, and I heard her saying over and over "PTL.") But what we need to do is be open to whomever, to really LISTEN and empathize and try to meet the needs of all we come in contact with. Does the person need a ride? If you have a car you can meet that need. Is the person in any way handicapped? Go with him so he feels more secure in walking. What about making a phone call if he or she doesn't feel good about calling. Maybe you can. Of course, anyone who needs errands done, a house cleaned, children taken care of, or maybe at work carrying or going out of your way to find something, listening to what is said-if you are able to meet a need, even if all you do is try, is a fruit of the Spirit. Anyone who is shown a fruit of the Spirit, again and again is more likely to trust you. Then you'll need to go slowly-pray and ask God to change you so you may bring another into His kingdom.

Another Ted Dekker book, one that I think adults might enjoy, besides young adults, is "Sinner." Think forward eighteen years, there is a new society. People whose world is governed by "Tolerance." Yet there are a few who exist who don't think like the majority. Their lives are in danger. Mixups, a guy who can read minds, a woman whose very words can change a situation, a group in Washington who is opposed to the tolerant group...all these add up to an easy and light summertime read.

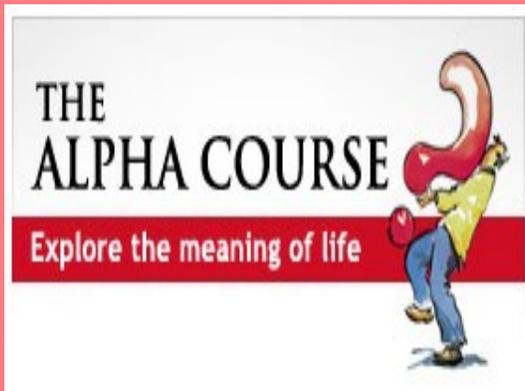


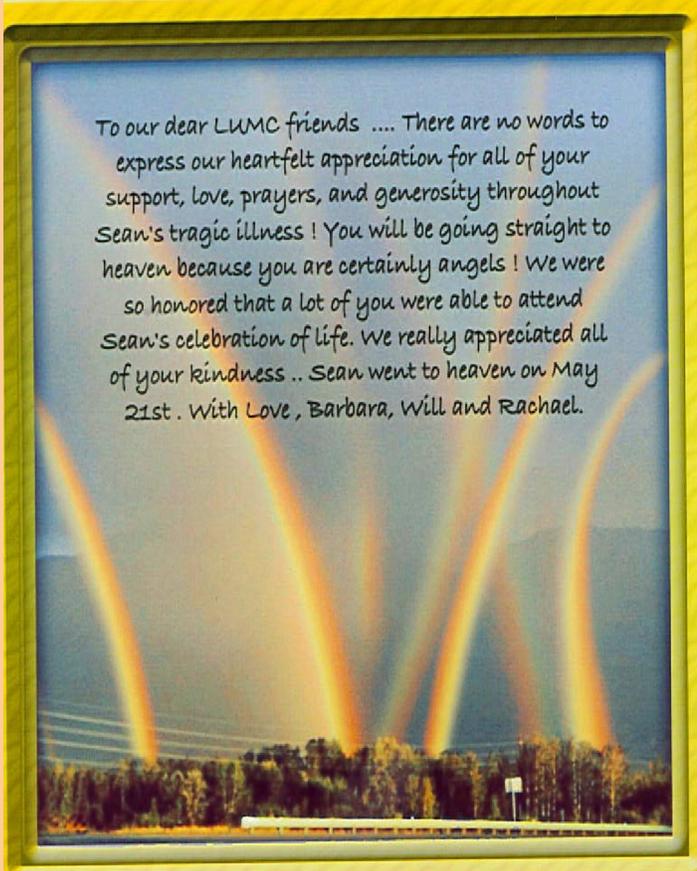
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## ALPHA CLASS

Who is Alpha for? Alpha is for everyone! It's especially geared for people investigating their Christianity. People with questions about life. Couples preparing for marriage. Christians who want to be able to explain

their faith more clearly. Alpha will be held at Lemont United Methodist Church on Sunday's at 12:30 p.m. in Fellowship Hall. There will not be class on August 14th and September 4th. If you have any questions please contact the church office at: 630-257-5210.





## **LUMC WORK PROJECTS FOR 2016**

Church members have noticed the piles of dirt and construction barricades blocking the front of the church. The summer work projects have progressed quickly.

We started on a special landscaping project which removed many of the old plantings on both sides of the church. The area is being treated with weed and grub eradication chemicals and will lie fallow until the landscaped walls are installed and much needed sidewalks are poured.

The project involving ComEd, Fail Safe Electric, U. S. Waterproofing, Arris Architects, and AMSCO Engineering has replaced the access piping for the main electrical line to the building. The new line runs under the south driveway and the work has been completed and passed inspection. This work will insure the safety of our electrical system and improve the waterproofing of the lower level.

We still need to install the landscaping wall along the north driveway, install new sidewalks to meet handicap accessibility standards, and resurface and restripe the parking lots and driveways. Hopefully this can be done before late fall.

We are trying to keep costs as low as possible, but we will continue to need the help of the congregation for these projects. Donations to the Maintenance Fund at LUMC will be important and greatly appreciated as we try to keep our church safe and sound.

Special Thanks to Tim Peraino and Steve Weary for supervising the first steps of the major construction project.



## Rainbow of Promise

*Rainbows are lovely, I love their soft hues.*

*It brings God's promise to me in clear views.*

*A covenant of love after the flood had gone:*

*To show my own heart the glorious new dawn.*

*His Rainbow of Promise is His Rainbow of love.*

*Touching my heart with soft colors from above.*

*A rainbow to heal me & show me "my Lord's face".*

*His rainbow of love daily colors me with grace.*

*Patricia Kubicki*

*Thank You to Karin Perraino for the picture.*

## Child Care Attendant Needed

Starting August 14th we will need a child care attendant during the 9:30 summer worship service and starting September 11th during the 10:45 service. If you are interested please contact the church office at: 630-257-5210.



## **MEANINGFUL MOMENTS WITH GOD**

*"Pray continually; give thanks in all circumstances for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus."*

*1 Thessalonians 2:17-18*

\*Sue Behling, safe trip home  
Safe trip to Burma  
\*Virginia, new adjustments  
\*Margaret Flynn, broken bone  
\*Dottie McAdams, surgery  
Don Myers, fell  
Jim & Linda, hospital and dementia  
Lois, stage 3 cancer  
Victims of the Nice attacks  
Jodie (Baxter), healthy pregnancy  
\*Christine Miller, testing  
Marilyn Troyer, breast cancer  
Suzanne Moake, breast cancer  
Bill Curry, stage 4 bone cancer  
\*Bobbie Legan, colon cancer  
Tom Thompson, stage 4 cancer  
Barbara Reynolds, stent  
Christine, double mastectomy on August 10th  
Virginia, cellulitis, pneumonia  
Kathy, cancer  
Sally, fighting lung cancer/husband for support  
Mary Daum, breast cancer  
Angie Neitzel, two valve replacements, infection  
Melanie Foster, ovarian cancer  
Sandie Koelbel, lung and bone cancer, chemo  
\*Michael Campbell, spinal injury  
Suebea Wright, chemotherapy  
Phil, cancer  
MaryLou, peace and strength  
\*Sheila Farrer, various illnesses  
Ken Mackey, ALS testing  
Mary, cancer spread

Kay, cancer  
Brian, fighting alcoholism  
Margie, heart issues  
Dave, knee surgery  
Tom Ligman, pacemaker  
Sally, congenital heart failure, insurance  
\*Ashtyn Talos, healthy baby  
Bella Beltrame, brain cancer  
Mason Walters, 10 yrs old, brain cancer  
David Izquierdo, injury/surgery on shoulder  
Maureen Robinson, serious health issues  
LeeAnn Rolph, hemorrhage in brain  
Sue H., husband health issues  
Irene Johnson, heart attack  
Inge Goszczycki, dementia  
Brett Sharp, bone marrow transplant  
Jerry McElwee, cancer  
Joe Lahey, stem cell surgery  
Bob Bacigalupo, new kidney  
Dan Sorensen, healing in family  
Joe Sigety, ALS  
Shirley Chappell, health issues  
Dick Cesaretti, intestine cancer  
Alexandria Stojaov, brain tumor  
Bob Billings, money problems  
Luther Davis, cancer spread  
Marty Rolin, cyst, nerve damage  
Melissa Schuster, healing  
Jim Kratochvil, lung cancer  
Patti Burk, breast cancer  
Dave Mlady, illness  
\*Jason Kehr, cystic fibrosis

### **MONTHLY BLESSINGS AND JOYS**

- \*Our first month with our new Pastor!
- \*Successful Daybreak Shelter
- \*New Appointment Workshop
  - \*The birth of Lila Margaret Myers
- \*The Trustees for continuing to improve our church building
  - \*The birth of Abigail Quinn Hinks
- \*The baptism of Rory Victoria Cochran
- \*Our faithful liturgist's

### **Coffee Fellowship August 21**

Marge Fox  
Sue Tasker  
Mary Ende  
Lynn Vavra  
Dottie McAdams  
Juanita Hill  
Joanne Goszczycki  
Pat Farrer



**Coffee Fellowship**

### **Expanding Care Bear Ministry**

Please let Pastor Oh know if you if are "home bound" or need a visit for those who are in the hospital. We are looking for people to prepare a home cooked meal and be with members when they have serious medical concerns-praying and providing support when needed. If you feel called to this ministry but are unable to cook, please donate gift cards from various places like Subway, Celina's or others in town, to distribute to members in need if Carebearers would not be able to provide a meal. Please consider this ministry prayerfully and contact :  
Church: 630-257-5210

## Lemont United Methodist Church

25 West Custer  
Lemont, Illinois 60439  
Phone: 630-257-5210

**Return Service Requested**

# NEW WINE August 2016

## The Hindu Clinic

**The Hindu Temple of Greater Chicago has offered the use of their clinic to anyone in need of medical help. The clinic is open the first Sunday of the month from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.**

**Their address is 10915 Lemont Road, Lemont and their phone number is 630-972-0300.**

## AA Meetings

**AA Meetings** are held in our church Fellowship Hall on Saturday evenings at 7:30 pm. If you would like further information.

**Please contact:  
Pat at (815) 274-4244**

## WEBSITE Has Sermons

<http://lemontumc.org/video> has a list of available sermons. Services are being recorded almost every week thanks to Erik and volunteers. If you would like a video of a part of the service, like a baptism or someone playing a song, please contact Paul Froehle. He can copy it to a DVD or flash drive as a computer or phone readable video file.

## United Methodist Men



**Saturday  
August 13th  
8:00 a.m.**

Come and join us! The Lemont United Methodist Men (UMM) will meet in **Fellowship Hall at 8:00 am.** Lemont UMM meets on the second Saturday of each month for breakfast.

This group is made available for the fellowship of all the men of the church and all are welcome to attend. Information about meeting dates and times are posted in the church calendar and bulletins.



## Primetimers



**Saturday  
August 20  
1:00 p.m.**

This is a group made up of adults 50 years and older. Primetimers meet monthly on the 3rd Saturday of each month with a potluck lunch at the church fellowship hall. Everyone brings a favorite dish to share for an enjoyable afternoon. If you have any questions, please call:  
Juanita Fick  
630-257-7639