



The New Wine

July 2020

Upcoming Services

*All
Services
will be
online.*

*Please see
page 5 for
details.*

*Please
Enjoy!*



Dear Members of Lemont UMC,

The LUMC ReTURN Team has been working diligently to formulate a plan for in-person worship services for those who are ready and eager to worship in our church building. On-line services will continue also so that those who prefer to worship remotely may still do so. It is anticipated that on-line worship will continue indefinitely as we are reaching more people than we could have ever dreamed! Praise God! For those that are interested in participating with an in-person worship, here are some of the highlights that are being considered. The plans are still very tentative and will need to be approved by our District Superintendent as well as the Northern Illinois Conference. Therefore, we do not yet have a time frame for when this could happen.

The LUMC ReTURN procedures for in-person worship will be based on recommendations from the CDC, State of Illinois HHS, and the Northern Illinois Conference. While we are striving to take the utmost precautions to safely return to worship in our building, there are still no guarantees that someone will not be infected with COVID-19 or any other illness. As much as we would love for you to worship with us, if you feel you are at risk or have any concerns we won't be offended if you choose not to attend in-person worship. There will still be an online service every week and we would encourage you to worship with us in that way. LUMC ReTURN Team will keep informed of trends of Covid-19 taking in consideration CDC, State of Illinois Department of Health and Human Services and Northern Illinois Conference UMC recommendations. Should numbers rise or fall, the ReTURN Team may adjust procedures and phase status accordingly.

Here are some of the guidelines that are being considered:

- Attendance will be by reservation only. Parishioners must call or email the church Administrative Assistant to request a reservation. No more than 50 people can be in the building at any one time.
- Attend church **ONLY IF YOU FEEL COMFORTABLE IN DOING SO.** The church, the Body of Christ, is not a physical building. It resides in the hearts of Christians, wherever they may be. A weekly on-line service will continue to be provided. Remember that you are loved and cared for regardless of whether you feel ready to attend in-person church or not.
- Please arrive at least 15 min early to allow time for temperature check and check-in.
- Please allow for an empty parking space on both sides of your vehicle and other parked vehicles.
- Entry will be through the main upstairs (South) door only. Exit only through upstairs Southeast or Southwest doors. There will be no access to the downstairs area.

- Keep your nose and mouth covered with a mask and use hand sanitizer. If you do not have a mask, we will have a disposable one for you. Hand sanitizer will be provided.
- Do not touch anyone who is not part of your household. Greet each other with a wave, nod, curtsy, bow or any other friendly gesture! Please limit touching surfaces inside the building as much as possible.
- Sanctuary aisles are one-way please enter through the center isle and exit via the side aisles.
- Please limit restroom usage. If you must go, please follow thorough hand washing procedures.
- Keep a social distance of 6 ft between families, both inside and outside the church.
- Follow directions given by the ushers, on signage, or marked on the floors.
- No food or drink.
- No name tag.
- No Sunday School and nursery will be provided.

Submitted by ReTurn Team,
 Ron Walter (chairperson), Gleeann Kehr, Bill Stelter, Jana Stelter, Peg Pecher,
 Don Mueggenborg, Phil Ramos, Sue Gergesch, Cris Kerins, Karin Peraino, Pastor Hyo Sun Oh

Dear church family,

All the prayers, love affection expressed in notes to Marty are over whelming. Bless you. Marty had a very hard year with his health. Every time something came up ... we would deal the best that we could do and in a short time something occurred again and so ... The other problem was loneliness and not living at home.

He is with the Lord now. No more pain and sorrow.

Thank you for the cards and notes. It helps us in our sorrow. This week I'll bring him home.

Please remember Marty's words to the congregation.

"It's so great to see you here. Please be safe."

Arlene and the Knott family



IN REMEMBRANCE OF MARTIN JOHN KNOTT

October 18, 1937 — June 8, 2020



It is with great sadness that we announce the death of Martin (Marty) Knott after a hard-fought battle with kidney failure, compounding related conditions, and COVID-19. He was born the son of Hilbrand Knott and Nellie (Sietsema) in Chicago in October 1937.

Marty attended and graduated from Chicago Vocational High School and then the University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign with a degree in electrical engineering. His first employer after graduation was then Hughes Aircraft in Glendale, CA where he helped to develop radar systems. Later, Marty worked at Argonne National Laboratory, in the Accelerator Systems Division. His biggest project at Argonne was facility planning for the Advanced Photon Source (APS), a bright X-ray beam source used in scientific research.

While Marty was in High School, he met his lifelong sweetheart, Arlene, also known as Bunny. They married on September 3, 1960. They were blessed with three children, Gregory, Laurel, and Kevin.

Marty and his young family joined the Lemont United Methodist Church in the early 1970's. Marty continued to enjoy and serve the LUMC congregation for the rest of his life. He served on the finance committee for decades, the head of the maintenance committee, on the Sunday board, the art committee, rang the church bell on Sunday mornings. Went to Red Bird Mission twice. He enjoyed helping in LUMC productions, from acting in the Last Supper Play for 35 years and even directing children-acted nativity plays, until the live animals ran away during a Christmas Eve production.

Between work and church life, Marty shared his love for projects at home too. He built a TV from Heathkit, added a greenhouse, gazebo, fishpond, and gardens to their home, and converted a van into a camper for five to travel the country. He loved gadgets and encouraged his children to try to understand, fix, and build things.

His love of tinkering and projects fed into his favorite avocation, traveling. He travelled on his honeymoon camping trip, to weeks-long trips in the converted van with his kids, and finally retirement trips in a camper or on ships with friends and family. He loved his adventures to almost every state in the U.S. and many countries throughout the world. There was never a bell tower too tall to climb, a food too questionable to try, or a waterway that shouldn't be navigated. He had a gift for seeing the silver lining in every situation combined with dogged persistence towards the next goal.

He is survived by his wife Arlene (Bunny) and his children: Gregory, Laurel (Marc) McEllistrem, and Kevin (Laurie); his devoted sister: Nelva (Robert) Piersma; his loving and adventurous mother-in-law Margaret Nielsen; several grandchildren whom he enjoyed: Ryan (21), Marcus (19), Connor (18), Michael (17), Grace (17), Logan (14), Sean (13), and Alexander (deceased); nieces and nephews: Lisa, Nancy, Robert, and Deborah.

He will be cremated, and his ashes scattered among his household gardens, along with Bunny's when the time comes for her to join him. Because of the pandemic crisis, we wish to hold a memorial service at a future date to celebrate his life in as safe a manner as possible. The family wishes to extend their deepest gratitude towards friends and family during this time as well as the tremendous support of the medical staff that provided his care which extended his adventures for many years past his initial diagnosis.

In lieu of flowers, please offer memorial gifts to the Lemont United Methodist Church (25 West Custer Street, Lemont, IL 60439, lemontumc.org).

Thank You's

Hello, I'm Jushin, a niece of Pastor Oh.
Thank you for the congratulations and gift.
I got the most memorable graduation gift.
I'm so touched that you remembered me.

Unexpectedly and surprisingly, I got your warm heart.
I still remember the members of Lemont United Methodist Church
and their smiles vividly. As much as I was loved by your members,
I want to return more love to you.

I'll pray whenever I think of you!! I hope all of you are safe from
COVID-19. I miss you all so much.

Be safe, healthy and happy!

Thank you!

Thank you for the Amazon Gift Card! --
Connor, Grandson of Kay Norfleet

Hello,

I just wanted to say thank you all for the amazon gift card.

Sincerely,
Mihash Cheehy

Hello,

I wanted to thank the church and it's members for the very
thoughtful gift that was sent to me for my graduation. After being
out-of-state for school for two years, it is such a comfort to know
my church family remains behind me and in full support of my edu-
cation. I hope everyone is staying safe and healthy during these
trying times. I look forward to returning to services when they re-
sume.

OPEN PANTRY NEWS

Volunteers are needed to stock shelves for the Open Pantry. Hours are on Monday mornings from 9:30-11:00, this is light work .

The Open Pantry is in need of bakes beans, pork and beans, peanut butter, jelly, and toilet paper.

Thank you to our volunteers, Dale Janssen, Carolyn Stelter, Mary Englund, Margaret, Steve & Gina Walter!!!



Dennis and Sharon Heslop
are celebrating their
60th wedding anniversary July 2nd

Happy 60th Wedding Anniversary

Scrip Checks

If you purchase Scrip cards please put your check in the red box located at the back of the sanctuary.

Also, the following Scrip cards are available for purchase in the office:

15 - Starbucks	5.00
25 - Panera	5.00
6 - Coldstone	5.00
9 - Home Depot	10.00
10 - Applebee's	10.00
18 - Taco Bell	5.00



If you would like to purchase any of these cards please contact the church office.



THANK YOU FOR
SUPPORTING GIRL
SCOUT TROOP 70364
BRONZE AWARD

Friends, family, community
Girl Scout Troop 70364 is proud to
announce that we have collected 467 items
of animal food, treats and toys that has
been donated to the LUMC food pantry for
distribution to complete our GS Bronze Award.

We thank you for your generosity and support.
Anna, Ally, Annabelle, Carmela, Victoria, Lucia,
Genevieve, Karli, Valerie, Johanna, Magdaline, & Sophia

LUMC JOB OPENING

The Lemont United Methodist Church has a job opening. The job is to video tape the services--about one hour and a half a week on Sundays from 9:15-10:45 a.m. The compensation would be \$20 a Sunday service. We are looking for someone high school age or older who might be interested in this work.

We will train the individual and provide the equipment needed to do the job. No prior knowledge is needed but previous introduction to a video camera may help. If you know of someone who might be interested, please give them this information. If this is something that you might be interested in, please contact the office at 630-257-5210 so we can get started with our "back to church" services as soon as possible. We would like to begin training someone on July 26th so they can go solo on August 2nd.

Worship Committee

United Methodist Men Zoom Gathering JULY 19TH 8:00 A.M.

Will reconvene via Zoom, hosted by Phil Ramos.
In order to participate in the Zoom session,
you must contact Phil Ramos and he will invite you.
Phil's email is bolingbrookramos@gmail.com and
his phone number is 630-740-1513.



DAYBREAK SHELTER

Due to the covid -19 pandemic, Daybreak Shelter has been canceled until further notice.

We will notify everyone when we are able to resume this mission.

Thank You



We have online giving if you have a Smartphone!

1. If you are going to do ACH you will need your checking account number and routing number. If you are going to use your credit or debit card, you will need to have them available
2. Go to the App Store and search for Give+. “Get” it.
3. Once it’s loaded, click on it. You will see the GIVEPLUS+ logo and Find your church to get started. You can type in 60439 or Lemont United Methodist church. Choose our church.
4. Create your account. Submit. The next time you pay online you will need this information to will sign in.
5. On the Give Now screen, upper right-hand corner, click the ‘+’
6. Choose your fund, (General Fund, Maintenance, Cap Improvements, etc.) choose your frequency, choose the date (I chose Monthly, April 15th so each month on the 15th it will automatically send money to the church) select amount or type it in
7. Hit Add
8. If you are giving to more than one account, click the ‘+’ sign, pick your fund, choose frequency, and select amount
9. When you have completed your contribution, select next at the bottom of the screen
10. Choose your payment method and complete the required information
11. Select next. You will see a Donation Summary of your giving. Select “Complete Donation”
12. If you want to print the confirmation, to the bottom of the screen and select the box with the arrow and choose your delivery option

Online giving via your computer will be available soon.

If you have any questions, contact Peg Pecher at 847-204-1747

THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATION!



Notes From The Angel Fish

by Leslie Baker-Ramos



Good Morning, Everyone! There is a distinct change I notice since the last time I sat down to write about the happenings of the Angelfish. The air smells sweeter and feels heavy warm and damp most mornings. The world around me is lush and green and there are people out early trying to beat the heat walking, running, biking or, like me, sitting outside sipping morning coffee, enjoying this quiet time.

Our lives have certainly slowed-down in many ways since the Covid 19 shut-down, but in other ways it has become more active. Most of the members of the Angelfish expressed their desire to continue praising and sharing their music with the congregation. After scratching our heads for some time and working through various scenarios of what might and might not work, Phil and I decided to take the plunge and try to learn how to create our songs virtually so to keep our praise band members and our congregation safe & connected while offering our gift of music. Due to Pastor Oh's and the church's support and dedication to continue online worship service during the shutdown, we were able to upgrade our computer to handle the large file sizes required for audio and video editing projects.

We have also been blessed with the help of another church (Naperville Community UMC) whose band director and professional video editor, Ed Green, has spent countless hours assisting me so that I could learn how to use professional video editing software specifically for online worship. Several of our praise band members also rolled-up their sleeves, and guess what? You really can teach us old dogs new tricks! We were able to successfully create our first two praise songs virtually and offer them for praise time last Sunday. I am so grateful for the band's hard-work and dedication to this church and to our congregation.

Thanks, Angelfish and thank you Pastor Hyo Sun Oh! We're looking forward to making more music together (and we really hope you like it)!

WE ARE THE CHURCH

By Phil Ramos



"A little while ago, the church held a Gratitude service where various individuals and ministries were recognized. There was a hand out at the service and was glancing at it and there were a lot of ministries listed. There were 44 of them! I had no idea. I started wondering what were these ministries, who heads them up, and what were they all about? Then I had a hunch that the rest of the congregation wondered the same thing. So I reached out to the leaders of the ministries and asked them the same set of questions and we are publishing their responses here in the New Wine. We plan to feature three or four ministries a month. You know some of them, but you do not know all of them. So, read about the fabulous things that the folks in these pews next to you do and make a decision ask additional questions and, to join in at least two of the ministries.



ALICE LANGE

Care Bearers Ministry
Jan 19, 2020

How long have you headed up this ministry and when and how did you first get involved?

I have been part of the Care Bearers Ministry since about 1995. I became co-chair with Virginia Andersen in 1997. Sue Tasker and I were co-chairs from 1999 thru 2016. Wendy Myers & I have co-chaired Care Bearers since 2017.

Tell me a little bit about the ministry. Often mistakenly called Care Bears, we are actually Care Bearers, because we are "bearers of care"; volunteers who provide a main meal for individuals or families in our church who are in a situation that makes meal preparation difficult, such as illness or death in the family, birth of a baby, etc. This ministry was started by Pastor Susan Jacques and Virginia Andersen in the mid 1990's, when they recognized a need for this help for several families in our church.

What are some of the highlights or accomplishments? It has been a privilege to help in this way and to see how much it means to those who receive the meals. I have also been blessed to have worked with great co-chairs; Sue and Wendy & all of our great meal providers.

What are or were the greatest challenges? Because it is not one of the main missions of our church, the greatest challenge was to make the congregation aware of Care Bearers' needs. When we were down to only a few Care Bearers and I asked for more volunteers, I was overjoyed at the response. We now have 13 active Care Bearers.

What keeps you going in this ministry? I feel that I receive more than I give when I take a meal and sometimes even have a short visit with the recipient; I am blessed.

What can people learn working with you in this ministry? It is really a simple ministry that almost anyone can do. By providing an occasional meal, we are sharing God's Love.

Closing remarks. Care Bearers is a small but important ministry for our church family and is a blessing for both the recipient and the giver.



MARK HUEGELEMAN

Scout Ministry
Feb 24, 2020
Scout

How long have you headed up this ministry and when and how did you first get involved? I was a scout when I was a youth. Later, my mother-in-law found a local pack and signed up my son Marty. I eventually became involved and when Marty joined troop 49 I also joined as an assistant scoutmaster. I was Scoutmaster while Kurt was in the troop and now I still work with the troop but also on district and council, and even a few national projects.

Tell me a little bit about the ministry. Scouting is involved in building character in boys and girls through programs that teach life skills, camping and other outdoor adventures. Most adults who are scout leaders are volunteers. There are far more volunteers than paid scouters. The leaders in troop 49 either have or had scouts in the troop. We all work together with the scouts to plan the program.

What are some of the highlights or accomplishments? Troop 49 has had a hundred boys become Eagle Scouts since John Nelson chartered us in 1975. Now girls can also become Eagles and I'm really happy this has happened. In addition we have had countless service projects which have greatly helped the village, church, and other charitable organizations. The biggest highlight is seeing what the scouts themselves are capable of.

What were the greatest challenges? Challenges were mostly nonexistent until seven years ago when scouting became more diverse and opened doors to boys that couldn't be scouts before the changes. This caused some longtime members to quit scouting. Then scouting opened enrollment so now the entire family can join, and this has been a challenge. Finally, claims of abuse have challenged scouting, and the National Program has admitted that abuse did happen and is working to solve this issue. Throughout all these challenges new rules and requirements have been installed: stronger youth protection testing, and deeper background checks are in place. Every child is secure and protected in all troops because every leader and involved parent is now a mandated reporter and cannot join scouting until all the requirements are met.

What keeps you going in this ministry? Scouting is a great opportunity for me to work with kids and adults. I help with camping programs at the troop, district and council level. Kids are fun and challenging. At Cub Scout day camps and at summer camps I teach shooting sports. I hope my safety talks and lessons help kids understand how dangerous, as well as fun these sports can be. I love hiking in the wilderness with scouts, canoeing, camping near the ocean, working on merit badges and teaching all the skills scouts need to learn.

What can people learn working with you in this ministry? It's all about fellowship and listening to each other. I learn new things every time I'm working with troop members. And I love teaching the skills also.

Closing remarks. Crazy idea: people from the church should camp with us sometimes. The troop has all the equipment they would need. In fact the church owns all the troop equipment. A good day hiking, eating meals cooked outdoors by scouts, and a great campfire program with singing and goofy skits would make you really feel alive again.



DAWN FERRAZZI

College Outreach Ministry
Feb 24, 2020

How long have you headed up this ministry and when and how did you first get involved? In the Fall of 2016, I started as a co-chair to Cris Kerins, for the College Acknowledgement Program (CAP) Committee.

Tell me a little bit about the ministry.

The purpose of the CAP Committee is to stay connected to LUMC's college students; to bring the love of God to our students.

What are some of the highlights or accomplishments? We provide letters, cards, gift cards, snacks and encouragement throughout the school year. Scholarship Awards are also part of this Program; application forms are reviewed and awards are distributed to qualifying college students.

What were the greatest challenges? We can always use monetary donations and/or snacks and other items from the congregation, to send in the packages to our college students.

What keeps you going in this ministry? It's always rewarding to receive notes and comments back from the college students telling us they have enjoyed our efforts and that it has helped them to know their church family cares about them.

What can people learn working with you in this ministry? Our college students are the future of LUMC and it is a joy to keep in touch with them.

Closing remarks. Since I have been a part of this church my entire life, I want to encourage our college students and younger generations to keep our church going for many years to come.



PEG PECHER

Finance Chair Ministry
March 19, 2020

How long have you headed up this ministry and when and how did you first get involved?

I have been the Finance Chair for a little over 2 years, since 2017. The Nomination Committee was looking for someone to take Marty Knott's place. He was Finance Chair for over thirty years and was ready to step down. I seemed to have the needed background in Finance and computers so I volunteered.

Tell me a little bit about the ministry. I have a team of four people, which includes two money counters, the finance secretary, and the finance treasurer. The Financial Chair also heads the Finance Committee which includes the chairs of the Trustees, SPRC and the Ad Council, also the Lay Leader, the Pastor, the Finance secretary and the Finance Treasurer. My job, also, is to make sure we are following Accounting Principles and the Finance Guidelines set forth by Conference. The Finance Chair confers with other committee Chairs to complete an annual budget. The Chair also attends other committee meetings to stay apprised of financial needs and attends the monthly Administrative Council meeting.

What are some of the highlights or accomplishments? Since I've been Financial Chair, I have implemented Quick Books to track our giving and to pay our bills. I also have obtained direct deposit for our employee paychecks and payment of government taxes through Clergytech.

What were the greatest challenges? My greatest challenge has been the implementation of Quick Books. Quick Books is designed for small businesses and we are a non profit organization so there were adjustments that needed to be made to make it work for us.

What keeps you going in this ministry? I stay in the ministry because I enjoy the people I work with and working with numbers. I feel I have brought the church's finances into the 21st Century.

What can people learn working with you in this ministry? People can learn that the finances of the church are handled in a professional and principled manner. We strive to demonstrate good stewardship of the congregation's offerings.

Closing remarks.

I enjoy (for the most part, LOL) my ministry and am grateful to be able to share my talents with the LUMC!

LUMC Women's Book Club

I encourage you to read what you like while we are under personal isolation.

This group meets at Margaret Flynn's house.



Open Pantry

Starting in March we began collecting food donations from our own church family for the Open Pantry. We will continuously do this the 1st **Sunday** of every month.

Thank You!

Finance Committee

General Fund beginning balance: \$ 20,853.85

Receipts: 8,380.71

Disbursements: -12,596.81

General Fund ending balance: \$ 16,637.75

******Scrip Cards******

I encourage you to look at the 2 folders I recently placed in the back of the church marked: **SCRIP by Category** and **SCRIP Alphabetical**. Feel free to take the list and browse through the many many retailers that participate in this program.



Scrip fundraising is a no-selling program that enables families to raise money for their non-profit organization (NPO). Scrip is just another way to pay for everyday purchases using gift cards in place of cash, checks, and credit cards.

You purchase gift cards from your organization at face value, and your coordinator orders those cards from Great Lakes Scrip Center at a reduced price. The difference is an instant rebate for your organization. It's really that simple!

Great Lakes Scrip Center offers over 300 of the country's biggest brands, including grocery, department stores, gas stations, restaurants, hotels, home improvement, and more. Just by using scrip to pay for your normal weekly purchases, you can easily raise \$500 or more per year. It's time to put your shopping dollars to work!

Customize this field with coordinator contact info, enrollment code, and/or sign-up information.

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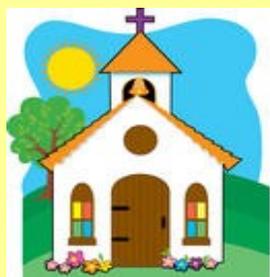
Also please know that **VISA** cards are available in increments of \$50, \$100, and \$250. There are many retailers that offer "Visa five back" which means if you go to a participating retailer, they will put 5% of your purchase back on your card.

Red Lobster, Outback, Panera, Sephora, Red Robin, Old Navy and Bakers Square are just a few. For many more please visit www.fivebackgift.com for a complete list.

Again, I Thank You for your participation in this program!

Handyman Help

If there is anyone in our church who may occasionally need help with household repairs, basic maintenance, or grass cutting, Tom Gebel has offered to help. His number is 312-438-5605.



ESL Tutoring

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

HOPE AND FRIENDSHIP FOUNDATION

Hope and Friendship Foundation will offer any and all support that we can to all of our "Red Flag Families" knowing that sometimes you do have a load that is more than you can handle but I believe that it is in those chapters that God sends in reinforcement to surround you with support for your walk through the tough times so that we can celebrate all together on the other side of the battle.

Thank you for being that support, that love, that light, that hope in the chapters that are the darkest. Your donations have not set idle. The needs are many and every single one of those needs matters. YOU my friend have made that clear by supporting these friends in their time of need. Donations to these "Red Flag" families who will continue to humbly come forward to ask us to walk with them through this difficult chapter, can be offered through our PayPal www.hopeandfriendshipfoundation.com or check to Hope and Friendship Foundation 721 Hickory St., Lemont, IL 60439

A few of us stepped into the first official Mission Stay Saturday of 2020. We have many seniors and hurting that need our hands and feet and to be honest I just couldn't wait to get the "all clear". We practiced social distancing (except that married couple the Mandras who we couldn't keep apart!!!) and we worked our butts off in 93 degree heat index. There were 6 of us and we barely survived 2 yards but finished by noon. We will try this again on Saturday July 18th if you would like to join us meet at 8am in the Lemont Police Dept parking lot and we'll roll out from there. No hugging :-(- but you will sweat and you will feel good about it. Bring your favorite yard tools, your gloves, your water and your willing spirit and be ready to rock the world of some who are struggling to smile.

Wishing you peace, love and light,

Terri

JULY

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

July 5- Tony Ferrazzi
July 6-Yaso Laemmer
July 7-Maddie Woytek
July 9-Dottie McAdams
July 11-Mihash Cheehy
July 15-Chris Walter
July 16-Loryl Fisher
July 18-Viktor Talos
July 19-Craig Baxter
July 20-Deb Neitzel
July 22-Sarah Cliff
July 23-Jackson Nelson
July 25-Matt Harden
July 29-JJ Laemmer

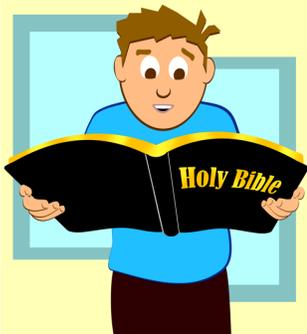
HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

July 10-Matthew & Emily Hennebry



Liturgist Schedule

**ONLINE
SERVICES
ONLY
FOR
JULY**



Still Ordering Scrip Cards

Miss you all very much. Just wanted everyone to know that I will continue to order Scrip as needed. I just placed an order to replenish our open pantry Jewel cards and didn't send out my usual blast because I did not want to bother anyone, but it has come to my attention that there is still interest even in these trying days. So I will continue with the blasts the next time we order which may be in about 5-6 wks. You can e-mail me at any time and I will hold your request till I order again.

Thank You all and Be Well!

Marge

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*

Kathy Burke, cancer
Ron (Mueggenborg), colon cancer
Elena Winters (Miller), health issues
*The Talos Family
Anna (Fries), bladder surgery
Dick Draper (Stood), back/brain surgery
*Neil Janssen, strength
Ron, cancer treatment
*Bev Svoboda, healing
Jordyn Milinis (Pecher), crohns
Lori Bartwick, breast cancer
*Sheila Farrer, health issues
Joe Sigety, ALS, home
*Jason Kehr, cystic fibrosis
Lou Gunder, lymphoma/chemo
*Elizabeth (Olinger), leukemia
Maureen Robinson, health issues
Kevin LaBlanc (Stelter), liver cancer
Mike Mandziara, brain cancer
Katie (Norfleet), kidney disease
June (Havemann), stomach cancer
Marty Rolin, nerve damage
Harper (Norfleet), leukemia/home
Jamie, brain aneurysm, surgery
Linda, dementia
Lois, stage 3 cancer
Debbie Turner (Knott), psoriasis
David Goreham, blood disorder
*Sandra, autoimmune disease
Erv Rose (Baxter), prostate cancer

Mary, stage 4 cancer
Collette (Makinney), hip surgery
Ron Hamelen, Alzheimer’s
*All people with the Coronavirus
Stephanie Wiley, breast cancer
E.D. McCormick, cancer
*Jacob Monnett, health issues
Gabrielle Blunt, Alzheimer’s
Jim Kratochvil, eye stroke
Chuck Herron (Miller), health issues
*Alberta Harden, health issues
*Joyce Koon, recovering
*Joanne Goszczycki, health issues
Andrew (Pecher), cancer
Jim Durham, cong. heart failure
Fran (McAdams), cancer/chemo
Valerie O., ovarian cancer
Elida Ferrazzi, rheumatoid arthritis
Melanie Foster, ovarian cancer
Joe Peraino, rehab
*Mary Jane Sykes, strength
*Sherrill Weary, health issues
*Dale, Mary, Carolyn & Margaret, running Open Pantry
Jeff, coronavirus
*All People Unemployed
*All Businesses shut down
*June Mueggenborg, hospice
*The Knott Family
* All doctors and nurses

**MONTHLY BLESSINGS
AND JOYS**

- *All Our Graduates!
- *Celebrating Father’s Day!
- *Girl Scouts Donations!
- *Moving into Phase 4!
- *Beautiful Summer Weather!
- *Hope and Friendship Foundation!
- *The Health and Safety of our Congregation!
- *Online Services
- *Doctors and Nurses!
- *Essential Workers!

**Coffee Fellowship
TBD**



Coffee Fellowship

**Expanding Care Bear ers
Ministry**

The Care Bearers are a group of people to help provide an occasional meal (home cooked or purchased) for members of our congregation who are recovering from a serious illness, birth of a baby, or the loss of a family member. Meals are **only occasionally** needed in our church, and it is a wonderful mission!

Alice Lange:815-838-5158
Wendy Myers: 630-257-7689

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MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

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

SMALL GROUPS

Bible Study:	Dale Janssen & Pastor Hyo Sun Oh
Prayer Meeting:	TBA
ALPHA:	Craig Baxter 815-685-1900
Methodist Essential:	Bill Price 630-754-7667
VBS:	Jodi Stood 630-243-9366
The Last Supper:	Arlene Knott 708-301-2023
Adult Sunday School:	Dale Janssen 815-485-4929
Sr. High Youth:	Kristin Nelson 630-257-8072
Jr. High Youth:	TBA
Breakfast Club:	Mark Huegelmann 630-257-3181
Jr. High Sunday School:	Mark Huegelmann 630-257-3181
Children's Sunday Sch:	Mark Huegelmann 630-257-3181
Prime Timers:	Kay Norfleet 630-257-6699
	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 847-769-1125
Care Bear:	Alice Lange 815-838-5158
Coffee Social:	Amy Cheehy 815-834-1097
Script Fundraising:	Marge Fox 630-243-8166
CAP:	Cris Kerins/Dawn Ferrazzi
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 Gergesz 815-483-7282
Praise Band	Phil & Leslie Ramos
Junior Choir	Cris Kerins 630-257-5660

****Any Other Ministry You Would Like to Start**

OUT-REACH MINISTRIES

Happy Hands Preschool	Karin Peraino 630-257-3112
Pantry Workday:	Church Office 630-257-5210
Panera Bread:	Church Office 630-257-5210
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**

Lemont United Methodist Church

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

Return Service Requested

NEW WINE July 2020

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

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.

Grieving Support Group

Grieving Support Group been postponed due to covid-19.

Pastor is planning to have a zoom Grieving Support meeting.

We will keep you posted.



For those of you that might not be aware, we DO have a FB page. Please try and visit it regularly. As time goes on we will be posting more and more.

We have reached 1,440 people through Vacation Bible School video clips and pictures! If you have not seen them please go to facebook and click LIKE.

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We are updating our on line service on our facebook page. It has been viewed by over a 100 people!

Primetimers



NOT MEETING IN JULY

This is a group made up of adults 50 years and older. Primetimers meet monthly on the 3rd Saturday of each month at Fork and Spoon. If you have any questions, please call:

Kay Norfleet
630-257-6699
or call the church office.

