

Community of Christ

Lamoni Congregation

June 28, 2009

Lorrie Long, Ron Ellis, Nick Hartwig, Co- Pastors

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9:30 a.m. Church School Classes

10:30 a.m. Fellowship and Visiting Time

10:45 a.m. Communication Time Bob Mesle

11:00 a.m. Worship Service

“Wait for the Lord”

Gathering Hymn: “Within the Shelter of These Walls” HS 9

Welcome Linda DeBarthe

Call to Worship (from Psalm 130) Donna, Lois and Leo Stevenson

*Opening Hymn: “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” HS
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*Prayer of Invocation Barbara Lee Collins
*Organ Response

Disciples’ Generous Response Barb McKiernan

Children’s Moment Liz Lloyd

Centering Hymn: “On Eagles’ Wings” NS 41 Neeley family
The congregation will sing each refrain

Message Dan Gregory

Moment of Silent Prayer

*Benediction: “The Lord’s Prayer” congregation

*Sending Forth Hymn: “Go, My Children” SP 44

*Postlude

Others assisting today include:

Greeters: Dan and Becky Long

Ushers: Kevin Lloyd, David DeBarthe, Charles Hindes

A/V: Rick Zieger

Nursery: Kristin and Travis Salmi

Bell Ringer: Kayla Gruich

Worship Center: Carol Hough

The Lord’s Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name.

Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is done in heaven.

Give us this day, our daily bread.

And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass
against us.

And suffer us not to be led into temptation, but deliver us from evil.

For thine is the kingdom and the power, and the glory, forever and
ever. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Those providing ministry elsewhere today include:

Paula O'Neal – Leon

Tom Morain – Lamoni Nursing and Rehab Center

Food and Fellowship Today

The Lamoni Congregation invites you to share Food and Fellowship in the lower auditorium, immediately following our worship service. We want you to “come” whether or not you have food to share. However, if you want to make a monetary contribution (but it’s not “expected”) in place of bringing food, the money will be used to purchase items for future meals.

Next Sunday, July 5th

Next Sunday, July 5th, we will share in the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper. Don Breshears will bring the Communion message and Les Gardner will be in charge of the service. Please come prepare to share with others and with our Lord. To help you prepare for the service, the World Church has provided the following scriptures:

II Samuel 5:1–5, 9–10; Psalm 48; II Corinthians 12:2–10; Mark 6:1–13/6:1–14 IV; Moroni 10:29; Doctrine and Covenants 163:10a–b

If you need a ride to church, call Barb Daily (784-6141), Clarence Snethen (784-3997) or the church (784-4405) on Sunday morning.

Congregational Conversations

All are invited to join the Congregational Conversations **today** in the lower auditorium at 1:00 p.m. (following Food and Fellowship). You are encouraged to identify an issue for conversation. In the event that no one identifies a topic, those present will, again, discuss same sex marriages. Please plan to attend this very important conversation.

Food Pantry

Please remember to bring food for the Food Pantry next Sunday, July 5th. We will be collecting the food during the Communion Service. A financial contribution will help purchase food for the Food Pantry at a much reduced cost (14 cents per pound) from the federal government Food Bank located in Des Moines. You can make this contribution by noting ‘Food Pantry’ next to the ‘Other’ designation on your offering envelope or by writing a check to Lamoni Community of Christ and identifying Food Pantry on the ‘For’ line. Your contributions are greatly appreciated.

Covenant Discipleship Groups

We are eager to begin another Covenant Discipleship Group cohort. If you would like to share with a small group of four-six other persons in six-eight sessions guided by a trained leader to engage in spiritual transformation, discipleship development, and practice of inner and outer disciplines, please contact Ron (784-3880), Nick (784-6407), or Lorrie (784-7272).

Adult Sunday School Class

The schedule for the next two Sundays of the Adult Sunday School class is as follows:

July 5: Dick Clothier, Songs of the Saints: Divergent Paths since Kirtland beginnings

July 12: Steve Glazer, Why the Palestinian-Israel Conflict is NOT a Religious Conflict

Needed: SPEC Laundry Heroes

July heat will be here before we know it – and with all that sporty SPEC sweat will come a need for those famous SPEC Laundry Heroes!! If you would be willing to do a couple of loads of laundry for 5 nights during SPEC (July 26-30), please call Sandy Ranney (ph. 784-3840) to volunteer. NEW this Year . . . if you'd like to help but can't get the laundry in the evening, we'll arrange to drop the stinky load at your doorstep – you can do it early in the morning!! This is an international SPEC year so we will need extra heroes!! Call now!!!

New address for Rose Bolie:

Rose Bolie – Phone 515/422-7170
1330 19th Street, Apt. 215
Des Moines IA 50314

Flowers and Greenery Needed

Flowers and greenery are again needed for the Singles Reunion's Ikebana class. If you are willing to share your lovely garden cuttings, Lois Russell will gather them on the morning of Monday, July 6. Please call to schedule: 784-6830.

Small Groups

The World Church is requesting that congregations and members participate in a process of discernment to consider the issue of conditions of church membership (e.g., should a person be required to be re-baptized even though they've already been baptized into a Christian church denomination). Please complete the "Conditions of Membership" survey in today's bulletin and either place in the offering plate or give to Ron, Nick, or Lorrie after church today.

Needed for July Reunion (July 18-24)

If you have an RV that you would be willing to take to the Guthrie Grove campgrounds for the week of July 18-24 for Reunion, that would be helpful. The registrations are overflowing. Please contact the Lamoni Mission Center Office if you would be willing to share your RV for the reunion.

New Address for Nancy Harper

Nancy Harper – Phone 816/257-7675
Fountains at Greenbriar
2100 South Swope Drive, Apt. 319-A
Independence MO 64057

Host Family Needed

If you have considered hosting an exchange student or know someone who might be interested, please contact Diana Jones. She has a list of students who do not have placements for the coming school year. Lamoni Community High School has a "slot" available but she currently does not have a host family commitment. There are options available if you are uncertain about hosting. By agreeing to host for a few weeks or for a few months you can help make dreams come true. Call Diana at 784-5493 (work) or 784-6208 (home); email: dianaj@graceland.edu

Birthday Greetings to:

Audrey Money	June 28
Amy Farmer	June 29
Philip DeBarthe	June 30
Natalee Anderson	July 1
Bob Johnson	July 1
Glen Campbell	July 1
Mary Lou Sturgis	July 3
Nancy Wallace	July 4

Upcoming Events

Wed. July 1	7:00 p.m.	Prayer and Share – Dick Clothier
Sun. July 5	9:30 a.m.	Church School
	10:40 a.m.	Communication Time – Marjie Foster Communion – Don Breshears speaking Les Gardner presiding Greeters: Virginia Walsh, Ruby Smith