

November 2019

## The New Wine



### Upcoming Services and Events

**November 3**  
8:30 *Traditional  
Worship*  
10:45 *Blended  
Worship*  
**All Saints  
Sunday**

**November 10**  
8:30 *Traditional  
Worship*  
10:45 *Blended  
Worship*  
**Veterans Day**

**November 17**  
8:30 *Traditional  
Worship*  
10:45 *Blended  
Worship*  
**Commitment  
Sunday**  
**Coffee Fellowship**

**November 24**  
8:30 *Traditional  
Worship*  
10:45 *Blended  
Worship*  
**Thanksgiving &  
Loose Change  
Sunday**

**Dear Family Members of Lemont UMC,**

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ!

As we enter into Thanksgiving season, I would like to share with you the secret to a good life and the heart of our faith which we do bear repeating: gratitude. Gratitude is indeed a response to the blessings of life, but it is also a choice to see those blessings, name them, and express our thankful heart in word and deed. Gratitude looks like noticing grace, seeing goodness, paying attention to healing, stopping to take in blessings, and then giving thanks for the ordinary and extraordinary graces of our life together. This gratitude which restores and heals and completes and saves is available to us at every single moment of our lives. In our health or with those who are caring for us when we aren't well, in those near and far who have contributed to who we are, in the fellowship we share in our congregation and for the people, in the rain, sunshine and even snow, when you open your eyes to look, blessings are all around.

And giving a voice to gratitude and expressing our gratitude, we affect those around us, even shape the reality in which we live. We may feel a range of emotions to all kinds of circumstances and situations, but we choose which to give expression. When confronted by someone who is angry, do we respond with anger as a form of self protection? or do we choose empathy, trying to understand the emotions of the other, and gratitude that the person was willing to be honest? When we are set back in some endeavor at school or work, do we express frustration or a resolve to keep at it and gratitude for what we've learned through this setback? These are choices.

As I talked to those who have been fighting with cancers and who have lost their loved ones, I heard them saying, "I am grateful for the blessings I have." "I am grateful for the life I had together with my loved one." I suspect they have moments where they feel bitter or resentful or fearful or any of the other range of emotions that would be completely understandable, but they choose to live gratefully, viewing each day as another gift of grace and giving voice to their gratitude. By doing so, they have been creating a climate in which it is easier to be grateful and encouraging us to see the blessings all around us. Gratitude becomes easier to choose as we practice it. Gratitude, like faith and hope and love and commitment, is not inborn traits that some have and others don't, but rather it is more like a muscle that can be strengthened over time. And as you practice giving thanks and more frequently share your gratitude, you not only grow in gratitude but create an example for others.

As we hear headlines of news every day and you'll see how scarce – and how desperately needed – more expressions of gratitude are. Accusations, excuses, venting anger – these seem to have a hold of our culture. Indeed, we seem to live in the age of complaint, whether shared in person or increasingly through the venue of social media. What a powerful response gratitude is in these situations.

Overwhelmed by grief or loss, some may have difficulty in giving a voice to gratitude just now. And that's okay. It will come. Gratitude is not a command, it's an invitation, one God never tires of making. So practice gratitude three times a day, especially, when someone asks you "how are you doing?" Instead saying, "I am hanging in there," we may practice gratitude by saying, "I am grateful." This will change your day and lead to a good life and the heart of our faith. Because we were made for gratitude. It completes us, saves us, transforms us, and makes us whole. So in this Thanksgiving season, I hope and pray that God gives you the eyes to see the blessings you have, so your heart is eager to respond in gratitude to God's grace in every step of your life.

With grateful heart,  
**Pastor Hyo Sun Oh**

We remember

All Saints who have gone before us in the past year



**Robert Schneider**  
December 20, 2018  
Uncle of Tom Kehr



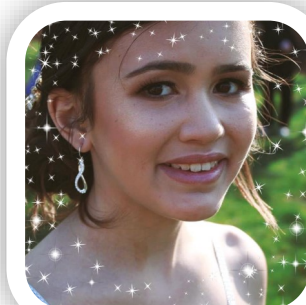
**Albert Baird**  
January 2019  
Brother of Dottie McAdams



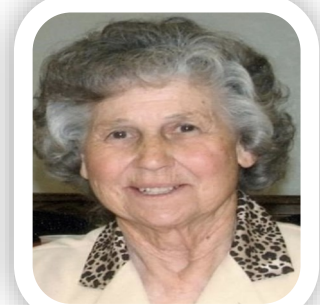
**Florence Shelby**  
February 10, 2019  
Mother of Bill Shelby



**Teri Janovyak**  
April 22, 2019  
Mother of Al Janovyak



**Ellie Cuiching**  
April 24, 2019  
Best friend of Molly Stood



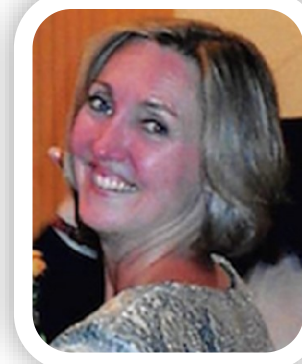
**Charlotte Harryman**  
July 7, 2019  
Aunt of GleeAnn Kehr



**Richard Kimbrel**  
July 7, 2019  
Brother of Dorothy Huber



**George Lubben**  
July 10, 2019  
Husband of Linda Lubben



**Susan Bea Wright**  
August 25, 2019  
Friend of The Peraino Family



**Adam Janssen**  
September 6, 2019  
Son of Dale Janssen



**Robert Burk**  
September 19, 2019  
Uncle of  
GleeAnn Kehr



**Emmanuel Linzaga**  
October 15, 2019  
Husband & Father of  
Aida & Grace Linzaga



## LAITY SUNDAY

Thank you to Bill Stelter for delivering a wonderful message on October 20th about the importance of Laity and Jana Stelter for acknowledging our church family for their dedication.

**We are a blessed church!**



## Scrip Checks

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

Thank You



**Remember this-you can't  
serve God and Money, but you  
can serve God with money.**

Selwyn Hughes

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## Bonfire 2019 at Dale Janssen's



Thank you to Dale Janssen for once again hosting the bonfire!

## Church Conference 2019



### Daylight-saving time ends

- Turn your clock back one hour tonight before going to bed.
- It's also time to change batteries in your smoke detectors.



Don't forget  
to change  
your clocks  
on  
November 3rd!

HOLIDAY'S ARE  
HERE!!!!

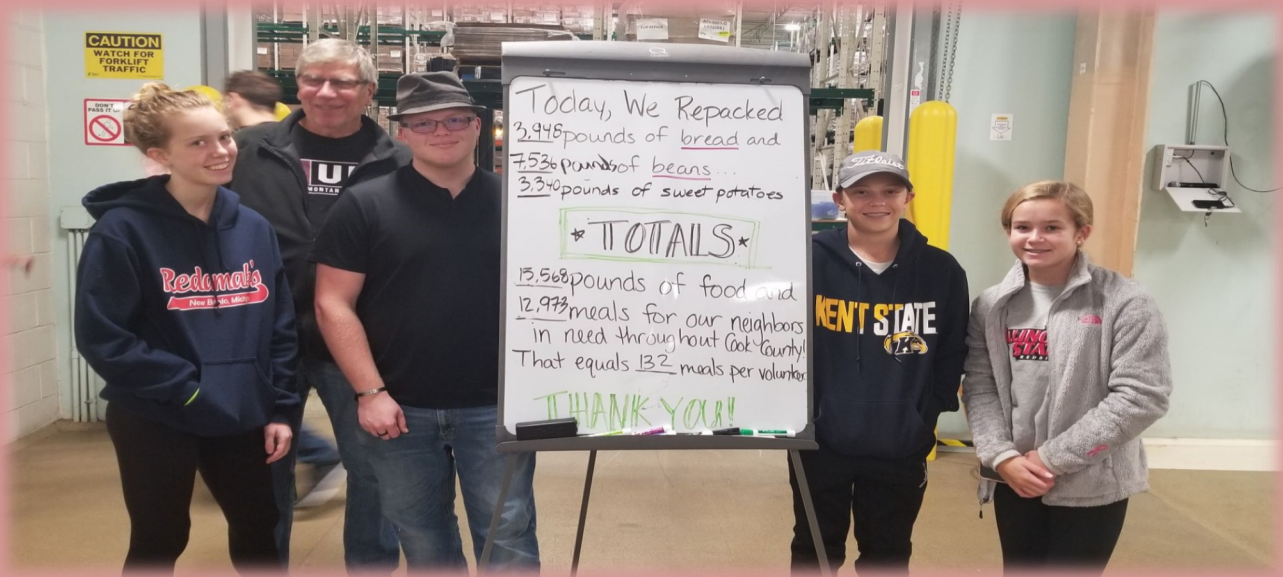
NEVER TOO  
EARLY TO START  
GETTING YOUR  
WISH LIST  
TOGETHER FOR  
SCRIP :)

Thanks  
Marge

## Senior High Youth Group

On October 26th the SHYG went to The Greater Chicago Food Depository in Chicago and packed 13,568 pounds of food and 12,973 meals for our neighbors in Cook County!!!

See the pictures below!



**GREATER  
CHICAGO  
- FOOD -**





Happy  
50<sup>th</sup>  
Anniversary

To Bill & Cris Kerins!

## HAPPY HANDS



Each month, Happy Hands highlights a Christian value. The value for November is Thankfulness and we certainly are Thankful!

We are thankful for...

- \*All of the LUMC parishioners who have supported us through the years financially, physically, and spiritually!
- \*The LUMC Trustee and Custodian who take good care of our building
- \*The Happy Hands Teachers & Staff (past and present) who lovingly guide the children and have helped to build such a good reputation
- \*Positive word of mouth, which keeps our classrooms filled
- \*Involved parents who work with their children and volunteer to make things go smoothly at Happy Hands
- \*Beautiful weather for our recent field trips to Konow's Farm
- \*The children who bring us joy every day
- \*God, for always watching over our little school

## **HH Halloween Party 2019**



# Loose Change Sunday & Rainbow Covenant

## November 2019 Rainbow Covenant

In addition to our annual apportionment, LUMC makes monetary donations through the Rainbow Covenant in order to support specific causes. All loose change collected on the fourth Sunday of each month goes to support the Rainbow Covenant. Each month we highlight a charity from one of the bands of the Rainbow Covenant. For November, we are highlighting the **red band charity, Grace Children's Hospital and Pediatric Clinic in Haiti**. Grace Children's Hospital in Port-au-Prince provides care for children and families with tuberculosis, HIV/AIDS, respiratory infections, and those impacted by the earthquake. In this area where many live on less than \$1/day, the hospital provides much-needed immediate care and follow-up clinical care for children and families. Please bring in plenty of change on **November 24<sup>th</sup>** (Loose Change Sunday) to contribute to the Rainbow Covenant. If you would like to make a larger offering to this specific charity, write "**Grace Hospital**" on a pew envelope.

**Thank you for your support of the special ministries  
in the Rainbow Covenant.**

## **TRUSTEES WORK DAY**

The trustees are having a work day on Saturday, November 2nd at 8:00 a.m. They will be cleaning up the outside of the church. If you are available to help it would be greatly appreciated.



## Upcoming Worship Services & Events

Nov. 3-All Saints Sunday

Nov. 6-Daybreak Shelter

Nov. 9-United Methodist Men 8:00 a.m.

Nov. 10-NO Youth Sunday School/Veterans Day

Nov. 12-Mission/Outreach Meeting 6:00 p.m.

Nov. 13-Trustees Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Nov. 16-Primetimers 12:00 p.m./Senior High Youth Group

Nov. 17-Coffee Fellowship

Nov. 24-Loose Change Sunday/Scholarship Sunday

Nov. 27-Ad Council Meeting 7:00 p.m.

Dear Alice, Wendy, Rebecca, Loryl and Sue,  
Thank you soooo much for making food for us.  
It was wonderful. You girls are very special and  
I love all of you.

Love and Hugs,  
Sue



## **Thank you!**

Thank you Care Bearer Ministry  
Team for your service and  
support for the families who  
have lost their loved ones!

The picture is taken at  
the Memorial Service of  
Emmie Linzaga!





# Sympathy Notes

EMMANUEL LINZAGA

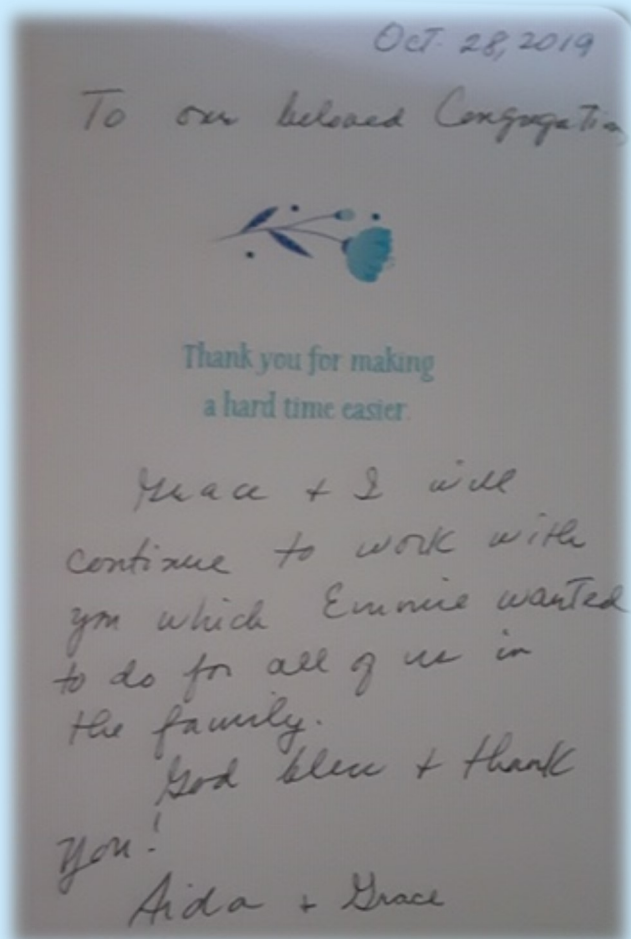
December 15, 1938 — October 15, 2019



Emmanuel Linzaga, 80, of Downers Grove, passed away peacefully on October 15, 2019, at Hinsdale Hospital with his family at his side. He was born in the Philippines to Domingo Alcala and Amada Tiong Linzaga.

He earned a BA degree in political science and moved to the U.S. with his family in 1975. He celebrated 53 years of marriage with his loving wife, Aida Linzaga. He worked as a credit analyst at Sunbeam, Reuters and Tribune. He was a lifelong and committed Methodist of The United Methodist Church, attended First UMC and St. John UMC in Oak Park, IL, Faith UMC in Hudson, FL., and Lemont UMC and served as a church council chair, finance chair, treasurer, and leader of various leadership positions in the local churches and annual conferences. He was a loving, caring, thoughtful, generous, hard-working, and handy man who willingly gave of himself to make his family happy and the community and world better place. He will be missed by many.

## **Thank you note from the Linzaga Family**



He was preceded in death by his parents, his brothers; Malinao and Israel Linzaga. He is survived by a beloved wife, Aida Toledo Linzaga; loving daughter, Grace; brothers: I sagani (Ruth), Samuel (Fina), Mahadlika (Sollie), and Nathanael (Norma) Linzaga; in-laws: Celia Buendia, Alesandro (Gloria) Toledo, Ester Odquina, and Edwin (Malou) Toledo; uncle to many nephews and nieces and grand and great nephews and grandnieces.

Visitation and Memorial service was Saturday, October 19, 2019 at Lemont United Methodist Church, 25 W. Custer Street, Lemont, IL 60439, Rev. Hyo Sun Oh officiated.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Lemont United Methodist Church.

**He lives on in our hearts forever.**



# BISHOP'S APPEAL

Giving Abundantly, Generosity Overflowing



## HELP STRUGGLING FARMERS AND THEIR FAMILIES

As of Sept. 3, the U.S. Department of Agriculture rated only 6% of corn crops and 7% of soybean crops in Illinois to be in "excellent" condition.

⬡ This summer, the USDA reported that only 24% of corn in Illinois had been planted by May 19, compared to 95% on the same date in 2018. **The harvest is uncertain.**

⬡ At the Nov. 16 Annual Conference Special Session, a Bishop's Appeal offering will be taken to help local farmers facing hardships due to a rainy, cold spring and a drought in July.

⬡ Please consider helping these families by holding a special offering and bringing donations to the Annual Conference Special Session. Or mail your checks to **Northern Illinois Conference, PO Box 5646 Carol Stream, IL 60197-5646.** Make sure to note "Bishop's Appeal" in the memo.

**Visit [www.umcnic.org/bishopsappeal](http://www.umcnic.org/bishopsappeal)**

**EVERY LITTLE BIT HELPS**

 **Northern Illinois Conference**  
OF THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH



# BAHAMAS HURICANE DORIAN MISSION COLLECTION

Please make all checks payable: **MIDWEST MISSION**

## TOP RELIEF ITEMS REQUESTED

### HOME RECOVERY

- Tarps- any size can be gently used
- Blankets – can be gently used
- Shovels- prefer flat long handle
- Flashlights- with working batteries

### Personal Dignity Kit “PDK” (\$14 Value)

- Bath hand towel - No kitchen towels
- Bath washcloth - No kitchen dishcloths
- Comb - no rattail, pocket size or picks
- Nail/Toenail clippers (no nail files or emery boards)
- Adult Toothbrush
- Shampoo - 3-4 oz
- Deodorant - 2-3 oz (stick or roll on)
- Bar soap - 3-4 oz
- Razor with guard
- Toothpaste - 2.5 oz. or larger
- Place all items in a 1-gallon sealable plastic bag.



### HEALTH RECOVERY

- Foldable Walkers
- Wheelchairs
- Crutches
- Canes
- Orthopedic Supplies- walking boots, slings, ace wrap, etc.

All Midwest Mission and UMCOR kits can be brought to collection points for pick-up. Items listed here are just the greatest need currently.

*Please bring supplies to drop-off points in boxes.*

**Buy these Supplies at our Wholesale Prices!**

<https://www.dollaradays.com/midwestmission/wishlist.html>

More Kit Information - [www.midwestmission.org/kits-projects/kits-projects](http://www.midwestmission.org/kits-projects/kits-projects)

## Adult Sunday School

In October the adult Sunday School class led by Dale Janssen participated in a study on Prayer. At the conclusion of the study a prayer written by one of the participant's, Willetta Price's grandfather, James E. Hill, was read. Hill was a man who started working in the coal mines when he was 12 years old, educated himself and became a millwright and a manager of cotton gins. He was a man of great faith who loved the Lord. The group felt that they would like to share the prayer by putting it in the New Wine Newsletter.

### **A PRAYER**

Dear Lord, help me to live,  
So I can lie down at night with a clean conscience, without a gun under my pillow;  
and unhaunted by the faces of those to whom I have brought pain.  
Grant me, O Lord, that I may do unto others as I would have them do unto me.  
Grant me, O Lord, that I may earn an honest living for my family and  
that I may not be in the way of another family's breadwinner.  
Help me not to prosper by the misfortune of the poor.  
Let me live in peace with all men.  
Oh! Lord, let me not be a beggar; nor too rich.  
Deafen my ears to unholy conversation.  
Blind me to the faults of others but cause me to see my own short comings.  
O Lord, guide me so that when I look into the faces of my friends  
I shall have nothing to conceal.  
O Lord keep me young enough that I may remember the way of a child  
and old enough to be kind to the aged.

— By James E. Hill, 1888-1967

At the present time the Sunday School class is studying Evangelism. Come join us for lively discussions and a time for discovering new insights every Sunday at 9:30 a.m.



As you may or may not know, Shelby is in Dental Hygiene School and is now needing to fulfill her quota for dental cleaning from December of this year thru December of 2020 **free of charge** to you. If you know of anyone who may not have dental coverage and could use this service please let us know.

Fox College

6640 S. Cicero

Bedford Park, Il. (near Midway)

708 444 4500 (the school itself)

Ask to be scheduled with Shelby Fox or

(Contact Marge Fox 630 207-1151 direct for further information).



## LUMC Women's Book Club

November 11 "Lilac Girls"  
By Martha Hall Kelly

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:	\$ 5,651.98
Receipts:	11,061.12
Disbursements:	12,487.09
General Fund ending balance:	\$ 4,226.01

## SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:30 A.M.

**CHILDREN'S CLASSES:** Ages pre-k-5/6

**JUNIOR HIGH :** Grades 6th-8th

**BREAKFAST CLUB:**

High School Freshman-Senior,  
First and Third Sundays of the month

**ADULT CLASSES:** In the Conference  
Room/Church or Karin's Office

**Labor Day-Memorial Day**

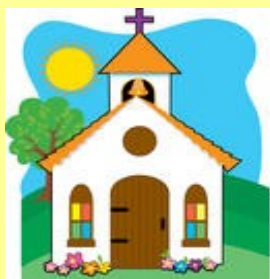
\*We will not be teaching Youth Sunday School  
when the children have a three day weekend.

**Please join us! All are welcome!**



## 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.

## **Books Available in the Library** By Kay Norfleet

### Nov. 2019 Book Reviews

It's time! Yes, it is time, that we all reviewed the US Constitution. "The Words We LIVE By" is an annotated guide to the Constitution, and right now, as many times in past, we should (should have) read it and consider (have considered) the words and annotations, "so we feel more secure in talking to anyone who is claiming the opposite of what the Constitution says. "The Constitution begins with the words "We the People." So, since we are the people who live in the United States, let's review...you have read the Constitution, haven't you? After reading it, consider what it says and what you think of the words- pray (God gave us minds and the ability to reason). Amendments to the Constitution are made as history goes on. "The Constitution is ...an ongoing conversation among Americans (you and me) (hopefully our representatives know that) about the meaning of freedom in our daily lives." "WE THE PEOPLE" of the United States, In order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for common defense, promote the blessings of Liberty, to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America." God, the Creator, put us here in the United States. Then he allowed us more direction (besides the Bible)- the US Constitution. It's been in effect for several hundred years-seems to me it's given good direction.

"This Tender Land" by William Krueger. The story, simply said, is about four young orphans who in 1932 Minnesota escape from their "training" school. The school has a harsh director and they, at least two of them, want to avoid inevitable severe punishment. So, they leave, borrow a canoe, convince two of their friends whose circumstances are quite dubious to join them, and head on down to the Mississippi River. The protagonist, Odie, puts into motion actions that determine the caper. He is convinced the "Tornado God' has it in for him. Events along the way, although difficult, change his mind until he believes in the real God, the God of forgiveness. I know the book looks thick, but it is a quick read....mainly because the reader is swept along by Krueger's writing. You want to know what happens next. You are drawn to the plights of Odie and friends. The Depression did cause a lot of hardship. Thank God we live now.

Two books for kids are "Thanks for Thanksgiving" and "Thanksgiving Graces." Thought: "Sharing what we have is what Thanksgiving is all about." "Thanks, thanks, thanks."

Doesn't gratitude enter into our thoughts, especially now?

## Combined Service

Please join us on December 1st at 9:30 a.m. for our Combined Service. Details will follow.

Thank You,  
Worship Committee



### Liturgist Schedule

November 3  
8:30-Willetta  
Price  
10:45-

November 10  
8:30-  
10:45-Steve  
Walter

November 17  
8:30-  
10:45-Cris Kerins

November 24  
8:30-  
10:45-Josh Miller

### Are you a, sower?

By Richard Lee

On the radio today driving to Roselle to see my daughter and grandson was a message on Christians as showers of the word and readers of new believers or disciples of Christ. I praise God for the reminder that my gifts for spreading the Gospel with Bibles makes me a "sower".

I got started on this giving to the American Bible Society by contributing monthly to the "Bible-a-Month Club" about 1970 when I got more money as a promoted senior technician. It's good to remember what the Bible promises in Matthew 5 that we will be rewarded. 2020 will mark 50 years with this monthly gift or 600 months.

“Whoever is generous to the poor  
lends to the Lord, and he will  
repay him for his deed.” Proverbs  
19:17 ESV



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Nov. 1-Tim Peraino  
Nov. 2-Dan Harden  
Nov. 4-Arlene Knott  
Nov. 5-Sydney Nelson  
Nov. 5-Pastor Hyo Sun Oh  
Nov. 7-Tom Kehr  
Nov. 8-Lino Vazquez  
Nov. 9-Mark Olinger  
Nov. 20-Debbie Hassert  
Nov. 22-Jana Stelter  
Nov. 22-Vickie Olinger  
Nov. 23-Olivia Nelson  
Nov. 25-Trace Lange  
Nov. 28-Dale Janssen  
Nov. 29-Kathy Cliff

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Nov. 1-Donna & Lino Vazquez  
Nov. 22-Don & Loryl Fisher  
Nov. 26-Marci & Richard Pierce  
Nov. 26-Pastor Oh & Seung Woo Lee  
Nov. 27-Sue & Bob Gergesz  
Nov. 28-Phil & Leslie Ramos



## \*\*\*\*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.

shopwithscrip.com  
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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](http://www.fivebackgift.com) for a complete list.

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



## 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 and helpful to families that work during the day. **The Open Pantry is in need of peanut butter, chicken noodle soup, peanut butter, tomato soup, chunky soups, pasta sauce, salty snacks, cream soup, shaped pasta, and canned pasta.**



## 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.

## DAYBREAK SHELTER NEEDS YOU!

Our church has had very consistent, dedicated cooks for the last 10 plus years, lets give them a well deserved reprieve. There are so many able bodied cooks in or congregation...how bout sharing your talents and a little of your time? Remember it's only once a month, and if you double it, you have your personal dinner as well :) Marge

## Calling All Musicians

We are encouraging all musicians and singers who are interested in joining the Praise Band to contact Leslie, Bob, or Jana.

**Come join us!**



## Stewardship Campaign

November is our annual pledge or giving month. For the next few Sundays, members will be sharing their thoughts on giving. As we prepare our hearts to listen, also reflect on your blessings.

I have a sign in my bedroom above my bed that says "Blessed, Thankful, Grateful." I see it first thing in the morning and last thing at night. I love it because it reminds me how very blessed I am. Because I'm so very grateful and because I love this church, I choose to give as much as I can. I hope you will consider your blessings and your love of our church and give generously in 2020.

Peace, Peg Pecher, Financial Chairperson and Friend in Christ

It is possible  
to give without loving,  
but it is impossible  
to love without giving.

-Richard Braunstein



**Lemont  
United Methodist  
Church**

*Open Minds, Open Hearts, Open Doors!*

### Our Mission

The Mission of the Church is to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world through inspiring worship, growing discipleship, and serving others.

We are a generous church! Some of the outreach missions that we support are:

- Open Pantry
- Daybreak Shelter
- Vacation Bible School
- Happy Hands Preschool
- Red Bird Mission
- Scout Ministry
- AA Meeting
- UMCOR
- Crop Walk,
- Rainbow Covenant
- Lanterns for Puerto Rico
- Good Samaritan
- Many more locally, regionally, globally

Lemont United Methodist Church  
25 W Custer, Lemont Il 60439  
630-257-5210  
Website: [lemontumc.org](http://lemontumc.org)  
[lemontumc@gmail.com](mailto:lemontumc@gmail.com)

## 2020 Annual Giving Commitment Card

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2020 Pledge:

General Fund: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Maintenance: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Capital Improve: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Giving Method:** (put an X next to your choice)

Weekly \_\_\_\_\_

Monthly \_\_\_\_\_

Annually \_\_\_\_\_

## 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*

\*Dave Hinks, lymph node cancer  
Elena Winters (Miller), health issues  
Titan Gorum(Kehr),3lb11oz,11 wks early  
Anna (Fries), bladder cancer  
\*Bill Hill, Jr., health issues  
\*Neil Janssen, strength  
Joe (Curry), collarbone surgery  
Ron, cancer treatment  
\*Bev Svoboda, chemo not working  
Jordyn Milinis(Pecher), colonoscopy  
Lori Bartwick, breast cancer  
\*Sheila Farrer, health issues  
Joe Sigety, ALS, home  
\*Jason Kehr, cystic fibrosis  
Lou Gunder, lymphoma/chemo  
Joe White(Ferrazzi), home  
Maureen Robinson, health issues  
\*Grace Linzaga, strength  
Mike Mandziara, brain cancer  
\*Stewart Herron, health issues  
Katie (Norfleet), kidney disease  
June (Havemann), stomach cancer  
Marty Rolin, nerve damage  
Harper (Norfleet), leukemia/home  
Jamie, brain aneurysm, surgery  
\*Theo Nelson, 13 wks basic training  
Linda, dementia  
Florian Talos, parkinson's  
Lois, stage 3 cancer  
Debbie Turner (Knott), psoriasis

David Goreham, blood disorder  
\*Sandra, autoimmune disease  
Cindy Hudon, cancer/chemo  
Mary, stage 4 cancer  
\*June Mueggenborg, recovering  
Ron Hamelen, Alzheimer's  
\*Dave Mlady, lingering illness  
Judy Bramill, cancer  
Jill (Lange), healing  
E.D. McCormick, cancer  
\*Jacob Monnet, health issues  
Gabrielle Blunt, Alzheimer's  
Jim Kratochvil, eye stroke  
Betty Broderick, rehab  
\*Janssen family, strength  
\*Alberta Harden, health issues  
\*Joyce Koon, testing  
\*Seniors & Primitimers  
Andrew (Pecher), cancer  
Jim Durham, cong. heart failure  
Gloria Egermaier (Pierce), health issues  
Valerie O., ovarian cancer  
Sarah (Lange) 32, passed away  
Elida Ferrazzi, rheumatoid arthritis  
Melanie Foster, ovarian cancer  
\*Leslie Ramos, surgery healing  
\*Mary Jane Sykes, Strength  
\*Sherrill Weary, health issues  
Tom Ligman (McAdams), health issues

## MONTHLY BLESSINGS AND JOYS

\*Bonfire at Dale Janssen's house!  
\*Bishop's Appeal!  
\*Birthdays!  
\*Anniversaries!  
\*Visitors!  
\*Jeff & Monica's wedding!  
\*Class Reunions!  
\*Mark Kirkman married!  
\*World Communion Sunday!  
\*Our Church Family!  
\*Bill Stelter's Message!  
\*GleeAnn's new great nephew!

## Coffee Fellowship November 17

Linda Kennedy  
Cris Kerins  
Sue Gergesz  
Mary Jane Nelson  
Wendy Myers  
Jana Stelter  
Mary Jane Sykes



Coffee Fellowship

## Expanding Care Bearers 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

November 2019

**Children's  
Message  
Schedule**

**November 3**  
GleeAnn Kehr

**November 10**  
Sean Clark

**November 17**  
Karin Peraino

**November 24**  
Ron Walter



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**Greeters**

**November 3**  
8:30-Wendy Myers  
10:45-Stood Family

**November 10**  
8:30-Kennedy Family  
10:45-Cliff Family

**November 17**  
8:30-Bruce Ende  
10:45-Bev Svoboda

**November 24**  
8:30-Don & Pat Far-  
rer  
10:45-Janovyak  
Family

**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**

## UPCOMING HOPE AND FRIENDSHIP ACTIVITIES

Hope and Friendship Foundation's mission is to be a conduit from those that have to those that need. We have many events/projects throughout the year that channel the generosity of others, offering donations of items, money, or funds making some great acts of kindness possible. Here are some of the upcoming fall events/projects that will be once again offered:

**\*\*Winter Clothing/Kitchen Needs Offering- Saturday Nov 2nd from 9am-12noon @ Old Quarry Middle School-** Donations of all winter clothing, shoes, and kitchen items will be rallied through October and offered on Saturday November 2nd for you to choose through. Stop by and see what has been offered and choose what you can use for your household.

**\*\*Hope & Friendship will be offering Turkeys once again for Thanksgiving on Saturday November 23rd @ the Public Works Garage.** You will be able to pick up a Turkey at the Public Works Garage between 11am-11:30am, or have one delivered between 11am-12noon (with pre-request) on Sat 11/23 ONLY IF YOU HAVE RSVP'd by Friday 11/1/19 RSVP/Sign Up Sheets are available w/ Terri or at Lemont Food Pantries through 11/1/19

**\*\*Hope and Friendship will be delivering Christmas Dinners on Christmas Day for the 14th year.** Last year 107 households, in need of this gift of love, received a fully cooked and ready to eat dinner delivered to their door. Delivery of a home cooked Christmas Dinner will be on Christmas Day between 3:30-5pm IF YOU HAVE RSVP'd FOR A CHRISTMAS DINNER BY FRIDAY DEC 6th RSVP/Sign up Sheets are available w/ Terri or at the Lemont Food Pantries through 12/6/19 If you have any questions please email: [info@hopeandfriendshipfoundation.com](mailto:info@hopeandfriendshipfoundation.com) [www.hopeandfriendshipfoundation.com](http://www.hopeandfriendshipfoundation.com)



## Lemont United Methodist Church

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

**Return Service Requested**

# NEW WINE November 2019

## 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

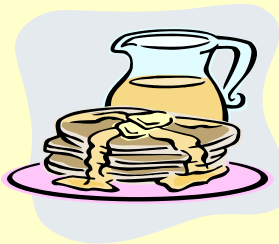
AA Meetings are held in our church Fellowship Hall on Saturday evenings at 7:30 pm. If you would like further information.

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.

## United Methodist Men



**November 9th**

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.



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.

<https://www.facebook.com/Lemont-United-Methodist-Church>

## Primetimers



**November 16th**

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:

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