



## The New Wine

*October  
2020*

*Upcoming  
Services*

*In person  
services are  
every  
Sunday in  
October at  
9:30 A.M.*

*Reservations  
are available  
for only  
25 people.*

*Please call the  
church office  
to make a  
reservation  
for your seat.*

*Services will  
be online  
Sunday  
evenings.*

*Please  
continue to  
give via mail,  
check, online  
and Give+.*

Dear Members of Lemont UMC,

Greetings in Christ!

These past six months have been a tremendous challenge in so many ways for individuals, families, churches, and of course, our Nation and World. As a church, we have seen challenges along the way as we have been dealing with the situation as well. We realize that there are many whose finances have not been the same due to the pandemic. Some have been unable to give of Tithes, Offerings, and Pledges like they regularly do. I am praying that God will "open the floodgates of Heaven" in a powerful way very soon and provide our needs.

I love this scripture and is the only one in the Bible passage where God tells us to "test Him": Malachi 3:10, "Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, That there may be food in My house, and try Me now in this," says the LORD of hosts, "If I will not open for you the windows of heaven and pour out for you such blessing that there will not be room enough to receive it."

Some would dismiss this as "Old Testament" Scripture and think it is "not valid" today. Yet, giving to God is our response to God's blessings in our lives. Whether we gather at the church or online, it is a part of our faithful discipleship to offer our tithes, gifts, and present it with grateful hearts to nurture the Kingdom of God here and now.

Giving also represents our spiritual relationship with God. Even when Jesus had the opportunity to remove the practice in the New Testament, He refrained from doing so. In Matthew 23:23, "Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you pay tithe of mint and anise and cummin and have neglected the weightier matters of the law: justice and mercy and faith. These you ought to have done, without leaving the others undone." In a "nutshell," Jesus was encouraging justice and mercy and faith while also continuing to be tithers.

I encourage you to continue to trust and believe that God will bring us through this situation we have all encountered. We never got trained to deal with the pandemic. Yet, we learn, adjust ourselves, and make a change one at a time. Please continue to pray that we will be faithful stewards of what God has placed into our treasury at Lemont United Methodist Church.

I, the pastor, appreciate you for the faithful commitment and generous gifts to the church's ministry and mission and encourage you to remember this: "God is good ALL the time!" Be well and stay safe!

Blessings in Christ,  
Pastor Hyo Sun Oh

# LUMC Instructions & Screening Questions

**Please bring this completed form with you to the worship service**

- 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.
- Keep a social distance of 6 ft between families, both inside and outside the church.
- 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.
- Follow directions given by the ushers, on signage, or marked on the floors.
- No food or drink.
- No nursery will be provided.

**1. In the past 14 days, have you or any member of your household had any of the following COVID-19 symptoms for unknown reasons / not related to a diagnosed condition?**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dry persistent cough   | <input type="checkbox"/> Sore throat   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing                        | <input type="checkbox"/> New loss of taste or smell  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fever (greater than 100.0°F) or feeling feverish, chills or rigors | <input type="checkbox"/> New or unusual headache   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Muscle aches (all over)  | <input type="checkbox"/> Gastrointestinal concerns, such as abdominal pain, vomiting or diarrhea |

**2. In the past 14 days, have you knowingly been in close contact, or live in the same household with, anyone who has tested positive for COVID-19 or who has or had symptoms of COVID-19?**

**3. Have you or anyone in your household traveled outside of the U.S. or on a cruise ship in the past 14 days?**

This form is to document the LUMC attendee health screening requirement set forth in the LUMC ReTURN Guidance protocol. The LUMC ReTURN Team has developed procedures for in-person worship 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. Here is a link to our services <http://www.lemontumc.org/video/index.php>

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Do you have any of the COVID-19 symptoms listed above on questionnaire?

Print your name	Signature	Worship Service Date	No	Yes

*If a church attendee answers "yes" to any of the questions, they will be asked to make another reservation once they are able to answer "no" to all these questions.*

**This Screening sheet needs to be filled out the day of each worship service that you are attending and brought with you.**

## **WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY RELATING TO CORONAVIRUS**

COVID-19 COVID -19 is contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person – to – person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, restricted the congregation of groups based upon Phase 4 guideline.

The Lemont United Methodist Church operates the church building [sanctuary, offices, class rooms, fellowship hall, parking lots, etc.] (hereinafter “THE FACILITIES”) and has put into place Policies and Procedures that reflect the State of Illinois’ Phase 4 guidelines for reopening business and returning gatherings of people SAFELY as a means to reduce the spread of COVID – 19 during the re-opening of THE FACILITIES.

I, for myself and on behalf of my child(ren) willingly agree to comply with these Policies and Procedures. However, I understand that entering and use of THE FACILITIES include possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases, including COVID – 19, even when these Policies and Procedures are followed.

Therefore, in consideration of being permitted to enter THE FACILITIES or allowed to participate in any activity at THE FACILITIES, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID – 19 and the risk of injury that may result from exposure or infection to the same. I voluntarily agree to assume these risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to my child(ren) or myself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I or my child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with any attendance at THE FACILITIES or participation in any programming at THE FACILITIES (“Claims”). On behalf of my child(ren) and myself, I hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless THE FACILITIES, The Northern Illinois Conference of United Methodist Churches, The Lemont United Methodist Church, its employees, agents, and representatives, whether a COVID – 19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any activity within THE FACILITIES.

I further expressly agree that the foregoing assumption of risk, release and waiver of liability, and indemnity agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the laws of the State of Illinois and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect. This is to certify that I have carefully read, fully understand, and voluntarily sign this assumption of risk, release and waiver of liability, and indemnity agreement and further agree that no oral representations, statements or inducement apart from the foregoing written agreement has been made.

Signature of User / Parent / Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**This waiver needs to be filled out one time only and submitted  
to the church office before anyone is allowed to enter the  
building for the first time.**



## 2020 SPECIAL OFFERING

The Global Mission Secondary School with The United Methodist Church in Tanzania is the recipient of this year's Bishop's Appeal offering at the 2020 Annual Conference. The project is under the direction of NIC Elder and Global Missionary Rev. Young Seon (Christina) Kim. The school has been her vision and dream to give boys and girls in Tanzania the opportunity of an education.

Donations will help complete the second phase of construction on the co-ed boarding school for children ages 13-18.

Thank You

### Lemont UMC 2020 Church Conference

October 22, 2020

6:45 PM - 7:00 PM SPRC

7:00 PM - Church Conference

Please submit your committee report by October 6, 2020 to the church office.

Thank you!

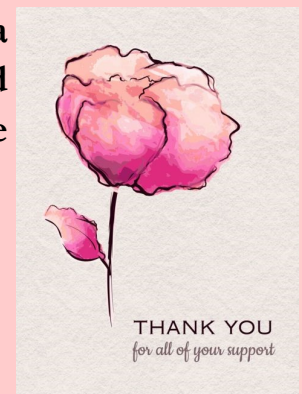


Dear Church Family,

We would like to thank everyone for all your prayers, all the lovely cards, gift cards, tasty treats, delicious meals, text messages and phone calls...can't express how truly blessed we are to belong to such a loving and caring church. Between my family, neighbors, and church family we were well taken care of, and of course by the grace of God.

Thank you all, it means so much!!!! ♥

Stay safe & Be well, Gina & Steve



Dear church family,

I just want to thank our church family for all the birthday wishes I received. Thank you for the emails, the texts, the phone calls, the birthday cards, even having Pastor sing. This was such a great birthday, I am thinking of turning 75 again next year. Thanks again.

Bill Kerins



## **TWO DIFFERENT VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**

### **a. Worship Assistant 1**

- i. Will be at the end of the driveway to greet and confirm who is arriving with the reservation list and take attendance. They will ask each parishioner to hold up the LUMC Pre-screening Questionnaire form and will take a picture of it and email it to the church office. The worship attendee will keep the form. (form that was previously sent out via email). They will communicate attendance information with designated person who will be the “attendance tracker”.
- ii. Take attendees’ temperatures with no-touch thermometer.
- iii. Once confirmed and cleared, Assistant 1 will direct the attendee where to park and to meet Assistant 2 at the Main upstairs door to the building.
- iv. Following the worship service, Assistant 1 will stand outside where they can see both East and West exit doors and check reservation list to ensure that each person on the list has left the building.

### **b. Worship Assistant 2**

- i. Will greet parishioners outside the Main upstairs door. Assistant 2 will open the door for them and instruct them on where to sit, social distancing, required mask usage for all people (over the age of 2), guidelines of where to place offering, pick up communion elements, limited touching of surfaces, direction of travel for aisles and which door to exit from following the worship service. Should someone arrive without a mask, assistant 2 will provide them with a disposable mask.

**If you are able to help please contact the church office.**

## OPEN PANTRY NEWS

New Open Pantry Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday 9:45-11:00 a.m.

The Open Pantry is in need of chili, hash, pasta sauce, mac & cheese, paper towel, pork & beans and tuna.

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



All Sunday services will be online on YouTube, facebook at: [facebook.com/LemontUMC](https://www.facebook.com/LemontUMC), on our website at: [lemontumc.org](http://lemontumc.org)

The online service will be available Sunday evening for those who cannot attend in-person service every Sunday at 9:30 a.m.

Please continue to share and enjoy our online services!

## Scrip Checks

If you purchase Scrip cards, please send your check via mail to the church.

I realize most of us are concerned with a million other things... but I just want you to know that I have *In my possession* the following gift cards:

\$5 Taco Bell  
\$5 Starbucks  
\$10 Applebee's  
\$5 Panera  
\$10 Home Depot

They are easier to distribute without going to the church to get them.

Thank You and Be Well!



## Rainbow Covenant

### October 2020 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 October, we are highlighting the **orange band charity, UMCOR--Undesignated**. UMCOR, the United Methodist Committee on Relief provides humanitarian relief and disaster response in the United States and internationally. Giving to this undesignated fund will allow UMCOR to allocate funds to disasters as they arise. Please bring in plenty of change on **October 25<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 **“UMCOR”** on a pew envelope.

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

### Building

#### Sign In/Sign Out Sheets

These sheets will be placed on all entrance doors and must be completed every time anyone enters or exits the building, other than for a worship service.

We will have your other information from your screening sheets. If you have any questions please contact the church office.

Thank You.

### 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



## United Methodist Men Zoom Gathering Saturday, October 10th at 8:00 A.M.

The Lemont United Methodist Men (UMM) will meet via Zoom at 8 a.m. on October 10, (thanks to Phil Ramos). Lemont UMM meets on the second Sat. of each month. 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. If you are able to Join us via Zoom, please contact Phil Ramos for the Invitation to the Meeting:

Phil's e-mail is [bolingbrookramos@gmail.com](mailto:bolingbrookramos@gmail.com)  
and his phone number is 630-740-1513.

### **We are excited to announce the start of a new ministry, LUMC Tuesday Night Virtual Fellowship!**

This will be a 30 minute Zoom session hosted by Phil and led by Debbie Hassert, Bill Price, and GleeAnn on a rotational basis. Each session will start at 7 pm with general conversation as folks enter the meeting and greet each other. About half way through, the leader will provide a devotional, or a message, or a lesson meant for reflection by all attending. The initial Tuesday 7pm schedule is as follows:

Oct 6 - GleeAnn - Grace

Oct 13 Debbie - Discipleship

Oct 20 Bill - Fisher of Men, Part 1.

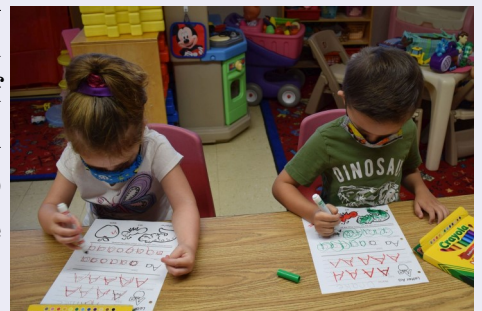
To attend, you must contact Phil Ramos at 630-740-1513 or [bolingbrookramos@gmail.com](mailto:bolingbrookramos@gmail.com) and he will send you an invite to the Zoom Session.



**Hope to "see" you all on Tuesday!**

### **Happy Hands**

Happy Hands return to school is going well. Praise God! Students and teachers alike are very happy to be back in the classrooms and the building is once again filled with sounds of joy and learning! Although a few students initially experienced separation anxiety, this is common during the first weeks as the little ones learn that mommy and daddy come back. The September theme is "All About Me." Children are enjoying back-to-school stories, learning about the letter A and the color red, making new friends, praying before snack, and using their imaginations in free-play. Staff and students have adapted to wearing masks during the school day and we've instituted new drop off and pick up procedures in order to limit the number of adults in the building. All of our new protocols are keeping us busy with scheduled bathroom breaks and lots of cleaning. We are trying to make the school day as normal as possible and the children are enjoying their return to school!





Greetings!

I hope this letter finds you well and taking care of yourselves. This year sure has been difficult in so many ways!

With that said, I want to give you an update on the finances of our church. The summer months have seen more than the usual reduction in giving. With the Covid19 pandemic, we have also incurred additional expenses this summer.

Below you can see both the general fund and all funds for the year.

	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	August	Total
General Fund Receipts	14,327	10,115	11,306	13,264	8,381	9,469	6,699	7,736	81,296
General Fund Disbursements	(11,905)	(16,547)	(12,925)	(12,722)	(12,597)	(13,750)	(11,960)	(11,814)	(104,219)
	2,422	(6,432)	(1,618)	542	(4,216)	(4,280)	(5,261)	(4,079)	(22,923)
Total Funds (Receipts)	52,637	21,244	39,508	81,034	72,275	19,870	12,696	15,316	314,579
Total Funds (Disbursements)	(20,826)	(20,658)	(21,063)	(23,729)	(100,657)	(21,949)	(18,808)	(13,295)	(240,983)
	31,811	586	18,445	57,305	(28,382)	(2,079)	(6,112)	2,021	73,596

The general fund pays all salaries, utilities, apportionment, health insurance, committee expenses, supplies, copier costs, guest speakers, etc....all the expenses to keep our church functioning.

Total Funds is the general fund plus all other funds you can give money to i.e. the maintenance fund.

Based on where are finances are currently, I would like you to consider two things.

1. Consider giving more to the general fund. You can do this by increasing your giving, or changing from another fund to the general fund, say from Capital Improvement or Maintenance to General fund. I would not normally recommend this but we have only been doing absolutely necessary maintenance this summer. The finance committee cannot arbitrarily change your offerings to another fund per the Book of Discipline. We have to honor your chosen funds from your pledge cards or what you indicate on your envelope or through the online process.
2. Use our online giving options. If you have a smart phone you can download the Give+ application. This gives you the option of setting up recurring payments. I, personally, have chosen the funds/accounts, amounts and how often to give. It has made my life so much easier with one less thing to think about. Or access the church website ([lemontumc.org](http://lemontumc.org)), from your phone or computer, and use the online giving button. You have the same choices on the website as Give+. If you would like to do this but feel you might not do it correctly, I would be happy to walk you through it via phone or at your home. Please do not hesitate to call me. 847-204-1747

This has been a difficult year for everyone. The pandemic, sickness, the loss of jobs, the reduction in pay, remote learning, the lack of socializing, and the list goes on. I am very aware of these things and know that the above suggestions might be impossible for you. I respect that. For those who are able, please consider the above choices! I hope all of you will keep our church, members, community and the world in your prayers. We are all in need of God's assurance, strength and comfort.

Thank you for your continued financial support of our church. I look forward to seeing you soon!

Peg Pecher, Finance Chair person

## 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:	\$	7,096.59
Receipts:		7,735.67
Disbursements:		-11,814.18
General Fund ending balance:	\$	3,018.08

Please send in your pledges! We need them! Thank You!

## **\*\*\*\*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.

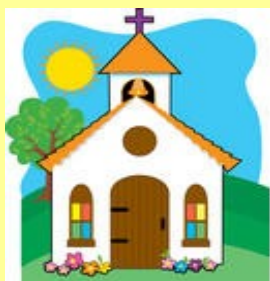
Red Lobster, Outback, Panera, Sephora, Red Robin, Old Navy and Bakers Square are just a few. For many more please visit [www.fivebackgift.com](http://www.fivebackgift.com) for a complete list.

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

## Handyman Help

Tom Gebel is struggling with arthritis and unable to help us anymore with handyman duties. Thank you to Tom Gebel for his years of service to our church family! If you are someone who is able and would be willing to help with handyman duties please call the church office.

Thank You!



## 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.

## Peacemakers

By Richard H. Lee, LUMC Historian

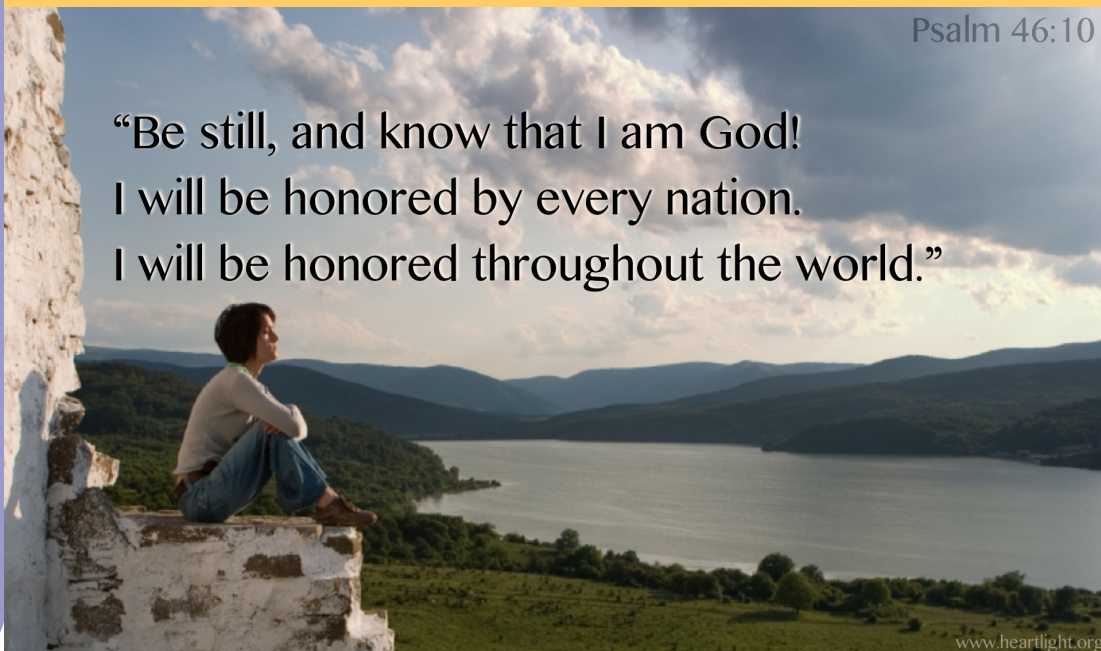
Are you a peacemaker or troublemaker? Peacemakers try to help those in trouble and have basic needs, including health and homes. They cannot tolerate those who do not provide enough basic food Internet, or water, like Native Americans. Sometimes a peacemaker must try to protect their own people who may be in trouble in foreign lands, such as Christians in China, Egypt, or Turkey where they are being persecuted or expelled.

American citizens may be imprisoned, losing all property and rights, so that calls for being tough with such nations and governments. A draft-dodger may be more interested in doing business and making money than serving the military and protecting our assets and people. One way to make peace with people, especially neighbors, is to use an aspect of life such as exercise that can be tried in a buddy system to improve their health.

After some time you can introduce the spiritual principles that guide such improved ways of life and give us a better outlook or hope. I call that walking and talking, pointing out marvels of creation such as natural springs, ponds and lakes that are habitats for natural creatures. Even our hills around Lemont can be challenges that eventually we can master as we become stronger and with improved hearts. You could even ask, "how about your heart?" A good Scripture on peace is in Psalm 119:165 (NIV): Great peace have those who love your Law, and nothing can make them stumble."

Psalm 46:10

"Be still, and know that I am God!  
I will be honored by every nation.  
I will be honored throughout the world."



Dear Church Family,

The College Acknowledgement Program provides letters, cards, snacks and encouragement throughout the school year for students living away or staying home. By October 10th, please call Cris Kerins at 257-5660 or email at [clkerins@sbcglobal.net](mailto:clkerins@sbcglobal.net) or Dawn Ferrazzi 815-886-4177 or email at [dferrazzi@anl.gov](mailto:dferrazzi@anl.gov) with your child's school address so they can be included this year. Also, we welcome anyone wishing to donate items to be sent.



Thank You

### College Scholarship Candidates

The LUMC Scholarship Committee will again be considering applications for students to receive a scholarship award. Qualifications include: being a full time student (12 hours or more), being a church member, and having participated in various church activities (choir, Praise Band, youth group, liturgist, Sunday School/Breakfast Club, helped in VBS, etc.) The intention of this award is to aid you in your continuing studies and to support your ongoing spiritual growth.

Applications are available on our church website: [lemontumc.org](http://lemontumc.org). Look under the heading **Ministries** and then click on **College Acknowledgement Program**. You may type your responses on the form and email it to Cris Kerins at [clkerins@sbcglobal.net](mailto:clkerins@sbcglobal.net) or Dawn Ferrazzi at [dferrazzi@anl.gov](mailto:dferrazzi@anl.gov). You may also hand write your response and mail it to LUMC 25 W. Custer Street Lemont, IL 60439. The deadline for returning the application is **October 20th**. **Scholarship awards will be given on December 1st, the Sunday after Thanksgiving at the 10:45 service.** We will contact you before this date.

God's Blessings to you.

Cris Kerins and Dawn Ferrazzi

Cap Committee Members



## Attendance Checking

For everyone who attends the online service needs to check their attendance every week by calling to church office, email, or text.

Thank You

# OCTOBER

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Oct. 1-Sara & Samantha Vazquez  
Oct. 2-George Lange  
Oct. 6-Gene Goszczycki  
Oct. 8-Steve Walter  
Oct. 9-Josh Miller  
Oct. 12-Lila O'Neill  
Oct. 12-Christine Miller  
Oct. 16-Matthew Chappell  
Oct. 17-Gina Walter  
Oct. 21-Karin Peraino  
Oct. 23-David Lange  
Oct. 26-Paulette Fries  
Oct. 27-Dawn Ferrazzi  
Oct. 29-Juanita Hill  
Oct. 30-Kexia LaFramboise-Van

## HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Oct. 5-Cris & Bill Kerins  
Oct. 8-Judy & Al Janovyak  
Oct. 8-Grace & Loren Kirkman  
Oct. 10-April & Rob Lange  
Oct. 13-Carolyn & Curtis Stelter  
Oct. 14-Jana & Bill Stelter  
Oct. 14-Lynne & Greg Vavra  
Oct. 14-Alice & George Lange



## Liturgist Schedule

To  
Be  
Announced

## 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*

\*Steve & Gina Walter, Covid-19  
Elena Winters (Miller), health issues  
\*Priscilla Ludwig, dialysis  
Anna (Fries), bladder surgery  
\*Jim Ludwig, Lemont Rehab  
\*Neil Janssen, strength  
\*Tom Gebel, arthritis  
Ron, cancer treatment  
\*Bev Svoboda, strength  
Jordyn Milinis (Pecher), crohns  
Lori Bartwick, breast cancer  
\*Sheila Farrer, health issues  
Joe Sigety, ALS  
\*Jason Kehr, cystic fibrosis  
Lou Gunder, lymphoma/chemo  
\*Sherrill Weary, covid-19  
\*George Lange, healing from surgery  
\*Grieving Families  
Mike Mandziara, brain cancer  
\*Happy Hands Opening  
Katie (Norfleet), kidney disease  
June (Havemann), stomach cancer  
Marty Rolin, nerve damage  
Harper (Norfleet), leukemia  
Jamie, brain aneurysm, surgery  
The wildfires & natural disasters  
Linda, dementia  
Elida Ferrazzi, rheumatoid arthritis  
Judy (McAdams), cancer  
Lois, stage 3 cancer

Debbie Turner (Knott), psoriasis  
Jim Durham, cong. Heart failure  
David Goreham, blood disorder  
\*Sandra, autoimmune disease  
Erv Rose (Baxter), prostate cancer  
\*Joanne Goszczycki, covid-19  
Valerie O., ovarian cancer  
E.D. McCormick, cancer  
Ron Hamelen, Alzheimer’s  
Gabrielle Blunt, Alzheimer’s  
All people with the Coronavirus  
\*Alberta Harden, health issues  
Stephanie Wiley, breast cancer  
Chuck Herron (Miller), strength  
\*Jacob Monnett, health issues  
All youth attending school  
Jim Kratochvil, eye stroke  
Kathy Burke, cancer  
\*Dale Janssen, strength  
\*Dan Harden, stroke/blood clots  
\*Joyce Koon, health issues  
Police officers who keep us safe  
Andrew (Pecher), cancer  
\*Annie W., thyroid surgery 10/6  
Fran (McAdams), cancer/chemo  
Peggy Fornero, surgery  
\*Rich Thomas (Cheehy), cancer  
\*Greg Goszczycki, covid-19  
\*Mary Jane Sykes, strength  
Clint (Norfleet), Guillain-barre

**MONTHLY BLESSINGS AND JOYS**

**Coffee Fellowship  
TBD**

**Expanding Care Bearers  
Ministry**

\*Steve & Gina Walter’s improving health!  
\*Happy Hands Opening!  
\*Nicole Pecher’s Adoption!  
\*Michele (Pecher) Teaching in China!  
\*Rybecca Janovyak Married!  
\*Arlene Knott’s Mom is 103!  
\*In Person Service!  
\*Starting the Fall Season!  
\*Children Going Back to In School Classes!



**Coffee Fellowship**

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

October 2020

**Children's  
Message**

To  
Be  
Determined



**Greeters**

No Greeters  
until further  
notice

**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:	TBA
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 Gergescz 815-483-7282
Praise Band	Phil & Leslie Ramos 630-740-1513
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
ESL:	Kay Norfleet 630-257-6699
Red Bird:	Steve Walter 630-783-1621

**\*\*Any Other Ministry You Would Like To Start**

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Phone: 630-257-5210

**Return Service Requested**

# NEW WINE OCTOBER 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.



# Like us on Facebook

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.

[facebook.com/LemontUMC](https://facebook.com/LemontUMC)

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

## Primetimers



### OCTOBER 17

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.

**Grief is NOT**  
a disorder  
a disease  
or a sign of weakness.

**It is** an emotional, physical  
and spiritual necessity;  
the price you pay for love.

The only cure for grief is to grieve.