# MARCH 31, 2024

## This week at Clear Lake UMC





#### Recurring Events

#### Sunday

- Worship 9:30 am
- Monday
  - Men's Coffee 9:30 am
  - Hope Blole Study 9:30 am

#### Wednesday

- Food Pantry 4-6 pm
- Chair 6:30 pm

#### Thursday

- Men's Study Group -9:00 am
- Men's Coffee 9:30 am

Friday - Pastor's Day off

Jane Trampel 4/03
Jason Watson 4/04
Ken Smith 4/05
Lyle Abbas 4/05
Roger Walston 4/06

**NOTICE:** The Church Office will be **closed** on Monday, April 1 in observance of Easter.

### NO POTLUCK TODAY March 31

Enjoy Easter Sunday with your family and friends!

Next Potluck will be April 28 hosted by the Endowment Committee Thank you to all who helped decorate the Sanctuary for Palm Sunday and Easter. We appreciate your help in this busy season.

Altar Guild



The Easter Season is the most joyous and celebrative season of the Christian year. We celebrate the good news that in Christ's death and resurrection we, and all creation, are continually being made new by God's love and saving grace.

Easter Sunday uses the triumphant colors of gold and white to represent the glory and joy of the resurrection. Gold and white are also associated with the ideas of the victory of good over evil, purity, holiness and the promise of everlasting life.

Shout and declare with the Church gathered around the world,

"He is risen!
He is risen, indeed!"

## **Prayer Chain**

If you have a prayer or concern that you would like on the Prayer Chain call Cheral Morgan 641-357-5759, or Carol Rosenthal 641-357-2373 and they will get the prayers going. You can also call the church office if you can't reach either of them.

# Thursday Evening Small Group Study

Join Pastor Sylvester in the Chapel Lounge at **4:00 pm** to read and discuss in more detail the teachings found in the book of John.

We will learn who Jesus is, Jesus' divine nature, the Holy Spirit, and Miracles as "signs".

We look forward to sharing and learning from each other.

#### **CONGREGATIONAL CARE**

Apple Valley Maxine Stokes #15 Darlene Bortle #46 Ruth Kilgore #51

Oakwood Care Center Galen Pitkin #117

Good Shepherd Sandra Schneider #108

IOOF Home, Mason City Norma Bell - #34 Barb Theilen - #15-1 Rachel Wood #47

<u>Concord Care Center</u> Betty Anderson – #19

<u>Prairie View Apartments</u> Diane Davis - #45

<u>Stoney Brook Village</u> Darlene Kuhlers – Unit N1

# MEETING NIGHTS @ CLUMC

ADMINSTRATIVE COUNCIL

6:30 PM, 3rd Tuesday

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

4:00 PM, 3rd Monday

**CONGREGATIONAL CARE** 

10:30 AM, 4th Thursday

**ENDOWMENT** 

5:30 PM, 3rd Tuesday **FINANCE** 

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5:15 PM, 2nd Monday

**LOCAL MISSIONS** 

as needed

**OUTREACH** 

5:00 PM, 3rd Tuesday

STAFF PARISH RELATIONS

5:15 PM, 1st Tuesday

**TRUSTEES** 

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**WORSHIP** 

Varies

## KIDS' CLUB LOOKING FOR VOLUNTEERS

The Christian Education Committee is making plans for the 2024-2025 Kids' Club. In order to offer this program, we are in need of additional volunteers. We are looking for someone to coordinate active time, someone to do art, possibly someone for snack time, and 3-4 helpers. If you are available or have someone in mind, contact Carla Cooley at 319-239-3730.

# Youth for Christ Comedy Café

Featuring Derrick Tennant

Thursday, April 11<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm At the Surf Ballroom

Don't miss out on this opportunity to witness Derrick's transformative journey and learn how to turn obstacles into opportunities.

Doors open at 6 pm, event begins at 6:30 pm The event is free, however registration is required.

# First Annual Spring Sale Saturday, May 4

The Spring Sale
Committee could use
clear plastic totes with
lids in good condition. If
you would like to donate
to CLUMC, particularly
the larger sizes, you can
drop them off inside the
north portico door during
office hours – just ring
the doorbell and Donna
will let you in.

There are many opportunities for you to participate in this event.

Sign- up sheets are available on the tables in Chapel Lounge/Sacred Grounds and throughout the church. Watch for additional details coming soon.

Funds raised from this event will go to support Children's Food Insecurity in our local area. We look forward to everyone's help in making this a HUGE success and know we can count on your donations of gently used, vintage or new items from your home.

Jenny Doughty, Marketing