

Announcements

Become

GUESTS, VISITORS, AND MEMBERS

Please sign the attendance registration located in the pews. Please include your email address. Then pass it back to your neighbor and introduce yourself to each other. Thank you.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME A MEMBER OF WATERLOO FIRST?

If you would like to become a member of Waterloo First United Methodist Church, we would love to have you!

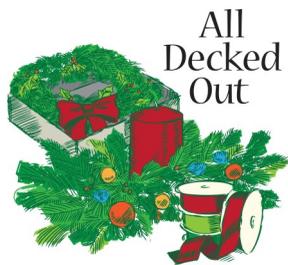
Just check the box "wish to join this church" on the attendance sheet or talk to Pastor Hojin. You may call the office at 319-235-7088. We will have a **New Member Welcome Sunday** on November 19.

HEARING ASSISTANCE DEVICES

Are available, please ask an usher. At the end of the service please turn them off and return them to an usher.

ATTENTION PARENTS

In accordance with our "Safe Sanctuary" policy, children are to be attended by an adult whenever they leave the sanctuary during worship or at any other time.



GREENING OF THE CHURCH

The **First Sunday of Advent** is **December 3rd**, the church must be ready for Christmas by then. Groups; please decorate your area of the church between **November 26** and **December 2**.

Belong

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES 10:45 am

Start planning your Sunday School and small group studies with Amplify Media!



Elementary– Room 8 Kathy Cooley & Susie Karns

Youth– Room 111 Melissa Warren

Searchers– Fireside Room

Ed Gruenwald from Growing Minds Early Learning Ctr

Genesis– Dinette

Amplify access code: BXWDJR



Wednesday

5:30 pm

First Congregational

No youth on November 22

THE UNITED METHODIST MEN

will Meet on
Saturday, November 16th
at 8 am.

Join the men at HyVee on
Ansborough Ave.
for food and fellowship.



Bless

FELLOWSHIP

Please join us in Hartman Hall following the service for fellowship. Sign up to host fellowship and celebrate a special occasion on the bulletin board in VonLackum Lounge. Thank you to the Cravens and Tony Brown for hosting today. Happy Birthday gene Brown! Come to fellowship and help her celebrate.

PLEASE PRAY FOR

- ◆ Members of our congregation who are coping with the loss of loved ones.
- ◆ Members of our congregation who have been recently hospitalized or who are undergoing on-going medical treatment.

LET US PRAY FOR YOU OR A LOVED ONE

By using the pink prayer card, found in the pew rack, you can request that the pastor will mention the prayer concern during the pastoral prayer; and/or is placed on the prayer chain. Also, the person we pray for will receive a card from our card ministry. If you are asking on behalf of another, you must have their permission before you make their concern public, since we want to honor everyone's privacy. To be added to the prayer chain, contact Janice in the office 235-7088 or admin@waterloofirst.org or Sally at media@waterloofirst.org

CHANGE OF ADDRESS, PHONE NUMBER, OR EMAIL

If you have moved recently or have a different winter/summer address or changed your phone number, please notify the office so we have updated information on file for mailings! You can also sign up for emails online at www.waterloofirst.org

BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you have an announcement you wish to appear in Sunday's bulletin, please turn it into the office or email it to Sally at media@waterloofirst.org by **Wednesday**.

HERALD DEADLINE

The next Herald deadline is **Tuesday, November 7th** Articles can be dropped off during business hours, mailed to the church office: 614 Randolph St., Waterloo, 50702, or emailed to Sally at media@waterloofirst.org

THE FOOD NOOK

Donations of personal care items and one dish meals are still welcome.

Also, they are in need of grocery bags. Donations may be put in the hampers by the stairs in VonLackum Lounge.

Thank you so much for considering a donation. Food insecurity is definitely a community problem, and one our church can be proud of lending a helping hand.

RAISERIGHT© formerly SHOP WITH SCRIP



There are new cards in the scrip inventory, perfect for holiday giving. Check and see what's available. Also, ordering your own cards is easier than ever with your smart phone. Ask Sally or Emily how to do it.

Use the QR code to register your scrip account with Waterloo First

JUNETEENTH; FAITH & FREEDOM FILM SHOWINGS

An hour-long film that explains why June 19th is celebrated as "America's Second Independence Day", starting on June 29, 1865 when Black Americans in Texas were told they were free. What Were they freed from? How did the law of Absolute Equality impact their lives...from literacy, to housing, to faith?

Two showings on November 14th

11 am– 12:30 pm

Waterloo First United Methodist Church

6 pm– 7:30 pm

Orchard Hill Church



Thanksgiving Breakfast Potluck

**Sunday, November 19
9:00 am**

Bring a dish to share and join us for our annual breakfast potluck.

Drinks and table service will be provided.

Worship in Hartman Hall will follow breakfast and we will Consecrate the 2024 Pledge



WINTER COAT DRIVE

The World Grace Project (Little Iron Moms) is collecting winter coats, hats, & gloves for the Haitian immigrants.

Please donate gently used or new coats to help keep our newcomers warm. There is a drop-off box in VonLackum lounge.

Deadline for drop off is November 30



2024 GOD'S CREATION CALENDARS

are here!

The children's Sunday School Classes are selling the calendars.

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Waterloo First United Methodist Church



Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs.: 9:00 am-1:00 pm,
(or by appointment)

THIS WEEK AT FIRST CHURCH

Sunday, November 12

9:30 am– Worship

10:30 am– Fellowship

10:45 am– Sunday School/ AED Training

Monday, November 13

11:00 am– Nest

4:00 pm– Getting Ahead

Tuesday, November 14

11:00 am– Juneteenth; Faith & Freedom Film, Waterloo First UMC

5:30 pm– Finance Mtg.

6:00 pm– Juneteenth, Faith & Freedom Film, Orchard Hill

6:15 pm– Intensified Prayer

Wednesday, November 15

9:00 am– Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17

5:00 pm– Youth Group at First Congregational

5:45 pm– Golden Bells Rehearsal

7:00 pm– Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, November 16

8:00 am– Church Row Prayer Walk

9:30 am– Food Nook

9:30 am– Herald Assembly

2:00 pm– Volunteer at the Food Bank

4:00 pm– Getting Ahead

6:30 pm– Ad Team

Friday, November 17

Office Closed

7:00 pm- Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17

Saturday, November 18

8:00 am– United Methodist Men at Ansborough Hy Vee

10:00 am– Special Annual Conference, via Zoom

3:00 pm– Worship on Cedar Falls Public Access 15

Sunday, November 12.

9:30 am– Worship

10:30 am– Fellowship

10:45 am– Sunday School