

Bless

GIRL SCOUT COOKIES

Jaelynn Steenbarger will have a Girl Scout Cookie booth in VonLackum lounge on March 6 from 9-11 am. Buy some cookies and support our Girl Scout.

FOOD NOOK NEEDS

The Food Nook needs Tuna Helper to go with the cans of tuna they have on hand. Boxes of tuna helper and other goods you'd like to donate can be turned into the office during the week or placed in the hamper in VonLackum Lounge.



TRIVIA NIGHT

Saturday, March 26, 2022

Doors Open at 6:30, event starts at 7pm
Hartman Hall at Waterloo First UMC
Gather your friends for a fun night of trivia.
Teams consist of Tables of 8 and are \$120/table.
There will be snacks and beverages available.
Funds raised will go towards Christian Education.

JAZZ SUNDAY

**Waterloo First United
Methodist Church
614 Randolph St.
Waterloo, IA**

**with the Souls of
Dixieland Band
February 27, 9:30 am
Rev. Hojin Shin, pastor**

www.waterloofirst.org
319-235-7088



Welcome to Worship!

We are happy to have you with us today!

PRELUDE

“Indiana”
“Basin Street Blues”
“I Found a New Baby”

The Souls of Dixieland Jazz Band

Paul Rider, trumpet, leader ~ Robert Dunn, bass
Dennis Johnson, drums ~ David Smith, piano
Michael Conrad, trombone ~ Simon Harding, reeds

WELCOME

Please pass the ritual of friendship

*GREETING (With One Another)

Greeting: The peace of Christ be with you!
Response: And also with you!

*OPENING PRAYER

Liturgist, Kathy McFarland

Holy God, thank you for bringing us to your mountaintop. We come to praise you in Jazz today. Accept our music and bless us. We come to listen to what you have to say. We come to sense your glory— a glory that can transform our lives. May Jesus, your Son and your chosen one, and may the Spirit of freedom and glory shine upon us and cause us to shine like the sun. Amen.

*OPENING HYMN

“Ev’ry Time I Feel the Spirit”

PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Joys and Concerns
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord’s Prayer (in unison)

No. 895

Belong

ADULT AND CHILDREN’S SUNDAY SCHOOL

Please join us in the Sanctuary at 11:00 am today for Dr. Roberts Presentation on African American Music



Ash Wednesday Potluck

Wednesday, March 2

5:30 pm

Bring a dish to share and join us for an all-church potluck before the Ash Wednesday Service.

Beverages and table service will be provided.

Wednesday, March 3

6:30 pm

Join us for a Service of Ashes



Announcements

Please join us for Fellowship in Hartman Hall after worship.

Become

THANK YOU

to the Souls of Dixieland Jazz Band for being with us for our Jazz Worship service today! Please take note of the enclosed offering envelope for your donation help cover the cost of the band.

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.

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.

HERALD DEADLINE

The next Herald deadline is **Tuesday, March 15th**. Articles can be dropped off during business hours or mailed to the church office: 614 Randolph St., Waterloo, 50702 or emailed to media@waterloofirst.org

COVID-19 UPDATE

Starting Sunday, February 27

- Masks will be optional
- Singing and responsive readings will be conducted normally
- The offering plates will be passed
- Sharing of the peace will be done from your place in the pews
- Fellowship will resume

Members of the congregation should continue to make decisions based on their personal circumstances. The Safety Task Force

ANTHEM

“Precious Lord, Take My Hand”

Thomas A Dorsey

Arr. Jack Schrader

Chancel Choir & The Souls of Dixieland

Emily Forssberg, director~ Dr. John Roberts, accompanist

SCRIPTURE READING

Luke 9: 28-36

ANTHEM

“I’m Not Worried About My Soul”

Arr. Dr. John Roberts, Ed. D.

Chancel Choir & The Souls of Dixieland

Dr. John Roberts, director

SERMON

Good to Be Here?

Rev. Hojin Shin

OFFERING

Offertory

“Amazing Grace”

“Just a Closer Walk with Thee”

The Souls of Dixieland

(Please use the enclosed envelope to help cover the cost of the Jazz Band)

*HYMN

“When the Saints Go Marching In”

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

“Sweet Georgia Brown”

When You’re Smiling”

Washington and Lee Swing”

The Souls of Dixieland Jazz Band

*(Please remain for the Postlude and enjoy the music!
Remain seated or get up and dance!)*

Waterloo First United Methodist Church

Office Hours:

Mon.-Th.: 9:00 am-1:00 pm, Fri.: 9:00 am-12:00 pm, or by appointment

THIS WEEK AT FIRST CHURCH

Sunday, February 27

9:30 am– Worship/ Jazz Sunday

10:30 am– Celebration in Hartman Hall

11:00 am– A Presentation on African American Music in the sanctuary

Monday, February 28

Tuesday, March 1

9:00 am– Staff Mtg.

6:00 pm– Membership Committee Mtg.

Wednesday, March 2

9:00 am– Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17

9:30 am– Workshop for Others

12:45 pm– Food Nook Mtg.

5:30 pm– Potluck

6:30 pm– Service of Ashes

7:30 pm– Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, March 3

8:30 am– TOPS

9:30 am– Food Nook

9:30 am– Book Club

4:30 am– Partners in Education at Irving Elementary

Friday, March 4

11:00 am– UMW Board Mtg.

7:00 pm– Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17

Saturday, March 5

3:00 pm– Worship on CF Public Access Chanel 15

Sunday, March 6

9:30 am–Worship/Communion

10:30 am–Fellowship

10:45 am–Sunday School

We are happy you are with us today!!

Please sign the attendance registration pad located in the pew racks.



The service is live-streamed on Facebook; recorded each week, and is available to anyone who requests it. If you know of someone who is unable to attend services and would like to receive a DVD or an audio CD, please contact the church office, 235-7088



**A Presentation of African
American Music
led by
Dr. John Roberts, Ed. D.**

Sunday, February 27, 2022 at 11:00 am

African American Music is, many have called "structure without boundaries." Music in the African American Church is one of spontaneous innovative expression within the confines of hymn structure. Music is experiential, not ritualistic. A template is good as a beginning; however, the delivery is personal, reflective, and aspirational. The Scripture says, "Make a joyful noise unto the Lord." Music in the African American Church is the worshippers' joyful expression of what God has done, is doing, and will do with and in their lives. Whether the selection is call and response, lined hymn, upbeat variation of a standard hymn, "the structure is there," but the 'boundaries' are left up to those doing the singing.

Sing with joy, sing with commitment,
sing until the power of the Lord comes down!