

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 also call the office at 319-235-7088.

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.

SIGN UP FOR EMAIL UPDATES AND PRAYER REQUESTS

Use the QR code to sign up for Pastor Hojin’s weekly email and prayer requests for our congregation.



Belong

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

10:45 am



Plan your Sunday School and small group studies with Amplify Media! **Amplify access code: BXWDJR**

Elementary– Room 8 Kathy Cooley & Susie Karns

Youth– Room 111 Melissa Warren

Searchers– Fireside Room

Genesis– Dinette

**Wednesday,
Waterloo First UMC
5:30 pm**



INTRODUCING.... BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY!

Beginning in April, the second Sunday of the month is Birthday & Anniversary Sunday!

UWF’S SARAH’S CIRCLE

Women of the church, please join us at Sally Thurman’s house on Thursday, April 11 at 6:30. We will have food, fellowship and a lesson on Sally’s Power Plate.

113 Castle Ln.
Denver, IA 50622

RSVP to Sally at media@waterloofirst.org

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.

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 Kristy in the office 235-7088 or office@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, April 16th**. 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.



SCRIP CARDS FOR EVERYDAY!

Scrip cards are easy to use every time you shop. You don't pay any extra for what you buy, but a percentage comes back to the church. It only takes some forethought to order the cards. Check the board in Hartman Hall to see what's available, or order your cards today to get them in time for Easter. Don't forget to include \$1 for shipping with each card.

SPRING CLOTHING GIVE-AWAY

Saturday, April 13 at 9 am– 10:30 am

**Royal Legacy Christian Academy
(formerly Sacred Heart School)**

Drop off times:

- **at gym door off of Randolph parking lot.:** Saturday, April 6, before Masses (3:30-4 pm and 5-5:30 pm) & Sunday, April 7, before Masses (7:45-8:15 am and 10:15-10:45 am)
- **at east door of school off of W 5th St:** Tuesday, April 9, from 3-4 pm Wednesday, April 10, from 9:30-10:30 am & Thursday, April 11, from 5 to 6 pm & Friday, April 12, from 9 am-1 pm **(during sorting of clothing/bedding)**

JOB STORE (The Job Foundation)

The Job Foundation is looking for donations for their Job Store: Our Job Store is the reward to our 6th-8th graders as they attend their financial lessons each week during the school year. They receive “Job Bucks” aka Monopoly money during each weekly lesson based on their participation, behavior, manners/respect shown, etc. At the end of each quarter, they can spend their earned “Job Bucks” at our Job Store as a reward. We typically ask for donations to stock our store each quarter.

- Taki’s snacks
- King Size Candy- Chocolate/Gummy’s/etc
- Soccer Balls/Basketballs/footballs
- Fake Fingernails/finger nail stickers/polish/ Make up
- Hair accessories/brushes
- Bracelets- any kind
- Blankets/ Socks
- Snack Cakes
- Personal care products: toothpaste/body lotion/soap/deodorant/ Flashlights
- Card Games/ Board Games/ Fun stuff for tweens/teens
- *Really anything that a 6th-8th grader may enjoy, we would take good shape used items as well.

GOLDEN BELL REFURBISHMENT

Do you enjoy the Golden Bells? As a member of the Golden Bell choir myself, I can tell you we all enjoy making music in the choir and hope that the congregation enjoys it too. Lately, we are having problems with the octave of bells you see in the picture above. The parts are getting old and wearing down. When you ring some of them, you get two tolls of the bell instead of one, because the worn out parts let them clapper ring both sides of the bell, which gives us extra notes the composers did not intend. These bells need to be sent to Schulmerich in Pennsylvania to be refurbished. This presents us with two problems: the cost of getting the bells to Pennsylvania and back, and the cost of the refurbishment. The United Women of Faith is able to cover 1/2 of the cost and we have a donation to cover the cost of the shipping, but we are asking the congregation to chip in. The refurbishment will be \$6400. If you can help, please mark you donation for the Bell Refurbishment.

Waterloo First
United Methodist Church



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

THIS WEEK AT FIRST CHURCH

Sunday, April 7

- 9:30 am– Worship
- 10:30 am– Fellowship
- 10:45 am– Sunday School
- 12:00 pm– Church Row Coalition
- 1:00 pm– Girl Scouts Troop #3419

Monday, April 8

- 11:00 am– Nest
- 4:00 pm– Getting Ahead

Tuesday, April 9

- 11:30 am– Immerse at 1st Congregational UCC
- 6:15 pm– Intensified Prayer
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Wednesday, April 10

- 9:00 am– Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17
- 5:30 pm– Youth Group at Waterloo First UMC
- 5:45 pm– Golden Bell Rehearsal
- 7:00 pm– Chancel Choir Rehearsal

Thursday, April 11

- 9:30 am– Food Nook
- 4:00 pm– Getting Ahead
- 6:30 pm– Sarah’s Circle at Sally Thurman’s

Friday, April 12

- Office Closed*
- 2:00 pm– Celebration of Life for Ursula Class
- 7:00 pm- Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17

Saturday, April 13

- 9:00 am– Spring Clothing Drive
- 3:00 pm– Worship on Cedar Falls Public Access 15

Sunday, April 14

- 9:30 am– Worship
- 10:30 am– Fellowship
- 10:45 am– Sunday School
- 12:00 pm- Lunch at La Christopher’s at Jubilee UMC