

# 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.



### USHERS

The Usher Team is looking for some help. Ushers serve for 1 month, 3 times per year. If you can help, contact Wendy Potter.

## Belong

### SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

10:45 am  
Sunday School will begins today!



Elementary– Rm 108

Youth– Rm 111

Melissa Warren

Searchers– Fireside Room

Genesis– Dinette

 Use Amplify to plan your

Sunday School and Small Group lessons:

Use the code **BXWDJR** to sign up and start exploring Amplify Media for your personal bible study and or small group study. Contact Sally at [media@waterloofirst.org](mailto:media@waterloofirst.org) if you need help.



The Collaborative

Youth Group

Wednesday at 5:30

Kimball Ave UMC

### THE UNITED METHODIST MEN

will Meet on  
**Saturday, November 16<sup>th</sup>**  
**at 8 am.**



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

### BIRTHDAY/ANNIVERSARY SUNDAY

If you have a birthday or an anniversary in the month of November, please sit at the specially decorated table and enjoy your cake so we can all celebrate you!

## 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](mailto:office@waterloofirst.org) or Sally at [media@waterloofirst.org](mailto: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](http://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](mailto:media@waterloofirst.org) by **Wednesday**.

## HERALD DEADLINE

The next Herald deadline is **Tuesday, November 12<sup>th</sup>**. 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](mailto:media@waterloofirst.org)

## THE FOOD NOOK

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

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

## KOATS 4 KIDS

Please make your donation check payable to: Waterloo First UMC – in the memo section of your check please note “Koats 4 Kids”. This is how your support will help our local kids: \$25 – Buys a new warm coat, hat, gloves and scarf  
\$45 – All of the \$25, plus a pair of boots  
\$65 – All of \$25 and \$45, plus snow pants



## SCRIP CARDS FOR EVERYDAY LIFE!

Do you eat at Panera Bread or Papa Murphy's? Do you shop at Target or Lowe's? We have these cards in our inventory. It's very easy to purchase a card from Kris Stewart at fellowship

and use the card when you shop. It doesn't you any extra money. Think ahead for Christmas, we can order Apple, Amazon, or a number of other cards that make great stocking stuffers. Check out our card inventory during Fellowship time.



## Empowering Communities, One Family at a Time: Support Heifer International

As we strive to create a world free from hunger and poverty, Heifer International invites you to join the mission to empower marginalized communities worldwide. Your financial support is crucial in helping provide sustainable livelihoods, nutrition, and economic opportunities to thousands.

For over 75 years, Heifer International has worked tirelessly to:

1. Provide livestock, training, and resources to struggling farmers.
2. Promote sustainable agriculture practices, improving food security and income.
3. Empower women and girls through education and entrepreneurship.

Your donation will directly impact the lives of families like:

\*Maria, a single mother in Rwanda, received a cow and training, increasing her income and sending her children to school.

\*Rohan, an Indian farmer, learned climate-resilient farming techniques doubling his crop yield.

## Your Support Matters

Every gift counts:

- \$10: Vaccinations for a family's livestock
- \$25: Seeds and tools for a community garden
- \$50: Training for a woman entrepreneur
- \$100: A cow or goat for a struggling family

## Give Today

Together, let's break the cycle of poverty and build a bright future.

Thank you for your compassion and generosity.

## 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 10

- 9:30 am– Worship/ Veteran's Tribute
- 10:30 am– Fellowship
- 10:45 am– Sunday School
- 12:00 pm– Lunch at Le Christopher's at Jubilee UMC

### Monday, November 11

- Veteran's Dau
- 11:00 am– Nest
- 4:00 pm– Getting Ahead

### Tuesday, November 12

#### ***Herald Deadline***

- 10:00 am– Prayer Walk & Coffee at 1<sup>st</sup> Congregational
- 1:00 pm– PEO Chapter FE/JP

### Wednesday, November 13

- 9:00 am– Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17
- 10:00 am– Church Row Structural Safety Committee
- 5:30 pm– Youth Group
- 5:45 pm– Golden Bell Rehearsal
- 7:00 pm– Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, November 14

- 9:30 am– Food Nook
- 4:00 pm– Getting Ahead/ Graduation

### Friday, November 15

#### ***Office Closed***

- 7:00 pm- Worship on Waterloo Public Access 17

### Saturday, November 16

- 8:00 am– UMM at Ansborough Hy Vee
- 9:30 am– Church Row Neighborhood Association
- 3:00 pm– Worship on Cedar Falls Public Access 15

### Sunday, November 17

- 9:30 am– Worship
- 10:30 am– Fellowship
- 10:45 am– Sunday School
- 1:00 pm– Girl Scout Troop #3419