

Lynnhurst Ledger

Lynnhurst United Church of Christ

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AROUND LYNNHURST

Sunday, August 4th
Worship Service 9:30 AM

*Sharon Crosby, Proclaimer

Fellowship Time

10:30 AM

Sunday School

11:00 AM

Friends Church

1:30 PM

Monday, August 5th

Tuesday, August 6th

Men's Bible Study 7:30 AM Pastor's Office 10 AM -

Hours Tai Chi 2PM 10:30 PM

Wednesday, August 7th

Thursday, August 8th
Boy Scout Meeting 7:00 PM

Friday, August 9th

Saturday, August 10th

Friends Church

3:00 PM

Sunday, August 11th
Worship Service 9:30 AM

*Communion Sunday

Fellowship Time

10:30 AM

Sunday School

11:00 AM

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1:30 PM

REMINDER!

If you or a family member is taken/ admitted to the hospital please call the office or call Pastor Monica directly.

We are your church, we NEED to know these things!

Friends in Christ,

As students and staff prepare to return for a new school year let's keep them in prayer.

A prayer for students:

Loving God, thank you for the unique gifts of every child as they transition into a new school year. Fill each student with fresh enthusiasm and a heart that is excited to learn and grow. Please surround them with your enduring love, give them confidence, equip them with the ability to persevere through difficult days, and keep them safe. Bless their teachers with wisdom, understanding, and a heart to serve, as they embark on the journey together! Amen.

A prayer for school staff:

Thank you, Holy God, for the teachers and support staff in our schools. I pray you will surround them with blessings as they plan, instruct, counsel, challenge, listen, direct, and serve. Walk with them, and guide them in moments of stress, and enable them to seek an understanding of each child in their care with a kind heart and a discerning spirit. I pray for physical, emotional, and spiritual blessings on the entire school staff, and for strong unity in school-family relationships, so that all children can learn, grow, and thrive! Amen.

Blessings on the journey,

Pastor Monica

SPECIAL REQUEST

Pastor Monica invites you to send her the name of the person (or people) you consider to be a **Saint of Lynnhurst who have completed their earthly lives**. Please write 2-3 sentences about this person and why they are a saint. She will share your thoughts in her sermon on **Sunday, August 18**. You can email them or hand them to her. Thank you.

PAL YOUTH CENTER UPDATE!

On Tuesday, July 30th, the PAL Youth Center Committee hired a program director for the Center. Her name is Jo Cruz. Ms. Cruz has spent many years working with youth in the non-profit sector. She will be a great director for the PAL Program and we are all excited to see what she brings to the table. Ms. Cruz will start this coming Tuesday, the 6th, she will spend the month of August getting settled and planning the year for the Center.

In other great news, we have received enough grant money to fund the PAL Youth Center program for the 2019-2020 school year!

Scripture Readers

LOOK FOR AN EMAIL ON
WEDNESDAY OR THURSDAY
OF THE WEEK YOU ARE
SCHEDULED

AUGUST

- 04 Richard Sandage
- 11 Cynthia McFarland
- 18 Nancy Shannon
- 25 Jim Maier

Children's Message AUGUST

- 04 Pastor Monica
- 11 Eva Warren
- 18 Pastor Monica
- 25

Fellowship Time Hosts/Hostesses

Sign Up Sheet On the Bulletin Board by Church Office

AUGUST

- 04 Warren
- 11 OPEN
- 18 Matheny
- 25 Shannon

SEPTEMBER

- O4 OPEN
- 11 OPEN
- 18 OPEN
- **25** *OPEN*

JULY ACOLYTE CAPTAIN

TBD

See Sharon Crosby to find out who the Captain is. See the captain if you'd like to be an acolyte this month.

THANK YOU! THANK YOU! THANK YOU!

The Christian Education and Nurture Committee says a very heartfelt thank you for ALL the school supplies donated during July! The people of Lynnhurst are so generous!

Brooklawn/Centerstone will be receiving the book bags, a portion of the spiral notebooks, 2-pocket folders, pencils, crayons, pens and glue sticks.

MOLO Village, at St Peter's UCC, will be receiving binders, spiral notebooks, 2-pocket folders, crayons, pens, pencils and glue sticks. These supplies will be given out at their 9th Annual MOJO Village Festival the weekend of August 9-11. That Saturday they will be having youth day where they will be giving out free school supplies.

The **PAL Youth Center** here at Lynnhurst will be receiving spiral notebooks, pens, pencils, composition books and loose-leaf paper. The youth that come to the PAL Center don't always have the supplies they need when they get help with their homework during their time at the Center. These supplies will help greatly.

All total, we received:

42 backpacks 239 spiral notebooks

181 two-pocket folders 10 packs of loose-leaf paper

13 packs of pens 17 packs of crayons 17 packs of pens 7 packs of glue sticks

6 composition books 4 binders

WOW! Thank you again for being such a generous congregation and for giving so much to the young people of our community.



BROOKLAWN

MOLO VILLAGE

PAL CENTER

Scommunity Mines

SIGN UP FOR KROGER COMMUNITY REWARDS TODAY!

ARE YOU SIGNED UP?? IT'S AS EASY AS 1-2-3-4!

- 1. Go to www.kroger.com/communityrewards and create an account or sign-in.
- 2. Get out your Kroger Plus Shoppers Card
- 3. Register your Kroger Plus card online and link it to #LC935
- 4. Go Shopping! Every time you shop at Kroger a portion of your total goes to Lynnhurst. Its that Easy!

Currently we have 13 households registered. Let's make a goal that by the end of the next quarter (end of September) we have 20 households! Come on! YOU CAN DO IT!

If you need help registering your card, come see Sarah in the office!













ST. PETERS UCC FAMILY DAY 11AM - 2PM

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LAST SUNDAY TO SIGN UP! JOIN OUR SCOUT TROOP 209 AT THE LOUISVILLE BATS SCOUT NIGHT!

SATURDAY, AUGUST 17TH @ 6PM

The Scouts from Unit 209 will be participating in the annual Scout Night with the Louisville Bats. The game is Saturday, August 17th at 6 PM. Tickets are \$8 per person.

Following the game, you can choose to camp out with the Scouts in the outfield at the stadium. If you would like to camp, the tickets will be \$14 (game+camping).

If you would like to participate, please sign up on the sign up sheet that will be in the Sanctuary on Sunday. You can turn in your money in the collection plate, just make the check out to Scout Troop 209. The deadline is August 4th so we can ensure everyone gets to sit together.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES July 26 - August 18

Birthdays

07/28 Carolyn DeZern **Martha Twomey** 07/30 Debbie Sandage 07/31 Karen Compton 08/01 Rick Ovington

08/08 Chris Brinke

Anniversaries

None.

A belated Happy Birthday to Debbie Sandage, Karen Compton, and Rick Ovington! I apologize, I inadvertently left them off last week's list! **Happy Birthday!**



AFTER AUGUST FIRST: \$50

Vietnam Kitchen Shack in the Back BBQ **Rubbies Southside Grill & Bar** Wagner's Pharmacy **Sunergos Coffee Gumby's Catering** Walker's Exchange Valley Dairy Freeze Mark's Feed Store Lady J's Lemonade

The Seafood Lady

ValuMarket's Deli **Levy Restaurants**

And many more!

Mirabelle's Catering

Celebrating the 10th year!







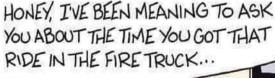
For tickets go to slcm.org, find us on Facebook, or call 502-361-7763

Tuscany Italian Restaurant

SPECIAL MUSIC! WE NEED MUSICIANS!

If you would like to sing or play an instrument for the Special Music time this summer, talk to Dawn and set up a date. All dates in August are open for you to consider.

ANYONE HAVE A KAZOO?







Found this gem on the SLCM Facebook page. Thought it deserved a run in the newsletter.

UCC Roots: Remembering Our History

Murdale Leysath She Answered a Call that Seemed Impossible

It was South Carolina in the 1930s. The young woman was always interested in ministry, but she was told that it was impossible for a woman to be a minister. Yet some people encouraged her. She went to church. She studied her Bible. And she was inspired by a black woman who preached in a nearby African American church.



At age eighteen Murdale Cameron Leysath (1924-2013) went to New York City and worked in a Settlement House. A few years later she went back to South Carolina and earned a bachelor's degree in psychology and sociology. From 1945-1948 she worked as a social worker. Yet her sense of calling to ordained ministry persisted. In 1950, she met a Vermont forester (Elwin Leysath). They married and moved to Rutland, VT, joining Grace Congregational Church and becoming part of the United Church of Christ.

Murdale Leysath enjoyed the flexibility of her new church and she sought to reclaim her call to ordained ministry. Her problem was seminary. How could she be ordained without a seminary degree? In spite of that barrier she was encouraged to enroll in the Layman's School at Lancaster Theological Seminary in PA during the summers. The UCC Conference minister in Vermont created a curriculum for her and lined up tutors to coach her. The Women's fellowship raised money to underwrite her travels. Finally, after ten years, in 1965 the Conference declared its desire to ordain her.

As a pastor she helped several local churches unite and expand their mission. She chaired educational programs for Vermont. She served on the Conference Board. Knowledge of her energy and leadership spread.

In 1977 Murdale Leysath became Associate Conference Minister in northern Michigan. From 1982 to 1989 she was Conference Minister of the Minnesota Conference, becoming the first female Conference Minister in the United Church of Christ. Her story is something to celebrate.

Contributor: Barbara Brown Zikmund

Source: ucc.org

CHOIRS RESUME PRACTICE - AUGUST 21ST

The Chancel and Bell Choirs will resume regular Wednesday night practice on August 21st. Bell Choir will be at 6:00 pm and Chancel Choir at 7:00 pm. There will be refreshments.

The Sunday Choir schedule will resume on September 8th. Enjoy your last few weeks of summer break, we've missed you!

SAVE THE DATE!

Annual Women's Retreat Hosted by the IKC Women's Board September 27-29, 2019