



**CLOVER RIDGE
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
MAY 2019**

A NOTE FROM PASTOR MIKE



Pastor Mike is available to meet by appointment and can be contacted on his cell phone @ (319)551-3874.

Acts 1:8 NKJV- The Risen Christ is talking to His Church...

8) But you shall receive power when the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses to Me in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the end of the Earth."

Acts 2:38

Then Peter said to them, "Repent, and let every one of you be baptized in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins; and you shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. 39) For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call."

The 1st Century Church lead by the Apostles changed their world by taking the gospel of Jesus Christ to the world. They were told by Jesus wait until they were empowered to do so. That power came from the Holy Spirit of God which baptized (filled to overflowing) the people of the Church and gave them the power to share the Gospel and change their world. Our nation, right now, needs a revival. I keep praying God will send His Holy Spirit strong on our nation and the faithful churches and disciples who believe in the one true Gospel of Jesus Christ. I am praying for us! We need to be ignited by God's Spirit so that we can share the gospel. It is a challenge in 2019. We need God's power and help!

Will you join me in praying?

Don't forget Saturday, May 11 is the Rummage Sale, Bake Sale and Food Sale. The Mission team is taking donations of good clean items to sell. Contact Ruth Phelps at 350-7277 if you need more information and how to get your donations to the church. Or you can call my cell phone if I happen to be around the church. My cell is 319-551-3874. The women's group will have all kinds of baked goods to sell and the youth group will be serving food at the noon hour. This is always a great day at our church groups and a good time of the community seeing who we are.

I will be gone on vacation from May 7th through May 12th. Our granddaughter is being confirmed at her church on May 12. This is our oldest grandchild. We are excited!

And don't forget, Sunday, May 19th is the last Sunday for Sunday School this spring. Then on Sunday, May 26 our worship time moves from 10 am to 9 am for the summer!

God bless you all,

Pastor Mike

May 2019 Calendar Clover Ridge UMC
Mission Baskets: Mark and Rae Wilson Missionaries

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 11:00 a.m. Hour of Power 7:00 a.m. Trustees Meeting?	2	3	4
5	6	7 Pastor Mike on vacation	8 NO Hour of Power Prayer 7:00 pm Church Council Pastor Mike on vacation	9 Pastor Mike on vacation	10 Pastor Mike on vacation	11 CRUMC RUMMAGE SALE DAY BAKE SALE FOOD SALE Doors open at 8 am doors close at 4 pm
12 Pastor Mike on vacation MOTHER'S DAY	13	14	15 11:00 a.m. Hour of Power Prayer	16	17	18
19 LAST DAY OF SUNDAY SCHOOL	20	21	22 11:00 a.m. Hour of Power Prayer	23	24	25
26 WORSHIP MOVES TO 9:00 A.M. TODAY FOR THE SUMMER!	27	28	29 11:00 a.m. Hour of Power	30 Pastor Mike is available by appt. call 319-551-3874	31	.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Graduate – Spencer Beltz will be graduating from Clear Creek Amana on May 24, 2019. Spencer will be joining the Navy after he graduates. His Grad party will be on Saturday, June 1st @ 4:00 pm at his home: 710 28th Ave. Amana, Iowa 52203. We wish Spencer the best in his future with the Navy!

MISSION TEAM: We will be collecting good new or used items to sell at the rummage sale on May 11th. Place items in the far right room (Music Room). Help is also needed the week before, setting up, and pricing items. Help is needed also on the day of the rummage sale. Please let me know if you are willing to help.

**The Church Rummage Sale:
May 11th from 8am to 4pm.**

**Thank you
Ruth Phelps (319-350-7277)**

NOTES FROM THE TREASURER:

Finance Report as of 4/25/2019

GENERAL ACCOUNT ACTIVITY:	04/25/19
Starting Balance	\$11,528.38
Deposits	\$9,582.00
Expenses	\$8,217.23
Ending Balance	\$12,893.15

Monthly Cash Flow	\$1,364.77
YTD Cash Flow	\$7.31

BALANCES CHECKING ACCOUNTS:	04/25/19
Discipleship	\$1,418.60
Evangelism	\$317.99
Fellowship	\$5,886.97
General Account	\$12,893.15
Memorials	\$3,693.01
Missions	\$4,023.12
Trustees	\$4,720.91
Worship	\$144.68

BALANCES SAVINGS ACCOUNTS:	
Parking Lot Fund	\$15,095.69
Property Improvement & Maintenance	\$8,880.32

TOTAL ALL ACCOUNTS:	\$57,074.44
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Dann Harwood - Treasurer

MAY MILESTONES

HAPPY BIRTHDAY:

4 – Brynlee Barnell
11 – Willa Richey
12 – Nichole Sly
14 – Rick Heller
Kathy Wilson
Kaitlyn Pundt
15 – Charity Cecak
18 – Tom Milligan
22 – Hanna Hatton
29 – Mason Barnell
30 – Chelsea Peterman



HAPPY ANNIVERSARY:

2 – Randy & Cathy Hoskins



Mothers Are The Place We call Home

**Mothers are the place that we call home.
On them we rest our heads and close our eyes.
There's no one else who grants the same soft peace,
Happiness, contentment, sweet release,
Erasing nighttime tears with lullabies,
Restoring the bright sun that makes us bloom.**

Happy Mother's Day to all on May 12th

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

**MAY 19: Last day of Sunday school
May 26: Worship time moves to 9:00 a.m.**

Bake Sale!

When: Saturday, May 11th, 2019

**Where: Clover Ridge United Methodist Church
125 5th St North
Walford, IA
(In conjunction with city-wide garage sales)**

Time: 8:00a.m. – till gone or (4:00 p.m.)

**Take home and enjoy a variety of:
Homemade pies – Breads – Bars – Candies
Cinnamon Rolls – Kolaches – Cookies Etc...**



FUNDS RAISED WILL GO TOWARD KITCHEN ITEMS NEEDED!!

ANY QUESTIONS CALL DEB HALL @ 846 - 7030

**IF ANYONE WOULD LIKE TO HELP OUT WITH DONATING BAKE GOODS,
IT WOULD BE VERU MUCH APPRECIATED. PLEASE HAVE ITEMS TO THE
CHURCH BY 9:00 AM ON FRIDAY MORNING IF POSSIBLE!**

LAITY IN-SERVICE MAY 2018
MAY MISSION BASKET OFFERING:
MARK & RAE WILSON - MISSIONARIES

MAY 5

Greeters:
Worship Treats:
Ushers: Women of the Congregation
Candle Lighter(s):
Nursery: Stacy Pasker

MAY12

Greeters:
Worship Treats:
Ushers: Youth of the Congregation
Candle Lighter(s):
Nursery: Stacy Pasker

MAY 19

(Last Day of Sunday school)

Greeters: Roger & Shirley Lowe
Worship Treats: Shirley Lowe & Deb Hall
Ushers: Men of the Congregation
Candle Lighter(s):
Nursery: Stacy Pasker

MAY 26

(Worship moves to 9:00 a.m.)

Greeters:
Worship Treats:
Ushers: Men of the Congregation
Candle Lighter(s):
Nursery: Stacy Pasker

JUNE 2

Greeters:
Worship Treats: Doni Thompson &
Ushers: Women of the Congregation
Candle Lighter(s):
Nursery: Stacy Pasker

**If you would like to fill in one of the blanks up above, PLEASE let Pastor Mike know.
Thank You to all that do help!!**

Sunday Morning Schedule

Clover Ridge United Methodist Church

125 5th Street North
PO Box 87
Walford, IA 53251

PHONE:
319-846-2349

PASTOR MIKE E-MAIL:
crumc@southslope.net

We're on the Web!
Find us at:
www.cloverridgechurch.org/

Sunday School 9:00 am
Sunday Morning Worship 10:00 am - 11:15 am
Wednesday Prayer 11:00 am

May 19th is the last day of Sunday school until September
*** May 26th – Worship Service will begin at 9:00 am**

About Our Organization...

Clover Ridge is a United Methodist Congregation in Walford, Iowa. Our church is made up of people from Walford, Fairfax, Cedar Rapids, Norway, Amana Colonies, Marengo, and other places too! We are an evangelical Bible believing church who loves Jesus Christ!



If you have anything to contribute to the June newsletter, please submit it to Pastor Mike or Sharyl Voss (609persHING@gmail.com) by Sunday, May 26, 2019. Thank you!
Please let the church know if you have moved or no longer wish to receive this newsletter.

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