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LIFESONG

“The Real Love We’re All Looking For”

Dear Friends in Christ,

As we look to another Valentine’s Day and World Wide Marriage Sunday, we’re thinking about love. We see love portrayed in movies and TV shows and soap operas, and sitcoms. Most of the time it’s a love that comes and goes with the feelings we have at the time. In these shows people fall in and out of love. They’ll love you if you look right, feel right, smell right! This is not love at all, not the love God intended married couples to have for one another and not the love that God gives us all. 1 John 4: 7-10 in The Message says: “My beloved friends, let us continue to love each other since love comes from God. Everyone who loves is born of God and experiences a relationship with God. The person who refuses to love doesn’t know the first thing about God, because God is love—so you can’t know him if you don’t love.

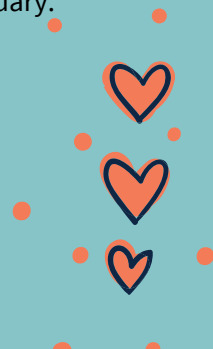
This is how God showed his love for us: God sent his only Son into the world so we might live through him. This is the kind of love we are talking about—not that we once upon a time loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to clear away our sins and the damage they’ve done to our relationship with God.”

The real love we long for comes from God, who is love. God loves us unconditionally and forever. “But God shows His love for us in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.” Romans 5:8. We don’t need to earn God’s love like we have to earn the love of other people. God’s love is given freely. All we need to do is accept it, and believe that God loves us enough to die for us. Without accepting what God did for us in Jesus on the cross, we are headed for an eternity of loneliness, eternally separated from God and people. With God, we are in a relationship of acceptance and peace with our Maker and all who trust in God.

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This Valentine’s Day, don’t miss out on the real love you’re looking for, unconditional and forever. Come discover more about the infinite love of our God in worship and Sunday School. We’re meeting together with masks and social distancing. Some N95 masks are available at church and will be free at your local pharmacy. You can also find our worship service at 10 a.m. on our website www.havelockumc.org, our Facebook page Havelock United Methodist church or call this number 402-205-8739, and you can hear the worship service. Let’s sing a lifesong of God’s perfect love this February.

Love in Christ,

Pastor Todd



NEBRASKA WALK TO EMMAUS

The following events are taking place soon! Advanced registration is required.

- Men's Walk #138 2/17-2/20/2022 at Camp Comeca
 - Men's Lay Director is Brian Frazier 402.694.9806
- Women's Walk #138 2/24-2/27/2022 at Camp Comeca
 - Women's Lay Director is Bonnie Zoucha 402.742.0057
- Chrysalis Boys Flight #60 5/26-5/29/2022
 - Boy's Lay Director ? To be announced
- Chrysalis Girls Flight #60 5/26-5/29/2022
 - Girl's Lay Director Tiffany Kelliher 308.237.3639
- Men's Walk #139 7/28-7/31/2022
 - Men's Lay Director ? To be announced
- Women's Walk #139 8/4-8/7/2022
 - Women's Lay Director is Kris Eschilman 402.250.3263

For more information, please visit:
<https://www.nebraskawalktoemmaus.org/>

FLOWER CALENDAR

The 2022 Flower Calendar has been placed by the church office. If you would like to furnish flowers for the worship services you may sign up on Sunday mornings or call the church office, 402-466-6736.



SEED SALE

BY: VICKI FINNEY

Spring is right around the corner! Our seed sale starts February 1.

Online ordering instructions:

1. Visit janetsjungle.com
2. Click on the "Find Your Organization" button
3. Type in "Havelock" and click the hourglass icon
4. Your search result should be for "Lincoln Havelock...". Click on this link to access our unique ordering page.



Please contact Vicki Finney if you have any questions or prefer to order through her. Plant sales will start March 6th and can be ordered from the same website – janetsjungle.com

FINANCIAL UPDATE

BY: Patricia Hughes - Financial Chair

Financial update from the Finance Committee through end of Dec 2021:
Giving \$145,418.42

Expenses. \$160,623.28

Shortage (\$15,204.86)

Note we are still operating with a positive cash flow of over \$ 5,000.00 due to the positive balance from last year.

Please remember you can mail a check into the church or drop one off using the mailbox in the alley. You can give online, looking for the updated link on our Facebook page or you can go to our website at www.havelockumc.org.

Of course if you're attending church you can put one in the offering plate in the back of the sanctuary. Please contact me at 402440752 if you have any questions or need help setting up your online giving.

*The next 4th
Wednesday
Community
Supper will be
held on
Wednesday,
February 23
from 5:00 - 6:00
p.m. This will be
a grab-n-go
meal.*



Join us for coffee and refreshments before worship on Sunday mornings in the Friendship Parlor at 8:30 am.



SCRIP CARDS

If you are interested in buying SCRIP cards contact Pati Hughes at 402-440-7512 for delivery or pick-up options. You can also purchase the SCRIP cards on Sunday morning in the East hall. Our church receives a percentage of all sales!

PLEASE KEEP US UPDATED!

Please let the church office know if there has been a birth, baptism, marriage, illness, or death in your family that you would like to share. Let us know if someone is hospitalized or needs our prayers. If you would like immediate prayers for the individual call, the church office (402-466-6736) or Beth Honnen (402-466-5722) and we will initiate the Prayer Chain.



IN OUR PRAYERS

Please pray for the family of Chuck Munson. Chuck passed away January 10, 2022. Celebration of life was held on January 24th at HUMC. Memorials to the family to be designated at a later date.



CRAFT FAIR

Our Spring craft fair will be held on Saturday, March 5th from 9:00 am - 3:00 pm in the fellowship hall. If you have questions or would like to be a vendor, please contact the church office for more information.



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		FoodNet 4:30 pm 1	Trustees 7:00 pm 2	3	AA 7:00 pm 4	5
8:30 am Fellowship Coffee; 8:45 am Adult Sunday School; 10:00 am Morning Worship 6	AA 7:00 pm 7	FoodNet 4:30 pm 8	Finance 7:00 pm 9	10	AA 7:00 pm 11	12
8:30 am Fellowship Coffee; 8:45 am Adult Sunday School; 10:00 am Morning Worship 13	AA 7:00 pm 14 Valentine's Day	FoodNet 4:30 pm 15	Ad Council 7:00 pm 16	17	AA 7:00 pm 18	19 8:30 am Esther Circle @ Panera
8:30 am Fellowship Coffee; 8:45 am Adult Sunday School; 10:00 am Morning Worship 20	AA 7:00 pm 21 Presidents' Day	FoodNet 4:30 pm 22	4th Wednesday Supper 5-6 pm 23	Priscilla Circle @ 10 am room 4 24	AA 7:00 pm 25	Friendship parlor & kitchen reserved for private event 10 am-6pm 26
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