

We are gearing up for the summer as we reach out to our friends at Laurel Village. We have two major summer emphases this summer:

Tuesday evenings at Laurel Village

Starts June 11 from 5:30-7 p.m. at Laurel Village, 1040 9th Street, Des Moines. We will bring a meal, participate in children's activities and facilitate a learning environment for the women.

Meals: We are looking for families or businesses to adopt a meal. This would include purchasing, cooking and bringing a meal for 100 adult/children to Laurel Village by 5:30 p.m. on a Tuesday evening in June and July. For more information or to sign up, contact Meri Mohr at deanmohr@juno.com or Janet Stratchen at j.strachan@mchsi.com.

Children Activities: We have lots of fun and zany activities planned for the children, which include games, science experiments, crafts and much more. To find out how you or your entire family can be involved, contact Penny Schramm at kpkkschramm@msn.com.

Adult Learning: We will bring professionals from our community to share their expertise with the women at Laurel Village. If you are in the medical, insurance, counseling or financial profession, please contact Deborah Timmons at ameskids@mchsi.com.

Wednesday mid-mornings at Moulton Elementary

Starts June 5 from 11 a.m. - 1 p.m.

We will help build relationships by helping children with reading, writing and math skills. No teaching experience is needed, just a desire to help a child. For more information or to sign up, contact Karen Kennedy at karen.kennedy@gdlc.church.



Urbandale Food Pantry

Your monthly donations are a great blessing to our community. Thank you! June's requested item is shampoo.



The Giving Plate Women's Event

Wednesday, June 12 | 6-8 p.m.

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Women are invited to come and learn how to throw pottery as we create a one-of-a-kind plate (a giving plate) to fill and give away. Retired art teacher, Dick Dorn will teach us how to throw pottery and help us create. A follow-up time will be scheduled the night of the event so pieces can be glazed and fired again. Cost is \$15 for supplies. Registration is a must!



Taste and See Women's Bible Study

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Thursday, June 13, 27 | 6-8 p.m.

Women are invited to come to the table for dinner and Bible study. We'll explore foods in the Bible as we taste and see God's goodness. Each week is a stand alone study. Free. Registration is a must!



Mom2Mom Women's Event'

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Saturday, June 15 | 8–9:30 a.m.

Moms of any stage are invited to join us at Mom2Mom! We'll meet for coffee, Bible study, fellowship, and a craft. Each month will be different. June's event is an expression of faith t-shirt and a stainless travel mug. Registration is a must. Cost per event is \$10.



Sewing Workshop Servant Event

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Tuesday, June 18 | 6-8 p.m.

Come and learn how to sew a cute fabric basket! These one-of-akind baskets are given to new moms. We'll learn how easy they are to create. Make one to give and one to keep! Registration is a must! Cost is \$10. If you have a sewing machine, please bring it with you to use.

*Childcare is available if the child is registered a week before the event.



Mission Experience

Saturday, July 20 | 2-3:30 p.m.

Member Jade Miller and a group of college students from St. Paul's Lutheran Chapel, Iowa City will be hosting a presentation about worldwide mission work. Mr. Tsegahun Assefa, the Children and Youth Ministry Department Director of the Ethiopian Evangelical Church, will present on the work God is doing in Ethiopia. The college students will hold a silent auction of various Ethiopian art and Coptic crosses for their mission trip in May of 2020.



Playdate @ the Park

Summer is here so you know what that means? Time to go to the

park! Join us throughout the summer as we gather together for some time of fun, fellowship, and food. Listed below are the dates, times and locations of the playdates and we invite you & your family to sign up for one or all of them. There will be food, coffee, and



treats provided. Head over to GDLC.Church to register for a playdate to give us accurate numbers for food. See ya there!

Saturday, June 22 from 9-10:30 a.m.

Campbell Recreation Center, 12385 Woodlands Pkwy, Clive, IA 50325

Saturday, July 13 from 9-10:30 a.m.

Lions Park, 72nd & Aurora Ave., Urbandale, IA 50322

Saturday, August 3 from 9-10:30 a.m.

Campbell Recreation Center, 12385 Woodlands Pkwy, Clive, IA 50325

Saturday, August 17 from 9-10:30 a.m.

Lions Park, 72nd & Aurora Ave., Urbandale, IA 50322



Summer Grace Place

Teachers still needed, register online at www.GDLC.CHURCH.



Attention All Okoboji Campers!

Due to room in our budget, we are offering \$100 scholarships to any child (18 and under) who would like to attend Camp Okoboji for a week this summer. To see their summer schedule, please go to: http://www.campokoboji.org/camp-schedule.php. This opportunity is available to the first 15 children who register for a camp.

Registration needs to be completed, along with proof of payment provided, by June 30 in order for the expense to be in our current fiscal year.

We will reimburse per child once that paperwork is in hand. If you have any reimbursement related questions, please contact Alena Naberhaus at alena.naberhaus@gdlc.church.



Help Prep for an Eagle Scout Project

Come help prep for an Eagle Scout Project! The project will bless Tiny Treasures by helping build a new fence for the playground. But first Gloria Dei Facilities need help with preparing the ground. We need volunteers for 2 different shifts on Wednesday, June 12 at 8 -11 a.m. and 11 a.m.-2 p.m.. Register online at www.GDLC.CHURCH



Annual Meeting and Fiscal Year Changes

Please plan on attending our Annual Meeting on Sunday, June 23 at 1 p.m. in the Sanctuary

At this meeting, we will vote on the budget (July-December 2019) and hear from Pastor Meyer concerning what God has done at GDLC this year as well as plans for next year.

Everyone is invited; only members may vote.

The nursery will be available for infants-4 year olds.

Don't miss out on this important Annual Meeting.

In your way into worship today, please pick up an Annual Report.

With our upcoming Annual Meeting, our Governing Board wants to make you aware of a proposed change to our budgeting process and, thereby, a change to Governing Board elections. For about two years now, on the advice of our Executive Director Chris Thomson, the Governing Board has been considering moving from a fiscal budget

July-June, to an annual budget, January-December. We are now ready to make that move and so, at the upcoming Annual Meeting, we will be asking you to vote on a six- month budget rather than a twelve. We will then have a second 2019 Annual Meeting in October where we will vote on the



2020 annual budget and, at that time, vote on new Governing Board members. In other words, because of our budget change, our current Governing Board members will simply stay in place for an extended term, June to December. We believe this is the simplest way to facilitate this change and, from this year on then, our Annual Meetings for budget and elections will be in October. This is a positive business move and will only make a healthy congregation even healthier.

If you have questions, please contact President Scott Strachan at **gdlc.president@gdlc.church**; our Executive Director, Chris Thomson at **chris.thomson@gdlc.church**, or any Governing Board member.



Picnic Thank You!

We cannot say "Thank You!" loud enough to all who helped make our Church Picnic an amazing time of fellowship and fun! Thank you to the kitchen ministry for delicious hamburgers and helping hands for distribution. Thank you to all who brought dishes and desserts to make it an amazing potluck. Thank you to the F3-Fellowship MAT for all that you do for our congregation, helping us to gather and grow together. Thank you to the staff who stepped up and assisted with games and in other areas. Thank you, Jesus, for a wonderfully beautiful day and a fantastic congregation!

Message: "The Spirit-Filled Church"

Scriptures: Acts 2:1-12; John 16:7-14. As a result of what you have received from God's Word today, what do you think He is giving you to believe or do this week?

Additional Notes:

Baptized Unto Jesus

Celia Louise Schechinger, born May 17, 2019 to Nate and Brianna (nee: Blake) Schechinger, will be baptized on Sunday, June 9 at 9:30 a.m. in the Sanctuary. Celia's spiritual sponsors are Bennett Blake and Kirstin Blake.

Charlotte Ramona Fortsch, born April 6, 2019 to Alex and Abi Fortsch (nee: Menuey), will be baptized on Sunday, June 9 at 11 a.m. in the Sanctuary. Charlotte's spiritual sponsors are Abby Lukins and Andy Kaufman.

Let's pray!

Prayer Wall: Post your prayer requests (anonymously, if you choose) to a pastor or the online community. (Go to: www.gdlc.church/prayer-wall/)

Connection Cards: Prayer requests can be made on the back of the "Welcome" card located in the pews.

Phone Calls: Contact Pastor Phillips at 276-1700 or Diane Young between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. at 321-1566 with your request.

Please Pray for:

Shirley Voshell	Paula Spark	Taylor Peterson	Bob Sams
Jennifer Dehnert	Jessica Kramer	Les Davis	GDLC team in Honduras
Larry Lewis	Heather Kusel	Jackee Brienzo	Honduras
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Outpouring of Love - May 26-June 1, 2019 (Fiscal year July 2018 -June 2019)			
General Fund Offerings	\$26,416		
General Fund Offering Budget	\$24,600		
4th QTD Offering Total	\$297,842		
4th QTD Budget	\$261,100		
YTD Offering Total	\$1,707,780		
YTD Budget	\$1,636,400		

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Hands

When the day of Pentecost arrived, they were all together in one place.
And suddenly there came from heaven a sound like a mighty rushing wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Acts 2:1-2



Visiting Today?

Welcome to worship! We are glad you're here. If you have any questions, please stop by the Connection Center or contact Pastor Ben Johnson at 777-3900 or ben.johnson@gdlc.church.

Infants-4 years old: Our fully-staffed nursery is waiting for your child! It is located through the doors at the southwest corner of the Gathering Area outside the Sanctuary.

PreK-Elementary Children: We would love for your children to join us during our educational time on Saturdays at 5:45 p.m. and Sundays at 9:45 and 11:15 a.m.



Sermon "The Spirit-Filled Church"

In our "Spirit-Filled" series, we begin where we should...at the beginning...at the beginning of The Church that is. Today is the day we celebrate what is called "Pentecost," sometimes called "The birth of the Church." Pentecost was an Old Testament Festival but

Pentecost in the New Testament was the giving, sending, and outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the Lord's Church, or on all Christians. But what is this all about? Why did the Lord do this? Jesus' words from John 16 remind us of the purpose... as Jesus said it about the Holy



Spirit, "He...will glorify me." What Jesus meant was that the Holy Spirit would come to the Church—and glorify the Lord and Savior Jesus Christ—in and through and by the Church every day. And He continues to do so today! Through His Word and Sacraments the Holy Spirit glorifies the Lord Jesus among us! Through the preaching of the Gospel, the Holy Spirit glorifies Jesus among us! Through the lives of Christian people, the Holy Spirit glorifies Jesus among us! That is "The Spirit-Filled Church!

Welcome New Members

We are thankful for the many adults and families who have decided to make Gloria Dei their home church. As you go into worship, please pick up the new member's photo sheet.