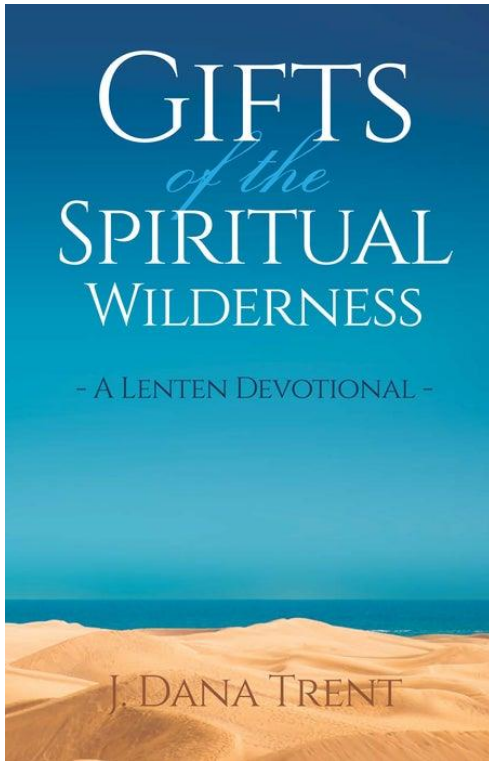


Waukee Christian Church

February 2022

Gifts of the Spiritual Wilderness



Everyone encounters a wilderness experience in their life, many of us more than one. Even Jesus was not immune as the Bible records his 40 days in the wilderness. Since we all have our wilderness experience, what can we learn from Jesus's own moments of existential loneliness, hunger, and temptation?

Gifts of the Spiritual Wilderness is a new Lenten devotional will help you contemplate, process, and explore how does Jesus' 40 days in the wilderness intersects with your own 21st century experiences:

- what gifts can be found,
- how a spiritual drought can create a more meaningful Lent experience,
- what fasting, sacrifice, and temptation look like in our daily lives; and
- how we prepare to experience new life on the side of the Lenten journey.

Through daily devotions with scripture, meditations, practices, prayers, and "living water" tools for our parched lives, Gifts of the Spiritual Wilderness guides you on a contemplative and transformative journey through the wilderness to resurrection living.

If you would like to order one for yourself or a shut-in, please let Katie know by Wednesday, February 16, 2022.

The cost is \$5.00



Juanita McBeth
Wesley Acres- Austin Center
3520 Grand Ave. Room 205
Des Moines, IA 50312

Homebound Members

Here is a list of our friends homebound or in care facilities. These friends need your prayers but also would welcome cards or visits (in person or by phone). Their days are so long with many hours to ponder why none of their church family visits (cares). They are a special part of our church family. A few minutes out of your day would mean so much to them!

~ Pastor Julie

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Glen Oaks
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- John Wasson
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	December 2021	Year 2021	January 2022
Receipts	\$ 7,070.54	\$ 107,084.70	\$
Expenses	\$ 8,003.61	\$ 86,094.25	\$ 2,973.78
Difference	\$ (933.07)	\$ 20,990.45	\$
Money available for expenses	\$ 40,058.05	\$ 40,058.05	\$ 38,776.74

2/4- Dennis Dowell

2/8- Lorrie Grandgenett

2/12- Alan Finestead

2/17- Shawn O'Hern

2/21- Betty Fisher

2/27- Pat Consolver

2/23- Sadie Infante

2/29- Joe Younger



Women of Waukee Meeting

WOW

Wednesday, February 9 @ 10:30 am

Marlene Risinger's House



Great job to all who brought food for the whole month of December! It was delivered Jan 10, & they were so appreciative 🥰 what a great local mission to Give to those in need!

George & Ron delivered it & there was a picture taken - it will appear on WACS website! 🥰

Thank you again for helping our community 🥰

Marlene & Vicki
Worship Dept

Easter Baskets of Love

Baskets of Love is an opportunity to bring smiles to the children in our community during the Easter season. Each basket contains Easter goodies along with new socks and underwear!

Waukeee Area Christian Services has provided over 1,100 "Baskets of Love" since 2008. Please consider helping us continue to reach out to children in need by donating items to help fill the baskets. Donations can be dropped off at WACS or any satellite drop-off site.

I will get a drop-off location set-up for these items to be put in. There will also be extra lists for those you need one. Thank you, Katie

EASTER BASKETS OF LOVE CHECKLIST

MOST NEEDED DONATIONS

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> NEW Socks | <input type="checkbox"/> Healthy Snacks |
| - All Sizes | |
| - Toddler to Teen | <input type="checkbox"/> NEW Small Toys |
| - Boys and Girls | - Bubbles |
| | - Chalk |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NEW Underwear | - Jump Ropes |
| - All Sizes | - Coloring Books |
| - Toddler to Teen | - Card Games |
| - Boys and Girls | - Stuffed Animals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Individually Wrapped Candy | - Puzzles |
| | - Etc. |

DROP-OFF LOCATIONS

- **WAUKEEE AREA CHRISTIAN SERVICES**
- **WAUKEEE YMCA**
- **PARTNER CHURCHES**
 - Immanuel Lutheran Church
 - Lutheran Church of Hope – Waukeee
 - St. Boniface Catholic Church
 - Waukeee Christian Church
 - Waukeee United Methodist Church
 - Westview Church
 - Westwind Church

**DONATIONS DUE BEFORE
APRIL 2, 2020**



Questions? (515) 987-5523

February

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2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2 Groundhog Day 	3	4 Opening Ceremonies BEIJING 2022 	5
6 9:00- Sunday School 10:00- Worship Service 	7	8	9 Wow Meeting @ 10:30 National Pizza Day 	10	11	12  Abraham Lincoln's Birthday
13 Board Meeting 9:00- Sunday School 10:00- Worship Service Super Bowl LVI	14 HAPPY Valentines Day National Organ Donor Day 	15	16	17	18	19
20 9:00- Sunday School 10:00- Worship Service Week of Compassion 	21 Presidents' Day 	22	23	24	25	26
27 9:00- Sunday School 10:00- Worship Service Week of Compassion	28 National Chili Day 	Children's Dental Health Month 		BLACK HISTORY 		



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WORSHIP SCHEDULE

9:00 am Sunday School

10:00 am Worship Service



...OUR STAFF...

Pulpit Supply: Rev. Jason-Paul Channels

Associate Pastor: Pastor Julie Cornelius

Admin. Assistant: Katie De Jong

... CHURCH OFFICE ...

Tuesday and Thursday

7:30AM – 11:30PM

Vision Statement

Waukee Christian Church is an inclusive community that demonstrates discipleship by welcoming, honoring, and celebrating God's image in all people.



Please remember to keep your Revitalize Pledges as current as possible. If you are unsure of the status of your Revitalize Pledge, please call the office.