

# Shout The News

Cedar Valley-Nauvoo Mission Center  
November 2025 Gaelane Rosinski, Editor



## **Psalm 100:1-4**

<sup>1</sup> Shout for joy to the Lord, all the earth.

<sup>2</sup> Worship the Lord with gladness; come before him with joyful songs.

<sup>3</sup> Know that the Lord is God. It is he who made us, and we are his [\[1\]](#) ; we are his people, the sheep of his pasture.

<sup>4</sup> Enter his gates with thanksgiving and his courts with praise; give thanks to him and praise his name.

*Father we thank you for giving me the morning and for ev'ry day that's new. And thank you that we can cast our worries to you. We thank you for all we have, every pleasure big and small. Thank you for music, light, and gladness, we thank you for them all.*

*Thank you for many little sorrows and for ev'ry kindly word. And thank you for ev'rywhere your guidance reaches ev'ry land.*

*Thank you, we hear the meaning of your Words. We know your Spirit's here. We know you love all people, those both far and near. And thank you, O Lord, you spoke unto us.*

*Thank you, O Lord, your love is boundless. Thank you, that I am full of you. Thank you, you made me feel so glad and thankful as I do.*

*Thank you, O Lord, you came among us, bread, and wine to share.*

*Amen.*



**YOU ARE INVITED!!**

This invitation is sent on behalf of the MC Evangelists,  
who will be  
hosting the event.

**What:** Mission Center Thanksgiving Service via Zoom

**When:** Sunday, November 16th @ 7:00 PM

**Who:** All who wish to attend

**Zoom Information:**

[Click here to join via ZOOM](#)

To join by phone dial: 646-558-8656 / meeting ID: 2714958353

[Email Marlene Brim](#) for questions



## AROUND THE MISSION CENTER



Each year During November Cedar Rapids collects new bedding to give to people who receive free beds from Slumberland. We also collect Toys for Tots.



Unfortunately, many people in the Davenport community are directly affected by the federal government's recent decision to withhold SNAP benefits to those who are suffering from food insecurity. The following letter was sent out by our mission center leadership:

Sunday night, MCPs Evelyn Dustin and Robin Linkhart met online with our Pastors and Community Leaders. During the meeting, Pastor Dennis LaRoque shared the urgent needs they are experiencing in the Quad City Connection congregation and community. For those who wish to respond to this need, please consult the list below. Contact CFO Cathy Reeves ([cjreev1980@aol.com](mailto:cjreev1980@aol.com)) to donate funds and/or get information about sending items.

### **Food Pantry:**

- Monetary donations to purchase food
- Plastic bags for bagging food
- Food Items that your family enjoys eating

### **Church pantry for non-food items:**

- Personal hygiene items
- Paper products (toilet paper, paper towels, etc?)
- Trash bags
- Soaps (laundry, dish, bar)

### **Feeding the Hungry:**

We are in good shape here and serve every other month

### **Housing Insecurity:**

- Beds, mattresses

### **Serving the homeless:**

- Blankets, towels, hats, gloves, heavy socks.

We collect travel size products that we donate to the Homeless Shelter.

We also collect personal care items for Humility of Mary family shelter. These will be regular sized products.

Our combined generosity changes lives. Thank you for the countless ways you extend care to those facing hunger and housing insecurity. As we act together, may our service become a living prayer—one that brings warmth, nourishment, and hope to all God's children.

Happy  
Halloween



# Halloween Party



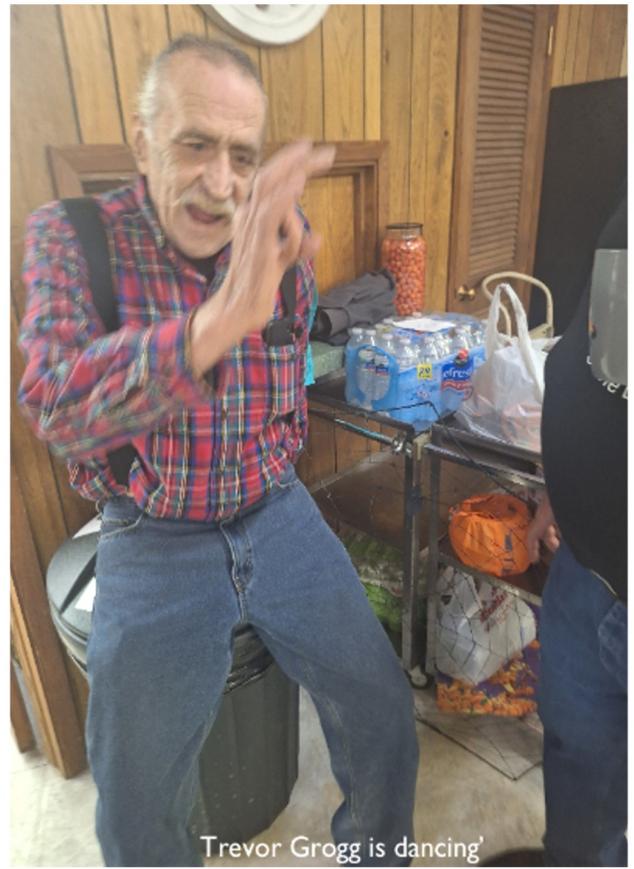
October 30. with 64 attendees!

The following page shows the good time in





Aaliya was Best in Costume



Trevor Grogg is dancing'



Serenity and Precious in line for hot dogs



Malaya in Costume. Isn't she a stitch?

## AROUND THE MISSION CENTER FORT MADISON

### CONTINUED PRAYER REQUESTS FORT MADISON

Sue Parker who had surgery

Steve DePriest

Kevin and Colleen Tripp



### CELEBRATIONS

Jamie Carle celebrated 28 years with the Ft. Madison Police Force

Phyllis Carle's grandson, Nathan, got married on 10/4.

Riley and Colton Tripp are running Cross Country, placing 2nd overall and 40th in the Fairfield

Invitational. Both boys are setting new personal best times.

### BELATED BIRTHDAYS

#### FT. MADISON

October 13 Carolyn Baker

October 22 Tad Overton



## AROUND THE MISSION CENTER FORT MADISON (CONT)

**Ft. Madison Congregation held a Block Part on October 26, 2025. A fun time was had by all!**

**BLOCK  
PARTY**



Sunday Oct 26th, the Fort Madison shared their worship service with Nauvoo and Mt. Pleasant congregations. Twenty three were graced by Steve's message. Afterwards we broke bread and enjoyed the noon meal together. The day was not over yet. There was a neighborhood block party. We had a great turn out. The children played nine different games with prizes and candy. The weather was perfect and so was our time together. Big thank you to everyone who provided the food and fun.

## AROUND THE MISSION CENTER NAUVOO



Nauvoo, IL was the site of an LDS singles conference the weekend of September 19-21, with quite a few of them staying at Camp Nauvoo. On Saturday, the 20th, a group of them volunteered to do a work project on the campgrounds. We had approximately 25 workers come to help put down weed barriers and then spread gravel under the solar panels to help to avoid having to mow under the panels. We had some of them break off to clean out the two grave areas inside of the brick walls, which is a constant struggle to keep under control.



On Friday, October 31, Doug Howell, Jerry Wiemann, and Ike Blythe trimmed a lot of dead branches off of trees in the cabin area, and cut down 2 trees that were dead. On November 1, a work day was held at Camp Nauvoo, where 24 people came to help get ready for winter. A big part of the work done that day was clearing the playground of the downed trees and branches. Cabins were closed and locked for the winter, along with more work on the gravel under the solar panels. Lunch was served, and a lot of fun and laughter was shared along with all of the work.



On December 12th and 13th, Camp Nauvoo will host the Nauvoo Arts Council putting on the play "A Christmas Carol" in the sanctuary. This will be open to all who wish to attend, and all are invited to come to see the play. We are excited to have an opportunity to open up the sanctuary for the community to visit us and see our facilities!

**AROUND THE MISSION CENTER  
GALESBURG**

**ADVENT SERIES INVITATION FROM GALESBURG**

Join us for a unique and uplifting Advent sermon series celebrating the miracle of Jesus, the Word made flesh!

Each week builds on the last, as we prepare our hearts for the coming of Christ.

Sundays @ 11:00 AM: Nov 30 • Dec 7 • Dec 14 • Dec 21

All are welcome!

For more information contact Angela King, Co-Pastor,  
at [salongirl97@yahoo.com](mailto:salongirl97@yahoo.com) or 309-335-0343.

Let's get excited—He's on His way!



## AROUND THE MISSION CENTER NAUVOO



This October Brad and Julie Bengé confirmed Lori Cuthbert Klockau as a member of the Community of Christ in Nauvoo, IL



We are so proud of our hard working bowlers who qualified for the State finals held in Ottumwa, Iowa. Hours and hours were spent in both the car and on the lanes of several bowling alleys. The team won a medal, and had a great time. Great job!

Skylar B., Fayth C., Caleb, and Trent C. with their two cheerleaders.

## IN REMEMBRANCE



### Harold 'Sonny' Wagner Pace Obituary

July 18, 1931 - October 08, 2025

Muscatine - Harold (Sonny) Wagner Pace, 94, of Muscatine, passed away on October 08, 2025 at Simpson Memorial Home in West Liberty, Iowa.

**Services were held at 11:00am Monday, October 13, 2025 at Wittich Riley Freers Funeral Home in Muscatine, Iowa.**



Eula Joyce Emmons, 98, of Marion Iowa passed away peacefully on August 14th, 2025.

A joint memorial service for Joyce and her husband, Gordon, was held at 11:00 AM on Saturday, October 18, 2025, at the Community of Christ Church, located Hiawatha, Iowa.



Karen Sue Angstead Brown, 83, of New London, died Monday, October 13, 2025, at Southeast Iowa Regional Hospice House, West Burlington. She was born March 4, 1942, in Fairfield to Donald and Jean Ross Angstead. On January 27, 1961, she married Wilbur "Bud" Brown at the New London Methodist Church Chapel.



Charles Edward "Ed" Watt, Jr., 83, of Sterling, IL, formerly of Peoria, IL, passed away at 11:15 pm on Wednesday, October 15, 2025 at Allure of Sterling in Sterling, IL.

He was born on May 31, 1942, in Lamoni, IA, to Charles E. Watt, Sr. and N. Eunice (Dickerson) Watt. He married Shirley Bailey on August 18, 1964, and they later divorced. He married Lois Jean Speck on July 19, 1989 at Paradise Park, Oahu, Hawaii. She passed away on April 11, 2015.

Surviving are his two daughters from his first marriage, Kimberly (Phil) Crump of Sterling, IL, and Amy Smith of Henderson, CO; grandchildren, Alex (Michelle) Crump, Molly (Jeffrey Pizano) Ruiz, and James Crump, and Amber (Dylan) Andrews and Bailey Smith; great-grandchildren, Evie and Elliana Ruiz, Maisie Pizano, and Stella Crump; and siblings, Earl (Dana) Watt of MI, Diana (Merrill) Utterback of MO, and Robert (Ann Klingensmith) Watt of IA.

## AROUND THE MISSION CENTER



On November 2, the Cedar Rapids congregation honored people who have gone before us with a Dia de Los Muertos (Day of the Dead) service and potluck.



On Sunday November 2, Iowa City paused to remember those who have gone before us and to share memories of family, friends and colleagues who have played important parts of our lives. People brought items to show, photographs and scrapbooks. It was meaningful to think of each one. We know that God knows them by name and joins in honoring their lives and ministry.

## AROUND THE MISSION CENTER PRAYER REQUESTS

**FROM MOLINE:** Please keep our dear sister, Charlotte Jensen, in your prayers as she is experiencing excruciating pain in her tailbone which prevents her from even sitting. May she find some kind of relief through medication or doctor intervention to ease her suffering.



**MUSCATINE: Thinking of You:** Kim Albright, (She's back home. Yea!)

Anna Comstock, Beyer Ct/ 3435 Friley Hall, Spinny, Ames, IA 50012-1058

Laura Comstock, Panther Village, 1501 W 30th St - PV (Rm 3021B) Cedar Falls, IA 50613-6702

Bryce Grimm, 1339 unit 301, SW Prairie Trail, Parkway, Ankeny, IA 50023

Shirley Herlein, 7 Aaron Avenue, Muscatine, IA 52761

### Our Mission Prayer:

"God, where will your Spirit lead today? Help me be fully awake and ready to respond. Grant me courage to risk something new and become a blessing of your love and peace. Amen"

## MISSION CENTER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

### IOWA CITY BIRTHDAYS

3 Lee Wakefield  
11 Gido Thompson

### CEDAR RAPIDS BIRTHDAYS

4 Juan Trevino  
6 Dan Jenkins  
7 DJ Lewis  
8 Dave Morgan  
10 Emmaline Goff  
17 Rosemary  
Garrison  
21 Joyce Emmons  
21 Steve Mitchell  
21 Lisa Webster  
23 Briana Cash  
23 Huxlee Nguyen  
27 Emily Webber

### MUSCATINE BIRTHDAYS

1 Ben Lanfier  
6 Anita Zahniser  
8 Ryan Evans  
12 Dave Sallee  
12 Deb Wykert  
15 Jen Wagler  
17 Craig Courtois



### MUSCATINE ANNIVERSAIRES

1 Mike & Lori Shield  
6 Deb & Carroll  
Howard  
10 Terry & Matt  
Evans  
18 Brian & Hannah  
Brock  
30 Sandy & Gary  
Blanchard

### MOLINE BIRTHDAYS

1 Mike Crotty  
13 Paul Lindburg  
15 Danielle Colone  
16 Alice Thiermnn  
18 Valeree Pieper  
19 Craig Smiddy  
20 Luci Woodin  
24 Kevin Pieper  
25 Gaelane Rosinski  
26 Barb Woodin  
30 Dennis Hougard

### CARTHAGE BIRTHDAYS

15 Ed Brooks  
18 Donna  
Mortimore  
25 Mary Jo  
Detrick Bowen

### BURLINGTON BIRTHDAYS

3 Adam Blythe  
16 Dean Sweezer  
18 Dale Warner  
27 Andy Judd

### MOLINE ANNIVERSARIES

16 Bryan & Becky Reaves  
20 Mike and Cindy Crotty

This life  
was not intended to be  
the place of our **perfection**,  
but the preparation  
for it.

Richard Baxter



*Perfection! Me? No!*

*Name 3 things that are perfect!*

**I am what I am and I am always myself  
I am not perfect but I do my best**

**I make mistakes but  
I am caring, loving and faithful**

**I Care with all my Heart.**

*Thank you for all you do!*

**to help make “Shout the News” informational. Please  
remember to have information for Shout the News in by  
the 8th of each month.**

**Feel free to share the Monthly News Letter with your  
Congregation, friends, family, neighbors and guests.**