Amana Society Bulletin

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AMANA CHURCH SOCIETY NEWS

Masks are requested but not required in all Amana Church Society buildings. Respect the choice of others to wear masks, even if we choose to not mask.

The Combined Palm Sunday Service will be in the Amana Church Sunday, April 10, 2022, starting 10:00 AM with Sw. Kristie Yoder presiding.

Opening Hymn: "All Glory, Laud and Honor"

Testimony: Testimony: Mayer, Ronneburg, March 28, 1715 & Mayer, February 10, 1717

Scipture: Luke 19:28-44. Elder will read
John 16: 16-22. Elder will read

Closing Hymn: "All Praise to God who Reigns Above", vs 1,2,7,9

Song sheets will be provided

Holy Week Prayer Services, Monday April 11 - Thursday April 14, 7 p.m. in Middle

Good Friday Service Friday April 15, 7 p.m. in Middle,

The Easter Sunrise Service will be held in the Amana cemetery at 8:30 a.m. on Sunday, April 17. Following the service, please join us in Amana for rolls, juice, and coffee!

The Easter Sunday Service will be in the Amana Church

Children's Easter nest hunt will be after the 10:00 AM Easter service.

Visitors are welcome to join us in worship at all Amana Church Services. Childcare is available during Sunday's 10:00 AM Service.

HYDRANT FLUSHING SCHEDULE

Homestead – V St	Monday, April 11
Homestead – Hwy 6 South	Tuesday, April 12
South Amana	Wednesday, April 13
Middle Amana – Historic	Thursday, April 14
Amana – Park & Lakeside	Monday, April 18
White Oak Hills & RV Park	Tuesday, April 19
Amana – Girl's Town	Wednesday, April 20
Amana – Boy's Town	Thursday, April 21
Amana – Historic	Monday, April 25
East Amana	Tuesday, April 26
High Amana	Tuesday, April 26
West Amana	Wednesday, April 27

HEY GOOD LOOKIN,' GOT KUCHEN?!

It's approaching Maifest time again, and the Amana Heritage Society will be helping feed hungry visitors at the Festhalle. If you'd like to help us out by backing Kuchen, we would appreciate it. It can be dropped off beginning at 9am at our booth at the Festhalle grounds. We thank you ahead of time for your continued support of AHS!!

REMEMBER TO CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR PET

There have been reports of dogs going into neighbor's yards and making unwanted and unwelcome "deposits."

We remind pet owners, and dog owners in particular, to maintain positive control over these furry family members and pick up after them, whether it be in someone's yard or in the ditches, flower beds, etc., this also includes cats, although we realize that there are a few farrow cats about.

CORRECTION:

Last week's Master Gardener Spring Plant Sale article was from 2021. This year's information will be published when available.

FEATHERS IN THE WIND

I suppose the sheriff's department and the EMT's/ambulance/first responder people have us on a "homing device" these days.

We sure have used their services A LOT the last year and can not say "thank you" enough to these calm and gentle people.

They introduce themselves, but when you are in crisis mode you never remember their names. I sure wish I could remember and write them a thank you note.

You heard about me falling and two police officers coming to lift me up. It was not easy lifting dead weight from the floor, but they did it so gently I still can't believe it.

The love of my life had just finished watching the basketball game with St. Petersburg. It had been close and he was excited after watching little St. Petersburg win over mighty Purdue.

All of a sudden Charlemagne said he felt sick.

I thought he was hyperventilating. Then he got pale and frankly upset and sweating so I goy hold of Peter and Elly.

Elly called 911 and Peter stayed and helped my precious one and me. (Charlie wanted to get up and walk around. It took two of us to calm him down.)

Soon the ambulance and EMT's were here and took over. We took off for Mercy Hospital in Iowa City and checked in.

The EKG proved negative, but the blood work showed he had had a "small" heart attack.

To me a heart attack is a heart attack and I want action - luckily I have Peter and Elly as a support team to take over.

They were going to run tests Saturday morning so Peter took off work and stayed with his father.

Naturally, no tests... so stay though Saturday and Sunday night.

Now it was Monday morning and we were hoping and PRAYING that things would go back to "normal."

Even our granddaughter, Rose, had come down stairs and helped Oma out. She became my "baby-sitter."

To me I believe in miracles. Our son and family coming back and living with us just before our medical issues came (Like my cancer). The help of our friends and neighbors and the fact that we have first responders such as police and

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Lakeview Village

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- Activities

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Water Babies Swim Classes

May 09 - 13, 2019

Amana Pool, Middle Amana

Classes will be held
Monday thru Friday
The cost is $40.00

6:00 - 6:30 p.m.
6 mo. - 18 mo.

6:30 - 7:00 p.m.
19 mo. - 2 yrs

Contact: Margaret Trumpold
Cell 319-400-0062 or home 319-622-3299

Amana Library Hours:

Monday 8:00-3:00
Tuesday 8:00-6:00
Wednesday 8:00-12:30
Thursday 8:00-6:00
Friday 8:00-6:00
Saturday 9:00-12:00

IOWA 1855 AMANA RV PARK & EVENT CENTER

The team at the **Amana RV Park & Event Center** is looking for a Part Time Mower!

This person will use our Kubota tractor & batwing-style mower. In addition to mowing, they will be responsible for helping to maintain our equipment and keep our buildings in shape for our campers. This position runs from mid-March to mid-November and is generally 25-30 hours per week.
Contact Laura Sue Woods, Human Resources Manager, at lswoods@amanas.net or 319-622-3953. To apply online, look for our ad on Indeed.

SERVICES

Spring Lawn Clean-up; Lawn Aeration; Lawn Thatching; Lawn Mowing; Lawn Rolling: Spring Garden Tilling. Call Robb Jeck at 319-622-3308

HELP WANTED

Hometown Lawncare and Landscaping, wanted full time help, must have valid driver's licence. Call 319-622-3417 and leave message.

I am looking for someone who does simple alterations. Please call Harriet at 319-622-3413

FOR RENT

For Rent in Middle Amana. One Bedroom Apartments. Just remodeled. Laundry and water furnished. No pets, no smoking. One year lease references and background check required. Call 319 360 8875 for application.

1 bed room Apartment for rent South Amana. No smoking, references required, background check. Call Larry at 319-540-9351 Also have a room for rent, shared bath and common area.

WANTED/WANTED TO BUY

BUYING All ANTIQUES; Toys, Furniture, Crocks, Paintings, Advertising Signs, and Weird Items "any condition." Buying Entire Estates, call for fair pricing. Please call 319-270-1251.

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ambulance, and medical people who come so quickly to help.

I think of the time when we did not have these medical people who came and we would drive the sick to the hospital. This is such a load off our shoulders and I thank you all, but especially God for watching day and night.

B.S.H.

P.S. The crocus and witch hazel are blooming -- Spring is here.

THANK YOU

We want to thank all of you for your calls, cards, but most of all prayers that you sent our way when Charlie (Charlemagne) had his heart attack.

He is doing well and is truly grateful as is the rest of the family.

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GATES ON THE KOLONIEWEG

The gates on the Millrace section of the Trail will be temporarily closed in extremely wet weather and during the **spring thaw** to avoid the deep ruts that bikes can cause. Your help in keeping bikes off the trail when the gates are closed would be greatly appreciated.

The Amana Print Shop
319-622-3912
amanaprintshop@southslope.net
PO Box 89, Middle IA 52307
--Typical Print Shop Hours--
Mon., Tues., Thurs. 9:00 - 3:00
Wed. closed at 1:30 p.m.
Friday - as needed
or by appointment any reasonable time
Out-sourced items always well below MSRP.
Stamps, envelopes, business cards,
full color rack cards, etc.

AMANA POOL HOURS

Fall, Winter & Spring

OPEN SWIM
Sunday 1-3:00PM
Wednesday 7-9:00PM
Friday 7-9:00PM

MORNING LAP SWIM
Monday 6-7:30AM
Wednesday 6-7:30AM
Friday 6-7:30AM

WATER AEROBIC CLASSES
Tuesday 5:30-6:30PM
Thursday 5:30-6:30PM

Private Lesson or Private Parties
Contact Pool Director
T. J. Croco
at **319-430-9181**
or Email:
tjcroco@gmail.com

SOCIAL GIVING EVENT

The public is invited to 100+ of Iowa County's first social giving event of 2022. The event will be held at Marengo Golf Club on Thursday, April 14th. Registration begins at 5:30, followed by light appetizers, drinks and conversation. Attendees will then vote on a local charitable cause to receive the evening's donations, with each voter committing to donate $100 towards the winning charity. Please RSVP by emailing: 100plusiaco@gmail.com.

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CCA SPRING MUSICAL

The Clear Creek-Amana High School Drama / Vocal Music Department presents the musical, "SISTER ACT " for their Spring Musical. This divine musical comedy made popular by the Whoopie Goldberg movie of the same name will be presented on April 21, 22 and 23, 2022. This show was cast back in January and has been in rehearsals 3 times a week over the last several months. Under the vocal direction of Tracy Williams, stage direction of Deb Kennedy and choreography of Fawn Boston-Halter of over 30 student performers has been working hard to bring this story to life.

When Deloris watches a brutal crime and ends up as the only witness, she needs to be in protective custody until the trial and what better place than the local convent at The Queen of Angels Cathedral. Fitting in with the rest of the nuns seems to be a bit of a problem for this street-smart would-be singer just looking to make music her career. What follows is a musical mayhem of 2 different world coming to see each other in a new light and realizing they might not be so different after all.

All performances will be at the Clear Creek - Amana High School Performing Arts Center 551 W. Marengo Rd. in Tiffin. Shows times are April 21, 22and 23 at 7:00 pm and a special matinee April 23 at 2:00 pm. Tickets available at the door are $10 for adults, $5 for students with Activity Passes welcome.

BUILD A 2022 'INFLATION FIGHTER BUDGET'

Carol Ehlers, ISU Extension (Abridged)

Many families have noticed that the items they buy on a day-to-day basis have gradually increased in price over the past year.

The Consumer Price Index measures the change in prices paid by urban consumers for goods and services. According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the December 2021 CPI rose by 7% over the past 12 months — the largest 12-month increase in 40 years. This index measures the average change over time in the cost of food, housing, gasoline, utilities, household items, and other goods or services.

"You can use The Consumer Price Index Inflation Calculator to help you build your personal inflation fighter budget. It's a valuable tool to better understand the current and future impact of inflation," Ehlers said.

The average Midwest family of three in the Bureau of Labor Statistics example needed $350 more per month to meet their expenses. If the income for the family does not increase by $350 per month, the family will have less buying power.

Each family needs to decide what changes to make to their budget. Give attention to expense categories like, housing, recreation, internet or phone.

The Consumer Financial Protection Bureau's "Cutting Expenses Tool" provides tested strategies to decrease expenses for fighting inflation.

Establish an inflation fighter budget with some help. Free financial education consultations are available to all Iowa residents from ISU Extension and Outreach's human sciences specialists. Contact Iowa Concern at 800-447-1985 and ask for free financial education consultations.

Find family finance information at ISU Extension and Outreach's MoneyTip$ blog.