

Strahan-A-Gram

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Mission Statement—“Growing Disciples for Jesus Christ”

Strahan United Methodist Church, 64632 360th St., (rural) Hastings, IA 51540

June 2020

Around the Community— Colleen Gipe will be having her 80th birthday on Sunday, June 7! Since we can't have a traditional party, the hospitality committee is urging us to participate in a **card shower for Colleen**. Please include in your card a special memory, how you know Colleen, or a special greeting for her. Colleen's address is 34080 Paddock Avenue, Malvern, IA 51551.

“Thank you— The Covid-19 pandemic has us continuing to do recorded church services through June. At this time the plan is to start live worship services on July 5. **THANK YOU** to Jill Cuff-Wade for her tremendous work in making it possible for us to have remote services. We are very grateful for her fantastic talent!

It was reported at the recent ZOOM Ad Council meeting that the sound system rear projector is now installed and ready when we are able to hold live services in the church.

The projector was donated by Lynn & Doug Christensen. We thank Lynn for her dedication in carrying this project to the finish.

LOOKING AHEAD—the June UMW meeting has been cancelled.

Pastor Joni will be on vacation June 1-21. She has arranged for laity to lead the services by recording with Jill. Helen Pollock will do June 7, Dan Pollock on June 14, and Robert Hays for June 21. If you have problems or need help while Pastor Joni is gone, please contact Administrative Council Chairman Scott Hillyer 712-370-2253 or Lay Leader Helen Pollock 712-370-5999

During this 3-week time frame there will not be mail out copies of the sermon.

At the Zoom Administrative Council Meeting in May, it was announced that there will not be any Vacation Bible School this summer.

The Malvern, Strahan, Wesley Chapel website is nearing completion. Be watching for the big reveal and be sure to check out our page when it is ready! Helen Pollock will be administrator for it, as well as the Strahan Facebook Page, so if you have pictures or interesting items for either, please get them to her.

News for the **July 2020 issue of the Strahan A Gram** will be due on **June 22** for distribution on June 30th. Please respond to Karen and Helen. Check the letter-head logo for email addresses.

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
 Card Shower for Colleen Gipe	1	2 <u>Happy Anniversary</u> Dan & Stephanie Pollock Nathan & Tricia Stouder Gary & Mary Maher	3	4	5	6 <u>Happy Birthday</u> Dean Jones
7 Online Worship Service 9:00 am Led by Helen Pollock <u>Happy Birthday</u> Krista Frazee, Colleen Gipe, & Jacquie Morrical	8	9 <u>Happy Birthday</u> Katie York	10 <u>Happy Anniversary</u> Samantha & Jerrod Wilson	11	12 <u>Happy Birthday</u> Andy Grindle & JC Krijcek	13
14 Online Worship Service 9:00 am Led by Dan Pollock <u>Happy Birthday</u> Jeannie Barney & Jeff Pollock	15	16	17	18	19	20 <u>Happy Birthday</u> Marilyn Kayton, Mike Hossle, & Teagan Sayers
21 Online Worship Service 9:00 am Led by Rob Hays Father's Day	22 <u>Happy Birthday</u> Jill Cuff-Wade & Brad Smiley	23 <u>Happy Anniversary</u> Colleen & Doug Gipe	24 <u>Happy Birthday</u> Linda Stouder	25 <u>Happy Birthday</u> Nathan Hossle <u>Happy Anniversary</u> Gregg & Jeni Christensen	26	27 <u>Happy Birthday</u> Ava Morrical
28 Online Worship Service 9:00 am	29 <u>Happy Birthday</u> Kailynn Frazee	30				