

## 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 Early (German) Service will be in the Middle Church Sunday, April 3, 2022, starting 8:30 AM with Sw. Andrea Haldy presiding.

Opening Hymn: "Herr Jesu Christ, Dich zu uns wend" No. 387 Seite 384

Testimony: Christian Metz, Lower Ebenezer, May 11, 1851 (Excerpts)

Scripture: Romans 12: 9-12

Psalm 1

Closing Hymn: "Auf, auf mein herz! Zu Gott Dich schwing" No. 65 Seite 64

The Late (English) Service will start at 10:00 AM with the following hymns:

Opening Hymn: "Lord Jesus Christ, Be Present Now" No. 57

Closing Hymn: "Arise My Heart, Turn to the Lord" No. 6

The Wednesday Evening Prayer (Nachtgebet) meeting will begin at 7:00 PM in Middle.

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

## REMEMBER TO CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR PET

Once again we enter that time of year when the desire to go out and shake off that cabin fever is over whelming, pets feel the same way.

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.

## FEATHERS IN THE WIND

Charlemagne will not let my birthday cake go. I should have made it myself, but my back is still giving me problems.

Anyway, the recipe calls for BAKER'S CHOCOLATE. Luckily I caught him before he used cocoa.

The chocolate has to be grated. I could do that, but he decided to do it after messing up my utensil drawer. He found three graters ALL of which he insisted did not work. (I am going to refrain from commenting.)

Then it called for orange rind and two tea spoons of orange juice, so he threw an entire Halo orange into the blender and proclaimed it "adequate."

I told him to put parchment paper into the round pan BOTTOMS, then grease the pans and parchment. Instead he put parchment paper all over the pan then greased everything.

When he baked the one layer of cake he brought it over for me to see - then dropped it in my lap! Luckily it landed right side up and not too hot to the touch.

The frosting kept hardening, but he brought me a slice. The top yellow layer (it was supposed to be chocolate) had these little brown flakes in it. It looked like mouse droppings, but Charlemagne assured me it was Baker's Chocolate!

I seriously wonder if I could have done any better. The man tried and he also fixed my cookbook self which came apart twice!!!

He must still love me because he is still here and holds my hand. God only knows why I would be so blessed.

If you want the recipe you better think it over carefully. It technically required a special pan you have to order. Luckily I didn't tell Charlemagne where my pan was or how to use it.

There are limits to his patience.

B.S.H.

## AMANA NEWS AND NOTES

### International Bike Racing Event Coming to Amana Colonies August 5 - 7

Yes, August 5 - 7 2022 will be a big weekend for the Amana Colonies as it has been selected to host a UCI Gravel World Bike Racing event here on Amana's back roads and byways.

Dana Jensen, Amana Colonies Events Coordinator, shared the news Friday that Jingle Cross Cycling, the same Iowa City group, that hosted the highly popular cycle-cross bike racing events at the Johnson County fairgrounds, is promoting this event in conjunction with the Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI) and its partner Golazo.

The back road gravel cycling competition series will have races all over the world including two in North America - one in Amana and one in Fayetteville.

Jensen reports that she was told to expect between 3,000 to 5,000 bike riders, plus their support teams and fans. Media from all over the world are expected to attend as this sport has gained popularity in Europe.

Jensen told the ACCVB members, "Jingle Cross, an Iowa City based bike festival that has produced 5 UCI World Cups and won the World's Best Cyclo-Cross event, is putting on this event in Amana. They are expecting to draw 3000-5000 cyclists from all over the world including several elite athletes and world champion cyclists. Additional support crews and fans will also be in town over the course of the weekend as will the international media. Let's think about how we can put our best foot forward as we introduce the Amana Colonies to a new global audience."

Ways to help welcome and support the visitors who come for this event will be something local nonprofit groups and merchants will be discussing in the coming weeks.

Jensen's role and that of the ACCVB will be to help facilitate some of the logistics here in the Amana Colonies.

As the UCI's media release stated, "The UCI have announced the 2022 calendar of a new mass-participation UCI Gravel World Series. The Trek UCI Gravel World Series will give participants a chance to qualify for the inaugural UCI Gravel World Championships to be held in the European autumn. The date and venue of the first UCI Gravel World Championships will be announced in the coming weeks.

Originating in the US Midwest some 15 years ago, gravel has grown in popularity and is now booming worldwide. Popular with riders seeking new challenges, it combines elements of road and mountain bike, and takes place mainly on unsealed roads (gravel, forest tracks, farm roads, cobbles, etc)."

"The American bicycle brand Trek Bikes is the title sponsor of the series for 2022 through 2024. The concept of the new gravel series is based on that of the existing UCI Gran Fondo World Series where riders can also earn their spot for an annual UCI World Championships. At each round of the new UCI Gravel World Series, the fastest 25% men and women from each age group will qualify for the UCI Gravel World Championships, which will crown the UCI World Champions for each age group. The only difference with the concept for Gran Fondo is that professional riders may also take part in events of the series and qualify for the discipline's UCI World Championships."

The release continued, "The 2022 UCI Gravel World Series calendar will kick off on 3 April with an 85km event in the Philippines. The 12-event series will continue with two races each in the USA and Australia and one event in France, Po

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land, Sweden, Belgium, Italy, the Netherlands and Spain. The UCI adds that it has chosen not to make the regulations too strict in the series' first years, allowing participants to compete on any type of bike without electrical assistance (e.g. gravel, cyclo-cross, road, mountain bike). Rules will be evaluated in the coming years.

UCI President David Lappartient said "I am thrilled that we now have an exciting and rich calendar of gravel events for riders with an adventurous spirit who enjoy cycling on unsealed

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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.

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roads and paths The best among them will earn the right to compete in the inaugural UCI Gravel World Championships, the details of which will be released soon. The UCI Gran Fondo World Series is incredibly popular, and I am convinced that this concept will be equally successful for the gravel format.”

- 2022 Trek UCI Gravel World Series calendar
- 3 Apr. 2022: UCI Gravel Philippines, Bongabon, Nueva Ecija (PHI)
- 15 May 2022: Seven, Nannup (AUS)
- 5 June 2022: Wish One Gravel Race, Millau (FRA)
- 18 June 2022: Gravel Adventure, Swieradow-Zdroj (POL)
- 25 June 2022: Highlands Gravel Classic, Fayetteville (USA)
- 6 Aug. 2022: Jingle GX Gravel Race, Amana (USA)
- 20 Aug. 2022: Gravel Grit n Grind, Halmstad (SWE)
- 27 Aug. 2022: Houffa Gravel, Houffalize (BEL)
- 3 Sept. 2022: La Monsterrato-Strade Bianche Monferrato, Quattordio (ITA)
- 4 Sept. 2022: Gravelista, Beechworth (AUS)
- 17 Sept. 2022: Gravel One Fifty, Veenhuizen (NED)
- 18 Sept. 2022: Ranxo, Ponts (ESP)

**HELP WANTED**

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

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**FOR SALE**

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**The Amana General Store is looking for Part and Full Time Sales Associates!**

These positions involve assisting customers and operating a cash register. The ability to unpack shipments, restock merchandise and handle phone orders is essential, along with excellent customer service skills. A willingness to learn and share Amana's rich history is a must!

**Contact Laura Sue at 319-622-3953 or lswoods@amanas.net for more information.**

**IOWA COUNTY MASTER GARDENERS ANNUAL SPRING PLANT SALE**

The Iowa County Master Gardeners are hosting their annual Spring Plant Sale again this year on Friday, May 14th 2-6pm and Saturday May 15th 8-noon at a new location: the Maren-go American Legion Hall.

As so many events last year, the 2020 plant sale could not be held as normally planned. It became a plant give-away based on pre-orders and served more than 100 gardeners who drove up to collect their plants. This year the Master Gardeners are returning to an in-person sale, offering high-quality plants at affordable prices. It's also a great opportunity to ask for planting tips and garden advice while shopping. Iowa County Master Gardeners use proceeds from the sale to fund horticulture education activities throughout Iowa County. To respect everyone's health and safety, we ask everyone to wear masks and practice social distancing.

The plants on sale are grown by Iowa County Master Gardeners in their own greenhouses and gardens and include many heirloom and hybrid tomatoes, peppers, vegetables, herbs as well as native plants, perennials and annuals. A full list of available plants can be found on the Iowa County Master Gardeners Facebook page.

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**AMANA SANITARY DISTRICT MEETING**

The monthly meeting of the Amana Sanitary District will be held at 6:00 p.m. Monday April 04, 2022 in the Amana Sanitary lift station.

**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

**RV PARK OPEN APRIL 1**

The Amana RV Park & Event Center will open April 1st for the 2022 camping season and LP sales may begin on Monday, March 28th. Please call 319-622-7616 if you have any questions

**HAHN BAKERY SEASONAL HOURS**

Starting **April 1st**, Hahn Bakery will be open Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, until November 1st

**ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW**

Make plans now to attend the Annual Spring Arts & Crafts Show on Saturday, April 9th at the Hyatt Regency Conference Center in Coralville, Iowa. The Hyatt Regency Conference Center formerly was the Marriott Conference Center.

This is the area's largest show, with over 100 talented exhibitors presenting and selling the Midwest's finest handcrafts. The show is a production of Callahan Promotions, Inc. and offers patrons the opportunity to enjoy original affordable arts and crafts.

Among the various products presented at the show are oak furniture, paintings and prints, gourd art, bird houses, bird feeders, ceramics, jewelry, metal art sculptures, metal and wood signs, purses,

pet products, yard and garden art, stained, etched, and fused glass, quilts, photography, pottery, candles, clothing, floral wreaths, dolls & doll clothes, rugs, baskets, aprons, place mats, table runners, wall hangings and many more original products.

Exhibitors will also be selling homemade coffee cakes, salsa, wines, breads, fudge, barbecue sauce, jams, dried soup and food mixes.

The Hyatt Regency Conference Center is connected to the Hyatt Regency Hotel and is located at 300 East 9th Street in Coralville, just off of I-80 at Exit 242.

Admission to the show is \$5, with anyone 10 and under free. (\$1 off with ad on page one) Parking is always free. Show hours are Saturday from 9 AM to 4 PM.

For a chance to win \$50 Gift Certificates to spend at the show, please go to the face book page of Callahan Promotions, Inc.

For additional information, call Callahan Promotions, Inc. at 563-652-4529.