

Spring 2023 Love Notes

Spring Share Event

On Saturday, April 15th we held our Spring Share fundraising event. Attendees reflected on how God has been working through the Love INC ministry while enjoying an evening of fellowship, dinner, and live entertainment by Slap Happy Comedy. We are grateful to each business and individual who supported Love INC of Sioux County by sponsoring or attending the event!



New Building

We are excited to announce that we will be relocating to downtown Rock Valley in June! Our new space will be in the former US Bank building, which is currently undergoing renovations. If you would like to help us reach our \$50,000 fundraising goal, you can make a donation online at www.loveincsiouxcounty.org or send a check to PO Box 85 in Rock Valley with an annotation that it is for our capital campaign.



New Staff Member



Hi! My name is Pat Heemstra and I'm super excited to step into the Call Center Coordinator role as Gwen slides into the Church Ambassador role. I've served in youth ministry for over 28 years and have experience working in schools and senior living. I'm passionate about people because they're the only "thing" you can take with you to heaven. What I really look forward to is connecting neighbors to Jesus and volunteers to neighbors. I love that Love INC meets the person behind the need and not just the need.

My husband is a teacher and coach. Rock Valley has been our home for 31 years and we've been blessed with 4 children, 3 in-laws, and one grandbaby so far. We love to spend time with our family, play games, enjoy the outdoors, sports, and camping. My personal hobbies include scrapbooking, reading, organizing something, and I love a good cup of coffee!

Spring Love and Learn Classes

Recently we had several participants complete Boundaries and Faith and Finance class. We are proud of the hard work that each of the participants have put into learning new skills and the accomplishments they have made. Take a look at what one participant wrote regarding her experience in Faith and Finance class.

Faith and Finance class has been helping me to learn how to manage my budget and view my finances from God's perspective. Now that I am a single mom of three daughters and have all of the financial problems resting on my shoulders, learning the value of money and faith has changed my life and how I spend money. The class is helping me to discover ways to save some money to pay off debts and to live a simple life. A life without worries and stress from money and having more time to spend with my daughters. I am thankful for Love INC and my class facilitator and mentor because of all the ways they have supported me during these difficult times.

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