

# • CENTENNIAL NEWS •

November 19, 2017

## GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

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**Rebirthing Roseville Worship—Together!** Worship Time Change coming in Advent on the first Sunday of the church worship year. On Sunday December 3, we will move to one service at 9:30am with children's Faithwalk classes 9:45am till 10:45am (after the Time with the Children during worship), and adult Connectivity, Bible Appreciation and FaithLink classes starting at 11:00am.

**Thanksgiving Day meal:** Thursday, November 23 | 2:00pm | St. Anthony Park Campus  
Please join us for a home cooked Thanksgiving Day meal! Hosted by the Warner family at the St Anthony campus. We plan to start the celebration at 2pm and sit down to eat around 3pm. Please RSVP to Nancy at [haha2funy@me.com](mailto:haha2funy@me.com) or 651-270-7792 by November 18 with number of guests and if you'd like to bring a dish to share. Thank you and hope to see you there!

**We're going to the movies!** Saturday, December 2 | 10:30am | Children & parents (or grandparents) are invited to a special 10:30am showing of the new film "The Star" on Saturday, December 2 at New Vision Mounds View 15. Centennial's Children & Family Ministry Team is offering this as a gift to our families and new families you'd like to invite. Seating will be limited so you will need to sign up in advance through Signup Genius, the link can be found on our website. We encourage those attending to bring donations of hats, scarves, and mittens or gloves so we can spread some warmth in our community. Questions? Donna Draeger | [ddraeger@centennialumc.org](mailto:ddraeger@centennialumc.org)

**FaithLink:** a new small group for adults seeking to connect faith to the issues and events making headlines. What can scripture offer as guidelines? Come with an open mind and heart, ready to listen and share with others. Group will meet Sundays at 11:00am starting December 3. Outlines of each week's topic and suggested discussion starters will be available by email each Wednesday.

**Roseville Small Groups: Get connected and explore faith with others!** In a small group you meet new people, support one another, pray for each other, and ask important questions about faith, life, and everything in between. Groups determine when, where and how often they meet – contact the leader or check the website to find out details for each group. Contact Pastor of Discipleship Donna Draeger [ddraeger@centennialumc.org](mailto:ddraeger@centennialumc.org) if you are interested or want to start your own group!

**Church Conference:** Tuesday, November 21 | 7:00pm | Roseville Campus | All Centennial members from both campuses are invited to a Church Conference on Tuesday, November 21 at 7:00pm prior to the monthly Church Council meeting for the purpose of approving 2018 clergy compensation. Note: Because these numbers are required by December 1 and we rarely have our budgeting done by that time, any possible major changes will occur after January 1.

**Centennial UMC Women's Retreat 2017:** December 1-3, 2017 | The Benedictine Center of St. Paul's Monastery | Join us for a weekend that will connect you more deeply to your soul, recalibrate and rejuvenate your body creating harmony with the Divine. Questions? Contact Carol Johnson 612.719.4107 | [c2020johnson@gmail.com](mailto:c2020johnson@gmail.com)

**Centennial 2 bowling team:** needs another bowler, male or female, who would bowl every other week. There is no bowling on December 25 or January 1. Last week of bowling is April 23 with the banquet on April 30. Cost is \$15/week, practice starts at 6:15pm, league starts at 6:30pm at the Mermaid Bowling Alley, in Mounds View. Interested? Please contact Peggy Rhodes | Home 651.483.3827 | Cell 612.963.7659

## ROSEVILLE CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

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**Volunteers Needed:** We're looking for TWO energetic volunteers who are passionate about serving grieving families through event planning and coordination! The Funeral & Memorial Service Kitchen Coordinators are responsible for coordinating all aspects of serving food and refreshments (including space preparation) for funerals and memorial services at Centennial United Methodist Church. More information is available at the Connection Point. Questions? Contact Pastor Leah | [Ichallberg@centennialumc.org](mailto:Ichallberg@centennialumc.org)

**Come join the Festival Choir for our Christmas Concert this year!** Chancel Choir makes up the core of the group, and all other singers are invited and encouraged to sing with us for our annual Christmas Concert! Rehearsals continue on Wednesdays, November 29, December 6 & 13 from 7:00 to 8:15pm, in the choir room, and dress rehearsal on Saturday, December 16 from 9:30 to 11:30am Contact Jerry Salitros to sign-up [jsalitros@centennialumc.org](mailto:jsalitros@centennialumc.org)

**Give a Little Gift:** The "Give a Little Gift" program for Walker Methodist residents is collecting small gifts to be given to the residents. For some of the residents, this will be their only holiday gift. Please see list of gift ideas on the UMW Bulletin Board and consider giving. Gifts are being collected at the Connection Point through Nov 26th.

**The next Driver Refresher course** will be held on Monday November 20 from 4-8pm Cost: \$22. Register by calling 1.888.234.1294 or [www.mnsafetycenter.org](http://www.mnsafetycenter.org)

**Searchers Book Club - *The Book of Joy: Lasting Happiness in a Changing World* by the Dalai Lama and Desmond Tutu with Douglas Abrams:** November 30 | 7:00pm-8:30pm | All are welcome. Join monthly discussions about faith and theology, and hear the perspectives and stories from people of all ages. You can purchase them at your local bookstore, online, or find them in the Roseville campus library. Questions? Connect with Howard Hass | 651.484.4068

**UMW Thank You Brunch:** Saturday, December 2 | 10:00am | Roseville Campus  
The Centennial United Methodist Women would like to express their gratitude for all the support given by all church members throughout the year, and they are hosting a Thank You Brunch on Saturday, December 2 at 10:00am in Fellowship Hall. Following the meal, Jennifer Cadwell will present a program of beautiful Christmas music "Ring Out the Sounds of Christmas". Piecemakers Sewing Group will also have handmade items for sale-a chance to buy gifts. Everyone in church is cordially invited and encouraged to attend! A free will offering will be taken, but the cost is free to all as a thank you to you!

**Adult Bible Appreciation Class:** New schedule begins December 3 - join us in Asbury 2, from 11:00am to 11:45am (after the 9:30am service and coffee time). Enjoy fellowship, discussion and a better understanding of the sometimes difficult book we know as our Bible. No prior study or special knowledge necessary, as we all learn and appreciate together. New members are always welcome!

## ST. ANTHONY PARK CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

**Interested in leading a small group?** Let Pastor Whitney know at [wsheridan@centennialumc.org](mailto:wsheridan@centennialumc.org) and keep your eyes peeled for our next small group leader training in early December.

## 2017 MINISTRIES BUDGET AT A GLANCE

Amount received November 12, 2017 .....	\$	9,671
Amount received year-to-date .....	\$	834,335
Remaining amount needed by December 31, 2017 .....	\$	279,347

## ADVENT / CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS

If you wish to contribute for poinsettias and other seasonal decorations to enhance our worship area, please fill out the form below and mail with your \$9.50 donation to CUMC, attention: Julie Elholm, or place in Julie's box in the church office (**NOT in the offering plates**) by Sunday, November 19. You may take a poinsettia home after the 11:00 p.m. service on Christmas Eve or during the following week. Donations will be listed in Christmas Eve bulletins.

✂ **ADVENT/CHRISTMAS POINSETTIAS ORDER FORM**

Name(s) of donor: \_\_\_\_\_

Given in Memory of: \_\_\_\_\_

Given in Honor of: \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ number of poinsettias \$ \_\_\_\_\_ donation

Payment must accompany your order. Make checks payable to CUMC, marked Advent Poinsettias.

# ● THIS WEEK AT CENTENNIAL ●

<p><b>Sunday, November 19</b></p> <p>9:00 a.m. Worship (RV)            10:00 a.m. Boy Scout Wreath Sale (RV)            10:00 a.m. Fellowship Time (RV)            10:00 a.m. UMW Pecan Sale (RV)            10:00 a.m. Worship &amp; Children's FaithWalk (SAP)            10:30 a.m. Bible Appreciation Class (RV)            10:30 a.m. Connectivity (RV)            10:30 a.m. Worship &amp; Children's FaithWalk (RV)            11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time (SAP)            12:00 p.m. FLAMES (RV)            12:00 p.m. Grade 4 Milestone (RV)            5:30 p.m. Sunday Evening Dinner (SAP)            6:30 p.m. Troop 186 Boy Scout Meeting (RV)            6:30 p.m. AA Group (RV)</p> <p><b>Monday, November 20</b></p> <p>9:30 a.m. Parish Nurse Hours (RV)            10:30 a.m. Prayer Group (RV)            4:00 p.m. AA Driver Refresher Course (RV)            6:30 p.m. Bowling League (Mermaid Lanes)</p> <p><b>Tuesday, November 21</b></p> <p>8:30 p.m. Sarah Circle (meeting at 9:30) (RV)            9:00 a.m. The Gathering (Meeting at 10:00) (RV)            11:00 a.m. Meals on Wheels            1:30 p.m. Directors' Meeting (RV)            7:00 p.m. Church Conference and Church Council (RV)</p> <p><b>Wednesday, November 22</b></p> <p>7:00 a.m. Women's Breakfast Fellowship (Byerly's)            9:00 a.m. Watercolorists (RV)            9:30 a.m. Parish Nurse Hours (RV)            9:30 a.m. Covenant Group (RV)            10:00 a.m. Worship Planning (RV)</p>	<p><b>Wednesday, November 22</b></p> <p>11:30 a.m. Communion (RV)            2:00 p.m. Organ Practice (RV)            6:00 p.m. NAMI (meeting at 6:30) (RV)            7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir (RV)</p> <p><b>Thursday, November 23</b></p> <p>Church Office Closed – Thanksgiving Day Holiday            9:00 a.m.. Thanksgiving Meal Prep (SAP)            2:00 p.m.. Thanksgiving Meal (SAP)</p> <p><b>Friday, November 24</b></p> <p>Church Office Closed – Thanksgiving Day Holiday</p> <p><b>Saturday, November 25</b></p>
	<p><b>Sunday, November 26</b></p> <p>Baptism Sunday (RV)            United Methodist Student Sunday            8:00 a.m. Serve Breakfast (Dorothy Day)            9:00 a.m. Worship (RV)            10:00 a.m. Fellowship Time (RV)            10:00 a.m. Worship &amp; Children's FaithWalk (SAP)            10:00 a.m. Boy Scout Wreath Sale (RV)            10:30 a.m. Bible Appreciation Class (RV)            10:30 a.m. Connectivity (RV)            10:30 a.m. Worship &amp; Children's FaithWalk (RV)            11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time (SAP)            5:30 p.m. Sunday Evening Dinner (SAP)            6:30 p.m. AA Group (RV)</p>

## ROSEVILLE CAMPUS WORSHIP

Who is serving God and neighbor today?

### Worship Host

Jack Griffin

### Musicians

Motet Singers; Jerry Salitros, director  
Alleluia Ringers; Jennifer Cadwell, director  
Bob Nienaber, organist

### Readers

9:00 Wendy Magnuson  
10:30 Alex Tong

### Ushers

9:00 David Wright, Suzanne Sancilio  
Ken Erickson, Rich Danila  
10:30 Peter Clark, Vance Morey, Howard Rines

### Greeters

9:00 Carolyn Gibson  
10:30 Jan Daniels

### Welcome Center Attendants

9:00 Ron and Jane Gilbert  
10:30 Bill and Shirley Flittie

### Altar Flowers

- Are given in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Wood by their children and grandchildren

## COMING UP IN ROSEVILLE WORSHIP

### Next Sunday November 26 (9:00 and 10:30):

Theme: Sunday for Gratitude  
Message: Pastor Whitney Sheridan  
Music: Chancel Choir

### Sunday December 3 (Starting combined 9:30 service):

Theme: New sermon series: Who Needs Christmas? The World Did (*Isaiah 49:1-7; Genesis 12:1-3*)  
Message: Pastor Brian Hacklander  
Music: Chancel Choir, Wesley Ringers

### Sunday December 10 (9:30):

Christmas Service Led by Centennial's Children—Kids2 Service for All Ages  
Theme: Light  
Musical: *Light of the World* presented by FaithWalk Classes

## CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

### Roseville Campus

9:00 am-5:00 pm Monday-Thursday  
9:00 am-3:00 pm Friday  
cumc@centennialumc.org | 651-633-7644

### St. Anthony Park Campus

Office open 9:00 am-4:00 pm Wednesday  
Contact Pastor Whitney to set up an appointment  
wsheridan@centennialumc.org

## REMEMBER IN PRAYER

### In military service:

- Jennifer (Hill) Anderson is currently stationed as a Chaplain at Naval Station Great Lakes in Illinois.
- Maria Lewis is in the Army Reserves in South Carolina.
- Tony Lewis is stationed at Fort Hood, Texas.
- Perry Olson is stationed at Ft. Riley, Kansas.
- *Please keep all military personnel in your prayers.*

### In seminary:

*Please keep all seminary students in your prayers.*

### At home:

*Please remember through prayer and/or a visit:*

Dorothy Anne Christianson  
Dick Holmsten  
Virginia Sheldon

## MEETING MINUTES AND CORRESPONDENCE ARE AVAILABLE:

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- Church and Society
- UMW Executive Board