

• CENTENNIAL NEWS •

January 14, 2018

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

MLK Holiday Breakfast: Monday, January 15 | Each year, the General Mills Foundation and UNCF present an annual MLK Holiday Breakfast in downtown Minneapolis to celebrate the life and legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. With the help of countless volunteers, Interfaith Action of Greater Saint Paul hosts breakfasts at multiple neighborhood locations, featuring a live broadcast of the General Mills event as well as a hot breakfast and local programming. Adults \$5, ages 12 and under are FREE. If you interested, sign up at the Connection Point. You can register online by going <http://interfaithaction.org/mlk>. Questions? Contact David Howd 651-331-0172 | dhowd522@msn.com

Centennial family: I wanted to send along a final thank you for your support and generosity in my departure and transition to the Alzheimer's Association. Thank you for the many ways you blessed me in my final weeks: may you continue to be a community of blessing as you continue on in faith! Much love, Pastor Leah

Centennial Women's Retreat: March 2-4 | The Benedictine Center of St. Paul's Monastery
At times, our souls call us to a deeply spiritual, authentically Divine connection anchored in peace. This retreat is set aside for a guided pause to help open pathways to a deeper relationship with the Divine Spirit. We'll explore contemplative living as a blessing of a mindful heart. Come as you are. This weekend is an invitation to find ways back to the essence of who you are, as you breathe with and rest in the Divine Spirit. Register and find more information online through the centennialumc.org website. Questions? Contact Carol Johnson | 612-719-4107 | c2020johnson@gmail.com

Winter Outing on the North Shore: February 2-4 | You are invited to join our small group of Centennial members who have been going on an annual weekend outing on the North Shore of beautiful Lake Superior to enjoy winter hiking, cross country skiing, snowshoeing, and fellowship. It is open to all single or married couple adults. The cost for the 2 evenings of accommodations will be in the range of \$150 per person depending on type of accommodation. A deposit is required. If you are interested, please contact David Howd | 651-331-0172 | dhowd522@msn.com

Compassion in Action – putting your faith to work: Centennial is launching a new email group. Many short term needs arise requiring immediate attention that we want to make interested persons aware of. By becoming a part of the email list, one is under no obligation but will learn of situations that need our immediate assistance. There will not be regular emails sent, we will only contact people when a need or situation arises. Hopefully, this communication tool will help us put our faith in action more effectively locally. If interested, please contact Jack Griffin | jacklgriffin@hotmail.com

2017 Year-End Statements are available at the Connection Point at the Roseville Campus and the back table in the Sanctuary at the St. Anthony Park Campus. Please pick up your statement to save on postage costs.

Giving Kiosks now available at both campuses! Would you like to use your credit card to make a gift to Centennial? We now have secure giving kiosks setup to handle such needs. You may give to the operating budgets at either campus, capital campaign donations, and Reach-Renew-Rejoice gifts. This is another way that the Finance Team is working to make giving at Centennial easier and more accessible. Any questions, contact Lisa Schuler at lschuler@centennialumc.org.

5 C's Reading group is meeting: Monday, January 22 | 9:30am | Roseville campus
The 5c's are a group of UMW members that get together quarterly to discuss/share books they have read from the UMW Reading Program. All members of the congregation are invited to check out Reading Program books from the library and are encouraged to bring new book suggestions to this meeting in the Lounge. Questions? Contact Fran Field | rogfranfield@aol.com

Winter Leadership Development Training meeting: Saturday, January 27 | Brooklyn United Methodist Church
The UMW Twin Cities District is holding its Winter Gathering/Leadership Development Training meeting at Brooklyn United Methodist Church, with registration beginning at 8:30 AM. Rev. Shawn Moore will be the featured speaker speaking on "and justice for all means Racial Justice". Registration forms are available at the UMW bulletin board. Registration deadline-Saturday January 20. Cost \$10.00. Questions? Contact Carol | 763-537-3678 | grumptf@aol.com

Annual UMW Sunday: Sunday, January 28th | Roseville Campus
You are all invited to help Centennial UMW Women celebrate our Annual UMW Sunday at the Roseville campus on Sunday, January 28th. Please join us during the church service and then in the Lounge after service for cinnamon rolls and cake. See our display of information about UMW. Contact person: Fran Field at rogfranfield@aol.com

ROSEVILLE CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Your Capital Campaign Phase II dollars at work: Check out the new carpeting in Fellowship Hall and the north hallway.

Flames 10th Annual Wacky Olympics: Sunday January 21 | 11:00am | Roseville Campus

This event takes place in the north side of Fellowship Hall. Questions? Contact Debby Newman | 651-776-1122

2018 Offering Envelopes: Find your offering envelopes at the Connection Point. Contact Lisa Schuler if you don't find envelopes with your name. | lschuler@centennialumc.org

Sarah Circle is NOT meeting in January.

Adult Bible Appreciation Class: Join us in Asbury 2 Sundays at 11:00am to enjoy fellowship, discussion and a better understanding of the Bible. No prior study or special knowledge necessary, as we all learn and appreciate together. New members welcome!

Connectivity: Join Sundays at 11:00am in Asbury 1 as we explore a variety of faith-related topics in a discussion-focused setting.

FaithLink: a new small group for adults seeking to connect faith to the issues and events making headlines. What can scripture offer as guidelines? Join us today at 11:00am in the Young Adult Lounge. Walk-ins welcome!

Do you have some time to spare on Sunday mornings? There are 3 congregants who require a ride to church, who live close by. The Care Team is in need of 1-2 more drivers to help get these people to service each week. Questions? Contact Julia Nordling 651-633-7644 or Marilyn Roberts 651-407-8819

Women's FaithWalk Book Group: Monday, January 22, 2018 | 7:00pm | Roseville Campus

Our next book is "Evicted" by Matthew Desmond. This meeting will be led by Janis Nelson. Want to join? Connect with Liz Murray | eamurr41@earthlink.net

Searchers Book Club January: Thursday, January 25 | 7:00pm-8:30pm | Roseville Campus

We are reading the *Great Spiritual Migration* by Brian McLaren. We get to explore our spiritual journeys as we read his challenging perspectives regarding inevitable changes in our understanding.

New artwork in Linden Court! Our featured artist is Ken Torkelson and his photography. You're invited to enjoy his work and read information about him and his art. Questions? Contact Lori Ihnen at loriihnen@gmail.com

ST. ANTHONY PARK CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Ash Wednesday service: Wednesday, February 14 | 7:00pm

KIDS & YOUTH

Ski Trip! February 16-18 | Sign-up and more information in the youth section of our website.

2017 MINISTRIES BUDGET AT A GLANCE

Centennial received record December giving in the amount of \$163,154

We ended 2017 with a \$16,700 surplus. Thanks to all who gave generously in 2017. – Finance Team

2018 MINISTRIES BUDGET AT A GLANCE

Amount needed by 12-31-18.....	\$	1,029,015
Amount received January 7, 2018.....	\$	6,460
Amount received by January EFT.....	\$	27,880
Amount received year-to-date.....	\$	34,340
Remaining amount needed for 2018.....	\$	994,675

• THIS WEEK AT CENTENNIAL •

<p>Sunday, January 14</p> <p>Human Relations Day Baptism Sunday (RV)</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Kids2 Worship (RV)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Worship & Children's FaithWalk (SAP)</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Books for a Buck (RV)</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Fellowship Time (RV)</p> <p>10:45 a.m. FaithLink (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Bible Appreciation Class (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Connectivity (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time (SAP)</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Sunday Evening Meal (SAP)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. AA Group (RV)</p> <hr/> <p>Monday, January 15</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Parish Nurse Hours (RV)</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Prayer Group (RV)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop (RV)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Bowling League (Mermaid Bowling Lanes)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Pack 22 Den Leaders (SAP)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Youth Ministry Support Team (RV)</p> <hr/> <p>Tuesday, January 16</p> <p>9:00 a.m. The Gathering (Meeting at 10:00) (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Meals on Wheels (Surrounding Area)</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Directors' Meeting (RV)</p> <hr/> <p>Wednesday, January 17</p> <p>7:00 a.m. Women's Breakfast Fellowship (Byerly's)</p> <p>8:30 a.m. St Anthony Park Leisure Center Meal Prep (SAP)</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Watercolorists (RV)</p> <p>9:15 a.m. Wednesday Night Meal Prep (RV)</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Piecemakers (RV)</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Covenant Group (RV)</p> <p>9:30 a.m. St Anthony Park Leisure Center Crafts (SAP)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Open Library (RV)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Worship Planning (RV)</p> <p>10:30 a.m. St Anthony Park Leisure Center Exercise Class (SAP)</p> <p>11:30 a.m. St Anthony Park Leisure Center Luncheon (SAP)</p> <p>11:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Screening (SAP)</p> <p>11:30 a.m. Communion (RV)</p> <p>1:00 p.m. Adult Social Singles Enjoying Togetherness (ASSETS) (Various Locations)</p>	<p>Wednesday, January 17</p> <p>2:00 p.m. Organ Practice (RV)</p> <p>5:00 p.m. Alleluia Ringers (RV)</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Wednesday Night Meals (RV)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Open Library (RV)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Praise/Genesis Ringers (RV)</p> <p>6:20 p.m. Motet (RV)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Mission Meltdown (RV)</p> <p>6:40 p.m. Rejoice Singers (RV)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Chancel Choir (RV)</p> <p>7:30 p.m. The WRITE Way to Self-Discovery (Homes)</p> <hr/> <p>Thursday, January 18</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Martha / Mary Circle (meeting at 10:00) (RV)</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Parish Nurse Hours (RV)</p> <p>1:00 p.m. Clergy Covenant Group (RV)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Reconciling / Welcoming Team (RV)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Wesley Ringers (RV)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Ruth Circle (Homes)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. MN Builders East (RV)</p> <hr/> <p>Friday, January 19</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Saint Anthony Park Area Seniors Game Day (SAP)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Reel Faith (RV)</p> <hr/> <p>Saturday, January 20</p> <p>1:00 p.m. Slightly Older Singles (SOS) (Various Locations)</p> <p>5:00 p.m. Troop 186 Overnight (RV)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Jr. High Movie Night (SAP)</p> <hr/> <p>Sunday, January 21</p> <p>8:00 a.m. Troop 186 Overnight Ends (RV)</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Worship & Children's FaithWalk (RV)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. Worship & Children's FaithWalk (SAP)</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Fellowship Time (RV)</p> <p>10:45 a.m. FaithLink (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. FLAMES (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Grade 1 Milestone (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Bible Appreciation Class (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Connectivity (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Fellowship Time (SAP)</p> <p>5:30 p.m. Sunday Evening Meal (SAP)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Troop 186 Boy Scout Meeting (RV)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. AA Group (RV)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Cub Pack Committee (SAP)</p>
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ROSEVILLE CAMPUS WORSHIP

Who is serving God and neighbor today?

Music

Piano and Organ: Bob Nienaber
Special Music: Rejoice Singers -Jennifer Cadwell,
Director; Lia Rieke, Accompanist
voice and piano, Jennifer and Jeff Cadwell

Ushers:

AJ Tong, Erik Grommes, Russell Sandquist,
Emily Sandquist (David Wright)

Greeter

Erma Comstock

Welcome Center Attendants

Erv and Beth Oelke

Library Attendants

Angie Miller

Altar Flowers

- The white rose on the altar celebrates the life of Peter Clark who passed away on January 11, 2018. Further details to be announced.
- The white rose on the altar celebrates the life of Melanie Mogg who passed away on December 24, 2017. Melanie is the daughter of Ramona Mogg and step-daughter of George Krienke.

COMING UP IN ROSEVILLE WORSHIP

Next Sunday, January 21 (9:30):

Theme: Praying Together
Message: Pastor Whitney Sheridan
Music: Chancel Choir

Sunday, January 28 (9:30):

Theme: The Beatitudes I: Jesus puts it out there
Message: Pastor Brian Hacklander
Music: Motet Singers

Sunday, February 4 (9:30):

Theme: The Beatitudes II: Jesus puts it out there
Message: Pastor Brian Hacklander
Music: Chancel Choir

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:

Ada Erickson
Ruth Johnson
Jean Flygstad

MEETING MINUTES AND CORRESPONDENCE ARE AVAILABLE:

- Treasurer's Report
- Care Team Ministry
- Children and Family Ministries