

• CENTENNIAL NEWS •

February 11, 2018

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Ash Wednesday Service: Wednesday, February 14 | 7:00pm | Roseville Campus
Start Your Lenten Journey with Jesus—Pray, Reflect, Turn, Ashes

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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

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 | lschuler@centennialumc.org.

Chinese New Year's with Primetimers: Saturday, February 17 | Come Celebrate! A fun evening of food and conversation starts at 6 p.m. at the Fortune House, 2900 Rice Street, Little Canada. We'll adjourn to the Dietzman's house, 587 Shryer Ave. W., Roseville for dessert afterwards. Dinner features a variety of dishes served family style, rice, soup, egg roll and tea. Make your reservation by February 11 at the Centennial Connection Point. Estimated cost is \$18 per person; cash or credit card only. Questions? Contact Gordon and Deb Dietzman | 651-487-1270 | or Mike and Diana Ash | 651-493-8241

Easter Extravaganza 2018: Saturday, March 31 at 10:00am | Roseville Campus

Mark your calendar! There will be games, crafts and an egg hunt plus a *Petting Zoo!* We need help from the entire Centennial community so we are ready to welcome children and their families. Watch for a volunteer sign up. Questions? Contact Pastor Donna Draeger | DDraeger@centennialumc.org

Volunteer Opportunities! Are you looking for place to volunteer a couple of hours during the day? If so, the church office at the Roseville campus is looking for you! Shifts are two hours on Fridays and various other days to cover meetings, and vacations. Responsibilities are answering the phones with other light office projects as needed. Please contact Julie Elholm to sign up for volunteer hours or stop in the church office. | jelholm@centennialumc.org | 651-633-7644

Thank You: For many years, members of Centennial UMC have partnered with O. C. Ministries- originally known as Operation Classroom. The Piecemakers have been our Cutting Team for school uniforms going to Sierra Leone, West Africa. Thousands of dresses were made into kits for Minnesota United Methodist Women to sew. African children at many primary schools have been supplied with girls' uniforms. Centennial members have sponsored children by paying for their school fees, supplies, uniforms, and shoes. The O.C. Ministries Board of Directors is extremely grateful for all the volunteers who have contributed in any way to bless this ministry. It has been a great joy serving with such wonderful and giving servants! - In Christ, Annette Brandner, Board Member, Uniform Coordinator for O. C. Ministries

ROSEVILLE CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Mardi Gras Pancake Party! Today, February 11 | Roseville Campus

Please join us after worship for an all-church Mardi Gras Party. Brunch will include pancakes, sausage, fruit and beverages – a traditional Shrove Tuesday meal a few days early! There will be games for all ages and crafts for kids. Plan to stay for the food, fellowship and fun!

Searchers Book Club: Thursday, February 22 | 7:00pm | Roseville Campus

Join us for our February 22 7:00pm meeting. Our Book is *Original Blessings* by Danielle Shroyer. Were we born in original sin or original blessing? Our author shares a different perspective on original sin.

Disability Awareness service: Sunday, February 25 | Roseville Campus

Trevor Johnson of Lutheran Social Services and Pastor Brian Hacklander are offering a dialogue sermon, in conjunction with inclusive liturgy, songs, art and prayers. Johnson will lead the Connectivity Class after the Roseville service to further explore depression and other behavioral health illness. Please join us to learn about people among us and their families who experience mental illness, along with ways hopeful Christians can respond. This annual disability awareness service is sponsored in part by Centennial's Reconciling and Welcoming Committee.

UMW Social Action Meeting: Thursday, March 8 | 10:00am | Roseville Campus

Centennial's United Methodist Women welcomes all church members to their Thursday, March 8, Social Action meeting featuring Linda Miller, Founder and Executive Director of Civil Society, a MN nonprofit which provides comprehensive services to victims of human trafficking/exploitation. This organization operates to advocate for this under-served and frequently victimized population. We will join RARES for lunch and can also attend their meeting following our meeting. Sign-up at the Connection Point is required for the RARES lunch (\$11). Questions? Carole White | cjwdew1@comcast.net

JRLC (Joint Religious Legislative Coalition) Day on the Hill: Tuesday, March 13 | Save this date as an opportunity to hear Rabbi David Locketz speak and to influence public policy for social justice in MN. Standard registration is \$45 (which covers light breakfast/lunch), Registration can be done online at www.jrlc.org. We will be carpooling from Centennial and there will be sign up at the Connection Center. Questions? Carole White | cjwdew1@comcast.net

Communication/Branding request for a few short term volunteers: Communication/Branding work group needs 3 more members to recommend print guidelines for font and color choices, consider an information kiosk, and plan a new Visitor Packet of information. Questions? Contact Savanna Borne | 651 260 1827 | scborne@msn.com

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

ST. ANTHONY PARK CAMPUS ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

Calling All Volunteers! We are having a Volunteer Training Day after church on Sunday February 18! We want all volunteers to come to this if you volunteer every week or have never done it before. We will go over the basics and talk about what it means to volunteer on Sunday mornings and you may learn about some new volunteer opportunities!

Disability Awareness service: Sunday, February 25 | St. Anthony Park Campus

Mental illness and caring congregations will be explored. Please join us to learn about people among us and their families who experience mental illness, along with ways hopeful Christians can respond. This annual disability awareness service is sponsored in part by Centennial's Reconciling and Welcoming Committee.

Egg Drop: March 24 | 1:00pm | Mark your calendar! A helicopter is dropping 1,000 Easter eggs into Langford Park.

KIDS & YOUTH

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

2018 MINISTRIES BUDGET AT A GLANCE

Amount received in January PayPal and Credit Card	\$	866
Amount received by February electronic funds transfer.....	\$	28,022
Amount received February 4, 2018.....	\$	18,192
Amount received year-to-date	\$	94,938
Remaining amount needed for 2018.....	\$	934,077

● THIS WEEK AT CENTENNIAL ●

<p>Sunday, February 11</p> <p>Baptism Sunday (RV)</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Harmony Singers (SAP)</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. Fellowship Time (RV)</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Girl Scout Cookie Sale (RV)</p> <p>10:45 a.m. Mardi Gras Party (RV)</p> <p>10:45 a.m. FaithLink (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Adoptive/Foster Families (SAP)</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, February 12</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Saint Anthony Park Area Seniors (SAP)</p> <p>9:30 a.m. Parish Nurse Hours (RV)</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Prayer Group (RV)</p> <p>11:00 a.m. Care Team Ministry (RV)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop #54996 (RV)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Girl Scout Troop (RV)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Bowling League (Mermaid Bowling Lanes)</p> <hr/> <p>Tuesday, February 13</p> <p>9:00 a.m. The Gathering (Meeting at 10:00) (RV)</p> <p>10:00 a.m. The Gathering Caregiver Support Group (RV)</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Directors' Meeting (RV)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. No Finance Meeting</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Branding and Communications Committee (RV)</p> <p>7:30 p.m. Women's Group (Caribou Coffee - Larpenteur Ave)</p> <hr/> <p>Wednesday, February 14</p> <p>Ash Wednesday</p> <p>Valentines Day</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>Wednesday, February 14</p> <p>11:30 a.m. Blood Pressure Screening (SAP)</p> <p>11:30 a.m. Communion (RV)</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 Meal (RV)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. NAMI (meeting at 6:30) (RV)</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Open Library</p> <p>6:00 p.m. Praise/Genesis Ringers (RV)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Motet (RV)</p> <p>6:40 p.m. Rejoice Singers (RV)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service (RV)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Ash Wednesday Service (SAP)</p> <hr/> <p>Thursday, February 15</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>11:30 a.m. Mom's Group (SAP)</p> <p>1:00 p.m. Clergy Covenant Group (RV)</p> <p>6:30 p.m. Wesley Ringers (RV)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. Ruth Circle (RV)</p> <p>7:00 p.m. MN Builders East (RV)</p> <p>9:00 p.m. Beers and Bros (Grumpy's Restaurant)</p> <hr/> <p>Friday, February 16</p> <p>Lutsen Ski Trip</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, February 17</p> <p>Lutsen Ski Trip</p> <p>1:00 p.m. Slightly Older Singles (SOS) (Off-site)</p> <hr/> <p>Sunday, February 18</p> <p>Baptism Sunday (RV)</p> <p>Lutsen Ski Trip</p> <p>9:00 a.m. Harmony Singers (SAP)</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. 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>
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ROSEVILLE CAMPUS WORSHIP

Who is serving God and neighbor today?

Musicians

Song Leader: Jennifer Cadwell
Organist: Bob Nienaber
Rejoice Singers: Jennifer Cadwell, Director
Praise & Genesis Ringers: Jennifer Cadwell, Director

Ushers

Braedy Lavell, Russell Sandquist, Noelle Wilcox,
Colin Burns (David Wright)

Greeter

Lois Springer

Welcome Center Attendants

Ron and Jane Gilbert

Library Attendants

Heidi & Elizabeth Simons

Altar Flowers

- The red roses on the altar are given by the O.C. Ministries in honor of the piecemakers in appreciation for all the work they have done over the years.
- The white rose on the altar celebrates the life of Janet Crow who passed away on January 24, 2018.
- The white rose on the altar celebrates the life of MaryEllen McFarland who passed away on January 28, 2018.

COMING UP IN ROSEVILLE WORSHIP

Next Sunday, February 18 (9:30):

Theme: Jesus: Angst, Anger, Authenticity: Jesus Tempted
Message: Pastor
Music: Motet Singers, Wesley Ringers

Sunday, February 25 (9:30):

Theme: Mental Health Awareness Sunday
Dialogue sermon: Pastor Brian and Lutheran Social
Services Speaker
Music: Chancel Choir

Sunday, March 4 (9:30):

Theme: Jesus: Angst, Anger, Authenticity: Tested by Peter
Message: Pastor Brian Hacklander
Music: Alleluia Ringers, Chancel Choir

ST. ANTHONY PARK CAMPUS WORSHIP

Who is serving God and neighbor today?

Ushers: Toni Roe

Communion Servers: Amy Seibert, Mary Hopkins

Coffee Bar: Chris Ross

Hospitality: Nancy Warner

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Roseville Campus

9:00am-5:00pm Monday-Thursday

9:00am-3:00pm Friday

cumc@centennialumc.org | 651-633-7644

St. Anthony Park Campus

Office open 9:00am-4:00pm Wednesday

Contact Pastor Whitney to set up an appointment

wsheridan@centennialumc.org

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

In military service:

- Jennifer (Hill) Anderson is 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:

Joyce Fugate

Ruth Harpole

Earl & Bonnie Petre

MEETING MINUTES AND CORRESPONDENCE ARE AVAILABLE:

Please check your mailboxes for any correspondence.