

• CENTENNIAL NEWS •

✠ Roseville Campus Specific

April 7, 2019

✠ St. Anthony Park Campus Specific

TOP ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

✠ **Choral Concert: Rust College A'Cappella Choir (from Holly Springs, Mississippi):** Tuesday, April 23 | 7:00 pm | Roseville Campus | Centennial will host the world renowned 40-voice A'Cappella Choir as they perform a repertoire mix of classical, semi-classical, spirituals, contemporary and traditional gospel in our sanctuary. Rust College is a small, historically black liberal arts school in Holly Spring, MS. Since their founding in 1866, they have had strong ties to the Iowa/Minnesota/Dakota Conference of the Methodist Church. Over the years the choir has captured the attention of prestigious audiences world-wide. As part of hosting the choir, we are seeking members to house 1-4 students in their home the evening of the concert. Pastor Brian will share more on how you can host students this coming week. Mark your calendars for this amazing program, by an amazing choir!

✠ **Egg Drop:** April 13 | 1:00pm | Langford Park

A helicopter is dropping thousands of Easter eggs into Langford Park near the St. Anthony Park campus. Pre-register your child through the link on our website, you can also sign up to volunteer on our website.

✠ **Easter Extravaganza 2019:** Saturday, April 20 | 10:00am | Roseville Campus

There will be games, crafts, a Petting Zoo and an egg hunt! Help us be ready to welcome families from the community. We need donations of wrapped candy to fill MANY eggs. Better yet – take home some of our empty eggs and fill them. The Children & Family bulletin board has a volunteer sign up and collection bins. Questions? Contact Pastor Donna Draeger | DDraeger@centennialumc.org

CENTENNIAL HOLY WEEK

Holy Week Services:

Palm Sunday Kids2 Service: Sunday, April 14 | 9:30am | Roseville Campus

Palm Sunday Service: Sunday, April 14 | 10:00am | St. Anthony Park Campus

Maundy Thursday Service: Thursday, April 18 | 7:00pm | St. Anthony Park Campus

Good Friday Service: Friday, April 19 | 7:00pm | Roseville Campus

Easter Sunday Service: Sunday, April 21 | 9:30am and 11:00am | Roseville Campus

Easter Sunday Service: Sunday, April 21 | 10:00am | St. Anthony Park Campus

Easter Offering Options

Habitat for Humanity is a nonprofit Christian organization that partners with future and current homeowners to build simple, decent, and affordable housing for low to very low-income families. Volunteers and future homeowners work together in the building process.

The **Wesley Foundation** is a United Methodist campus ministry and a Reconciling Community, meaning we welcome and affirm people of all sexual orientations and gender identities.

Emma Norton Services partners with women, children and families who are homeless and experiencing the challenges of mental and/or chemical disabilities. They focus on supportive programs, life skills, services and opportunities available to accomplish their goals.

Interfaith Action of Greater St. Paul unite the people, resources, and voice of the faith community to build a more just, safe, and livable Greater Saint Paul for all. (Project Home, Dept. of Indian Work, etc.)

CENTENNIAL COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Our Easter Lily Tradition: LAST DAY to turn in your order forms. It is a tradition to decorate the chancel area of Centennial's Campuses with lilies and other seasonal decorations on Easter. Please fill out the form found at the Connection Point and place it in Julie's mailbox in the church office at Roseville. *If no campus choice is made, the lily will go to the RV Campus.* Please do not place the forms in the offering plates.

Matching Gift Campaign: Thank you for your gifts to the *Light the Fire with a Match* Campaign. To date we have received \$19,846. With the match our total is \$39,692! This campaign ends on May 31 with a goal of \$71,000. Use the special "Light the Fire" envelopes in the pews or go to the website to give.

Meals On Wheels Needs More Volunteers: This is a rewarding service to the homebound in our community! Once every three weeks from 11:00am to 12:00pm noon about 8 to 10 meals are delivered. Contact Mary Ann Krinkie | 651-484-2297 | mjkrinkie@gmail.com

Habitat for Humanity Volunteer Opportunities: Sign up to help with this year's Habitat for Humanity project. It will be a new build at 593-595 Whitall, St. Paul. Construction workers of all skill levels, beverage donations and those who can prepare/donate food or serve at the worksite are needed. Look for information in Linden Court at Roseville and back of the sanctuary at SAP. For more information, please contact Jack Griffin (651-587-9264) or jacklgriffin@hotmail.com.

CENTENNIAL COMMUNITY EVENTS

‡ **Media Best Practices:** Wednesday, April 10 | 6:30pm | Roseville Campus | We are hosting a session for Parents of Elementary and Middle School Students. How early should kids get their first tablet or phone? What does technology have to do with faith? Dawn Rundman, Ph.D. will review current research and help us keep up with the media landscape.

‡ **RARES April:** Thursday, April 11 | 11:45am | Roseville Campus | Eleanor Ostman will bring stories of her life writing for the St. Paul Pioneer Press food section, and authoring her books "Always on Sunday" and "Always on Sunday Revisited." She has recently co-authored "Celebrations to Remember" with Soile Anderson founder of the Taste of Scandinavia restaurants featuring parties galore and fabulous food. Come for great food to warm you up, and a program to tempt your taste buds.

Men's Spring Retreat: Friday and Saturday, April 12 and 13 | The Radisson Roseville
The latest historical and biblical perspectives of Christ's last week on earth. Come join us for some stimulating conversation and comradery. All Centennial men are welcomed! Friday, April 12 – 5 PM to 10 PM & Saturday, April 13 – 8 AM to Noon. Cost is \$60 per person and includes dinner and breakfast. Please submit checks to the church office and note that it is for the Men's Retreat. Sleeping rooms (added cost) are discounted and highly recommended.

‡ **Growing Through Loss:** Tuesdays, April 16 to May 21 | 6:45pm – 9:00pm
Growing Through Loss provides an opportunity for individuals to obtain information and support for a variety of loss and grief issues. The 6 week series includes professional speakers and a time for support by meeting in small groups. Each session is complete in itself, you may attend one or all. No cost to attend. The next series will be at Abiding Savior Lutheran Church located at 8211 Red Oak Drive in Mounds View. Call 763-755-5335 or visit www.growingthroughloss.org for questions or more information. Brochures are available at the Connection Point and Welcome Center.

The Twin Cities District UMW Spring Gathering: Saturday, April 27 | Lake Harriet UMC.
The featured speaker will be Cindy Saufferer, a national UMW director, who will speak on "Eliminating Institutional Racism: School to Prison Pipeline." Registrations are available at the Roseville campus UMW bulletin board and due by April 19th.

‡ **Driver Improvement Refresher Course** will be held on Monday, April 29 from 12:00pm to 4:00pm. Cost \$21. Register by calling 1.888.234.1294 or www.mnsafetycenter.org

‡ **Searchers Book Club:** Thursday, May 2 | 7:00pm - 8:30pm | Roseville Campus
Change in date and book selection. We will be reading *The Senator Next Door* by Amy Klobuchar. This is her heartland journey from her immigrant grandparents to her local middle class upbringing to her rise in American politics.

‡ **The annual May Silent Auction/May Luncheon:** Saturday, May 4 | beginning at 11:00am | Roseville Campus
Our featured speaker this year is local poet/writer Evelyn Klein, who is speaking about her book "Once Upon a Neighborhood". Her writings celebrate the neighborhoods we live in in the Twin Cities. Tickets are on sale three Sundays, April 7th, April 14th, and April 28th in Linden Court. Tickets are \$17.00 adults and \$10.00 children 12 and under. Childcare will be provided. ALL men and women in church are invited to attend this biggest missions fundraiser of the year hosted by United Methodist Women. Please note that this is a week earlier than the traditional date. Questions: contact Mim Heggerston at mheggerston@centurylink.net.

2019 MINISTRIES BUDGET AT A GLANCE

Amount received March 31, 2019	\$	10,842
Amount received year to date.....	\$	230,818
Remaining amount needed for 2019	\$	762,898

• THIS WEEK AT CENTENNIAL •

<p>Sunday, April 07</p> <p>5th Sunday of Lent</p> <p>8:00am Serve Breakfast (Dorothy Day)</p> <p>8:30am FLAMES (RV)</p> <p>9:30am Worship and Children's FaithWalk (RV)</p> <p>10:00am Worship and Children's FaithWalk (SAP)</p> <p>10:30am Fellowship Time (RV)</p> <p>10:45am FaithLink (RV)</p> <p>11:00am Adoptive/Foster Family Small Group (RV)</p> <p>11:00am Grade 1 Milestone (RV)</p> <p>11:00am Harmony Singers (SAP)</p> <p>11:00am Sunday Lenten Small Group (RV)</p> <p>11:00am Youth Group (SAP)</p> <p>1:30pm Joyce Rosene Gathering Time (RV)</p> <p>3:00pm Joyce Rosene Celebration of Life (RV)</p> <p>4:00pm Joyce Rosene Reception (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm Troop 186 Boy Scout Meeting (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm AA (RV)</p> <p>6:45pm Sunday Dinner (SAP)</p> <p>7:00pm 8th Grade Confirmation Class (RV)</p>	<p>Wednesday, April 10</p> <p>6:00pm NAMI Family Support Group (meeting at 6:30) (RV)</p> <p>6:00pm NAMI Weekly Connections Support Group (meeting at 6:30) (RV)</p> <p>6:00pm Open Library (RV)</p> <p>6:00pm Wesley Foundation Young Adult Ministry (SAP)</p> <p>6:00pm Pack 22 Bear Den (SAP)</p> <p>6:00pm Praise/Genesis Ringers (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm High School and Middle School Groups (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm Media Best Practices Speaker (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm Motet Singers (RV)</p> <p>6:45pm Rejoice Singers (RV)</p> <p>7:00pm Chancel Choir (RV)</p>
<p>Monday, April 08</p> <p>9:30am Parish Nurse Hours (RV)</p> <p>11:00am Care Team Ministry (RV)</p> <p>6:00pm Girl Scout Troop 54996 (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm Bowling League (Mermaid Lanes)</p> <p>7:00pm Pack 22 Meeting (SAP)</p> <p>7:00pm Centennial Stompers (RV)</p> <p>7:00pm Children and Family Ministries (RV)</p>	<p>Thursday, April 11</p> <p>9:00am Election In-Person Survery (RV)</p> <p>11:30am Mom's Group (SAP)</p> <p>11:45am RARES Luncheon (Lunch at 12:00, program at 1:00) (RV)</p> <p>2:15pm Directors' Meeting (RV)</p> <p>6:00pm Northwest District Planning Team (RV)</p> <p>6:00pm Northwest District Roundtable (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm Wesley Ringers (RV)</p> <p>7:00pm Staff Parish Relations Committee (RV)</p> <p>7:30pm Young Adult Group (RV)</p> <p>9:00pm Beers and Bros (Grumpy's Restaurant – Roseville)</p>
<p>Tuesday, April 09</p> <p>9:00am The Gathering (Meeting at 10:00) (RV)</p> <p>10:00am The Gathering Caregiver Support Group (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm Finance Ministry Team (RV)</p> <p>7:30pm Women's Coffee Group (Caribou Coffee – Larpenteur Avenue)</p>	<p>Friday April 12</p> <p>Men's Spring Retreat - Offsite</p> <p>9:00am Saint Anthony Park Area Seniors Game Day (SAP)</p> <p>9:30am Parish Nurse Hours (RV)</p>
<p>Wednesday, April 10</p> <p>7:00am Women's Breakfast Fellowship (Byerly's)</p> <p>8:30am Saint Anthony Park Leisure Center Meal Prep (SAP)</p> <p>9:00am Watercolorists (RV)</p> <p>9:15am Wednesday Night Meal Prep (RV)</p> <p>9:30am Piecemakers (RV)</p> <p>9:30am Covenant Group (RV)</p> <p>9:30am Saint Anthony Park Leisure Center Crafts (SAP)</p> <p>10:00am Open Library (RV)</p> <p>10:30am Saint Anthony Park Leisure Center Exercise Class (SAP)</p> <p>11:30am Saint Anthony Park Leisure Luncheon (SAP)</p> <p>11:30am Blood Pressure Screening (SAP)</p> <p>11:30am Communion (RV)</p> <p>2:00pm Organ Practice (RV)</p> <p>5:15pm Alleluia Ringers (RV)</p> <p>5:30pm Wednesday Night Meal (RV)</p>	<p>Saturday, April 13</p> <p>Men's Spring Retreat - Offsite</p> <p>8:00am Men's Breakfast (Offsite)</p> <p>8:30am Brass Rehearsal (RV)</p> <p>9:00am Church Decorating (RV)</p> <p>1:00pm Saint Anthony Park Egg Drop (SAP)</p> <p>Sunday, April 14</p> <p>Palm Sunday</p> <p>9:30am Kids2 Worship (RV)</p> <p>10:00am Worship and Children's FaithWalk (SAP)</p> <p>10:30am Fellowship Time (RV)</p> <p>10:45am FaithLink (RV)</p> <p>11:00am Harmony Singers (SAP)</p> <p>11:00am Youth Group (SAP)</p> <p>6:30pm Troop 186 Boy Scout Committee Meeting (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm AA (RV)</p> <p>6:45pm Sunday Dinner (SAP)</p>

ROSEVILLE CAMPUS WORSHIP

Who is serving God and neighbor today?

Worship Host

Amy Tong

Musicians

Motet Singers; Jerry Salitros, director
Bob Nienaber, organist

Ushers

Suzanne Sancilio, Vance Morey, Norm Nelson

Greeters

Jean Odeen & Maribelle Cushman

Welcome Center Attendants

Howard & Jean Rieke

Library Attendants

Christina Weber

COMING UP IN ROSEVILLE WORSHIP

Next Sunday, April 14 (9:30):

Theme: Celebrate

Message: Kids2

Music: FaithWalk Singers

Sunday, April 21 (9:30):

Theme: Easter Sunday: The Uprising Begins

Message: Pastor Brian Hacklander

Music: Chancel Choir, Centennial Brass, Alleluia Ringers

Sunday, April 28 (9:30):

Theme: The Uprising of Fellowship

Message: Pastor Brian Hacklander

Music: Chancel Choir

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:

Dorothy Wingard

Ken Grice

Marian Glew

MEETING MINUTES AND CORRESPONDENCE ARE AVAILABLE:

Please check your mailboxes for any correspondence.

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