

# • CENTENNIAL NEWS •

‡ Roseville Campus Specific

April 14, 2019

† St. Anthony Park Campus Specific

## TOP ANNOUNCEMENTS & EVENTS

### Holy Week Services:

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

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

**Maunder 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

‡ **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, spirituals, contemporary and traditional gospel in our sanctuary. Rust College is a small, United Methodist affiliated, historically black liberal arts school in Holly Springs, MS, and they travel regionally and nationally to spread the good news about the Rust College. 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. Pastor Brian sent out information regarding the choir and how members can host / house 1-4 students in their home the evening of the concert. Thank you to those who have opened their homes – we have housing for 20 of the 40 singers. Contact the Julie at the church office to help out with housing the rest of the student singers! Mark your calendars for this amazing program, by an amazing choir!

‡ **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](mailto:DDraeger@centennialumc.org)

## CENTENNIAL COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

### 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.)

**Matching Gift Campaign:** Thank you for your gifts to the *Light the Fire with a Match* Campaign. To date we have received \$20,016. With the match our total is \$40,032! 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.

**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 at the back of the sanctuary at SAP. For more information, please contact Jack Griffin | 651-587-9264 | [jacklgriffin@hotmail.com](mailto:jacklgriffin@hotmail.com).

**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](mailto:mjkrinkie@gmail.com)

**Lifetouch Spring photo make-up date:** is scheduled for Monday, May 20 at the Roseville Campus from 2:00-8:00 pm. The online sign up is now available via the link to set up a time. Contact Amanda Schultz | [mandaroo112@gmail.com](mailto:mandaroo112@gmail.com)

# CENTENNIAL COMMUNITY EVENTS

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† **SAP Leisure Center Easter Event:** Wednesday, April 17 | 11:45am | St. Anthony Park Campus

SAP Leisure Center invites you to our Easter appetizer and salad buffet followed by a ham dinner with dessert in the SAP Fellowship Hall. Musical entertainment for your enjoyment starts after the meal. Cost is \$7.00 for food, fun, fellowship and music. Reserve with Mary Markgraf at 651-415-0527 by Tuesday morning, April 16.

† **Meeting open to all at church:** Thursday, April 25 | 7:00pm | Roseville Campus | Ruth Circle is extending an OPEN invitation to all men and women at church to come hear about a very important topic from a guest speaker, Susan Dragsten. She will speak about her experiences on a UCC church group trip to Arizona to learn about immigration and border issues and the impact of a border wall on people and environment. She will address information learned on how our country's policies are affecting immigrants and border communities. Her group attended workshops sponsored by the School of the America's Border Watch. Please feel welcome to come and hear about this critical topic! We will be meeting in the Lounge.

**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 | [www.mnsafetycenter.org](http://www.mnsafetycenter.org)

**Faith Community discussion of *Poverty: Focus on Homelessness*:** Tuesday, April 30 | 6:30pm-8:30pm | Lexington Park Building, 2131 Lexington Ave. N., Roseville | Poverty is an issue in our community that has many aspects, one of which is homelessness. We are hosting a gathering of representatives from faith communities in Roseville to share information and ideas on how to address the problem of homelessness in our community. For background information on homelessness, please see the recently released study by the Wilder Foundation at <http://mnhomeless.org/> Questions? Please contact: Kathy Ramundt | [kramundt@hotmail.com](mailto:kramundt@hotmail.com) | 651-488-5061 | or Sherry Sanders | [sanders363s@gmail.com](mailto:sanders363s@gmail.com) | 651-772-3311

† **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](mailto:mheggerston@centurylink.net).

† **Youth Sunday:** Sunday, May 5 | Roseville Campus | Youth Sunday service, Cinco de Mayo taco lunch and silent auction! We are in need of donations for our silent auction. Any Interesting or unique items in your basement, season tickets you can't use, or weekends at the cabin you have available are all welcome! Please drop off auction items with your name attached to Amanda by Friday, May 4th.

† **RARES April:** Thursday, May 9 | 11:45am | Roseville Campus | Lori Lebay tells of "How Alzheimers Speaks". Recognized by AARP MN as a 2018 "inspiring and Accomplished leader", and by Oprah as "Health Hero" for 2018, also acclaimed by Dr. Oz and Maria Shriver.

**Feed My Starving Children Food Packing Event:** Saturday, May 18 | 9:00 – 11:00 am | Centennial's Children and Family Ministry Team invites everyone (children must be at least 5 years old) to help pack food at Feed My Starving Children in Coon Rapids. Limited spots are available and must be reserved in advance. Please reserve your place on the Feed My Starving Children website at <https://www.fmsc.org/join-group?joincode=DVN48G> Questions? Contact Susan Webster | [susan@treecreek.com](mailto:susan@treecreek.com)

† **Water to Beer, Brewing Small Group** This new group will start May 26th and run 6-9 weeks. We will learn how to brew (for those who have never done it) and hone our craft (for those with some experience). This group is open to men and women and all experience levels. Contact Benjamin Drietz if interested | [bendrietz@gmail.com](mailto:bendrietz@gmail.com)

## 2019 MINISTRIES BUDGET AT A GLANCE

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Amount received by march Credit Card and PayPal Gifts.....	\$	645
Amount received April 7, 2019.....	\$	7,247
Amount received year to date.....	\$	238,710
Remaining amount needed for 2019.....	\$	755,006

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<p><b>Sunday, April 14</b></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>	<p><b>Wednesday, April 17</b></p> <p>5:15pm Alleluia Ringers (RV)</p> <p>5:30pm Wednesday Night Meal (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 String Ensemble Rehearsal (RV)</p> <p>6:00pm Praise/Genesis Ringers (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm High School and Middle School Groups (RV)</p> <p>6:45pm Rejoice Singers (RV)</p> <p>7:00pm Chancel Choir (RV)</p>
<p><b>Monday, April 15</b></p> <p>9:30am Parish Nurse Hours (RV)</p> <p>6:30pm Bowling League (Mermaid Lanes)</p> <p>6:30pm Troop 186 Pack Meeting (RV)</p> <p>7:00pm Centennial Stompers (RV)</p>	<p><b>Thursday, April 18</b></p> <p><b>Maundy Thursday</b></p> <p>9:00am Martha/Mary Circle (meeting at 9:30) (RV)</p> <p>11:30am Mom's Group (SAP)</p> <p>1:00pm Clergy Covenant Group (RV)</p> <p>7:00pm Maundy Thursday Service (SAP)</p> <p>7:00pm MN Builders East (RV)</p>
<p><b>Tuesday, April 16</b></p> <p>8:30am Sarah Circle (Meeting at 9:30) (RV)</p> <p>9:00am The Gathering (Meeting at 10:00) (RV)</p> <p>11:00am Meals on Wheels (offsite)</p> <p>7:00pm Church Council (RV)</p> <p>7:30pm Women's Coffee Group (Caribou Coffee – Larpenteur Avenue)</p>	<p><b>Friday April 19</b></p> <p><b>Good Friday</b></p> <p>9:00am Saint Anthony Park Area Seniors Game Day (SAP)</p> <p>7:00pm Good Friday Service (RV)</p>
<p><b>Wednesday, April 17</b></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>9:00am Saint Anthony Park Area Seniors (SAP)</p> <p>9:15am Wednesday Night Meal Prep (RV)</p> <p>9:30am Parish Nurse Hours (RV)</p> <p>9:30am Piecemakers (RV)</p> <p>9:30am Covenant Group (RV)</p> <p>9:30am Worship Planning Team (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>1:00pm Adult Social Singles Enjoying Togetherness (ASSETS) (offsite)</p> <p>2:00pm Organ Practice (RV)</p>	<p><b>Saturday, April 20</b></p> <p>8:00am Nursery Staff First Aid CPR Training (RV)</p> <p>8:30am Brass Rehearsal (RV)</p> <p>9:00am Church Decorating (RV)</p> <p>9:00am Easter Extravaganza (RV)</p>
	<p><b>Sunday, April 21</b></p> <p><b>Easter Sunday</b></p> <p>9:30am Worship (RV)</p> <p>10:00am Worship and Children's FaithWalk (SAP)</p> <p>10:30am Fellowship Time (RV)</p> <p>11:00am Worship (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?

**Musicians**

FaithWalk Singers – Jennifer Cadwell, Director;  
Lia Rieke, Accompanist  
Jennifer Cadwell, flute and Bob Nienaber, piano

**Greeters**

Randee & Bob Allen

**Welcome Center Attendants**

Gary and Jean Malzer

**Library Attendants**

Heidi & Elizabeth Simons

**Green Altar Plants**

Are given by Tom Barber in memory of his parents.  
Are given by Julie Elholm in memory/honor of loved ones.

**COMING UP IN ROSEVILLE WORSHIP**

**Next Sunday, April 21 (9:30 & 11:00):**

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

**Sunday, May 5 (9:30):**

Theme: Stories of Faith  
Message: Youth Sunday  
Music: Student Musicians

**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:*  
Peg Lackey  
Donna Hedblom

**MEETING MINUTES AND CORRESPONDENCE ARE AVAILABLE:**

Please check your mailboxes for any correspondence.  
Treasurer's Report  
Care Team Ministry