



ALL SAINTS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Announcements

March 11, 2018



We all get angry sometimes. We get angry with situations, with ourselves, and especially with each other. This week at Kids Sunday

School children learn about how to keep the peace and walk away from a fight. Walking away might look different in each situation. The story this Sunday describes how Isaac sees that it is more important to keep the peace than to pick a fight.



Today we welcome Peg Keenan, Executive Director of ICA Food Shelf. All Saints partners with ICA and provides support through outreach funds. March is the most difficult month of the year for food shelves. Help support the food shelf by placing non-perishable items and clean grocery bags with handles in the bin by the Welcome Center. Financial donations can also be made online (icafoodshelf.org/donate).

Volunteers are a vital part of supporting ICA. Over 300 volunteers help on a weekly basis and provide support and leadership for special events. To learn about current volunteer opportunities, visit the ICA website (icafoodshelf.org/volunteer).

A special tour arranged for All Saints takes place on Thursday, March 22, from 6:30-7:30 pm. Visit the Welcome Center to sign up. The address for the tour is: ICA Food Shelf, 11588 K-Tel Drive, Minnetonka.

ICA Empty Bowls Event

Tuesday, March 13, 11 a.m.-7 p.m.
Hopkins Center for the Arts

Eat a simple meal of soup and bread, support ICA with a donation, and bid on the silent auction celebrity-created bowls.



BAPTISM TODAY

Laurel Allyn Gibson-Coon will be baptized today. Please pray that with the help and support of her parents and sponsors, she will grow in the knowledge and love of Jesus.

EASTER FLOWERS

Order Deadline Today

Make a donation to beautify the Sanctuary with Easter Sunday flowers. Find the donation form on the wall behind the Welcome Center.

The suggested donation is \$15. Return completed forms (with requests to dedicate a flower to a loved one) and your donation to the church office **today**.

SUNDAY STUDY AND CONVERSATION GROUP



Today, 10:30-11:30 a.m. | Lounge
All-Ages Adult Growth Opportunity

Attend any or all Sunday sessions to discuss the ELCA Lenten study for 2018, "Faces of Christ."

Today - Where Is God?

March 18 - God Lives in the Neighborhood

March 25 - What Have We Learned about Christ, Hunger, Faith, and Hope?

Questions? Contact Anne Englert (anne4662@gmail.com) or Beth Young (elisabethwyoung@gmail.com).

GUEST WORSHIP LEADER

Steve Mollick leads the 10:30 a.m. worship today and March 18. Steve is a music teacher at Performing Institute of Minnesota Arts High School in Eden Prairie and has led worship at churches locally. He has deep ties to the Lutheran church.

Steve will lead our regular musicians today and feature some of his students on March 18. Join us as we continue to experience a variety of new and familiar leadership at the 10:30 a.m. worship.



WEDNESDAY EVENING LENTEN WORSHIP

March 14 and 21 at 7 p.m.

This Wednesday, congregation member Karen Saboe shares her personal faith story during worship.

SOUP'S ON! LENTEN COMMUNITY MEAL

Wednesday, March 14, 5:30-6:45 p.m.

Menu: chicken tortilla or vegan lentil soup, sandwiches, and dessert

Donations support the July 2018 senior high mission trip to New York.

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

Visit the Welcome Center for information about All Saints and enjoy coffee and conversation in Fellowship Hall between services.

During services, find children's worship bags by Sanctuary entrance doors.

CONNECTION CARDS

If you're a guest this morning, we encourage you to fill out the blue Connection Card attached to your bulletin and place it in the offering plate. This helps us connect with you and serve you better.

ALL SAINTS MOBILE APP

Download the app for easy access to news, last Sunday's message, events calendar, and more. Search for "All Saints Minnetonka" on Google Play or the Apple App Store.

CHURCH OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Thursday: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Friday: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

OWLS EVENT

Sunday, March 18, 2 p.m.

The OWLS (Older Wiser Lutheran Saints 55+ group) will attend the free musical production *Wizard of Oz* at Wayzata Community Church, 125 Wayzata Boulevard East. Sign up at the Welcome Center so we can request the correct number of seats.



NURSERY POSITION

All Saints is seeking paid or volunteer staff for our Sunday morning nursery. Help provide safe, supervised care for infants and young children up to 3 years old, while parents attend worship. A safe nursery is often listed as a top desire for young families as they seek a church. We currently do not have a staffed nursery but are aware of families who would make use of an available nursery.

- **HOURS:** Sundays, 8:45-10:15 a.m. (1.5 hours/week). Additional time until 11:30 a.m. could be added if there is interest from applicants.
- Flexible structuring of this position is an option, such as shared staffing (two or more individuals rotate to cover Sunday mornings).
- Volunteers responsible for one or more Sundays each month are welcome. Teens are invited to assist.

Retirees, empty nesters, parents, or young adults who love kids may find this to be a great opportunity for added income and to support our church's mission. Talk to Pastor Jon, or contact Laurel Gaard (finance@allsaintsmtka.org or 952.934.3550) for more information.



VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Children's Ministry is looking ahead to summer activities. Have fun and enjoy great activities while learning about "The Jesus Way" and how to be like that.

Vacation Bible School is scheduled for August 6-9, Monday-Thursday, from 9 a.m. to noon.

An optional field trip is available on Friday, August 10, to Pump It Up. Registration opens in April.

REGISTER FOR CAMP WAPO THIS WEEK

Camp Dates: June 24-29

SEEDS Weekend: June 22-24

Camp Wapo in Amery, Wisconsin provides summer fun and memories for children in grades 2-11.

Experience Jesus in new and exciting ways through camp activities, new friendships, inspiring worship, fun games, caring counselors, blazing

campfires, and more. Learn how everyone is called to live in community...together.

Youth and friends grades 4-11 attend camp for a week, June 24-29. Children in grades 2-3 experience the same activities and learning in a weekend version called SEEDS from June 22-24.

To guarantee a space, register online by **Thursday, March 15** (www.lwlbc.com/all-saints).

OTHER EVENTS

Sunday

9 a.m. Kids Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Study & Conversation: Faces of Christ

Monday

3 p.m. Worship at Presbyterian Homes
6 p.m. Executive Committee
6:30 p.m. Facilities Team

Tuesday

7:15 a.m. Morning Prayer
9 a.m. Beautiful Souls Grief Support
12:30 p.m. Outreach Quilters
6 p.m. Finance Team
6:30 p.m. Lake Minnetonka Stamp Club
7:15 p.m. Carillon Choir
7:30 p.m. Men's AA

Wednesday

5:30 p.m. Alleluia Choir

5:30 p.m. Community Soup Supper
6 p.m. Youth Choir
7 p.m. Holden Evening Prayer
7:45 p.m. Saints Chorale

Thursday

10 a.m. Adult Bible Conversation
6:30 p.m. Mtka/Hopkins Child Care Providers
7 p.m. Alpha Band

Saturday

7:30 a.m. Prayer
8 a.m. Men's Group

Sunday

9 and 10:30 a.m. Worship with Communion



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