

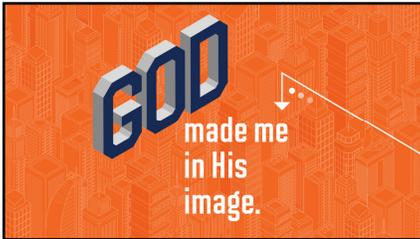


ALL SAINTS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Announcements

March 3, 2019

KIDS connection



MARCH THEME

Made: Discover Who You're Meant to Be (Individuality)

Kids Connection focuses this month on what it means to be made in the image of God through stories and Bible verses that show us that God loves us exactly as we are.

Today kids hear the creation story. Of all the things that God created, there is only one thing that he said was made in His image...US! No matter how different we may seem from each other, everyone is created in the image of God.

GET YOUR KID CONNECTED!

We invite all children preschool – 6th grade to join Kids Connection during the **9 a.m. service**. For information, contact Chelsea Gilbert (952.935.3550x18 or CGilbert@AllSaintsMtka.org).

New kids are always welcome!

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

Sundays, Today–March 31
10:30–11:30 a.m. | Lounge

Discuss the book *Caring for Creation: The Evangelical's Guide to Climate Change and a Healthy Environment*. Books are available for purchase at the Welcome Center. All are welcome — even if you haven't read the book.

Today – How do we know recent climate change is man-made? | Ch. 3

March 10 – Creation care is part of loving God | Chapters 4 and 5

LENTEN SERVICES

ASH WEDNESDAY
March 6, 5:15 and 7 p.m.

Join our community of faith as we begin the Lenten season.

HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER
Wednesdays, 7 p.m.

March 13, 20, 27, April 3 and 10

Throughout the Lenten season, experience the beauty of the Holden Evening Prayer service. Congregation members share personal faith stories during worship.

SOUP SUPPER

Wednesday, March 6, 5:30–6:45 p.m.

Enjoy homemade soup, sandwiches, desserts and fellowship each Wednesday during Lent. Soups served this week are chicken noodle and broccoli cheese. Free will donations will be received. Proceeds help support the July 2019 senior high mission trip to Montana.

ALL SAINTS WELCOMES PAUL DOUGLAS

Tuesday, April 2, 7 p.m. | Sanctuary

Connecting the dots between science and faith, Paul Douglas will speak about climate change and how Christians can take the lead in caring for God's creation.

A respected meteorologist with 35 years of TV and radio experience, and an entrepreneur, he speaks to community groups and corporations about severe weather and climate trends, and appears regularly on national media outlets. Invite family and friends for this important talk.

Paul is also the co-author of the book used in the discussion on Sundays at All Saints (see article at left).

NURSERY

— Open —

Bring children up to age 3 to the nursery during the **9 a.m. service**. The nursery is staffed the first and second Sunday of the month. Ask an usher if you need directions to the room.

If you are interested in helping staff the nursery, please contact Pastor Jon.

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 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.

RESTLESS CHILD?

If your child is restless during worship, sound from the service is available in the space outside the sanctuary. Feel free to find an area to sit or spread out!

KIDS ACTIVITY BAGS

Bags are available near both entries to the sanctuary and contain a variety of activities to keep younger kids occupied including books, various toys including fidgets, as well as resources for drawing and coloring. Ask an usher for help locating them.

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.

MARCH IS MINNESOTA FOODSHARE MONTH

ICA promotes many events throughout March to help combat hunger. On Sunday, March 10, ICA Food Shelf volunteers will be at All Saints to share information, accept non-perishable food items, and receive monetary contributions for meal certificates (\$5, \$10 and \$20 denominations). With ICA's buying power, a \$20 certificate provides enough food for 23 meals. Please make checks payable to ICA.

March is typically the month with the lowest donations for food shelves. The Minnesota March FoodShare Campaign unites over 300 food shelves in working together to raise hunger awareness and contributions. Every donation to ICA Food Shelf will be proportionally matched as part of the March FoodShare Campaign. ICA's March goal is to raise \$150,000 and 150,000 pounds of food.

HOPKINS EMPTY BOWLS

Tuesday, March 12, 11 a.m.–7 p.m.

Hopkins Center for the Arts

Enjoy a simple meal of soup and bread, live entertainment, select a handmade bowl, and bid on items from the fine art silent auction. All donations support ICA Food Shelf and ResourceWest.

OWLS TOUR THE CAPITOL

Sunday, March 24

Meet at 1 p.m. to Carpool

Tour the recent restorations to the Minnesota State Capitol building. Take a free guided tour and view Capitol history, art and architecture. Enjoy lunch together after the tour.

Sign up at the Welcome Center by Sunday, March 10.

Meet at All Saints at 1 p.m. to carpool; the tour begins at 2 p.m. If there is interest, we can explore hiring a bus for transportation and split the cost.

Questions? Contact Connie Langheinrich (952.934.3042) or Judith James (612.325.0973).

SPAGHETTI DINNER FUNDRAISER

Saturday, April 6, 5–7 p.m.

Fellowship Hall

Come for an evening of live music, entertainment, and a delicious meal of spaghetti with homemade meatballs, garlic bread, salad and desserts.

Purchase tickets (\$10 per person) Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings during March. Proceeds support the July 2019 senior high mission trip to Montana.

FINAL WEEK TO DONATE TO THE MEDIA SALE

Donate Items until Friday, March 8

Donate gently-used books, DVDs, puzzles and board games to help support the senior high mission trip this summer. Place items in the designated bin in Fellowship Hall. Books that show wear, VHS tapes, CDs and encyclopedias cannot be accepted.

The sale runs from March 10–20.

TIME FOR CAMP!

Register kids now for Camp Wapo — a safe place where youth learn about their faith, engage in praise and worship, experience new things, make new friends, and play fun games.

Register by **Friday, March 15**, to ensure a spot! Go directly to the All Saints Wapo registration page wlbci.com/all-saints.

All Saints camp dates:

Wapo Seeds (1st-3rd grade): June 21–23

Wapo Youth (4th-11th grade): June 23–28

PRESCHOOL TOURS AND 2019-20 REGISTRATION

Schedule a tour of the All Saints Preschool with Director Katie Avenson (952.934.3552). The award-winning Half Day program is registering families for the 2019–20 school year.

OTHER EVENTS

Sunday

10:30 a.m. Book Study
11:30 a.m. Contemporary Musicians
Noon Crafting with Kristine

Monday

7:30 a.m. Saints Men's Breakfast
6 p.m. Executive Committee

Tuesday

12:30 p.m. Outreach Quilters
3:30 p.m. Worship at The Glenn
6 p.m. BeFrienders
6:45 p.m. Carillon Choir
7 p.m. Outreach Team
7:30 p.m. Men's AA

Wednesday

1 p.m. Prayer Shawl Knitting

2:45 p.m. Special Moments Quilting
5:15 and 7 p.m. Ash Wednesday Worship
5:30 p.m. Soup Supper
8 p.m. Saints Chorale

Thursday

7:15 a.m. Morning Prayer
10 a.m. Bible Conversation
7 p.m. Alpha Band

Saturday

8 a.m. Men's Group
5 p.m. Parents Night Out

Sunday

9 and 10:30 a.m. Worship

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