



ALL SAINTS LUTHERAN CHURCH

Announcements

April 7, 2019

KIDS connection



APRIL THEME

Bright Side: Find the light in the dark (Hope)

Some days only get worse as the day goes on. We have all had bad days, but there can be good in every bad day...if you are willing to look. It may be as simple as someone smiling at you or the delicious lunch you had.

Today during Kids Connection we will challenge ourselves to see how we react when bad things happen and how we can have hope in those situations. We will hear how Mary and Martha didn't lose hope after their brother Lazarus' death.

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!

LENTEN ACTIVITIES

Wednesday – April 10

SOUP SUPPER – 5:30–6:45 p.m.

Enjoy chicken noodle and butternut squash soup, sandwiches and desserts. Freewill donations support the July youth mission trip to Montana.

HOLDEN EVENING PRAYER – 7 p.m.

Experience the beauty of the Holden Evening Prayer service. Congregation member Bernie Johnson shares his faith story during worship this week.

HOLY WEEK AND EASTER SERVICES

Palm Sunday, April 14

9 and 10:30 a.m.
Breakfast served after both services.

Maundy Thursday, April 18

7 p.m.

Good Friday, April 19

7 p.m.

Easter Sunday, April 21

8, 9:30 and 11 a.m. (*New service times*)
8 and 9:30 a.m. – Traditional
11 a.m. – Contemporary

PALM SUNDAY BREAKFAST

April 14, after both services

Enjoy a light breakfast of scrambled eggs, mini quiches, sausage links, pastries and beverages. Donations help support the July youth mission trip to Montana.

SPRING BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, April 30, 3–7 p.m.



Did you know? One out of seven hospitalized people will need blood. To sign up to donate blood, access the Memorial Blood Center (MBC) website (mbc.org/searchdrives) and enter sponsor code 0517, call Sarah from MBC (651.332.7164), or sign up at the Welcome Center.

Questions? Contact Nancy Lovaas (952.486.1313 or lovaasbn@msn.com) or David Knight (952.816.4387 or djknigh45@gmail.com).

GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP

Tuesday, April 9, 9–11 a.m.
Deborah Room

Beautiful Souls is a grief support group at All Saints. Congregation member Becky Knickerbocker facilitates. All are welcome. Questions? Contact Becky (kndgbecky1@gmail.com).

GUEST PREACHER TODAY

Please welcome Rev. Kathryn Tiede from Lutheran Social Service.



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.

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.

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.

SUPPORT THE JULY YOUTH MISSION TRIP TO MONTANA

SPRING PLANT SALE AND BUTTER BRAIDS FUNDRAISERS

Now – Sunday, April 21

Find forms behind the Welcome Center; return to the church office with payment by Sunday, April 21.

Questions? Contact Kristine Clemens (kclemens@allsaintsmtka.org).

PARENTS NIGHT OUT

Saturday, April 13, 5–9 p.m.

Crafts, dinner, games and a movie provide a fun evening for kids ages 2–11 while parents have a few hours away for themselves.

Donations support youth attending summer camp or a mission trip. Find registration forms behind the Welcome Center and return to the church office by Thursday, April 11.

ICA BAG COLLECTION

Thanks for donating more than **2,200** bags to help ICA clients pack up their groceries. Please continue bringing paper and plastic grocery bags with handles and reusable cloth bags to All Saints. Place in the ICA bin behind the Welcome Center.

OWLS BINGO

Sunday, April 28, 1 p.m.
Loaves Room

Pastor Antonio calls out the numbers for a rousing afternoon of OWLS B-I-N-G-O.

Enjoy lunch at the spring potluck and join us afterward.



SPRING POTLUCK

Sunday, April 28, 10 a.m.–noon

Share your favorite dish and indulge in others' specialties at the spring potluck. Sign up at the Welcome Center to indicate what you plan to bring. It's a party to celebrate the new season and enjoy each other's company.

INTERFAITH MENTAL HEALTH LUNCH

Wednesday, May 1, 11 a.m.–1 p.m.

Learn from speaker Dr. L. Read Sulik how to help people move from anxiety to optimal wellness. The program is open to anyone interested in mental health issues.

Register at tinyurl.com/y4nw74wb by **April 19**. Space is limited. Box lunches provided. \$10 donation requested per person.

ONGOING ACTIVITIES

BOOK DISCUSSION GROUP

Sundays, Today–April 14
10:30–11:30 a.m. | Lounge

Caring for Creation: The Evangelical's Guide to Climate Change and a Healthy Environment.

Today: Follow-up discussion of Paul Douglas event at All Saints

April 14: Role play how to speak to others about climate change and caring for creation.

MEDITATION GROUP

Wednesday, April 10, 6:30 p.m. Lounge

Get support for your meditation practice or learn how to meditate. Contact Eileen (randerson5356@comcast.net).

ALL SAINTS MOMS GROUP

Tuesday April 16, 7 p.m. | Gold Nugget

Meet up with a fun group of moms of young children. Questions? Contact Katherine (Wacker.katherine@gmail.com).

PRESCHOOL REGISTRATION

2019-20 School Year

Several spots are available in the 4-day pre-k program. Contact Katie Avenson (952.934.3552) for a tour or registration information.

OTHER EVENTS

Sunday

11 a.m. 4th Graders Create Communion Cups
11:30 a.m. Contemporary Musicians

Monday

6:30 p.m. Facilities Team

Tuesday

12:30 p.m. Outreach Quilters
6 p.m. Finance Team
6:30 p.m. Lake Minnetonka Stamp Club
6:45 p.m. Carillon Choir
7:30 p.m. Men's AA

Wednesday

5:30 p.m. Soup Supper
6 p.m. Saints Choristers
7 p.m. Holden Evening Prayer
7:30 p.m. Saints Chorale

Thursday

7:15 a.m. Morning Prayer
10 a.m. Bible Conversation
11 a.m. Darby Paulsen Memorial Service
6:30 p.m. Mtka/Hopkins Child Care Providers
7 p.m. Alpha Band
7 p.m. Women's Choir

Friday

10 a.m. Lillian Johnson Memorial Service

Saturday

8 a.m. Men's Group
1 p.m. Saints Brass

Sunday

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

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