

T Breakfast at Hennepin
O 10:00 AM until 12:30 PM in the Social Hall

D Sunday School
A Today at 11:15 AM
Y See postings in Carlson Hall for class locations.

New Member Orientation

Today at 11:30 AM in the Ministry House
Led by Pastor Judy Zabel. Participants join the following Sunday (Feb. 28). Child care is available.

The Bishop Spong Class

Today at 11:15 AM in the Harrison Room
This discussion group, led by Bob Janssen, focuses on the Bishop's newsletters and is always open to new people.

Advance Directives & Funeral Planning

Today at 11:15 AM in the Art Gallery
The second session of a three part series led by Mark Peterson and Sally Johnson. Get help with creating or updating your Advance Directives.

LYFE Camp & Mission Trip Info Meeting

Today at 11:15 in the Church of Youth Room
Teens and parents are invited to learn about LYFE Camp (Grades 7-12), and the Senior High Mission Trip (Grades 9-12). Learn about mission, content, scholarships, costs, deadlines, and more.

The Jesus Fatwah:

Love Your Muslim Neighbor As Yourself Sundays, February 21, & 28 at 5:30 PM

Led by Bill Mate. The conversation continues in Islam 101: Misconceptions, Islam in America, Making Connections with Christians and Muslims.

Hands On Ministry

February 23 at 6:00 PM in the Social Hall
Join in and learn about hands on projects led by the Knotty Quilters and the Recyclers woodworking group.

Selma: The Bridge to the Ballot Box

February 24 at 7:00 PM in the Art Gallery
Produced by the Southern Poverty Law Center, this movie was made to remind us that this event, more than any other, moved the Civil Rights agenda in this country to enacted legislation. It is made from film shot at the time and a great reminder of the human spirit moving with resolve.

The Copper Street Brass presents
"An Evening at the Grammys"
February 26 & 27 at the Parkway Theater in Minneapolis
Join Hennepin's Artists in Residence on as they celebrate music's biggest night. Tickets range from \$20 to \$55. Go to www.copperstreetbrass.org or call 612-722-3667 for tickets and more information.



BellFest!

Saturday, February 27 at 3:00 PM
St. Andrew's Lutheran Church in Eden Prairie
BellFest! is an annual ringing festival for handbell ensembles. This year's guest conductor is Bill Mathis. As many as thirty-five handbell ensembles (including Hennepin Chime) will gather to ring. The concert is free and open to the public.

Pub Theology in Lent

Every Wednesday During Lent at 6:00 PM & 9:00 PM
All generations of adults ages 21+ are welcome at intergenerational Pub Theology in Lent. We're expanding to two sessions every Wednesday in Lent! See a list of real discussion questions we've used this year, plus our rules, schedule, and location lineups at hennepinchurch.org/pubtheology.

Thursday Bible Study: The Gospel of John Thursdays at 11:00 AM in the Longfellow Room

On February 25 the class will begin a new six-week study based on Adam Hamilton's book *John: The Gospel of Light and Life*, which explores the major themes of the gospel, gives context for some well-known verses, and follows the life, ministry, death and resurrection of Jesus. Class is led by Mary Mensheha and Juanita Reed-Boniface.

Gear Up for Housing

February 25 at 6:30 PM; Plymouth Congregational Church
Join us in preparation for the Day on the Hill (Mar. 15). At Gear Up for Housing we will listen to the insights of our spiritual leaders and learn about the 2016 legislative ask for housing and the homeless. We will also learn what has been achieved for housing and what is still needed. Free Parking and snacks will be provided.

UMCOR Health Kits

We have exceeded our goal!
We have 2760 kits that will be sent to the Sager Brown Depot in June. Thank you for your generosity and participation in this project!

Sabbath Beginnings

Sundays at 8:00 AM in the Border Chapel

Following the life of much of the Christian Church throughout the ages, we at Hennepin, start our worship each Sunday with Holy Communion. You are invited to set the tone for the day by joining in this simple, quiet, and reflective half hour service. Please join us.

Walk to Emmaus Sign-up

Please consider being a Pilgrim this spring. Sponsors, please sign up too. Contact Nancy Sjoquist at 612-741-1872 or visit hennepinchurch.org/emmaus

Community Meals

First and Fifth Sundays at 4:45 PM in the Social Hall

Want to be God's hands in the world? Sign up! All ages and abilities welcome. Tell your friends: it's so much fun! (Special blessings for dishwasher sign-ups.) Training provided. <http://hennepinchurch.org/community-meals/>

Men's Bible Fellowship

Fridays at 7:00 AM in the Longfellow Room

A group of men gather for Bible study, conversation and fellowship. All men are invited to attend.

News from Koinonia

Our Retreat Center's mission is to "foster and sustain beloved community for HAUMC, other guests, and all of God's creation." Please take a moment to say a prayer for this week's guests: **Valley of Peace Lutheran Church Women's Retreat; Minnesota Annual Conference Soul Leaders; Julie Brooks Crafting Retreat; HAUMC Created by God Retreat; Gustavus Adolphus Freshman and Seniors Student Retreat.**

I sing because... Singing in the Sanctuary Choir offers a warm opportunity for community with a dedicated group of people who enjoy making harmony with each other. Being able to participate in the cooperative blending of voices to create beautiful sound is a satisfying, and at times, transporting experience. Its also a splendid opportunity to learn from Bill Mathis, a skilled teacher, about vocal technique, music theory and music history. -Sharon Rowe



Come join the fun, the fellowship and especially the music!

Practice with us on Wednesdays at 7:15 PM
We are looking forward to seeing you, questions?
Contact Bill@haumc.org

Knotty Quilters

Every Tue. at 5:30 PM & Wed. at 9:30 AM in the Dorcas Alcove

They make quilts and teddy bears to donate throughout the community. Everyone is welcome.

Open Yoga

Wednesdays at 5:30 PM & Saturdays at 11:00 AM

Sessions move at a gentle pace offering tools to increase your strength and flexibility, calm and focus, mindfulness and gratitude. Email leslie@leslieball.com

Kjerringsleppets, a women's book group

1st Wednesdays from 5:30 - 7:00 PM in the Longfellow Room

March 2 - *The Girl on the Train* by Paula Hawkins

April 6 - *Lila* by Marilynne Robinson

Always open to women of all ages.

Easter Memorials and Contributions

To provide lilies to Hennepin's homebound members or sponsor special instrumental music to be performed Easter Sunday. Your gifts will be listed in a special insert to our Easter bulletin. Please attach this form with your gift. Make checks to HAUMC, with "Easter Lilies" or "Easter Music" in the memo. Deadline to be included in the listing is **March 14**.

Lily (\$20) in memory of: _____

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Easter Music in memory of: _____

Easter Music in honor of: _____

Your Name: _____

Phone: _____

The deadline for announcement submissions is 10:00 AM on Monday for the coming Sunday. Send submissions to Spire@haumc.org or drop off at the reception desk. Please strive for brevity; all articles are subject to editing for space and content. Thanks for sharing your stories!

To schedule an event at HAUMC:
Scheduling@HennepinChurch.org
or call 612-871-5303.

View the church calendar online:
hennepinchurch.org/events

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