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Advent Devotionals Available

Printed copies available at the reception desk.



The Giving Tree

Donations Due Today

Thank you Hennepin! All the ornaments were claimed.

Hennepin Kids for LYFE

Today at 9 AM & 10:15 AM

See postings in Carlson Hall for class locations.



Breakfast at Hennepin

Today at 10 AM until 12:30 PM in Social Hall

Volunteers needed! Go to hennepinchurch.org/breakfast
There will be no breakfast on Dec. 25 or Jan. 1.

Making Sense of the Bible

Today at 11:15 AM until 12:15 PM in Room 106

Art Book for Sale

Today and December 18 in Carlson Hall

Art at Hennepin, the book that describes our wonderful art collection, has been reissued and expanded to include new artwork acquired in the last decade. You can purchase it in Carlson Hall.



Christmas Hospitality Heros Needed

Will you greet our guests, usher or help park cars on Christmas Eve day? It is a wonderful way to make our worship guests feel at home and welcome at every service. Contact Steve Boyd for greeters (tandsboyd@gmail.com), Jon Nygren for ushers (jon.nygren@faegrebd.com), and Ginger Sisco for parker lot helpers (ginger.sisco@tela.com). Services at 4 and 10:30 PM are the biggest. Thank you for your hospitality help!

Araya-Hanns Family Needs Housing

The housing plans fell through for our refugee family. They need a 3 bedroom place with rent under \$1,200. Do you know of an available place that is safe, in good condition, and on the bus line? Please contact Ann Carlson at 763-464-6850 or carlsonaj99@gmail.com.

A Conversation about Islamophobia

Monday, December 12 at 6 PM

Southwest High School, Door #1

A conversation on how Islamophobia affects our community and what we can do about it. Come with your questions and hear from an excellent group of panelists.

Advent Art Exhibit

Carlson Hall During Advent

Art from Hennepin's fine art collection that illustrates or suggests aspects of the Nativity story is on display.

Christmas Offering for Haiti

Hennepin Church has a long history of work in Haiti. Today, we will celebrate our breadfruit project. Our Christmas Offering this year will be to the United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) to fund the ongoing response to the recent destruction and death caused by Hurricane Matthew in Haiti.

The provision of emergency supplies, food, health kits, and other assistance builds on UMCOR's sustained presence in Haiti, work that has continued since the disastrous earthquake in January 2010. More than 500 deaths in Haiti have been attributed to Hurricane Matthew.

The UMCOR response includes emergency supplies, a water purification program done in partnership with GlobalMedic, and an additional food-distribution program through the Haitian church. UMCOR has long collaborated with both GlobalMedic and the church.

Please give generously! What a great gift for the One who brings hope and peace into the world through us!

Pub Theology

Wednesday, December 14 from 6 until 8 PM

The Libertine, 3001 Hennepin Ave, Minneapolis



We continue our journey through Uptown restaurants this fall with a night out at The Libertine (Calhoun Square has a pay ramp, there's street parking, too, plus lots of food and beverage options and we'll be there for Happy Hour). We're welcoming young adults from Uptown Church to join us, too!

Christmas on Copper Street

December 15 at 11 AM & 18 at 3 PM in the Sanctuary

The CSB's popular holiday concert celebrates the stories and songs of the season. To purchase tickets and learn more information about additional venues, please visit www.copperstreetbrass.org



Entry Point: New Members Class

Sun., Dec. 18 at 11:30 AM in the Staff Conference Room

Visitors and guests are invited to explore membership and meet Rev. Judy Zabel. Child care is available. RSVP to Larry Duncan at 612-435-1309 or larry@haumc.org.

No More Moments of Silence

Wednesday, December 14 at Mount Zion Temple in Saint Paul

Protect Minnesota's Interfaith Alliance for Gun Safety invites you, in commemoration of the 4th Anniversary of the shooting at Sandy Hook Elementary School, to a series on events to inform and engage congregations on issues of gun violence. At 3:00-5:00PM, "The First Step or the Next Step" A workshop for clergy and faith leaders, at 5:30-7:15PM, "Leading the Conversation" a dinner and communications training for all, and at 7:30-8:30PM, "No More Moments of Silence", a Candlelight Vigil. For more information visit www.protectmn.org/events.

News from Koinonia

Attention campers! Koinonia is hosting "Breakfast at Hennepin" this morning – join us anytime after 10 AM for special treats from Koinonia's Kitchen!

The Koinonia display will be set up in Carlson Hall – where you'll be able to sign up for the New Year's Retreat, and receive a complimentary S'more! If you can't stop by today, visit www.hennepinchurch.org/register to make your reservation for the December 30 - January 1 New Year's Retreat.

Guide Our Feet: Advent 2016

In Luke's gospel, the prophet Zechariah asks God to "guide our feet" in the way of peace. This is our theme for the season of Advent. *Guide Our Feet...*

Advent Three ...Into the Way of Mercy

Advent Four ...Into Surprise

Christmas Eve ...Into the Light

Christmas Day Slipper Sunday

Epiphany (New Year's Day) ...Into Sharing

Cookie Ministry

A hearty thank you to all of our cookie bakers this year! Please let us know if: You already participated and would like to continue in 2017, you do not wish to continue in 2017, or you would like to join this ministry. Please contact Jan DeSirey for more information or to sign up jansville2@yahoo.com or call 612-242-5899.

Flower Calendar Sign-up

The 2017 Flower Calendar sign-up form is posted in Carlson Hall. If you have a preferred date for your donation, print your name & contact information soon.



Please Turn in Commitment Cards

Available at the Reception Desk

Also, help is available for year-end giving. If you would like to make a stock transfer or begin electronic giving and you need assistance, please give Philip Graczyk a call at 612-435-1331. Thank you for your generous support of Hennepin Church.

A History of the Arts & Spirituality in Christianity with Wilson Yates

Part 1: The Early Church, Byzantine, & Late Medieval
January 23 & 30 and February 6 & 13

Move beyond "studying" works of art to "experiencing" art. Learn the role the arts play in Christian faith. For more information, email sschwyhart@unitedseminary.edu or call 651-633-4311. For registration: tinyurl.com/arhistorywithwilson

Kjerringsleppets, a women's book group 1st Wednesdays at 6 PM in the Longfellow Room

On January 4, we will be discussing *Me Before You* by Jojo Moyes and selecting books for the next 6 months. Always open to women of all ages. Note the time change.

Christmas Day Slipper Service

Sunday, December 25 at 10 AM in the Sanctuary

Join us for a Slipper Sunday this Christmas Day. Wear your slippers. There will be Christmas cookies in Carlson Hall. Richard Wagoner will be playing the organ, and Steve Marking And Joann Funk will be singing.

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.

CHRISTMAS WITH HENNEPIN

CHRISTMAS EVE - DECEMBER 24



HOPE & HEALING
10:00 AM | ART GALLERY



LABYRINTH
2:00 PM | ART GALLERY



FAMILY SERVICE & NATIVITY PAGEANT*
4:00 PM | SANCTUARY



CANDLES & CAROLS*
7:00 PM | SANCTUARY



CANDLELIGHT SERVICE
11:00 PM | SANCTUARY
WITH 10:30 PM PRELUDE CONCERT

*NURSERY CARE AVAILABLE

CHRISTMAS DAY IS SUNDAY THIS YEAR



CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP
10:00 AM | SANCTUARY

Please submit announcements by 10 AM on Monday to spire@haumc.org or drop off at the reception desk. All submissions are subject to editing for space and content. Thanks for sharing your stories!

To schedule an event at HAUMC:

scheduling@haumc.org

or call 612-871-5303.

View the church calendar online:

hennepinchurch.org/events

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