

## Easter Memorials and Contributions

### Due Tomorrow

You can provide a beautiful lily plant to a home bound member of Hennepin, or you can sponsor the extraordinary music performed during Easter Sunday worship. Pick up a form to fill out at the reception desk.

## Purchase the New Worship Series Book: Green Faith

Sundays in Carlson Hall

The worship series after Easter is "Green Faith: Mobilizing God's People to Save the Earth," inspired by the book by Fletcher Harper. Buy your copy on a Sunday in April in Carlson Hall for \$17. Connect with a LYFE Group to discuss the book with friends: contact Kathryn Johnson at kmj1960@aol.com.

## Pre-Concert Talk: Lenten Reflections

Today, 11:30am in the Art Gallery

Join Director of Music & Fine Arts Mark Squire for a pre-concert talk previewing music being performed the following Sunday (April 14) at the "Lenten Reflections" Concert. What should you listen for? What's behind this beautiful and contemplative music? What might you experience as the Sanctuary Choir, soloists and orchestra perform Gabriel Fauré's *Requiem*, and music by Arvo Pärt? All are welcome at this informative 45-minute presentation.

## Adulthood 101: Cut Out the Chaos -- Work/Life Balance

Today, 1pm in the Longfellow Room

Running all day? Overbooked? Forgetting where you were driving to? Join consultant and coach Bill Lewis to explore the dilemma of a fast-paced life and discover tools to bring you some peace. Bring a friend -- all are welcome.

## In Recital: Leslie Shank & Timothy Lovelace

Today, 3pm in the Art Gallery

Leslie Shank gave her New York recital debut at Carnegie's Weill Hall as a winner of the Artists International competition. Ms. Shank is joined by Timothy Lovelace, piano, for this spectacular performance. The concert is free and the community is cordially invited.

## Life Adventures: Food Chat with Lynne Rossetto Kasper

April 12, 12 noon in the Social Hall

Good news for Lynne Rossetto Kasper fans: she's back this year with her interesting program. Now retired as longtime host of National Public Radio's show "The Splendid Table," Lynne Rossetto Kasper has authored several cookbooks, with an emphasis on Italian cuisine. **Prepaid reservations are due by noon, on Monday, April 8.** Register at the Hennepin reception desk. Cost is \$18 and includes lunch.

## Celebrate Holy Week at Hennepin

Palm Sunday - April 14

8:30am Sacred Journey in the Art Gallery

10am Traditional Worship in the Sanctuary

11:30am Lenten Reflections Concert in the Sanctuary

Maundy Thursday - April 18

7pm Worship Service in the Art Gallery

Good Friday - April 19

7pm Tenebrae Service in the Sanctuary

Easter Sunday - April 21

7am Sunrise Jazz Worship Service in the Art Gallery

8-10:30am Easter Brunch in the Social Hall

9am and 11am Festival of Resurrection in the Sanctuary

## Easter Egg-Stravaganza

April 13, 10am-noon in the Social Hall

Hennepin Kids Family Easter Celebration! Our community celebrates Easter with egg dyeing, egg-centric crafts, and an egg-cellent scavenger hunt! **Please RSVP by registering at [haumc.org/register](http://haumc.org/register).**

## Lenten Reflections Concert

April 14, 11:30am in the Sanctuary

A "mash up" of two centuries, two musical geniuses, two musical languages, both representing spiritual liminal space, musical transformation and sublime beauty in one contemplative musical experience. Gabriel Fauré's *Requiem* and choral & instrumental settings of Arvo Pärt are featured. The performance will include the HAUMC Sanctuary Choir, soloists, men's ensemble and orchestra. The concert is free and the public is cordially invited.

## Koinonia Conversations

April 28, 11:30am in the Art Gallery or

May 11, 10am at Koinonia Retreat Center

There will be two opportunities for conversations to discuss our ownership of Koinonia Retreat Center. These conversations will be led by our Strategic Council for the purpose of determining if we are ready to authorize the Trustees to sell Koinonia. All members of Hennepin will receive a Case Statement in the mail the week of April 15th detailing Koinonia's history and our current reality so you will have time to prepare for these conversations. We want to hear all perspectives as we prepare to make a decision together on June 2, 2019 at a Church Conference. If you are planning on going to Koinonia on May 11, RSVP by emailing Dawn at dawn@haumc.org.

Get full details of upcoming events:

- subscribe to our weekly digital newsletter, at [haumc.org/email](http://haumc.org/email)
- visit the events page of our website, [haumc.org/events](http://haumc.org/events), and select Announcements Calendar
- request a printed copy of the weekly newsletter from the receptionist



# Welcome to Hennepin Avenue UMC!

## Communion Service

8:00am in Border Chapel

## Sacred Journey

8:30am in Art Gallery

## Traditional Worship

10:00am in Sanctuary

Worship from wherever you are: Watch the Live Stream at [www.haumc.org/live](http://www.haumc.org/live) or download the app: **HAUMC Live Stream**

We're glad you're here, and we'd love to get to know you better. Please leave your contact information in the **Welcome Pads** found in each pew. If this is your first visit, welcome. If you are returning, welcome back!

**Pick up your welcome bag** as you leave.

**Grab a cup of coffee** in Carlson Hall. Our thanks to Jim Cone of Coffee and Tea, Ltd.—our coffee supplier.

**Enjoy Sunday Brunch in the Social Hall.** From 10am to 12noon, enjoy a delicious Sunday Bruch spread including vegan and vegetarian options, prepared by Chef Warren Seta. The recommended cost is \$7 per person, but don't stay away if you cannot pay. Fellowship and food is available for everyone.

**We love children.** At Hennepin, there's a place for every child on Sunday mornings! Our services are family-friendly, and Sunday school is just down the hall. Wee Ones (children ages newborn to 3) are welcome in Nursery Care, where loving volunteers will care for your child while you worship. The Nursery is located in room 101 of the Education Wing. Ask an usher or the receptionist if you would like help finding this room.

At **Sacred Journey** families are welcomed to worship together. Sacred Journey is full of music and movement to keep you and your children engaged.

At **Traditional Worship** in the Sanctuary, our play-and-pray area provides a comfortable rug and baskets of quiet toys for kids to use. Following the opening prayers and blessings, children ages 3-13 are invited to participate in Time with Children at the front of the Sanctuary, and then follow their friends and teachers to join in our Hennepin Kids for LYFE Sunday School programming in the Education Wing. Your children are welcome to stay with you, too. You will find worship bags containing child-friendly activities, as well as baskets of children's books, at all sanctuary entrances.

**Tour our beautiful building.** Meet at the front of the Sanctuary following 10:00am traditional worship service.

## About Hennepin Avenue UMC



HAUMC is a **Reconciling** congregation and welcomes all persons without regard to age, race, culture, sexual orientation, gender identity, family configuration, religious background, economic status, or developmental and physical ability.

### Caring Community

**Pastoral Care:** Please notify the church office if you, a family member or any other loved one is experiencing illness, hospitalization, or is in need of pastoral care. Please call 612-871-5303 and ask for Pastoral Care, ext. 771 or email [PastoralCare@haumc.org](mailto:PastoralCare@haumc.org).

### Our Mission

To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

### Our Vision

We will grow in our love of God and neighbor, welcome new people and heal a broken world.

### Our Values

Radical Hospitality  
Passionate Worship  
Intentional Faith Development  
Risk-Taking Mission & Service  
Extravagant Generosity