Weekly Calendar

Today!

Join us for the congregational fellowship hour following worship. Enjoy coffee, Bogart's Doughnuts, and great conversation! I pm Sacred Sites Tour

Monday, June 2

3 and 5 pm Serve at New Creations 6:30 pm Scouts

Tuesday, June 3

10 am Quilting; Chair Yoga;6:30 pm All-Committee Night

Wednesday, June 4

10–12 pm Storytelling Workshop 6–7:30 pm 8th Grade Confirmation Meeting

Saturday, June 7

Alcoholics Anonymous

Contribute Music for Summer

Worship Are you a musician? Share your talents with our community during worship this summer! We're looking for soloists, groups, vocalists, or instrumentalists to perform during any Sunday service between May 25 and August 3 I. All services begin at 9:30 am, and an accompanist can be arranged upon request. Please email Kathy Gustafson if you have any questions at msgus50@msn.com. Sign up via the form in the Commons Area or the link in the weekly email.

Announcements June 1, 2025

Visit our website for service opportunities and more activities. Find the latest issue of The Ripple (our monthly magazine) in the Narthex just outside the Sanctuary or in the Commons gathering area. Please take one home.

Deadline to Register for South Minneapolis Day Camp is Today!

June 16-20 (Friday is an optional fun day) For kids entering: K-5 grades, 6-8 grades High School leaders receive

training and a stipend



The week of faith formation is fun, safe, and Christ-centered with worship, crafts, music, and games intended to build beloved community. Day Camp is for children entering kindergarten through high school, with a separate middle school track and opportunities for high school leadership with the younger kids. The registration fee is on a sliding scale, allowing you to choose an amount that works best for your family.

Register here: https://www.smplsdaycamp.org

All are invited to volunteer for this fun week, even if you don't have campers! Please indicate what days you are available using the registration link above. Volunteer training will take place on Sunday, June 15.

Support Day Camp's New Service Project!

We're assembling care kits for unhoused neighbors during Day Camp. To help gather supplies, we've created an Amazon Wishlist for participating congregations. Donations can be shipped directly to the church. If you're able to contribute items, please visit: amzn.to/43tlEBq or scan the QR code below. This is a great way to support Day Camp, especially for those who aren't able to volunteer in person. Thank you for helping us care for our wider community!







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Keeping in Prayer

Jane and Alva Pingel Janis and Ralph Mayer Austen Hartke Val Oulman Frank Anderson

This Week's Birthdays

June I Felecia Schmidt

June 3 Steve Youngquist

June 4 Lucy Lang; Claire Patt; Lois Settergren

June 5 Avery Kaneakua; McKenna Laird; Eddie Paul;

Jack Zaelich

lune 6 Bob Gustafson; Lisa Wombacher

June 7 Barbara Anderson; Jack Pfeifer;

Olivia Roske-Metcalfe

Seeking Volunteers for New Creations Food Ministry on June 2 and June 9 (and All Summer Long!)

With Kirk Gallup away, we need extra help at New Creations, especially during the second shift (5–7 pm) on June 2 and 9.

New Creations offers two volunteer shifts every Monday:

- 3–5 pm: Sort and pack food
- 5–7 pm: Distribute food, assist guests, and help create a welcoming space

Volunteers (grades 6 and up, including adults) are always welcome—come when you can! Spanish-speaking volunteers are especially appreciated. New Creations is just 1.5 miles from Diamond Lake Lutheran.

To sign up, scan the QR code or contact John Pedersen, Director of Community Outreach.



Wear Red for Pentecost Sunday on June 8

Wearing red on Pentecost Sunday is a tradition that symbolizes the presence of the Holy Spirit. Join us in celebrating the day by wearing red to worship!

Meals on Wheels Drive Week Starts June 23

Want to get involved in this important ministry? It usually takes about an hour or less to complete a route. Contact Meals on Wheels Coordinator Paul Groskreutz at 770-639-1685 or prgroskreutz@gmail.com to get involved.

Looking Ahead

June 10 Chair Yoga; Congregational Council

June II Storytelling Workshop

June 12 Memorial for Dale Erickson

June 15 Day Camp Volunteer Training

June 16-20 South Minneapolis Day Camp

June 18 Storytelling Workshop (off-site)

June 19 Book Club

June 19-22 Luther Park High School Leadership

Training

June 22 Sunday Supper with Senior Story Slam

June 22–28 Luther Park Week

June 23–27 Meals on Wheels Drive Week

June 25 TRUST, Inc. Coffee and Conversation;

Ice Cream on the Lawn

New Senior Storytelling Workshop Series

TRUST Inc. invites older adults to be part of "My Summer Vacation," a storytelling workshop series designed to preserve personal narratives and foster community connection. Led by teaching artist Graydon Royce, this program offers participants the chance to learn the art of storytelling, write and refine their own stories, connect with new people, and perform their work for an audience.

The workshop series will take place on Wednesdays from 10 am–12 pm, on June 4, 11, and 18. All workshops are hosted at Diamond Lake Lutheran except June 18 (location TBA). Space is limited, so early registration is encouraged.

The series will end with a Senior Story Slam on Sunday, June 22—a celebratory event where participants will share their stories during the June Sunday Supper.

To register for the workshop series, call 612-827-6159 or email trustinc@trust.org.



