



Weekly Calendar

TODAY!

8:15 am Choir Rehearsal
 9–9:30 am Fellowship with Coffee and Doughnuts
 9:30 am Worship
 Following Worship: Congregational Fellowship Hour;
 Empty Bowls Mpls
 11 am Youth Musical Rehearsal

Monday, Feb 9

3 & 5 pm Serve at New Creations
 5:30 pm Children's Bells Rehearsal
 6:30 pm Carillon Choir Rehearsal; Scouts

Tuesday, Feb 10

10 am Quilting
 1 pm Staff Meeting
 3 pm Chair Yoga
 6:30 pm Congregational Council

Wednesday, Feb 11

11:30 am White Men for Racial Justice Cohort
 4 pm Bible Study
 5:30–6:15 pm Fat Tuesday Pancake Dinner and
 Palm Burning
 6 pm Youth Musical Rehearsal
 6:30–8 pm Kids Club; *The Happiest Man on Earth*
 Performance from Six Points Theater
 7:30 pm Youth Group

Thursday, Feb 12

10 am Deliver Every Meal at Barton Elementary

Saturday, Feb 14

10 am Alcoholics Anonymous

Announcements

February 8, 2026

WE HAVE SO MANY MORE ACTIVITIES THAN WHAT FITS ON THIS PAGE! Make sure you are receiving our Thursday eNews in your email inbox. Contact dllc.office@dllc.org to get on the mailing list. You may also 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 Area. Please take one home!

This Wednesday! Pancake Feast AND a Performance from Six Points Theater!

LAKEVIEW FORUM
 WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11
 6:30–8 PM (note the later end time)

THE HAPPIEST MAN ON EARTH

From Six Points Theater, a powerful Holocaust memoir that honors resilience, remembrance, and the enduring strength of the human spirit.

Geared toward adults; appropriate for middle schoolers and older

A Solo Play Starring JC Cutler

Fat Tuesday on Wednesday is back! Join us for a pancake feast—golden, hot-off-the-griddle stacks that are fluffy inside, crisp at the edges, and ready to be slathered in butter and maple syrup! Once we've finished our meal, we'll burn last year's palms to make the ash for Ash Wednesday, Feb. 18. **(Do you have any palms at home? Bring them in!)**

Then, stay for the performance of Six Points Theater's *The Happiest Man on Earth*! This inspirational solo performance by JC Cutler brings a powerful Holocaust memoir to life, honoring resilience, remembrance, and the enduring strength of the human spirit. Free and all are welcome! Invite your friends and neighbors!
Kids Club will run until 8 pm due to the ending time of this performance.
Thank you to our volunteers for accommodating this!



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Keeping in Prayer

Bud Benson
 Jane and Alva Pingel
 Carol Luukkonen
 Brett Brueske
 Jennifer Maas, daughter of Carol Luukkonen
 Tom Schneekloth, father of Kate Sexe
 Family and friends of Sharon Hegna

This Week's Birthdays

Feb 8 Jean Noonan; Gene Sandvig
 Feb 9 Mike Barth
 Feb 10 Katie Glasoe Buan
 Feb 11 Eloise Pfeifer; Kate Sexe
 Feb 13 Kris Pearson
 Feb 14 Maxwell Arthur; Lillian Krizan;
 Russ Michaletz; Val Oulman

Empty Bowls Mpls is Today!

Sunday, Feb 8, 10 am–2 pm
Judson Memorial Baptist
4101 Harriet Avenue South



Help raise funds for nonprofits addressing hunger and housing insecurity. Attendees will enjoy soup, bread, and dessert donated by local restaurants. With a suggested donation of \$25, you'll select a handmade ceramic bowl, share the meal, and take the bowl home. Learn more at emptybowlsmpls.org.

DO YOU LIKE counting MONEY?

We're looking for a few more pursers to serve on Sunday mornings. Pursers are responsible for counting and recording the weekly offering. Volunteers are paired with an unrelated, experienced purser for a brief shift following worship and typically serve about once every five weeks. Training will take place in March. If you're interested in serving in this simple but important way, contact Jan Michaletz at jan.michaletz@gmail.com.

Get On the "Supporting Our Neighbors" Email List

Sign up to receive occasional emails with timely, concrete ways to protect and support our neighbors when it matters most. These messages are sent only when there's a clear need or opportunity to act. No clutter, just meaningful actions you can take right away. A paper sign-up is at the name tag station or scan the QR code above.



Looking Ahead

Feb 18 White Men for Racial Justice Cohort; Bible Study; Community Dinner; Ash Wednesday Worship
Feb 19 Book Club; Grief Support Group
Feb 20–22 Luther Park Women's Retreat; Youth Ski Trip
Feb 22 Blood Pressure Screenings; Baptism Info Session; Sunday Supper
Feb 24 Chair Yoga
Feb 25 White Men for Racial Justice Cohort; Bible Study; Dinner+Church; Sundaes on Wednesdays
Feb 26 Grief Support Group
March 2–6 Meals on Wheels Drive Week
March 3 All-Committee Night
March 4 White Men for Racial Justice Cohort; Bible Study; Dinner+Church; Sundaes on Wednesdays
March 5 Grief Support Group
March 6 and 7 Youth Musical Performances

Ash Wednesday

February 18

5:30 pm Community Meal

6:30 pm Worship with
Holy Communion and
Imposition of Ashes

All are welcome.



DIAMOND LAKE
LUTHERAN CHURCH

Ash Wednesday Worship

Feb 18

5:30–6:15 pm Community Meal in the Lakeview Room

6:30 pm Worship with Holy Communion and Imposition of Ashes

On Ash Wednesday, we begin our forty-day journey toward Easter. Marking our foreheads with the dust of last year's palms, we acknowledge that we die and return to the earth. At the same time, the dust traces the life-giving cross indelibly marked on our foreheads at baptism. *Kids Club will not take place; Youth Group follows worship.*

DINNER + CHURCH



LENTEN WEDNESDAYS
FEB 25–MARCH 25
6–7 PM

- INTERGENERATIONAL
- DIETARY RESTRICTIONS ACCOMMODATED
- FREE AND ALL ARE WELCOME!



Lenten Wednesdays

Feb 25–March 25, 6–7 pm

Throughout Lent, we gather like the early Christians around tables: We enjoy a simple meal, sing, share the Sacraments, and engage in conversation with people we know and with those who are new to us. Dinner + Church is intergenerational; everyone is invited! Food options are provided for those who have dietary restrictions. Free and all are welcome; please invite your extended family, friends, and neighbors.

Luther Park Women's Retreats

Luther Park is hosting the final Renew & Refresh: Women's Retreat the weekend of February 21–23. Luther Park understands gender to be a spectrum, so if this retreat fits within your understanding of identity, you are welcome. Deposit of \$75 is due at the time of registration. Final registration and full payment are due two weeks before the retreat. For more information and to register: www.lutherparkdanbury.com.