Wayzata Community Church

FALL 2018

WORSHIP, GROW, COMMUNITY, SERVE

WELCOME

Welcome to the Wayzata Community Church Catalog. We are so excited to launch this new seasonal tool to help you navigate how to get involved at WCC. We are glad you have chosen to spend a few moments looking around, discovering all the amazing things happening in this community. Within these pages you will find four paths of engagement: Worship, Grow, Community, & Serve.

Pick a path or two and find new ways to get involved. We encourage you to connect in any and all ways possible over the next three months. If you have any questions you can contact the church office, or feel free to use the contact sheet located within this catalog and connect with each ministry leader directly.

While you are browsing our catalog, you will learn about our programs and get a glimpse of who we are, but only a glimpse. To fully understand us, come to a worship service or to a community group and feel the up-close, in-person connectivity that comes when people share time together with the Spirit present.

We'd love to meet you and know you. We look forward to an amazing year full of learning, growth, and deepening community.

Blessings,

Your Ministry Staff

Register for Fall classes and events at wayzatacommunitychurch.org/fallregistration

For more information about our programs and events:

- **Register for Early Childhood, Elementary, Middle School and High School Sunday & Wednesday programs**
- **Read the Inspire Weekly found each week in the Sunday bulletins**
- **Check our Instagram: @wayzatacommunitychurch**
- **Check our Facebook page: Wayzata Community Church**
- **Visit our website: wayzatacommunitychurch.org**

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Worship

RALLY SUNDAY

RALLY DAY PARKING LOT PARTY SEPTEMBER 16TH

Join as we launch our new program year. Our Rally Day Parking Lot Party will follow worship on Sunday, September 16th. This event will include food, live musical entertainment and games for the children. Grilled lunch will be $6.50 per person. This event is open to the public. We invite you to come and have a great time!

"COMMUNITY IN UNITY"— AN INTERFAITH CELEBRATION OF PEACE, LOVE, AND HOPE

Sunday, September 9, 10:30-11:15 a.m.
JJ Hill Days Stage at Lake Street & Minnetonka Avenue

Under the leadership of our church, multiple faith communities from around the area will come together in a spirit of unity, representing different religions and backgrounds. In the midst of the JJ Hill Days community celebration, we will share prayers and messages of peace, love, and hope. Come for a procession down Lake Street at 10:15 a.m., the celebration at 10:30 a.m. and then enjoy all the activities of JJ Hill Days. Be sure to stick around for the parade at 2:00 p.m.!

BEGINNING RALLY SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

SUNDAY WORSHIP

8 a.m. Chapel, Traditional with Communion
9 a.m. Contemporary in the Sanctuary
10:30 a.m. Parables Special Needs in the Chapel
10:45 a.m. Traditional in the Sanctuary

HOLY SPIRITS

A modern immersive worship experience sponsored by Wayzata Community Church

Join us as we take church to our neighborhood in a creative and entertaining way. The evening will be full of music, art, story, and community.

October: Science, Beauty and Faith
Location and date: TBD
For more information check our Facebook page.

Early Childhood

Offered at 9:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

Early Childhood Ministry serves WCC's youngest children, ages birth to 5. We believe that no child is too young to worship and learn about God, who made them and loves them unconditionally, and Jesus, who wants be their friend forever. We spend time in our Sunday School classrooms learning through developmentally appropriate play and large group time with an emphasis on sharing, caring for each other, and having fun.

Each Sunday School classroom has a lead teacher who is CPR/First Aid certified and has experience in early childhood education. Our teachers, as well as our volunteers, go through ministry training and are background checked to keep each child physically, emotionally, and spiritually safe while in our care.

Elementary

Offered at 9:00 a.m. and 10:45 a.m.

WCC's Elementary Ministry is uniquely designed with kids in mind. Our Sunday morning program for children is called Graceland. Graceland weaves large group music, dancing, and games with small group discussions, cooking, and creative activities together to reinforce one clear and simple bottom line lesson each week. Our deepest desire is that kids can walk away and remember what matters most and carry it into their week and into your family. All of our volunteers are background checked and trained to provide a fun quality learning experience for your child.

Middle School

9:00 a.m.

Join us starting in the Middle School Corner for games, video clips, discussions, crafts, food projects and more as we enjoy a light breakfast together! This year we are diving into a year full of getting to know many of the people in the Bible! All 6th, 7th & 8th graders gather together for this more relaxed time to get to know one another!

10:45 a.m.

Be a middle school junior leader as we help with Children's Ministry.

High School

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Sunday Lunch, 11:45 a.m.

Meet us each week in the Loft as we head out to lunch and prepare to start a new week.

Sermon Series

September

NEIGHBOR—The Gospel According to Mister Rogers

Jesus commanded that we love God, neighbor, and self and then told a story to help us better understand who our neighbors are. To kick off a new school year, we will consider our role as a neighbor to those around us. Through the example of Rev. Fred Rogers and The film, "Won't You Be My Neighbor," we will celebrate core Christian principles such as Love; Peace; Simplicity; and Family.

October

PETER—Fearless or Foolish?

Jesus called him the "Rock upon which he would build his church." We remember him walking on water, witnessing the Transfiguration, and denying knowing Jesus three times in one, horrible day. But how much do we really know about this person in history who would become the first Pope of the Catholic Church and have the great Basilica and Square of the Vatican bear his name? Through four separate Gospel accounts we will take a close look at this man who some say was the most influential of Jesus' disciples.

November

Polite Conversations—Things We Don't Talk About at Dinner Parties

We've all heard it said we shouldn't talk about money, politics, or faith. Jesus talked more about money than any other single topic. Jesus was deeply engaged in the politics of his time. Jesus was a devout, practicing Jew. Money, Politics, and Religion were key parts of the life of Jesus. Respecting the wide diversity of opinions and beliefs held by members of WCC, we will explore the place and importance of money and politics in a life of faith—without espousing particular positions on specific issues.

CHILDREN'S, YOUTH AND ADULT CHOIRS

Wednesday Rehearsals

Children's Choirs

Our children's choirs (Cherub, Joy, Hosanna and Allelulia) will now be incorporated into our brand new Wednesday Elementary and Early Childhood programs.

Chimer's Handbell Choir (Grades 3-8)

4:45 p.m.-5:15 p.m., Handbell Choir Room

We work on a range of handbell music experiences, including ringing bells, using mallets, and processing while ringing, and we ring in various worship services, Traditional and Contemporary. The Chimer's Choir is directed by Kraig Windschitl.

Joyful Noise Handbell Choir (High School & Adults)

5:15 p.m.-6:00 p.m., Handbell Choir Room

Come and shake a bell with the Joyful Noise Handbell Choir! We have openings for new choir members and short term ringers. Joyful Noise is directed by Kraig Windschitl.

Disciples Plus

5:45 p.m.-6:15p.m., Contemporary Choir Room

Disciples Plus is a dynamic group of teenagers who lead musically at WCC in many different ways, regardless of previous choir experience. Our mission is to teach youth to use their talents for Christ, instill a heart of worship, and have fun! This choir is often called upon to sing at varying events around the Community, as well as singing with Tapestry in Contemporary worship. Directed by Autumn Toussaint and Patrick Morgan.

Celebration Singers (Contemporary Choir)

6:30-8:00 p.m., Contemporary Choir Room

All are welcome to sing with the Celebration Singers! This non-auditioned adult choir leads Contemporary worship with Tapestry. The choir is a welcoming community which sings a wide variety of contemporary music from Gospel to contemporary Christian, and everything in-between. All ages & stages are welcome! Led by Autumn Toussaint, Director of Contemporary Music.

Chancel Choir (Traditional Choir)

6:30-8:00 p.m., Sanctuary

All are welcome to sing with the Chancel Choir, a welcoming community of adult singers, who lead at the 10:45 a.m. Traditional Service. We invite people who have the desire, interest, and time for learning, rehearsing, and singing everything from the simple and beautiful to challenging pieces of choral literature. We sing almost every Sunday, September through June, in our Traditions service. Led by Adam Reinwald, Director of Chancel Choir.

Grow

ADULT FAITH FORMATION
WEDNESDAY CORE CLASSES

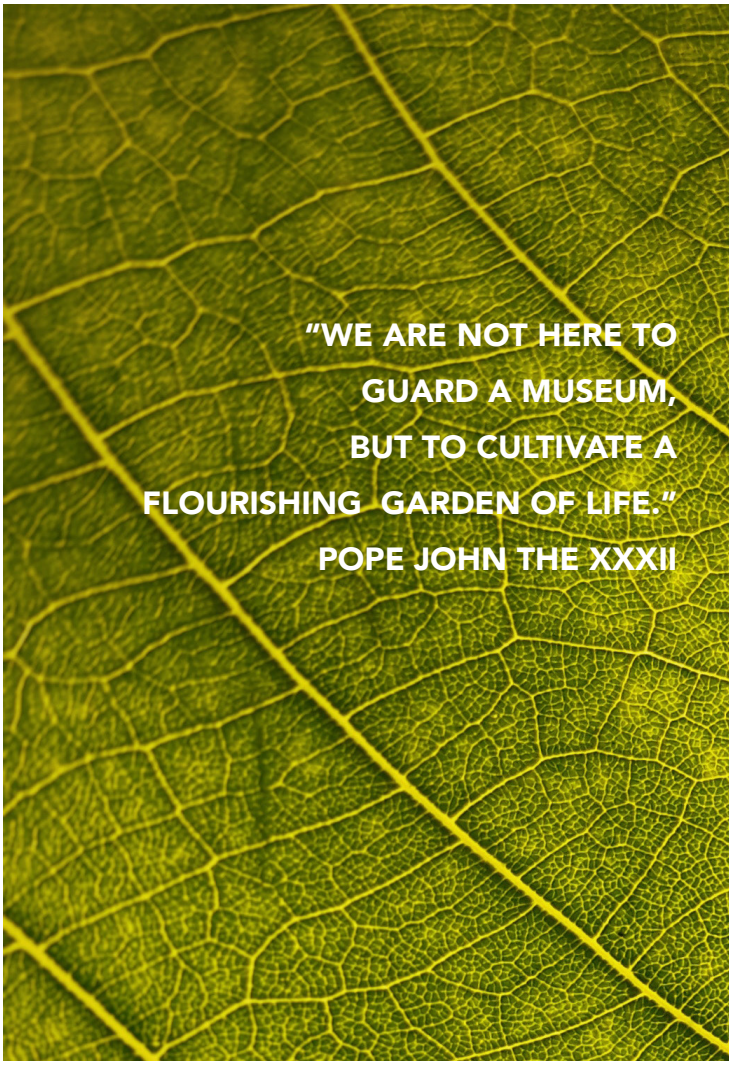
Finding Jesus in the Gospels (R)
Teacher: Dr. Ron Troxel
CORE: Fall, 9/19-10/24
Wednesdays, 4:00-5:15 p.m. & 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Colonnade
Fee: $20 for course material

By the time Mark, our earliest Gospel, was written, Paul had long since sent his letters to his churches. This is surprising, since we regularly turn to the Gospels to find Jesus, and we might have expected that the earliest Christians did too. What is more, only rarely does Paul cite Jesus's words or actions. He seems to have been unconcerned to leave for his churches a written record of Jesus's words and deeds.

The Gospels, for their part, seem to reflect their late appearance, insofar as they often disagree about Jesus's words, acts, and even the order of events – things one might expect from works written long after the events. The differences are even more notable in John, where Jesus draws contrasts between light and darkness, spirit and flesh – language not found in the other three, where Jesus's prime contrast is between the kingdom of God and 'this age'. Faced with such different reports, in what sense can we find Jesus in the Gospels?

The Gospels You Never Read (R)
Teacher: Dr. Ron Troxel
CORE: Fall, 10/31-11/14
Wednesdays, 4:00-5:15 p.m. & 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Colonnade
Fee: $20 for course material

Irenaeus, Bishop of Lyon near the end of the second century, declared that there are four and only four Gospels. His rationale is odd: "For since there are four zones of the world in which we live, and four principal winds … it is fitting, therefore, that [the church] should have four pillars." As ludicrous as this reasoning strikes us, it was apparently convincing in its day and set the standard for the church's adoption of four Gospels.



It is important to know that Irenaeus wrote this decree in response to other Gospels that were gaining a hearing – ones that he judged to proclaim "knowledge ('gnosis' in Greek) falsely so-called." That description provided the basis for the moniker of "Gnostic Gospels" that was later applied to a diverse set of Gospels written primarily in North Africa during the second century but recovered only in the twentieth century. Irenaeus's strong reaction provokes the question of why he rejected their portrayals of Jesus. What's in these Gospels you never read?

God Prefers The Poor: Understanding Liberation Theology R

Teacher: Rev. Rustin Comer
CORE: Wednesdays, 9/19-11/14
10:00 a.m. & 4:00-5:15 p.m., Chapel
Fee: $20 for course material

Do you care about justice issues? Have you wondered what you can do about the inequality in the world? Liberation theology seeks to give a theological grounding for how to act and be as a person of faith while directly responding to these questions. Liberation theology is a Christian theology which emphasises a concern for the liberation of the oppressed. At the very least liberation theology is a reflection on the fact that human freedom has to be part of the Christian understanding of salvation. Salvation isn't otherworldly; it has something to do with the here and now. Liberation theology invites people to respond to the gospel in profoundly concrete ways, to establish relationships of solidarity and community. Join us as we dive deep into this historic theology.

Book Study
Speaking of Faith: Why Religion Matters— and How to Talk About It R

CORE: Wednesdays, 9/19-11/14
6:30- 8:00 p.m., Library
Fee: $20 for course material

Krista Tippett, widely becoming known as the Bill Moyers of radio, is one of the country's most intelligent and insightful commentators on religion, ethics, and the human spirit. With this book, she draws on her own life story and her intimate conversations with both ordinary and famous figures, including Elie Wiesel, Karen Armstrong, and Thich Nhat Hanh, to explore complex subjects like science, love, virtue, and violence within the context of spirituality and everyday life. Her way of speaking about the mysteries of life-and of listening with care to those who endeavor to understand those mysteries— is nothing short of revolutionary. Join us as we read this book together.

PARENTING CLASS LAUNCH: *"THE FALLACY OF PERFECT PARENTING"*

Wednesday, September 19
6:30- 8:00 p.m., Chapel

Join us for the launch of our new Parenting Track. Experts from FRrē (Family Recovery Resource Experts) will lead us to explore how the pressures to be perfect result in some parents feeling overwhelmed and inadequate. Many parents complain of a lack of control in their own homes and a feeling that their children's needs are running the household. They may remove barriers to success and end up unintentionally disempowering their children. They may try to be their child's best friend, losing focus of the primary responsibility, to raise a fully functioning adult. In this class, we will normalize what parents experience, how they learn to be parents.

Parenting 1.0 Parenting Beyond Your Capacity (R)

Teachers: Holly & Jay Tapper, Annie & Zach Stokes
CORE: Wednesdays, 9/26-11/14
6:30- 8:00 p.m., Chapel
Fee: $20 for course material.

When parents and the church work together, the impact on kids increases dramatically. In *Parenting Beyond Your Capacity*, we will work together to discover a "bigger story" in which to involve our families, one in which multiple influential voices combine in order to tell kids the same thing: that a relationship with God really matters.

Parenting Beyond Your Capacity can help parents establish a lifestyle in which they:

- Invite others to invest in their children to help shape and determine the direction of their lives.
- Create a culture of unconditional love to fuel the emotional and moral health of their children.
- Tap into the power of quality moments together, building a sense of purpose through everyday experiences.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

Saturday Seekers
8:00 a.m., Holmes Room

Saturday Seekers is a group that offers a trusting and accepting environment in which doubts and questions can be freely expressed and faith can be deepened by lively and engaging discussions. All are welcome, and no registration is needed. In our beginning Fall session we'll take a guided tour utilizing the animate Faith at a Glance series of short videos each led by prominent authors such as Brian McLaren and Lillian Daniel. They will bring us their musings, wonderings, and experiences of traveling this often bumpy road of faith. Their questions are not meant to provide answers, but to raise further questions or flip the established answers and assumptions upside down.

Smart Stepfamily Study
Blended Stepfamily Program (R)
For individual adults or couples
Sundays, 10/7-12/2
10:15-11:45 a.m., King Parlor
Fee: $30. Scholarships available.

Through 8 engaging sessions you will learn usable solutions for everyday living and glean insight and practical tips for becoming a Smart Step Family. Child-care is available. Contact: Karen Jacques, ajacques@mchsi.com.

GROW WEDNESDAY

Family calendars can get nuts and the church shouldn't add to the craziness! Wednesday is one night out of the week when families, students, seniors, singles — well, everyone — can gather in one place at one time. Let us help you shed some stress and grow spiritually at the same time. Let's do away with stagnant spiritual lives. We want to grow and learn. On Wednesday evenings, we hope the entire family will participate in growing friendships and faith. WCC Grow Wednesday is just the place.

GROWTH BLOCKS

There are three Growth blocks to participate in:

BLOCK 1: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Adult Learning
After School program for Middle School
Early Childhood

BLOCK 2: 5:15-6:30 p.m.
Community Meal

BLOCK 3: 6:30-8:00 p.m.
Adult Formation
Choirs
High School
Middle School
Elementary
Early Childhood

Community Meal

Join us for a Community Meal, dinner without the dishes. Wednesday night dinner is a time to connect with old friends and build relationships with new ones. Families, singles, couples, children and adults. Everyone is invited. The cost is $5.00 per person every Wednesday from 5:15 to 6:30 p.m. in Mithun Hall, for a healthy meal at a great price.

Join us for Grow Wednesday.
It's the best thing
since Sunday morning.

Divorce Care (R)
Mondays, 9/24-11/12
7:00-9:00 p.m., Colonnade
Fee: $25.00. Scholarships available.
Starting Over: A divorce recovery program of grace, forgiveness, and restoration is an 8-week program designed to help separated and divorced persons to get started on building the next chapter of their lives. Throughout this 8 week series we will hear from speakers on topics like anger, grief, forgiveness, and more. We will hear personal stories of struggle and transformation and we will provide time for personal reflection and discussion in a non-threatening, warm and supportive setting.

Leaders of the program include men and women who have been divorced, as well as others with experience in programs of healing and rebuilding. The program is open and welcome to anyone, regardless of affiliation with Wayzata Community Church. Join us! Contact: Danielle Jones, djones@wayzatacommunitychurch.org

YOUNG ADULTS

Inklings: Young Adult Study
Wednesdays, 8:30 p.m.
Mainstreet Bar and Grill, Hopkins
Contact: Anna Sanford, 612-618-2187

Young Adult Service Opportunities
This fall we will be partnering with a few organizations where we can give back to the local metroplex. Keep checking in to our Facebook page for more information.
Contact: Anna Sanford, 612-618-2187

Young Adult Community Group:
Sunday Nights at the Comer's House
All are welcome anytime after 7:30 p.m.
Contact: Anna Sanford, 612-618-2187

Special Event

On the Town with Rickshaw & The Makeshifts
Wednesday, 11/21, Nomad Bar
Doors open at 8:00 p.m., Music from 9:00 p.m.-midnight.
$10 Cover.

*For up to date information about all Young Adult events, join our Wayzata Community Church Young Adult Facebook group.

AUTHOR EVENT: MARK LUTZ (R)

UnPoverty: Rich Lessons from the Working Poor
Monday, 11/26, 6:00 p.m. Chapel, followed by a reception in the Colonnade
The poorest people in the world do not just survive— they thrive lavishly. They enjoy rich family relationships, build vibrant communities and exude deep faith. They have much to teach us about life and inspire us with their ingenuity, persistence, generosity, and self-reliance. Mark Lutz has visited families living in cardboard huts, hiked dusty paths to isolated African villages, and tiptoed across putrid open sewers on makeshift bridges. UnPoverty relays those astonishing encounters with unforgettable people: desperately poor, yet abundantly rich. His gripping stories will leave you challenged by what we can and must do and encouraged by what they do with so little. Their poverty has more to do with latitude and longitude than with laziness or lack of intelligence. Through no fault of their own they are poor monetarily, but rich in areas many of us are bankrupt. Mark has watched innovative and hard-working people undo the chains of poverty, often with a large ripple effect in their families and entire communities.

HIGH SCHOOL

Sundays

High School on Sunday is focused on acts of discipleship. Students will have opportunities to put faith into action within the worship community of WCC. They will worship with their families — within the wider inter-generational community — participate in worship leadership, or serve in other ministry areas. Join High School Directors Jordan Masters and Gabe Flynn from 10:00 a.m.-10:30 a.m. in the High School Loft (3rd floor) for a chance to connect each week.

Sunday Lunch, 11:45 a.m.

Meet us each week in the Loft as we head out to lunch and prepare to start a new week.

Wednesdays

High School on Wednesday is focused on experiences of faith. We meet from 6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m. in the High School Loft (3rd floor). Students experience music, message, snacks, and small group discussions led by dedicated adult leaders. All high school students are welcome and encouraged to attend! Stick around after for basketball, dance parties, and just hanging out!

Community Meal

Join us for a Community Meal Wednesday nights from 5:15 to 6:30 p.m. in Mithun Hall, a time to connect with old friends and build relationships with new ones. The cost is $5.00/person for a healthy meal at a great price!

10th Grade Milestone
Keys: A Time for Others
Winter, 2019

This two-session stone for parents and their 10th graders will explore the keys to the kingdom of God. As students are starting to get keys to the family car, it is also time we turn over the keys to the kingdom of God.

CONFIRMATION (R)

The Confirmation experience, led by Jordan Masters and Gabe Flynn, is the opportunity for students in all grades of high school to explore the basics and faith and become a member of our church community. Each student finishes this year with a greater understanding of the Christian faith, the church, and their personal place within our faith community. Through experiences of worship, Milestones and weekend retreats, students and families will be challenged to create space for the student's faith to become their own, as well as discussing living life in a way that supports and strengthens your faith.

Important Confirmation Dates this Fall

- Milestone (for students and parents/guardians): Sunday, October 7, 10:30 a.m. in the High School Loft
- Confirmation Class (students only): Sunday, October 14, 10:30 a.m. in the High School Loft
- Confirmation Class (students only): Sunday, November 4, 10:30 a.m. in the High School Loft
- High School Fall Retreat: Sunday, November 16-18

11th Grade Milestone
Studying the Bible
Winter, 2019

This Milestone is designed for parents and their 11th graders to learn together. Each session will engage parents and 11th graders in a meaningful and creative exploration of the Bible.

12th Grade Milestone
Commissioning: A Time to Send
Sunday, 11/11, 10:30 a.m.

This stone is for parents and their 12th graders and will explore the upcoming transitions of leaving the nest. We will discuss topics like: continued relationship with family, expectations, pressures of college, and how to succeed in your first year post high school.

High School Special Events

Halloween PrimeTime
Wednesday, 10/24

Wear a costume and bring your friends to this spook-tacular event! Best costume wins a FREE fall retreat!

Fall Retreat (R)
Friday, 11/16-Sunday, 11/18

Mark your calendars now for the Fall Retreat. It is the most fun you can pack into a weekend! These retreats are excellent for getting away from

the daily pace of life, and having really fun and meaningful time with your friends from High School Ministry.

Turkey Bowl
Wednesday, 11/21, 3:00 p.m.
Join us for the Turkey Bowl on Wednesday, November 21. Come show off your best football skills at this annual sporting event, as each team battles it out for the legendary Turkey Bowl trophy. The touch football game begins at 3:00 p.m. on the field directly behind the church, and ends with dinner and the trophy ceremony in Mithun Hall. High School Ministry students and alumni of all skill levels, plus your friends, are welcome to join us for this free event.

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Sundays
9:00 a.m., The Corner (1st floor)
Join us starting in the Middle School Corner for games, video clips, discussions, crafts, food projects and more as we enjoy a light breakfast together! This year we are diving into a year full of getting to know many of the people in the Bible! All 6th, 7th & 8th graders gather together for this more relaxed time to get to know one another!

10:45 a.m.
Be a middle school junior leader as we help with Elementary Ministry.

Wednesdays
After School Program
4:00 p.m.-5:15 p.m.
The Corner (1st floor)
Join us in the middle school room Wednesdays from 4:00-5:15 p.m. for homework time, video games, free gym, snacks, and so much more. If you attend West Middle School you can walk over after school, and any other middle schooler can be dropped off at the West entrance of the campus.

Community Meal
Join us for a Community Meal Wednesday nights from 5:15 to 6:30 p.m. in Mithun Hall, a time to connect with old friends and build relationships with new ones. The cost is $5.00/person for a healthy meal at a great price!

Wednesday Youth Group: CrossRoads
6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
The Corner (1st floor)
Each Wednesday from 6:30-8:00 p.m. we invite students 6-8th grades to gather on the 1st floor for an experience we call CrossRoads. Our midweek program is focused on learning to Love ourselves, our neighbors, and God. It includes an evening full of music, games, message, and small groups. In our small groups we strive to experience true community as we learn to do life together. With amazing adult leaders, our small groups are designed as a place for students to explore God's amazing love while learning more about who they are called to be.

7th Grade Milestone
Learning to Thrive
Wednesdays, 9/26, 10/10, 11/14
6:30 p.m., Mithun Hall
Seventh graders, their parents and our 7th grade leaders gather 3 times for this Milestone to discuss what it means to be in "adolescence" and all the changes happening, address how societal pressures and support structures are different from the way they were a generation ago, and how parents and adolescents can begin charting this new territory together, work together to articulate our dream relationship with our parents, and then take special steps to make that dream a reality. We will also talk about different faith practices to help

us learn to communicate better and how to pray together.

Middle School Special Events

Rally Sunday, 9/16
Middle Schoolers are welcome to join us in the Middle School Corner during the 9:00 a.m. worship service to enjoy breakfast, games, discussion and more with other 6th, 7th & 8th graders. Sunday mornings are a more relaxed gathering and a time to get to know other Middle Schoolers.

Crossroads Kickoff Party
Wednesday, 9/19
We're excited to start this year in a big way with our Middle School Leaders and Middle School friends. We'll enjoy some big fun and have some laughs to start the year, so don't forget to invite a friend! We can't wait to see you!

Meet & Meat — coming this fall!
Middle School Parents are the number one faith provider in Middle Schoolers lives and we love helping you do that! Our Middle School Leaders play an important role in the lives of our Middle Schoolers during these constantly changing years. Parents are invited to join us for this incredible opportunity for conversations with other parents about what it means to be parenting this beautiful ever-changing age. Get to know other parents at WCC and meet your Middle Schooler's Leaders, but more importantly for our Middle School Team to meet YOU (and enjoy some yummy food while doing so!)

Halloween Crossroads R
Wednesday, 10/24
Wear a costume or show up as yourself and join us for a night of offsite fun as we celebrate Halloween together as a Middle School group!

Sleep Out R
Saturday, 11/10-Sunday, 11/11
WCCMS is a proud supporter of the IOCP Sleep Out every year. We sleep out on the front lawn of WCC in boxes to raise awareness for homelessness and to understand how blessed we are to have a bed. The night also includes service projects, a youth gathering at IOCP, fun with leaders and friends and more!

Christmas Tea R
Thursday, 11/29
Every year, our Middle School Girls and Middle School Lady leaders like to be a part of this beautiful women's event at WCC. Dress up in a fun festive outfit and join us for hot chocolate and snacks at our tables. Hear a Christmas story and enjoy some Christmas carols. A fun way to get in the holiday spirit together!

ELEMENTARY

Sundays
9:00 a.m. & 10:45a.m.
WCC's Elementary Ministry is uniquely designed with kids in mind. Our Sunday morning program for children is called Graceland. Graceland weaves large group music, dancing, and games with small group discussions, cooking, and creative activities together to reinforce one clear and simple bottom line lesson each week. Our deepest desire is that kids can walk away and remember what matters most and carry it into their week and into your family. All of our volunteers are background checked and trained to provide a fun quality learning experience for your child.

Wednesdays
6:30-8:00 p.m.
Our midweek program combines child development and theology to create a comprehensive strategy for every phase of a child's life to influence their faith. Our fun and creative program weaves together music, dancing, games, message, small group discussions, video presentations, and creative activities. The goals of our midweek program are to lead students to:

- Develop a deeper faith
- Build stronger relationships
- Make wiser choices

Kindergarten Milestone Blessing of the Backpacks
Sunday, 9/30 in worship
Join us as a family as we bless your kindergarten student's backpack and pray over their first year of Elementary school.

4th Grade Bible Milestone
Wednesdays, 10/3, 10/24 & 11/7
6:30 p.m., Mithun Hall
Throughout these 3 sessions we will explore the Bible from beginning to end, learn some enriching faith practices to build a bridge from church to home, build relationships with our faith family and more. All 4th graders will be presented with their own beautiful Bible in a special ceremony in the Sanctuary on Sunday, November 18.

Elementary Special Events

Kids Night Out (R)
9/21, 10/26, 11/16
6:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m., Great Hall
All children ages 3 through 5th grade are invited to join their church family for games, crafts, dinner and a movie once a month at church! This is a great way to build relationships with others and to experience church in a different way. Registration is required.

Operation Christmas Service Project
Wednesday, 11/14, Mithun Hall, 5:00 p.m.
A mission service project for the whole family! Look for more details to come.

EARLY CHILDHOOD

Sundays
9:00 a.m. & 10:45 a.m. in our Early Childhood Center on the 1st floor
Early Childhood Ministry serves WCC's youngest children, ages birth to 5. We believe that no child is too young to worship and learn about God, who made them and loves them unconditionally, and Jesus, who wants be their friend forever. We spend time in our Sunday School classrooms learning through developmentally appropriate play and large group time with an emphasis on sharing, caring for each other, and having fun.

Wednesdays
4:00 p.m.-5:15 p.m.
Early Childhood Center
Get ready for lots of moving and grooving! During Block One, we will wonder and discover about God, the inclusive love of Jesus, and fuel our passions in developmentally appropriate ways. We'll spend time in large group with our friends and leaders, singing and dancing in our own worship experience, laughing at skits, and taking some quiet moments for relevant Bible stories. Then, in small groups, we will explore the week's Bible story in a concrete, hands-on experience with our leaders.

6:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.
Early Childhood Center
This class stands on its own while also deepening the learning experience from Block One, for children who attend both classes. During this time, children ages 2-5 will have the opportunity to move through various stations that allow them to play, imagine, create, think, and explore the week's Bible story and key mantras in new ways. Childcare is also available for those under age 2.

Early Childhood Special Events

Early Childhood Picnic
Sunday, 9/23
10:00 a.m., Courtyard Labyrinth
Gather your family and join us in the Labyrinth following the 9:00 a.m. service for some light food and fellowship. After a long, hot summer, this is a great way to connect at the start of the program year with other Early Childhood families and teachers.

Halloween Ball (R)
Friday, 10/26
6:00-7:30 p.m., Mithun Hall
Dress up your little ones and join us in Mithun Hall for the annual Halloween Ball, hosted by Wayzata Community Church Nursery School. There will be a fun DJ, snacks, crafts, as well as a raffle with great prizes!

WCC NURSERY SCHOOL

WCCNS is a non-profit, non-denominational school offering toddler and preschool classes for ages 26 months to 5 years old. We are licensed by the State of Minnesota Department of Human Services, NAEYC accredited, and a Parent Aware 4-Star rated program. For more information, please contact Sara Luedke, Director, at 952-473-8877, ext. 219.

Community

NEW MEMBER ORIENTATIONS

Wednesday, 10/17, 6:00 p.m., Holmes Room
and Sunday, 10/21, 10:15 a.m., Colonnade

We invite you to our Fall New Member Orientations. Although these sessions are one of the ways you can join the church, at the heart is a time to connect with staff, clergy, and lay people and a chance to learn more about what matters most right now at WCC. Even if you elect not to join WCC right now, attending one of these Orientations will help you find a place here. New Members will be received on worship on Sunday, 10/28. Contact: Mandi Lee, mlee@wayzatacommunitychurch.org.

ADULTS

Third Thursday Readers

Thursdays: 9/20, 10/18, 11/15
1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m., Holmes Room
If you like to read and discuss books, join this group of avid readers! Books are chosen by the group members, and include literary and historical fiction, as well as non-fiction. Attend every month, or when time and interest allow. Contact: Margaret Green, margyg63@gmail.com

Bridge

Thursdays: 9/27, 10/25, 11/29
12:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m., Colonnade
If you enjoy Bridge, we have a place for you! Our Bridge Group meets monthly for fellowship, fun, and bridge. All are welcome! Contact: Polly Carver, pollycarver@comcast.net

Joan Parsons Art Exhibit

Sunday, 9/23 to Sunday, 10/28
Long Hall (outside Chapel)
Artist's Reception: Sunday, 10/7, Colonnade, 10:00 a.m.-10:45 a.m.
Using a wide variety of materials, Joan Parsons is always looking for new elements that speak to her. To create is an energizing and compelling experience for her. Come see what may inspire *your* inner Picasso!

Soup, Salad, Song Luncheon

Wednesdays: 10/17, 11/14
12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m., Mithun Hall
Join Rev. Lindy Purdy for Soup, Salad and Song and enjoy delicious homemade soups, salads, bread and dessert. Anyone 55+ is invited to share in this free lunch. Sign up at the Reception Desk or call 952-473-8877. Last minute diners are always welcome. Contact: Lindy Purdy, lpurdy@wayzatacommunitychurch.org

WOMEN

Soul Sisters Walking Group

Thursdays, 9:00 a.m.
Come and walk with us! It's a great opportunity to make new friends and get some exercise. Meet at the main entrance under the portico. New walkers are encouraged to sign up to receive notice of location or time changes. Contacts: Margaret Green, margyg63@gmail.com and Heather Comer, heatherccomer@gmail.com

Mom's Group

Mondays: 9/17, 10/15, 11/19
(3rd Monday of the month)
7:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m.,
Care of You Room
Join us to chat about a podcast each month and take a quick mom time out.

Find out about upcoming podcasts in the weekly bulletins or on Facebook at WCC Moms Group. This group is perfect for soon-to-be moms all the way up to high school moms. We love that we don't have to mom alone. Contacts: Heather Comer, heatherccomer@gmail.com or Andrea Fazendin, andrea.faz@gmail.com

Soul Sisters Fall Kick-Off (R)

Saturday, 9/29
9:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m., The Loft, 3rd Floor
Fee: $10.00. Registration required.
"Intentional Resilience: Exploring Sacred Connections for Revitalizing Spirit" with Rev. Andrea Tatley. A UCC minister and chaplain, Andrea's work is focused on nature-based therapy as it integrates with spirituality and includes the sacred creative, mindfulness and their impact on lowering anxiety and stress while increasing resiliency. Childcare provided. Contact: Karin Dayton, kndayton@comcast.net

Christmas Tea (R)

Thursday, 11/29
7:00 p.m., Mithun Hall
Join us for the annual Women's Christmas Tea, a magical night of fellowship, special holiday music, and an inspiring Christmas story. This is a special time to celebrate the Christmas season with the women close to you and in your church family. Contact: Lisette Chapman, chapman.lisette@gmail.com, 612-723-2646

MEN

Band of Brothers Chili Cookoff (R)

Sunday, 10/7
12:00-4:00 p.m., Wayzata Brewery
Sign up for our competition and bring a crockpot of chili—or just come and be a judge. We will watch The Eagles vs. The Vikings, connect with other men, and try the best pots of chili in the Twin City metroplex!

Band of Brothers Pheasant Hunt (R)

Sunday, 11/25
Contact: Jake Beard, 612-940-9764

Basketball

Saturdays: 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/3, 11/17, 11/24
8:30 a.m.-11:00 a.m., Great Hall (Gym)
Contact: Brad Sleeper, bucketlister@me.com

SPECIAL NEEDS

Respite Care (R)

Saturdays: 9/15, 11/10
9:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m., Great Hall/Gym
Friday: 10/12
5:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m., Great Hall/Gym
$20 fee. Registration required.
Parables Respite/Friendship Group is offered once a month on alternating Friday nights and Saturday mornings. The Parables Respite/Friendship Group is led by Kelly Pederson, special education teacher and Parables consultant, along with volunteers and friends of the Parables community. Contact: Kelly Pederson, kpederson1@msn.com

ALL CHURCH POTLUCK

11/4, Doors open at 5:00 p.m.
Join us in the Sanctuary for family-friendly entertainment by Aimee Lee and The Snazzy Band, followed by a Potluck in Mithun Hall. Doors open at 5:00 p.m., and the show starts at 5:30 p.m. Bring a friend! Contact: Carla Jacobson, cljmtka@gmail.com

Community Groups

Have you ever wanted to be in a small group but you didn't know how to get started? Have you ever wished you could find good materials for a small group? Do you like to not only talk about your faith but actually grow in faith, service and relationships with others?

Community Groups are a new set of small groups to help you get connected with other people at WCC while learning more about God, one another, and serving the world together.

WHEN DO COMMUNITY GROUPS MEET?

You will choose the time and dates that work for you and your group

Small groups will gather and get organized 2-3 times per year. Fall Session groups will meet from October-January (once per month).

HOW DO I JOIN A COMMUNITY GROUP?

Those who want to be in a community group can:

- Gather people together that they would like to be in a group with.

GO NIGHT: GET STARTED IN A COMMUNITY GROUP
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2018
6:00 P.M., CHAPEL
On Go Night your whole group comes to church for our kick-off event. While at Go Night you will have time to meet your group, decide on your dates for the next four months, and choose from several small group material options. These groups do not require one leader — members take turns facilitating the time using the materials we will provide.

We encourage you to find your own group. If you choose the people you want to be with, you are more likely to stay committed to meet together BUT we hope you will also invite others you don't know to join you too! If you are open to having people join you let us know when you sign up online.

- If you don't know anyone who you would like to be in a group with, sign up online and we will find a group for you.
- The ideal size for a group is 8-12 participants.

Your group chooses the day and time that works best to meet. Groups are welcome to meet in spaces provided at church. Young parents with children are encouraged to meet during a time when we offer regular kid's programming so you can take advantage of your kids being cared for while you meet. Groups can also meet in homes or other spaces.

WHAT WILL OUR GROUP USE FOR MATERIALS?

We will provide three different learning tracks for your group to choose from on Go Night. Folders will include group meeting outline, discussion questions for your meetings and a list of mission opportunities for you to choose from.

Sign up online at www.wayzatacommunitychurch.org/fallregistration to get started in a Community Group.

CANTUS

Music at Wayzata Concerts

ST. PAUL CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

The Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra returns for another wonderful season at Wayzata Community Church. Visit www.thespco.org or call 651-291-1144 to order tickets.

Haydn's Symphony No. 102

Friday, 9/21, 8:00 p.m.

The SPCO continues its exploration of Haydn's London symphonies with Symphony No. 102, a lush work written at the peak of Haydn's symphonic output. Just 12 years earlier, Mozart premiered his Symphony No. 36, written for the court in Linz, Austria. Another Austrian, Franz Schreker would find his first critical compositional success with his lyrical Intermezzo for strings, written at the turn of the 20th century, with Sang Yoon Kim, clarinet.

Mozart's Haffner Symphony

Friday, 11/9, 8:00 p.m.

Mozart's career was often inspired by commissioned composition of incidental music. Both the divertimento and the serenade that later became the Haffner Symphony were intended originally as background music, the latter for the ennoblement of Sigmund Haffner. The reworking of the serenade into a symphony brought Mozart's voice strongly to the fore, with a commanding sound and inventiveness that demands attention. The Six German Dances are thought to have been composed in less than half an hour for a ball the following day.

WAYZATA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Happy Birthday WSO!

Sunday, 10/14, 3:00 p.m.

Featuring Copland: Fanfare for the Common Man, Michael Gilbertson: Trumpet Concerto, Beethoven: Symphony No. 5 in c minor, Op. 67, Beethoven: Ode to Joy from Symphony No. 9. Guest Artist: Manny Laureano, Trumpet. The concert is free, no ticket required. Donations are gratefully accepted. Please join us for a reception following the concert to meet the musicians.

Minnesota's Own

Sunday, 11/18, 3:00 p.m.

Featuring Steve Heitzeg: While We Breathe, We Hope (Fanfare for the Obamas), Tommaso Vitali: Chaccone in g minor, Linda Haugen: Transformations of Darkness and Light. Featuring WSO Concerto Competition Winner Marion Judish, Violin. The concert is free, no ticket required. Donations are gratefully accepted. Please join us for a reception following the concert to meet the musicians.

CANTUS

Alone Together

Sunday, 10/21, 3:00 p.m.

By almost any measure, our ability to communicate has never been easier or more advanced. Yet, as the world grows exponentially smaller with new technologies, the rifts between nations and among communities only seem to widen. Exploring our struggle to build meaningful connection, Alone Together is anchored by a multi-movement setting of a Walt Whitman poem, "We Two" by Steven Sametz, and also informed by David Lang's modern exploration of yearning in his "Manifesto." A new commission from Libby Larsen helps to celebrate a reaffirmation of our humanity through a recognition of our universal need for understanding and acceptance. Join Cantus for an introspective look at what it means to connect in our world. To purchase tickets visit www.cantussings.org.

Serve

Serve Our Church

There are many vital opportunities to serve within our church community!

Greeters
Contacts: Kathy Probelski, 952-215-5398
Danielle Jones, djones@wayzatacommunitychurch.org, ext. 250

Ushers
Contacts: Jake Beard, 612-940-9764
Peggy Douglas, 612-328-4663

Sunday School Guides & Teachers
Contacts: Jodie Nyberg (Elementary), jnyberg@wayzatacommunitychurch.org, ext. 222
Hannah Cruzen (Early Childhood), hcruzen@wayzatacommunitychurch.org, ext. 248

Children and Youth Check In Volunteers
Contact: Kjerstee Miller, kmiller@wayzatacommunitychurch.org, ext. 224

Front Desk Receptionists
Contacts: Rita Beckman, 763-476-0248
Ashleigh Kreider, akreider@wayzatacommunitychurch.org, ext. 211

Interested in Volunteering?
Contacts: Mandi Lee, mlee@wayzatacommunitychurch.org, ext. 231
Danielle Jones, djones@wayzatacommunitychurch.org, ext. 250

Serve Our Community

Families Moving Forward
Sunday, 10/21-Saturday, 10/28
WCC provides shelter and hospitality in our building to families with children who are currently without a home. A team of 80 volunteers a week are needed to set up rooms for each family, welcome guests, prepare and serve meals, wash laundry, help with evening activities for children, and overnight hosting.

Please consider volunteering your time for this wonderful mission opportunity, which reaches out to children and families in need in our own community. We have volunteer openings for dinners, overnights, activities, set up/take down rooms, and for hosts. Contact: Peter Thompson, pthompson@hamline.edu.

Beacon Interfaith Luncheon
Tuesday, 10/30
12:00 p.m. at the Minneapolis Convention Center
Our Beacon partner will be raising money with the vision that all people have a home. If you're curious about just how important home is and how hard homelessness can be on a person, attend this luncheon and hear from people who have bravely overcome homelessness and reflect back on what life was like before securing their Beacon apartment. Contact: Elodie Lee at elee@beaconinterfaith.org, 651-789-6260 ext. 200.

Community Housing Committee WCC's Mission & Outreach Board

If you are interested in helping us to build affordable housing in the western metro, this is a great opportunity. Working with Beacon Interfaith, WCC has joined Beacon and other churches in the west metro to build Cranberry Ridge Housing in Plymouth, MN. Numerous opportunities are open to help get involved in this project. Contact: Erika Kringen at erikakringen@gmail.com.

Thimble Bees

Tuesdays, 9/11, 9/25, 10/9, 10/23, 11/13, 11/27 (2nd and 4th Tuesdays)
Handicrafters Tuesdays: 9/18, 10/23, 11/20 (3rd Tuesday)
9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., Mithun Hall

We use our hands and hearts in the creation of gifts to help people in need. Everyone is welcome to join our hands-on ministry. Contact: Karla Litch, karlalitch@gmail.com or Kathy Smith, ksmith3600@aol.com.

Loaves and Fishes

Monday, 10/22

WCC volunteers serve 250-400 meals at St. Stephen's Shelter in downtown Minneapolis, 6 times a year on the fourth Monday of the even numbered months. Volunteers are needed to make phone calls, cook, serve, and clean up each evening. Your involvement: 2.5 hour evenings, 1-6 months a year. Contact: Mary Meyer, meyer023@umn.edu.

Adopt a Neighborhood

Tuesdays, 9/25, 10/23, 11/27
Kimberly Meadows, 5:30 p.m.
(County Road 6 & 101 in Plymouth)

In partnership with Interfaith Outreach, Wayzata Community Church provides monthly dinners and activities for the about 50 residents of Kimberly Meadows Townhomes (at County Roads 6 & 101). Volunteers are needed to help bring food, set up and serve dinner, and to help with the family activities after dinner. Adopt a Neighborhood events are great volunteer opportunities for families and people of all ages. Contact: Vicki Thompson at peterthompson9@comcast.net or 952-542-9152.

MY VERY OWN BED

Interfaith Outreach

Volunteer Opportunities Available

Interfaith Outreach has year-round opportunities for individuals, students, families, faith communities and friends to make a lasting impact together, as well as opportunities for you to do on your own at a time and place convenient for you. Contact: https://www.iocp.org/volunteer/

My Very Own Bed

Thursdays, 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Saturdays, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon
34 13th Ave NE Minneapolis, MN 55413 (Keg Arts Building)

Delivery Volunteer: Individuals and teams, families, youth groups and work groups, are needed to deliver beds and Dream Kits. This is a hands-on, life-changing, outreach opportunity where volunteers meet and directly impact families who have experienced homelessness. Volunteers will help load the bed at the MVOB office and deliver to the families.

Donation Drive Volunteer: Organize a donation drive in your church community or work. Collect supplies for Dream Kits.

Blanket-Making Volunteer: Youth groups can make tie-blankets together as an outreach activity. Groups and individuals can make quilts, knit or crochet blankets, and put together blankets for children.

All ages are welcome, including families. Time commitment: 2-3 hours. Contact: Michael Allen, 612-799-1753 or michael@myveryownbed.org

Serve Our World

Nicaragua Task Force, Emprendedora Technical School, Granada

Volunteer Opportunities Available

The WCC Mission & Outreach Board's Education Committee is actively partnering with Opportunity International and Emprendedora school in Nicaragua. Volunteers can participate in an "English as a Second Language (ESL)" mentoring program directly with Nicaraguan students at the school. Contact: Bill Jackson at billjackson.mn@gmail.com.

Fall Calendar

SEPTEMBER

9/2 Sunday
Summer Worship Schedule
8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.

9/6 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.

9/8 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
AA, 10:00 a.m.

9/9 Sunday
Summer Worship Schedule
8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.
Community in Unity Interfaith Service
10:30 a.m., JJ Hill Days Stage, Wayzata
JJ Hill Days Parade, 2:00 p.m., Wayzata

9/10 Monday
WCC Nursery School starts

9/11 Tuesday
Thimble Bees, 9:00 a.m.

9/13 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.

9/15 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Special Needs Respite Care, 9:00 a.m.
AA, 10:00 a.m.

9/16 Sunday
Rally Day
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions
Rally Day Celebration in the Parking lot, following 10:45 a.m. worship

9/17 Monday
Soul Sisters Mom's Group, 7:30 p.m.

9/19 Wednesday
Wednesday Programming Starts
Adult CORE Classes, 10:00 a.m.
Block 1 Classes: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Block 2: Community Meal, 5:15-6:30 p.m.
Block 3 Classes: 6:30-8:00 p.m.

9/20 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.
Third Thursday Readers, 1:00 p.m.

9/21 Friday
Kids Night Out, 6:00 p.m.
SPCO Concert, 8:00 p.m.

9/22 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
AA, 10:00 a.m.

9/23 Sunday
High School Confirmation Sunday
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
Early Childhood Picnic, 10:00 a.m.
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions

9/24 Monday
Rummage Wrap-Up Dinner, 5:30 p.m.
Divorce Care, 7:00 p.m.

9/25 Tuesday
Thimble Bees, 9:00 a.m.
Adopt a Neighborhood, 6:00 p.m.

9/26 Wednesday
Adult CORE Classes, 10:00 a.m.
Block 1 Classes: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Block 2: Community Meal, 5:15-6:30 p.m.
Block 3 Classes: 6:30-8:00 p.m.
7th Grade Milestone, 6:30 p.m.

9/27 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.
Bridge, 12 noon

9/29 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Soul Sisters Fall Kick-Off, 9:00 a.m.
AA, 10:00 a.m.

9/30 Sunday
Blessing of the Backpacks
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions
Community Go Night, 6:00 p.m.

OCTOBER

10/1 Monday
Divorce Care, 7:00 p.m.

10/3 Wednesday
Adult CORE Classes, 10:00 a.m.
Block 1 Classes: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Block 2: Community Meal, 5:15-6:30 p.m.
Block 3 Classes: 6:30-8:00 p.m.
4th Grade Milestone, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

10/4 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.

10/6 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Men's Basketball, 8:30 a.m.
AA, 10:00 a.m.

10/7 Sunday
Worldwide Communion
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
Artist's Reception, 10:00 a.m.
Smart Stepfamily Class, 10:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m. Parables
Confirmation Milestone, 10:30 a.m.
10:45 a.m. Traditions
Band of Brothers Chili Cookoff, 12 noon, Wayzata Brewery

10/8 Monday
Divorce Care, 7:00 p.m.

10/9 Tuesday
Thimble Bees, 9:00 a.m.

10/10 Wednesday
Adult CORE Classes, 10:00 a.m.
Block 1 Classes: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Block 2: Community Meal, 5:15-6:30 p.m.
Block 3 Classes: 6:30-8:00 p.m.
7th Grade Milestone, 6:30 p.m.

10/11 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.

10/12 Friday
Special Needs Respite Care, 5:00 p.m.

10/13 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Men's Basketball, 8:30 a.m.
AA, 10:00 a.m.

10/14 Sunday
Celebrating 40 year Members
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
Smart Stepfamily Class, 10:15 a.m.
Confirmation Milestone, 10:30 a.m.
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions
WSO Concert, 3:00 p.m.

10/15 Monday
Divorce Care Class, 7:00 p.m.
Soul Sisters Mom's Group, 7:30 p.m.

10/16 Tuesday
Thimble Bees Handicrafters, 9:00 a.m.

10/17 Wednesday
Adult CORE Classes, 10:00 a.m.
Soup, Salad, Song Luncheon, 12 noon
Block 1 Classes: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Block 2: Community Meal, 5:15-6:30 p.m.
New Member Orientation, 6:00 p.m.
Block 3 Classes: 6:30-8:00 p.m.

10/18 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.
Third Thursday Readers, 1:00 p.m.

10/20 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Men's Basketball, 8:30 a.m
AA, 10:00 a.m.

10/21 Sunday
Baptisms
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
New Member Orientation, 10:15 a.m.
Smart Stepfamily Class, 10:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions
Families Moving Forward at WCC
Cantus Concert, 3:00 p.m.

10/22 Monday
Families Moving Forward at WCC
Divorce Care, 7:00 p.m.
Loaves and Fishes, 5:15 p.m.

10/23 Tuesday
Families Moving Forward at WCC
Thimble Bees, 9:00 a.m.
Adopt a Neighborhood, 6:00 p.m.

10/24 Wednesday
Families Moving Forward at WCC
Adult CORE Classes, 10:00 a.m.
Block 1 Classes: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Block 2: Community Meal, 5:15-6:30 p.m.
Middle School Halloween Crossroads, 6:00-8:30 p.m., offsite
Block 3 Classes: 6:30-8:00 p.m.
4th Grade Milestone, 6:30-8:00 p.m.
High School Halloween Primetime, 6:30 p.m.

10/25 Thursday
Families Moving Forward at WCC
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.
Bridge, 12 noon

10/26 Friday
Families Moving Forward at WCC
Halloween Ball, 6:00 p.m.
Kids Night Out, 6:00 p.m.

10/27 Saturday
Families Moving Forward at WCC
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Men's Basketball, 8:30 a.m
AA, 10:00 a.m.

10/28 Sunday
Reformation, New Member Sunday
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
Smart Stepfamily Class, 10:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions

10/29 Monday
Divorce Care, 7:00 p.m.

10/30 Tuesday
Fall Leadership Gathering, 6:00 p.m.

10/31 Wednesday - HALLOWEEN
NO WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS OR COMMUNITY MEAL

NOVEMBER

11/1 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.

11/3 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Men's Basketball, 8:30 a.m
AA, 10:00 a.m.

11/4 Sunday
All Saints Day
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
Smart Stepfamily Class, 10:15 a.m.
Confirmation Milestone, 10:30 a.m.
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions
All Church Potluck, 5:00 p.m.

11/5 Monday
Divorce Care, 7:00 p.m.

11/7 Wednesday
Adult CORE Classes, 10:00 a.m.
Block 1 Classes: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Block 2: Community Meal, 5:15-6:30 p.m.
Block 3 Classes: 6:30-8:00 p.m.
4th Grade Milestone, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

11/8 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.

11/9 Friday
SPCO Concert, 8:00 p.m.

11/10 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Special Needs Respite Care, 9:00 a.m.
AA, 10:00 a.m.
Middle School Interfaith Outreach Sleepout, 3:30 p.m.

11/11 Sunday
Mission Sunday
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
Smart Stepfamily Class, 10:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions
12th Grade Milestone, 10:30 a.m.

11/12 Monday
Divorce Care, 7:00 p.m.

11/13 Tuesday
Thimble Bees, 9:00 a.m.

11/14 Wednesday
Adult CORE Classes, 10:00 a.m.
Soup, Salad, Song Luncheon, 12 noon
Block 1 Classes: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Operation Christmas Service Project, 5:00 p.m.
Block 2: Community Meal, 5:15-6:30 p.m.
Block 3 Classes: 6:30-8:00 p.m.
7th Grade Milestone, 6:30-8:00 p.m.

11/15 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.
Third Thursday Readers, 1:00 p.m.

11/16 Friday
Kids Night Out, 6:00 p.m.
High School Retreat

11/17 Saturday
High School Retreat
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Men's Basketball, 8:30 a.m
AA, 10:00 a.m.

11/18 Sunday
4th Grade Bibles
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
Smart Stepfamily Class, 10:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions
WSO Concert, 3:00 p.m.

11/19 Monday
Soul Sisters Mom's Group, 7:30 p.m.

11/20 Tuesday
Thimble Bees Handicrafters, 9:00 a.m.

11/21 Wednesday
High School Turkey Bowl, 3:00 p.m.
Young Adult Event, 8:00 p.m., Nomad Bar

11/22 Thursday
THANKSGIVING

11/24 Saturday
Saturday Seekers, 8:00 a.m.
Men's Basketball, 8:30 a.m
AA, 10:00 a.m.

11/25 Sunday
Communion
Worship: 8:00 a.m. Chapel
9:00 a.m. Contemporary
Smart Stepfamily Class, 10:15 a.m.
10:30 a.m. Parables
10:45 a.m. Traditions

11/26 Monday
Author Event, Mark Lutz, 6:00 p.m.

11/27 Tuesday
Thimble Bees, 9:00 a.m.
Adopt a Neighborhood, 6:00 p.m.

11/28 Wednesday
Adult CORE Classes, 10:00 a.m.
Block 1 Classes: 4:00-5:15 p.m.
Block 2: Community Meal, 5:15-6:30 p.m.
Block 3 Classes: 6:30-8:00 p.m.

11/29 Thursday
Soul Sisters Walking Group, 9:00 a.m.
Bridge, 12 noon
Women's Christmas Tea, 7:00 p.m.

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