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WEEKLY

February 16-22, 2020

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WorshipX: Ash Wednesday

February 26, 7:00 p.m. in the Sanctuary

The season of Lent begins on Ash Wednesday. Lent is a time created as 40 days of reflection, repentance, and renewal. It comes from an old English word meaning 'lengthen.' For 40 days we are stretching time to focus on preparing the community for the fullness of Jesus. As worshipers arrive we will enter a bright worship space and receive words of repentance and hope. As the service

unfolds, we will move farther and farther into the Dark—where we will collectively spend the season of Lent. The service will conclude with receiving the ashes for all who wish. The ashes help us mark the beginning of our Lenten journey and remember that the life we hold is short and meaningful. We invite you to join us as we begin our Lenten journey together.



Coffeehouse

Experience great music! Founders Hall and Mithun Hall are transformed into a European Coffeehouse, featuring fabulous music, steamy coffee drinks from Roastlab, and delicious desserts (included in the price of your

ticket). Doors open at 6:30 p.m., music starts at 7:15 p.m. Tickets (\$10) available at the door.

- **February 21: Michael Monroe with Chris Jantzen (Mithun Hall)**

Michael's unique creation of music blends rich vocals, guitar, bamboo and glass flutes, combining musical styles of acoustic folk and jazzy reggae. Michael teams up with Chris on viola.

- **February 28: Jason Gray (Mithun Hall)**

With a heart for connecting with others, Contemporary Christian singer-songwriter Jason Gray offers compassionate honesty and authenticity through his lyrics and music. Join us for the Coffeehouse finale!



Art Exhibit: Keren Kroul - Fragmented Memories

February 19 - April 1 in the Gallery Hall

Opening reception: Sunday, February 23, 10:00 a.m.

Keren Kroul works with watercolor on paper to create dense and rhythmic organic formations. Examining identity through memory and inspired by neural pathways and natural elements, they are fantastical landscapes of the mind.

Keren was born in Haifa, Israel, to an Argentinean father and Israeli mother, and she was raised in Mexico City, Mexico and San José, Costa Rica. She currently lives in Plymouth. The exhibit is sponsored by the WCC Art & Design Committee.



Mexico Mission Trip Pancake Supper

Tuesday, February 25

5:30-7:00 pm, Mithun Hall

Please join us for a Pancake Supper, hosted by the Mexico Mission Trip participants as a fundraiser for their trip in March!

Participants will be selling tickets (\$10). Students/leaders will greet and serve our dinner guests, and we will have music and speakers sharing more about the Mexico mission trip. Tickets will also be available at the door. **There are still spots available on this trip, March 26-31!** Contact John Ross or Chris Paulson if you're interested.



Get your Big Fish Tickets Today!

Big Fish tickets are now available! Visit the table in Founders Hall this morning to reserve tickets for any of the 6 Big Fish performances. All tickets are general admission (no seats are reserved). Limit of 8. We strongly encourage those with mobility issues to reserve tickets in advance. You can also reserve tickets on our website at www.wayzatacommunitychurch.org/bigfish.

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Lent CORE Classes

This Day: Wendell Berry And Poetry Of Sabbath

Teacher: Rev. Rustin Comer

10:00 a.m., Colonnade

March 4, 11, 25 and April 1

Join us Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. during the season of Lent as

we explore the beautiful poetry of Wendell Berry and the Sabbath. We will use his collection of poetry called "This Day" in collaboration with our Lenten devotional. This will be a devotional class that asks participants to take sabbath action during the season. Class fee: \$20



Rethinking Jesus:

Four Weeks Toward a Broader Understanding

Teachers: Dr. Ron Troxel and Rev. Rustin Comer

4:00 p.m. and 6:30 p.m., Colonnade

March 4, 11, 25 and April 1

What if our understanding of Jesus and his message is actually a

concoction of selected quotes from Jesus and Paul, Greek philosophy, and a post-enlightenment desire to reduce everything down into a neat, scientific formula? What if confessions about Jesus as "very God of very God" and "of one substance with the father" are less based on scripture than on philosophical debates in the fourth century? Join us as we look toward the sacred texts and early writings of the church to uncover how we've gotten to where we are in our concepts of Jesus, and explore different ways of understanding. Class fee: \$20

Daily Lenten Devotional

Wendell Berry and the Sabbath Poetry of Lent

Sign up to receive a daily Lenten devotion in your email. Biblical texts and simple, accessible practices walk hand-in-hand with Wendell Berry's poetic vision of sabbath and the natural world. All you'll need is your favorite Bible. Week by week, we'll walk through the woods together toward Easter morning, keeping sabbath as we go— with Wendell Berry as our guide. This resource includes introductions to both the Lenten season and the ancient practice of sabbath keeping. Join us on the journey.

Register for classes and devotions online at

www.wayzatacommunitychurch.org/springregistration.



Summer Camp

Wayzata Community Church is inspired by the love of God. One of the places the love of God is made most known within the life of our community is Summer Camp. Visit our website for more details and to register: www.wayzatacommunitychurch.org/summercamp

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Soup, Salad, Song Luncheon

Wednesday, February 19

12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m., Mithun Hall

Join us for Soup, Salad and Song and enjoy delicious homemade soups, salads, bread and dessert. Anyone 55+ is invited to share in this free lunch. No reservations needed and all are welcome!

Soul Sisters Winter Event

"To Name Ourselves Beloved"

Saturday, February 22

9:00 a.m.-2:00 p.m. in the 3rd Floor Loft

Speaker: Sara Lynn Wilhelm Garbers

Fee: \$35 per person

Our speaker, Sara Lynn Wilhelm Garbers, is a friend of Danielle Jones. Sara's theme is "to name ourselves beloved". She will weave together learnings from the book "Life of the Beloved" by Henri Nouwen, teachings from Brene' Brown, and scripture to create an opportunity for meaningful and inspirational conversation. Read more and register at www.wayzatacommunitychurch.org/winterregistration

sermon notes

Notes & Resources

Books to consider...

Growing Young by Powell, Mulder, & Griffen (Baker 2016)

Faith for Exiles by Kinnaman & Matlock (Baker 2019)

iGen by Twenge (Atria 2017)

Quietly Courageous by Rendle (Rowman & Littlefield 2019)

3 Marks of Gen Z

Diverse— in every way

Driven— to succeed

Digital— raised with screens

Generations (by age in 2019*)

Gen Z— ages 22 & under**

Gen Y (aka Millennials)—ages 23-38

Gen X— ages 39-54

Boomers— ages 55-73

Silent— ages 74-91

Greatest— ages 92 & over

*Age ranges vary by analysis

** No endpoint has been set yet for Gen Z.
