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WORSHIP SERVICES: 8:45 and 11:00 am • CHURCH SCHOOL: 9:45 am • Jay Carlson and Ingrid Rasmussen, Pastors

WORSHIP LEADERSHIP

I have been away from worship for two weeks. The first Sunday was spent with my husband Paul's family in Sisseton, SD, following the death of his beloved grandmother Mary. Mary, a woman who loved stories, books, grandchildren, chocolate, the arts, and post-it notes, died in her home at the age of 92. It was helpful to gather with family and friends to grieve.

The second was spent at the Collegeville Institute for Ecumenical and Cultural Research at St. John's University in an intensive program focused on literary writing. Led by Mary Nilsen, a creative writing instructor and publisher from Iowa, I wrote in the company of eleven other pastors and one creation care scientist. Kathleen Norris calls St. John's "one of the last magical places on earth." My experience tells me she's right.

I'm thankful that while I'm away for personal and professional reasons the work of the church continues. Just this past week, I followed emails and Facebook posts that told me that an acacia tree was being constructed for Summer Day Camp, that applications for the musician position were rolling in, that the relationship with Broadway High School was building, that medical treatments were continuing, and that worship on Holy Trinity Sunday would, in fact, happen. The community leads at Holy Trinity, a fact that becomes even clearer when I find myself separated from y'all.

This summer we hope to identify even more people with an interest in worship leadership. We rely on the help of more than 30 people each Sunday. Member Stella Townsend has agreed to help organize these efforts. She says that "if you've always wanted to be an acolyte, communion assistant, assisting minister (reader), usher, coffee host, crucifer, or member of the altar guild (Holy Communion preparer) we have a spot for you! No theological training is needed. Only a desire to be an active part of the community."

Pastor Jay, Stella, and I will host a training event on Tuesday evening, July 15. We'll walk through each of these worship roles. We'll hear from congregational experts, who can speak from their own experiences. We'll have fun. Sign up in the Community Room if you intend to come. If you are unable to join us that evening, but would like to take on a new leadership role, please contact the church office or Stella (stownsend4@comcast.net or 612-333-2073) for a personalized training.

— Ingrid Rasmussen, Pastor

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

This summer and fall we will hear readings from Genesis and Exodus in worship along with Gospel readings from Matthew. We begin with remembering God's faithfulness to Abraham, Sarah, and Hagar.



LESSONS

Genesis 21:8-21
Psalm 86
Romans 6:1b-11
Matthew 10:24-39

ADULT FORUM

10:00 am — In the library

JUNE 22 SEARCHING FOR AN ORGANIST/CHOIR DIRECTOR The Search Committee

The search for an organist/choir director is in full swing. The forum will provide an opportunity to hear how the search is being conducted and to share your thoughts on the process.

WOMEN AND JUSTICE

The ELCA Task Force on Women and Justice: One in Christ will host a listening event at Christ Church Lutheran on July 13th at 11:15 a.m. A representative of the Task Force will facilitate the discussion. The conversation will aid the ELCA in its continued work on this social statement. Participants are invited to read about the work that's already been done (www.elca.org/womenandjustice). All people are welcome to attend and lend their voices to the work.

LONGFELLOW NEIGHBORHOOD GET TOGETHER

Join your neighbors in celebrating the warmer weather at Fireroast Café, 3800 37th Ave S! This family friendly event will be held on Tuesday, June 24th and is all about mingling with your neighbors at a great local business in the Greater Longfellow Neighborhood. We are celebrating everything great about Longfellow and raising funds for more programs to improve the neighborhood!

Enjoy samples from the Fireroast Café menu, get a free massage from Julia Chavira of The Well Being Studio for Shiatsu&Massage, bid on items from local businesses in the silent auction, buy food from the Kabomelette Food Truck and enjoy the company of friends new and old!

PARISH INFORMATION

ENCORE! BREAKFAST GET-TOGETHER

All are invited to join the Encore! group (formerly 50s & Beyond) for breakfast and conversation on the third Thursday of each month. Meet at Turtle Bread, 34th Street and 42nd Avenue at 8 a.m. **This month they meet on June 19.**

MUSIC IN THE GARDEN

Join us in the Rain Garden on Sunday, June 22, noon - 1 p.m. Ann Schrooten and young musicians from Holy Trinity's summer camp will perform. They will present music of Africa that they worked on during the previous week's camp.

LUTHERAN NIGHT AT THE TWINS – SAVE THE DATE!

In order to get the special rate of \$25 for the Twins Game, July 22, we need to have 25 people sign up and **buy tickets by JUNE 30.** If you plan to attend, remember this date deadline. So far we have only 11. The game starts at 7:10 - but we'll gather at church and take the light rail to Target Field for the game. Sign up in the Community Room to reserve your seat. Talk to Pam Kildahl or Pastor Ingrid for more information.

CREATION CARE TEAM MEETING

There is a creation care team meeting scheduled for July 9, 7:00 p.m. All who are interested in Holy Trinity's initiative are welcome. Need more information? Call Dennis Ormseth.

FUNERAL PLANNING GUIDE

Pastors Jay and Ingrid, in cooperation with the Worship and Fine Arts Committee, have completed a funeral planning guide to be used by members of this congregation. By walking through end of life decisions, particularly as they relate to funeral or memorial service preparations, the guide acts as a tool to begin conversations with family members and friends. Copies are available in the Community Room. Contact the pastors with questions.

PARTNERSHIP WITH BROADWAY LONGFELLOW HIGH SCHOOL

Holy Trinity is building its partnership with Broadway Longfellow, the nearby high school that serves pregnant and parenting teens. After two exciting meetings with the school's principal, school improvement specialist, and teachers, we have the information we need to organize our efforts. Join us on June 30 at 7:00 pm in the library, as we dream about ways to build more relationships with our immediate neighborhood.

PARISH EVENTS June 22-28, 2014

Sunday	8:45, 11 am	Worship Services with Holy Communion
	9:45 am	Confirmation Teacher Meeting
	10:00 am	Adult Forum
	12:00 pm	Music in the Garden
	2:00 pm	Swahili Service
Monday	6:00 pm	Musician Search Committee
Tuesday	6:00 pm	Tanzania Travelers Meeting

African Pastors Fund by Bud Dixen. **Exodus Lending** by Kathy Hollander/Rod Johnson, Donna Carlson. **Boiler Fund** by Sue/Bill Roberts, Rick/Jody Liedholm, Carol Johnson. **Special Gift in memory of Mary Krefth** by Vern/Vi Michaelson. **Mosaic project** by Bill/Sue Roberts.

WORSHIP PARTICIPANTS June 22, 2014

8:45 AM		11:00 AM
Jay Carlson	Preacher	Jay Carlson
Ingrid Rasmussen	Presiding Minister	Ingrid Rasmussen
Tevy Nou	Acolytes	Linnea Krig Emily Davison
Joyce Peterson	Assisting Minister	Stella Townsend
Anne Beschnett	Crucifer	Troy Davison
Kevin Proescholdt Lisa Martens	Communion	Laura Bolstad David Krig
Bruce/Lisa Martens	Altar Guild	Dick/Betty Pittelkow
Bob Peschiutta, DeWayne Townsend Neil Anderson	Ushers	George Madich, Bob/Helen Norheim, Mark Hiner
	Nursery	Kris Christians
Bob/Jane Aldrich	Coffee Servers	Stephanie/Scott Cole
Bob Peschiutta Donna Heyer	Counters	Gary Johnson Vicki Mann
	Closer	Cliff Brown

Financial Report	June 15	Year to Date
Budget Requirements	13,591.35	326,192.31
Budget Receipts	9,107.65	318,866.51
World Hunger	-	10,579.57
Boiler Donations	2,175.00	24,223.50
ELCA Malaria Campaign	-	1,000.00
African Pastor's endowment	20.00	835.00
Exodus Appeal	101.00	6,918.00
Food Shelf	-	160.00

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