

Calendar for the Week

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TODAY...SUNDAY, March 15

9:30 a.m. Worship

10:45 a.m. Sunday School and Frolic

10:45 a.m. "Seeing White" Podcast

11:00 a.m. Asst. Minister Training

4:00 p.m. MN FoodShare Benefit

Concert: *The Seven Last Words of Christ* presented by the GA Choir and the Northeast Chorale

MONDAY, March 16

7:00 p.m. Book Discussion

TUESDAY, March 17

6:30 p.m. Bible & Brews at
Jenny and Sean's

WEDNESDAY, March 18

6:00 p.m. Soup Supper

6:15 p.m. Gustavus Bells

6:30 p.m. Contemporary Choir

7:00 Evening Prayer Service – Prayers
of Healing for Broken Relationships

7:30 p.m. Senior Choir

THURSDAY, March 19

6:30 p.m. Church Council

6:30 p.m. Lent Bible Study

7:00 p.m. Narcotics Anonymous (NA)

FRIDAY, March 20

SATURDAY, March 21

NEXT SUNDAY, March 22

9:30 a.m. Worship

10:45 a.m. Sunday School and Frolic

"SEEING WHITE" PODCAST SERIES – AFTER WORSHIP

The Congregational Life Committee continues its monthly education series: The award winning series "Seeing White" from *Scene on Radio*. We meet monthly and will next meet **today at 10:45 in the Faith Room**.

There is no preparation required and it does not matter if you miss a month. This month's episode will be the second half of the episode that was begun in February. Episodes are under 45 minutes. Sean Tessmer and Amanda Hakemian will facilitate.

"SEVEN LAST WORDS..." CONCERT THIS AFTERNOON

We hope many of you will want to come back to church this afternoon at 4:00 p.m. for the benefit concert, *The Seven Last Words of Christ*.

Remember to bring your checkbooks to support the MN FoodShare appeal, with our donations going to support our local food shelves in NE.

MONDAY NIGHT BOOK GROUP – TOMORROW EVENING

Join us tomorrow at 7:00 p.m. in the Fireside Room as we compare/contrast two foundational documents of the Civil Rights era. We will discuss Malcolm X's speech *The Bullet or the Ballot* and Reverend Martin Luther King Jr.'s *Letter from a Birmingham Jail*. Both documents are available online or are often included in anthologies at your local public library. If you need help obtaining copies of either document, please let Andrea Carter know.

BIBLE AND BREWS ON TUESDAY EVENING

Join us on Tuesday, March 17, as we discuss Scripture, current events, the Church, and of course...beer. Bring your favorite libation to share with the group. (If you'd like to help our hosts by bringing a snack as well, please do!) This month we'll once again meet at the home of Jenny and Sean Tessmer, 1392 Buchanan Place NE, Columbia Heights. Hope to see you there!

WEDNESDAYS IN LENT

Take time out on Wednesdays during the weeks of Lent for a time at church. We will offer soup suppers and a 30-minute worship time each week. We will sing the well-loved *Holden Evening Prayer* liturgy and take time to offer prayers around the cross for healing each week. Here is the schedule for our Wednesdays together:

✠ 6:00 p.m. Soup Suppers in Fellowship Hall

✠ 7:00 p.m. Evening Prayer (for Healing) in the Sanctuary

LENT BIBLE STUDY OPPORTUNITY – THURSDAY EVENINGS

What kind of an instrument am I? Come and find out Thursdays during Lent from 6:30-8:15 p.m. in the Media Room at GA with Cheryl and Joan. Each Thursday during Lent. Please join us!

PLAN TO ATTEND "STATE OF THE INTERIM" REPORT

On Sunday, March 29, after worship, we will have a potluck, and Pastor Susan will present a report of our interim period thus far. Her report will include data from several sources. Pr. Susan will help us interpret the data and draw some conclusions about next steps in this time of interim. To accommodate this meeting, Sunday school and Frolic will be canceled, and childcare will be provided during the report. Everyone who considers GA to be their church should plan to attend this meeting.