





Faces of Parables Photo Exhibit Meet & Greet

Join us this morning to see the photos and meet and greet our photography "Stars" from 10-10:30 a.m.! The photos are displayed in the hallway outside the Chapel. Refreshments will be served in the Colonnade.

The "Known by Name" photo exhibit is the lovely result of a collaboration between Upstream Arts and Parables Summer Camp. This gallery serves as a joyful introduction to the WCC Parables community and their many talents and gifts.





worshipX: a gratitude xperience

Join us for a new kind of worship experience: worshipX. This unique Wednesday community gathering will meet at 6:30 p.m. in the Sanctuary on November 27, Thanksgiving Eve, for a Gratitude Xperience. Music, inspirational words & poetry, lyrical messages — all designed to offer encouragement, peace, gratitude and joy in connection with one another. A Community Meal will be served from 5:15-6:30 p.m. in Mithun Hall prior to worship. (Wednesday classes & programs will not meet.)



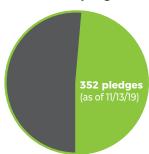
Mexico Mission Trip 2020

When: March 26-31, 2020 (Thursday-Tuesday)
Where: Tecate, Mexico (AMOR Ministries)
Who: All WCC High School Students & Friends
Cost: \$1,400 (plus one group fundraiser)*
Sign Up: \$250 deposit by December 18, 2019
* Additional fundraisers and scholarships upon request.
For more information visit wayzatacommunitychurch.
org/grow/student-ministries/high-school/mexico-mission-trip/

INFORMATIONAL MEETING:

Monday, November 18, 6:00 p.m., The Loft

2020 Pledges to Date Goal: 715 pledges



Make it Matter 2020

WCCPLEDGE.ORG

Help make WCC matter in 2020... and beyond. We hope to...

- 1. Increase our capacity for CARE
- Add to our ability to INNOVATE ...but we need everyone's help.

As of Wednesday, November 13, we have 352 pledges. **Every gift matters!** Thank you for your generous support of the worship and ministries of Wayzata Community Church.

Don't Wait for the Plate









Text to 952-800-9300



grow

Advent CORE Class

Carols: The Rest of the Story
Teachers: Rev. Mike Halleen, Rev.
Rustin Comer
10:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m., Chapel
December 4, 11, and 18
(10 a.m. only on 12/18)

The first known Christmas hymns may be traced to 4th-century Rome. The songs we know specifically as carols were originally communal songs sung during celebrations like harvest tide as well as Christmas. It was only later that carols began to be sung in church, and to be specifically associated with Christmas. Some of us grew up listening to Paul Harvey on the radio. At the end of his segment he would always say "Now it's time for the rest of the story." This intro would be followed by some of the best unveilings of history, and pop culture. As we focus on the 300th anniversary of the carol Joy to the World, there is no better time to hear "the rest of the story," of our favorite carols. Join us Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. Fee: \$20 for course material. Register at www.wayzatacommunitychurch.org/winterregistration

Mental Health Study/Action Group

As a follow-up to our recent NAMI Mental Health Forum, we are forming a study/action group for those interested in helping to develop programs to support people experiencing mental illness in our faith communities. Our next meeting is Thursday, November 21 at 7:00 p.m. in the Holmes Room. If you are interested, but did not attend the forum, please contact Mike Andert, (952) 240-6440, mandert@comcast.net

serve



Be a Bell Ringer!

Be a Bell Ringer for the Salvation Army this Advent season. WCC has opportunities to serve at the Wayzata & Navarre Lund's and Byerly's stores from November 21 through December 24. A bell and apron will be waiting for

you at the kettle! The Salvation Army helps fight hunger and give warmth and shelter to those in need. Sign up in Founders Hall, or contact Dana Morrison, danalmorrison@mac.com.

community



Big Fish Auditions: November 18 & 19

Make a splash with us in March 2020 as a part of this beautiful story that includes

sweeping music, larger-than-life production numbers, and a reminder that life is not always about the destination, but the lessons you learn along the way. **Production dates**: Wednesday, March 18 - Sunday, March 22, 2020 (6 shows).

Auditions: Monday, November 18 & Tuesday, November 19

- **Children:** 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.
- Youth & Adults (6th grade to age 101) 7:30 p.m.-9:45 p.m. Read more about this production on our website at www.wayzatacommunitychurch.org/community/theater/

Women's Christmas Tea

Thursday, December 5
Doors open at 6:00 p.m.,
Program starts at 7:00 p.m.
Join us for the annual Women's
Christmas Tea, an evening
designed to bring women
together to relax with old friends,
make new acquaintances, listen

to one of Lindy's inspiring stories, and raise our voices to celebrate Christmas in song. The evening comes to life with beautifully decorated Christmas tables and scrumptious desserts provided by our talented table hostesses. We look forward to joining together for this magical evening! Register at wayzatacommunitychurch.org/ winterregistration

sermon notes

Micah: Rote or Required?