

WEEKLY eBLAST

Sunday March 17, 2019

Second Sunday in Lent

9:00 a.m. **Adult Ed.**

9:30 a.m. **Choir**

10:00 a.m. **Worship**

11:15 a.m. **Youth Group**

2:00 p.m. **Bach Cantata Choir Concert**

Adult Education March

Rev. David Dornack and Judith Mowry are leading a class on the book *Waking Up White*. You can purchase the book from the office for \$18.

Lenten Devotional Book

"Seeking the Path of Christ through Lent" is our theme for the Lenten Devotional Book. You can pick up your devotional book on Sunday after worship or in the office during the week.

Seeking the Creative Spirit ~~ Spotlight on RCPPC Artists

March Artist: Norma (Humburg) Dornack

The paintings from David Dornack's mother, Norma, are being presented in the parlor during March. Norma created the artwork in this show when she was a student at Mankato State University. Most of her paintings are pastels using colors typical of the late 1940's and early 50's. David believes most of her work is original and were class projects/assignments. The exhibit honors her during the month she was born (March 24) and memorializes her life two years after her death (March 30, 2017). David treasures his mother's art which hung in the family home and now shares it with the church community for its enjoyment.

Sunday School Meets After the Anthem

The curriculum being used is PCUSA Growing in Grace and Gratitude

Nursery 0-5 meets in the nursery downstairs

Kindergarten - 2nd grades meets in the Play Room downstairs

3rd-6th grades meets in the Children's Library

This Week March 18 - 23

Painting Dates

Beginning on Monday 3/18, the lower and upper narthex will be painted as well as the area outside the nursery extending to the 45th street entrance. On weekdays, 3/18 to 3/27, folks entering the church should use the entrances on the east end (45th Street Door) or the main office entry.

Monday March 18

10:00 a.m. **Women's Coffee:** Ch. Library

7:00 p.m. **Triennium Leaders:** TBD

Tuesday March 19

12:00 p.m. **Interfaith Alliance:** Ch. Library

7:00 p.m. **Session:** Chapel

Wednesday March 20

1:00 p.m. **Reading in the Afternoon:** Chapel

6:00 p.m. **Free Yoga:** Playroom

Thursday March 21

10:00 a.m. **Gentle Moves:** Playroom

1:30 p.m. **Social Action:** Library

5:30 p.m. **Hand Bell Choir:** Chapel

7:00 p.m. **Chancel Choir:** Chapel

Saturday March 23

10:00 a.m. Meet at RCPPC for **Labyrinth tours**

Tower Youth - Fort Vancouver Tour

Announcements

About Visitors in Need

The Deacons and Session are developing a plan to offer appropriate service to any who come to the church asking for money. In the meantime, Please DO NOT give cash to any who come asking. Our plan will include options for giving instead of cash. But for now, please say to visitors who ask, "Our policy is not to give cash. But we would like to invite you to sit with us

for worship and join us for fellowship and coffee after the service.”

Labyrinth Tours in Lent

Worship & Arts Committee offers a new spiritual practice of walking labyrinths on two Saturdays in Lent.

MARCH 23, 10:00 AM – Meet in the church parking lot and carpool to The Grotto to walk the Chartres–style labyrinth in the Upper Gardens. There will be a fee for the elevator of \$7.00 (age 13–64), \$6.00 (65 & older), children free.

APRIL 13, 10:00 am – Meet in the church parking lot to carpool to the labyrinth in the parking lot of Unity Church, SE Stark and 47th Avenue. If it is a dry day, we will continue to Mt. Tabor Presbyterian Church to walk its labyrinth.

Can't walk labyrinths on these days? Pick up a list of labyrinths in the Narthex and make time to walk several during Lent on your own or with friends.

Agape Village Winter Build

Warm weather will soon arrive! Time for building tiny homes in Agape Village (At the Church of the Nazarene, corner of Powell and I-205). Social Action Committee has reserved time for us on Saturday, March 30, 10 AM to 3 PM. Carpentry skills are not required. Contact George Johnson or Steve Meinhard if you want more information or to volunteer.

Prayers & Praises

David Bell – Back in the hospital

PRAISES:

Greg Balmer's foot is doing much better, and we celebrate that he was back in church on Sunday.

Coming Up

Mar. 25	Women's Coffee
Mar. 27	Reading in the Evening
Mar. 30	Women's Morning Retreat
April 1	Office Closed
	Communication Team
April 3	Martha Service
April 4	Lion's Blood Drive
	Interfaith Alliance
April 5	Clergy Women
April 6	Men's Breakfast

Important Links

[RCPPC Events Calendar](#)

A New Congregational Calendar!

Your Communications Committee is slowly phasing in a new congregational calendar on our website. The plan is for every activity/event to be included there. Only special events will be featured on the home page of the website. This will support our office staff and, we hope, make it easier for our members and friends to stay up to date on everything that is happening.

You can see the calendar here: <http://bit.ly/RCPPCcalendar>

You can also find it as a drop-down item under the Events tab of the main menu, at the top of the page.

[March Broadcaster](#)

[RCPPC FaceBook](#)

Please Visit Us on Facebook!

RCPPC's Facebook page posts regular updates about activities, church news, and some prayers and meditations to buoy your spirit until Sunday. Even if you don't want to be active on Facebook in any other way, it's easy to sign up for a Facebook account today and simply read the church's page. Your Communications team would love for you to join us there.

If you would like to join Rose City Park Presbyterian Church or learn more information, please talk with David or Paulette or email paulette@rosecityparkpres.org



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