

Nassau Generations

Weekly News & Events at Nassau Presbyterian Church

March 5, 2017

ADULT EDUCATION

TODAY

"I Am the Lord of the Dance, Said He"

9:15 AM, Assembly Room, Meagan Woods

Lament: What Is It?

9:15 AM, Music Room, Melissa Martin

ONGOING

First Corinthians

9:15 AM, Maclean House, George Hunsinger
Through May 21

NEXT WEEK

Caravaggio's Passion of Christ

9:15 AM, Assembly Room, Jason Oosting

Visualize Christ's Passion through the eyes of a profane genius, Caravaggio. We will examine several of his works of art, discussing both the events of his turbulent life and his revolutionary painting style, focusing primarily on how it was intended to elicit powerful, emotional responses in viewers from the 17th century to the present.

Lament: Addressing God

9:15 AM, Music Room, Melissa Martin

In a world filled with evil, we sometimes find ourselves overwhelmed and frustrated. Families deteriorate, relationships are broken, and power is abused. As people who believe in the goodness of God, come and look at lament as a response to the problem of evil.

Women Are Not for Rent, Children Are Not for Sale

12:15 PM, Niles Chapel, Jennifer Lahl

There are medical, ethical and legal issues swirling around the reproductive technologies available today to would-be parents. How can we begin to think about our Christian response to the question, "How should we reproduce?"

Senior Adult Lunch

Senior adults are invited to join us next Sunday, March 12, for a light lunch in the Assembly Room, \$8 per person. Reservations are requested, but not required, by contacting Lauren Yeh.

Contact Lauren Yeh (x106, lyeh@nassauchurch.org)

Spring Forward Next Sunday

Daylight Saving Time begins in the wee morning hours of next Sunday, March 12. Be sure to "spring forward" and set the clocks *ahead* one hour before church.

Inquirers Class for Prospective Church Members

Come explore the meaning of Christian faith, church membership, and the foundations of the Presbyterian Church (USA). Inquirers Class is open to anyone wanting to discover more about our church and is required for those who wish to become church members. Class begins TODAY Sunday, March 5, and continues March 12 and 19, from 9:30-10:30 AM in Niles Chapel.

Contact Lauren McFeaters (lauren@nassauchurch.org, x102)

Mass Incarceration Task Force

The Mass Incarceration Task Force meets TODAY, 12:15-1:15 PM in Niles Chapel, with coffee and cookies provided. Hear about our latest initiative, tutoring at Trenton Area Soup Kitchen (T.A.S.K.), and sign up to join our 15 prison pen pal letter-writers. Plus, we will spend time sharing and brainstorming new initiatives. The Task Force meets in Niles Chapel the first Sunday of each month, September to May, 12:15-1:15 PM. Learn more at nassauchurch.org.

Contacts

Mary Beth Charters (marybeth.charters@ptsem.edu)

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Guatemala Trip Promises Sights and Learning, Service in Parramos

See Parramos up close in this summer's trip to Guatemala, July 14-23. The trip includes educational visits to beautiful Lake Atitlán, nearby Mayan villages, colonial Antigua, and the highlands town of Parramos. In Parramos we will visit the students and teachers of the New Dawn school and complete a service project for the people of the town. "I will always remember how warm and friendly everyone was," says a previous participant.

Adults and accompanied youth are invited to participate. Intrigued? Learn more at an informational meeting next Sunday, March 12, at 12:15 PM in Room 202.

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Youth Fellowship

All youth are invited to Fellowship and Dinner tonight. See "Today at Nassau" on the bulletin back page for times.

Breaking Bread

College students, young adults, and all are invited to Niles Chapel at 8:00 PM for Breaking Bread, a community of saints and sinners who gather around Jesus' table to worship, share stories, and grow as the beloved community.

Music at Nassau

Membership in our musical groups is always open. Check the website for information about rehearsal times and worship service responsibilities. To learn more, contact Lauren Yeh (x106, lauren.yeh@nassauchurch.org).

Sunday Flowers

The following dates are available for Sanctuary flower donations: March 12, 19, and 26. Flower arrangements begin at \$75.00. After Sunday worship, the flowers are taken on care visits by the deacons. To give, please contact Melissa Martin (melissa.martin@nassauchurch.org, x133).

Prayer Chain

To request prayer for yourself, a loved one or friend, contact Deacon Debbi Roldan (609-688-9550, 6drrar@gmail.com), who will initiate the prayer chain. All concerns are confidential. You may also write your concerns in the prayer book in the Narthex. If you wish to participate in the chain, Debbi can add your email or phone number to the list.

Nassau-Westminster Partnership

Volunteers are needed for the English School at Westminster Church, Wednesdays from 7:00 to 8:00 PM. For more information contact Bill Stoltzfus (w.a.stoltzfus@gmail.com).

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Breaking Bread Small Group

In the Breaking Bread small group we will explore different prayer practices that help us prepare a way for God's peace in our lives, our communities, our nation, and our world. Julia Watkins will gather the group before Breaking Bread at 7:00 PM in the small conference room in the Main Office. The first meeting is TODAY, followed by meetings on March 12, March 26, and April 9.

Music for Flute and Piano by Women Composers

Westminster Conservatory at Nassau will feature music written by women for flute and piano at the next recital on Thursday, March 16, at 12:15 PM in Niles Chapel. The performers, Kevin Willois, flute, and Kyu-Jung Rhee, piano, are members of the Westminster Conservatory faculty. The program includes the *Nocturne* of Lili Boulanger, Cecile Chaminade's *Concertino*, two works by Sofia Gubaidulina, *Allegro Rustico* and *Sounds of the Forest*, and Rhonda Larsen's *Lug-nasa* for solo flute.

Friends and Family CPR Classes

Learn life-saving skills on Sundays, March 26 or April 2, 12:15-1:15 PM in the free Friends and Family CPR course. You will learn how to perform Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation and how to help adults and children who are choking. The class is designed for family members, friends, and members of the community who want to learn CPR but do not need a course certification card. It is free but registration is required: www.princeptonhcs.org/calendar or 888-897-8979. "Where two or more are gathered...one should know CPR."

Contact Barbara Happer (whapper666@aol.com, 609-921-1487)

Lenten Reading from Dave Davis

David A. Davis' book *Lord, Teach Us to Pray* is a series of Lenten meditations on the Lord's Prayer. It is available through Lent in the church office for \$15.

Job Posted for Associate Director for Children's and Youth Choirs

The job description for Associate Director for Children's and Youth Choirs has been posted to the News section of the website. Applications are due by tomorrow, Monday, March 6. Contact Noel Werner to recommend a candidate. Church members who wish to apply are asked to contact Noel directly to schedule a conversation prior to submitting a cover letter and resume.

Contact Noel Werner (noel@nassauchurch.org, x104)

Easter Brass and Tulip Memorials

We invite you to give in memory or in honor of a loved one for our *Easter brass ensemble* and *Easter tulips*, which adorn the church so beautifully on Easter Sunday. A listing of all commemorations will be printed in the worship bulletin on Easter Sunday. After worship deacons deliver the tulips to the ill, homebound, and bereaved. For your convenience, order cards are available in the main office. You may also order by contacting Melissa Martin. Checks can be made payable to Nassau Presbyterian Church. The deadline is Sunday, April 2.

Contact Melissa Martin (x133, melissamartin@nassauchurch.org)

Devotions for a Lenten Journey

To help strengthen, inspire, and connect our community of faith, the Adult Education Committee has developed a series of reflections for Lent written by members of the Nassau congregation. Stop by the table during Fellowship to pick up a print copy or leave your email address to receive a daily (5:00 AM) email devotion. Also follow us during this season of Lent on Facebook or Twitter.

Are you signed up but having trouble receiving the Lenten Devotional emails? You may need to add office@nassauchurch.org to your email contacts or rescue our emails from your Promotions or Junk folders. Call the office for further tips.