

## This Week at Prince of Peace

### Monday, March 2

9:00am Monday Morning Crew  
7:00pm Generosity Committee  
7:00pm Basketball with Milt

### Tuesday, March 3

7:00am Presidential Primary Elections  
8:45am NO ECFE Drop-in & Play  
9:30am OG's Text Study @ Caribou  
2:30pm YogaDevotion (chair yoga)  
7:00pm Worship Band Rehearsal

### Wednesday, March 4

8:45am ECFE Drop-in & Play  
2:30pm Staff Meeting  
5:30pm Pop Rocks!  
6:00pm Bell Choir Rehearsal  
7:00pm Lent Worship—"Holy Surprise"  
7:40pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal

### Thursday, March 5

7:30pm Theology on Tap

### Friday, March 6

2:30pm Cookie Baking

### Saturday, March 7

6:30pm Meditative Drumming

### Sunday, March 8

8:30am Worship Service  
9:40am Faith Formation Hour:  
**Adult Forum\***  
**Sunday School**  
**Foundations**  
10:45am Worship Service

### \*Next Week's Adult Forum:

In the Gospel reading we hear of the healing of the blind man Bartimaeus. The Lions Club is committed to testing eyesight of school children throughout the country. Come hear **Optician Joe Juettner**, tell us about this important effort taking place here in Minnesota.

## Next Sunday: March 8

Band Led

*It's Not About Your Place*

**Anthem:**

*Worship Team (8:30)*  
*Chancel Choir (10:45)*

**Reading:**

*Mark 10: 32-52*

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## This Week's Lent Offering:

### ELCA WORLD HUNGER—March 4th

Your gifts make it possible for the ELCA to respond to our neighbors, near and far, supporting sustainable solutions that get at the root causes of hunger and poverty.



## What's Happening @ Prince of Peace

### Special Mtg of Congregation @ 12pm

Please join us at noon. The congregation is being asked to accept the recommendations of the Generosity Committee & Congregation Council to allocate portions of the gifts from the estate of Rose Diestler. This includes a tithe of \$76K to support both Lutheran Disaster Response and Keystone Community Services, plus \$200K dedicated in matching funds to support an appeal to raise an additional \$50K to make the Enduring Gifts Fund active. The congregation is currently being led in a discernment process to determine the use of the remaining funds (approx. \$485K).

### Welcome Abe Hunter!

A skilled partner with vocalists & instrumentalists alike, we are pleased to welcome Abe to our worship & music ministry team. He's performed in the US & Canada, as well as opera festivals in Austria & Italy. Founder of *The Lied Society*, he is devoted to advancing art song into a leading role for preeminent voices of tomorrow. Abe lives in NE Mpls with his 2yr old Pomimo, Storm.

### March Older Kids Senior Ministry

"A Glimpse into the Life of a WWII Veteran" is the Older Kids theme on Thurs, March 12. Jan Hanson will share highlights of her dad's WWII history, including a video presentation of the "Freedom Flight" he went on to Washington, DC, as well as raising the flag at a Twins Game. Social hour begins at 11:30, lunch at noon with program following. Cost is \$15. Make reservations after worship on March 1 or 8 or by Helen Danielson at 651-765-1940.

### Soup Supper Sign-up

Help the youth raise funds for their summer trip. Sign up to bring food in the narthex.

### Today in Faith Formation—9:40am

**Sunday School:** meets downstairs to hear the story of Jesus and the rich man and determine if a camel can really go through the eye of a needle.

**Foundations (7-12gr):** join Cori in the triangle room and wonder together, what is "Church Life" all about?

**Adult Forum in the reception room:** Lent is a time to reflect on spiritual practices. To help us with this, we have invited **Diane Boroff**, a volunteer for "Minnesota Contemplative Outreach." She will introduce us to the practice of Centering Prayer.

It's not about  
**YOU...**  
but it is.

We get so wrapped up in the "important" things that fill our lives—our status, our stuff, our expectations, our image--that it is jarring to hear "it's not about you." Even Jesus' closest companions keep getting it wrong. They barely notice that Jesus focuses on the young, the humble, the marginalized, and others who rarely have a voice. Join us during Lent as we explore how Jesus flips the script. Once we let go of our own baggage, we might just discover that it really has been about us all along.

### Theology on Tap

One Drink, One Question, One Hour. Thurs, March 5, 7:30pm @ Ol' Mexico (Larpenteur & Lexington). This month's question: *What do we risk with an interconnected world?*

**Habitat for Humanity Work Days**

The dates for PoP’s participation in the 2020 Habitat for Humanity project have been set. We’re scheduled for 7 work days, with 24 work slots. Our dates are: April 14, 15, 27, & 28 and June, 1, 8, & 9. In addition, PoP is asked to provide snacks and the noon meal on April 14 & 15. We need an additional 8 volunteers (4 per day) to provide the food. The sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board in the main hallway. Questions? Contact Chris Henningson at 651-642-1080.

**Intergenerational Event on March 15**

Our Lenten theme is “It’s Not About You...but it is.” It’s about what Jesus does for us by dying on the cross. It’s also about us as people of God. In March we’ll focus on connecting with each other. Come & play with us – Lent Jeopardy, Jesus’ story Pictionary, & Bible Bingo. We’ll have a life-size Candyland or you can paint your self-portrait for our Lenten display.

**PoP Hosting Poverty Simulation**

Sponsored by *Do Good Roseville*, the event will happen at PoP on March 29, 2-4:30pm. The Poverty Simulation is designed for 18+ years old. Last spring 15 PoP members participated. They learned about the challenges faced by those experiencing poverty. Questions? Contact Pr Betsy. Register for the event at [DoGoodRoseville.com/register](http://DoGoodRoseville.com/register).

**We Want Your Self-Portrait**

How would you capture a portrait of yourself on a 6”x6” canvas? Would you use paint? Would you take a photo? Would you make a collage? Would it be realistic or more abstract? Consider all of these and grab a canvas from the stack in the narthex. Return it to the office soon so we can include your portrait as we journey together to the cross during Lent.

**Camp Wapo Registration is Open**

Priority registration for camp ends March 15! Register @ <http://lwlbci.com/pop-roseville>. Financial scholarships are also available. Contact Erika Wold with questions.

**Last Day to Support PoP Campers!**

Support PoP campers going to summer camp, the Fall Retreat, & Confirmation retreats. Include “camp” on the check or attach a tent from the Giving Tree in the narthex.

**Yogadevotion—New Session**

A new 8-wk session of Chair Yogadevotion begins on Tues, March 3, @ 2:30 in the sanctuary. Yogadevotion is a practice of breath, prayer & movement led by Cindy Senarighi, a trained yoga instructor, nurse & pastor. Cost is \$72. (The Yin class will resume after Easter.) Any questions? Contact Carol Swanson.

**March is MN FoodShare Month**

It’s the annual drive to restock food shelves in MN. Please bring food items and place them in the shopping cart by the church entrance. Items needed: proteins (canned meat or fish, beans, lentils, peanut butter, or nuts); rice. We also encourage financial gifts which allows FoodShare MN to make bulk purchases, expanding the buying power of cash donations. Use envelopes available by the shopping cart or write MN FoodShare on the memo line of checks and put it in the offering plate.

**Sheridan’s Story Food Packing Event**

Everyone ages 8 & up are invited to pack food at Sheridan’s Story, Thurs, March 26, 6-8pm. Sign up in the narthex or contact Pr Betsy at [betsy@poproseville.org](mailto:betsy@poproseville.org). Available during the day? Please sign up on the PoP website for upcoming dates: March 4, April 3, May 1 & 21.

**First Communion Class**

Is your child ready for First Communion? We normally say 2nd/3rd grade, but anytime you feel your child is ready, is the right time. Contact Pr Betsy to sign up. She’ll schedule a time that works for the group on an evening or weekend for the 2.5 hour class. First Communion will be on Maundy Thursday at the 7pm service.



**Wednesdays during Lent**

March 4–April 1  
 6:00pm—Soup Suppers  
*Youth Fundraiser*  
 7:00pm—Holden Evening Prayer  
*featuring*  
**Stories of “Holy Surprise”**  
 March 4 – Dan Wagner

**To remember in your prayers this week:**

- ✦ **Chemotherapy:** Barb Lyman; Diane Knutson; Ruth Hagander’s friend Maureen Sanger; Gutzmanns’ daughter, Diane; Anne Christ’s father, Bruce
- ✦ **Senior Living:** Bev and Marv Bail; Lois Carr; Chris Lovness; Arlo Overskei; Kathleen Tempel
- ✦ **Living in a Care Center:** Nell Sponheim; Hadley Verwest
- ✦ **Recovering at Home:** B.J. Metzger; Judy Cady; Yvonne Neujahr
- ✦ **For Prayers:** James Ericksen’s cousin, Tom; Gutzmann’s granddaughter-in-law, Ashley; Jennifer Immerman’s niece, Shelli Jo; Julie Casby’s niece, Jessica; Sharon & Ray Rachner’s daughter, Randi; Susan Hofeld’s neighbor; Barb Burkhardt’s brother, Tom; Jim Josephson’s parents, Barb and Chuck; Diane Syverson’s sister, Sue; Val Hansen’s family, Paula & Chris; Ann Ham’s friend, Dewey; Carol Quick’s brother; those who struggle with or are affected by mental illness and addiction
- ✦ **Mission Partners:** our sister parish in Bomalang’ombe, Tanzania; Roseville Schools; Julia and Vincent Leiyole in Nairobi; Karen Gardeners; Cub Scouts; Girl Scouts; Lyngblomsten

	Service in Worship	
	8:30	10:45
<b>Readers:</b>	Steve Sveom	Barb Burkhardt
<b>Greeters:</b>	Peter Haugan	Esther Tatley
	Paul Ista	Diane Dodge
<b>Ushers:</b>	Sheldon Ekstrom	Ron Gates
	Jerry Rowe	Michael Stetzler
	Jan Hanson	Carol Swanson
<b>Communion Prep:</b>	Laurie Paetz	Jean Olson
<b>Communion Servers:</b>	Caryn Josephson	Serene Thornton
	Scott Tunseth	Linda Olson
<b>Sound:</b>	Eric Wetteland	Eric Wetteland
<b>Coffee/Cleanup:</b>	Sharon Stillings	Linda Olson