

Today's Forum: Open & Affirming: Nearly 30 Years, What's Next?

A coalition of open and affirming congregations in Duluth is gathering to build energy around support for the LGBTQ+ community in the wake of recent legislation and anticipated threats. Peace UCC began conversations around the O&A process in 1995 and took our affirmative vote in 1997. The fight looks different, but our role in it hasn't changed: proclaiming love, justice, safety, and hope to all people of every gender identity and sexual orientation. Come to discuss what the future holds for us in our O&A work.

Journey for Justice: A 5-week series for Personal Growth and Reflection: Starting March 5th

Lent is a time for reflection, sacrifice and spiritual growth. If you are looking for a different experience during this Lenten season, consider *Journey for Justice*. Peace's Dismantling Racism Team worked to curate a list of anti-racism podcasts and videos to share with those interested in taking a personal growth journey for justice.

Wednesday, April 9th, 2025 - Discussion: *Journey for Justice* 5:30-7:00pm, Music Room
Please contact the office if you would like the list of podcasts and videos.

March 16th Forum: Prayer Chain

This adult forum will explore ways to pray and intercede for the needs happening around us. Come share your insights and consider different ways prayer connects us to one another and God.

PALS Thursday, March 20th

Duckpin bowling is back! We had so much fun last year, we're doing it again. No experience necessary. Come join us on Thursday, March 20th at 4:00pm at Skyline Social & Games, 3894 Miller Trunk Highway in Hermantown. We will bowl from 4-5:45 and can then order food from their menu. The cost for bowling is \$13 p/person plus whatever you order for food and beverages. Please contact Diane Swanoski 218-213-8001 or mdswanoski@aol.com for any questions and to RSVP. Hope to see you there!

LGBTQIA2S Meeting Everyone Welcome!

LGBTQIA2S members and friends of Peace Church are invited to an informal meet-up on Wednesday, March 26th at 5:30pm. Living out and proud sometimes comes with a unique set of challenges and we want to offer space to connect and support one another. If you identify as part of the LGBTQIA / Two Spirit community, please plan to attend. Laurie Creilly, the Peace Pastoral Care Chaplain, will be facilitating the discussion and offering pastoral support. Come early for our soup dinner at 5pm. Childcare is available.

Bible Study: Wednesdays from 5:45-6:45pm in the Fireside Room, March 12th-April 9th

Pastor Corinne will lead the Bible Study in this season, using the *Everything In Between* devotional books to explore the coming Sunday's scripture reading. We will use the art and poetry in the devotional books to deepen our conversations, and in each session, we will reflect on the binary being explored that week and place ourselves somewhere on the spectrum before and after our conversation.

Weekly Calendar**Monday, March 10th**

9:00am Yoga with Robin in the Fireside Room and Zoom
7:00pm Boy Scouts in the Fellowship Hall
7:00pm Afghan Welcome Circle in the Fireside Room

Tuesday, March 11th

6:30pm Property Team Meeting in the Staff Lounge and Zoom

Wednesday, March 12th

1:00pm History Team Meeting in the History Team
2:00pm Shared Ministry Meeting in the Staff Lounge and Zoom
4:00pm Finance Committee Meeting in the Staff Lounge and Zoom
5:00pm Wednesday Night Supper in the Fellowship Hall
5:30pm Childcare Available in the Nursery
5:30pm Kid's Club Prek-2 and 3-5 in the East Timor Room
5:45pm Bible Study in the Fireside Room and Zoom
6:00pm Middle School Youth Group in the Fellowship Hall
6:15pm Choir in the Sanctuary
7:00pm High School Youth Group in the Youth Room

Thursday, March 13th

5:30pm Worship and Arts in the Fireside Room
7:00pm Pastoral Relations Committee Meeting in the Fireside Room

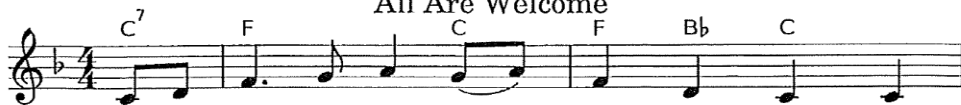
Sunday, March 16th

8:30am Worship with Holy Communion. Sermon by Rev. Corinne Freedman Ellis
9:30am Self-Serve Coffee in the Narthex
9:30am Forum: Prayer Chain in the Fireside Room
10:30am Childcare Available in the Nursery

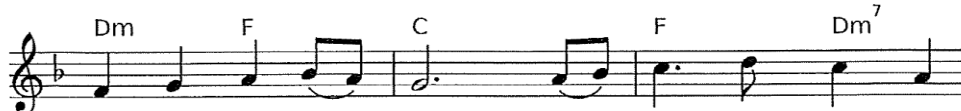
10:30am Worship with Holy Communion. Sermon by Rev. Corinne Freedman Ellis. Baptism of Chet Janke and Children's Church with Amanda McElray Hunter.
 11:30am Coffee Hour in the Fellowship Hall
 5:00pm OWL at UUCD

Let Us Build a House

All Are Welcome



1 Let us build a house where love can dwell and
 2 Let us build a house where proph - ets speak, and
 3 Let us build a house where love is found in
 4 Let us build a house where hands will reach be -
 5 Let us build a house where all are named, their



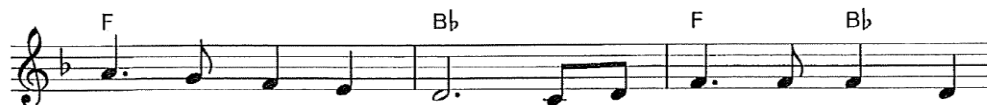
all can safe - ly live, a place where saints and
 words are strong and true, where all God's chil - dren
 wa - ter, wine, and wheat; a ban - quet hall on
 yond the wood and stone to heal and strength-en,
 songs and vi - sions heard and loved and trea-sured,



chil - dren tell how hearts learn to for -
 dare to seek to dream God's reign a -
 ho - ly ground where peace and jus - tice
 serve and teach, and live the Word they've
 taught and claimed as words with - in the



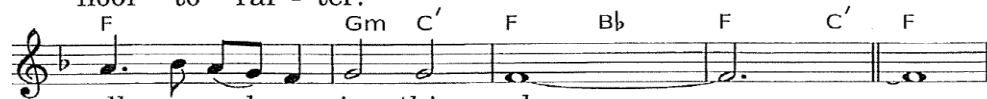
give. Built of hopes and dreams and vi-sions, rock of
 new. Here the cross shall stand as wit-ness and as
 meet. Here the love of God, through Je - sus, is re-
 known. Here the out - cast and the strang-er bear the
 Word. Built of tears and cries and laugh-ter, prayers of



faith and vault of grace; here the love of Christ shall
 sym - bol of God's grace; here as one we claim the
 vealed in time and space; as we share in Christ the
 im - age of God's face; let us bring an end to
 faith and songs of grace; let this house pro-claim from



end di - vi - sions:
 faith of Je - sus:
 feast that frees us: all are wel-come; all are wel-come;
 fear and dan - ger:
 floor to raf - ter:



all are welcome in this place.