

# Life @ NLC | News & Announcements

## BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS | AUGUST 12, 2018

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## Today @ NLC



### WELCOME MUSICIANS!

This morning we welcome the brass players participating in the 25th Annual Church Brass Workshop. James Patrick Miller, Professor and Conductor of the Gustavus Adolphus College Wind Orchestra, is this year's clinician. Dr. Miller & his wife, Dr. Heidi Miller, are both professors at Gustavus.

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### NLC PHOTO DIRECTORY | SIGN UP TODAY!

Sign up for September sessions now! Come, connect, & be a part of our NEW NLC Photo Directory! We'd love to include everyone. Sign up at the Welcome Center TODAY or online at [normluth.org/connect](http://normluth.org/connect).

## Community

### SUMMER WORSHIP | WEDNESDAYS, THROUGH AUGUST 22 | 6:30 PM

Come join us on the parking lot in our last TWO Wednesday Outdoor Worship services this summer!

Aug 15 | Blessing of the Camp Songs

Aug 22 | Blessing of the Backpacks

On Aug 22, bring your students of all ages with their backpacks, and join students from Normandale Housing and SAYFSM as they receive the backpacks purchased for them through our Sponsor-a-Student program. Come early for a picnic meal at 5:45 pm! It will be a great time to be together in worship with our wider Normandale community partner ministries!

### NIA | MONDAYS, AUG 13-27 | 6:30-7:30PM MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM NORTH

*Only three more weeks to try NIA!* Join us on Mondays and have fun while staying fit. NIA is a sensory-based movement practice that leads to health, wellness & fitness. Classes are taken barefoot to soul-stirring music, touching the main areas of the body & strengthening all major joints. NIA can be adapted to individual needs & ability levels. Drop in or contact the Center at 952.929.1698 for more info.

**Wednesday Outdoor Worship**

**August 15 / 6:30 pm**  
**Blessing of the Camp Songs**

Gather together as we share our camp music in worship!

Come as you are. Bring the kids and stay for fellowship! All are welcome here.

Summer Worship @ NLC

The banner features a teal background with a large, faint cross on the left. On the right, there is a graphic of musical notes. The text is arranged in a clear, hierarchical manner, with the event name at the top, followed by the date and time, then the specific service name, and finally the invitation and contact information.

## Community

### WRESTLING & RESTING IN THE PSALMS

SAT, AUG 18 | 8:30AM - 12:45PM | CHAPEL

Carol Sack, our missionary in Japan, will present this special retreat. Drawing upon theologian Walter Brueggemann's work, Carol will introduce a way of encountering the Psalms through the ups & downs of one's daily life experiences. She will share real-life patient encounters that bring these concepts to life & we will experience the wonder of "pastoral harp". The day will close with a worship service in the style of Taize, incorporating various Psalms & related chants. Come join us for this **FREE** retreat. No RSVP necessary.

BOOK, BAGEL, & BREW | SAT, AUG 18 |

9:00-11:00AM | ROOM 208

NLC Ladies! Join other women for friendship & lively conversation about fiction & non-fiction books covering a wide variety of topics & themes. Book completion not required to participate. All readers welcome! This month's book: *Gone to Dust* by Matt Goldman.



### VEAP & CES (COMMUNITY EMERGENCY SERVICES) FOOD SHELVES

Please continue to remember the Food Shelves NLC supports by bringing food/toiletry items & dropping off in containers by the Fishbowl, Canopy entrance, or Preschool entrance. You can also contribute monetarily. The families appreciate the support we give!

### READING BUDDIES MEALS NEEDED THIS FALL Looking for an easy way to make a difference? Provide a meal for our Reading Buddies program!



Youth from NLC gather with children from Normandale House at Hope Academy in Mpls on Mondays to eat, read, and play together, starting Sept 10. If you, your family, circle, book club, or friends would like to prepare a meal for 40 kids, please contact Janet Devine, 952.977.9355 or [janet@normluth.org](mailto:janet@normluth.org). If you cannot prepare a meal, monetary donations are also welcome to help the church provide occasional meals: make check out to NLC (memo line: Reading Buddies).

## Community

### VEHICLE DONATION PROGRAM

Support the Normandale Center for Healing & Wholeness and receive a tax deduction while also making a big difference in the lives of families that need affordable transportation. Our partnership with a Minnesota-based non-profit that supports individuals who are dealing with economic hardship, job loss, domestic violence and many other difficulties enables the Center to arrange for your vehicle pickup, crediting the Center for the donation and providing you with a tax deduction. Interested? Contact the Center at 952.977.9373. The rest is easy!

## Adults & Seniors

### ATTENTION KNITTERS!

Yarn is available outside the Sanctuary (upper narthex) for knitting hats & scarves to be given to CES, VEAP, Our Saviour's Shelter, & Normandale House. *Questions? Contact Dorthy Malin @ 952.929.0109.*

PODIATRY CLINIC | SEPT 5 & 6 | 9:00 - 12:00 PM  
ROOMS 212-213

There are still some openings for the September Podiatry Clinic. Appointments are required and can be made by contacting Patti Hankes at 952.929.1698.

## Children & Family

**SPARK** summer youth group  
ALL THE PRIZES ARE WELCOME

**ABLAZE** SUMMER YOUTH GROUP  
7TH-12TH GRADERS

**NLC SUMMER YOUTH GROUPS**

LAST TWO Wednesdays! Aug 15 & 22  
7:15-8:00 pm (after worship). Invite a friend. See you there!

**SPARK SUMMER YOUTH GROUP | 5th-6th GRADERS**  
**ABLAZE SUMMER YOUTH GRP | 7th-12th GRADERS**  
**WEDS THROUGH AUG 22 | 7:15-8:00PM**  
*Last TWO Wednesdays!* Join our summer youth groups Wednesday evenings after outdoor worship. We'll play games, sing songs, have treats, & chat about faith in your summer life. Bring friends! Parents, stay for community & fun with fellow parents!

## Children & Family (continued)

### REGISTRATION OPEN FOR FALL PROGRAMMING

Register now, while life is slower! It's easy! Use our new all in one registration form online at [www.normluth.org/Connect](http://www.normluth.org/Connect). **Help us plan and buy materials: Register before the fall rush!**

### LOOKING FOR YOUTH & ADULT VOLUNTEERS!

Children's Ministries is looking for adult & youth volunteers to help on Sunday mornings from 10:00 -10:40am and/or Wednesday nights between 5:30 - 8:00pm. Help with Sunday school, KFC, Mission Peru, music, crafts, supply organization, & more. There are many opportunities to get involved! *Contact Kari @ 651.210.1151 or [kari@normluth.org](mailto:kari@normluth.org)*

## Youth

**YOUTH SUMMER BIBLE STUDY | 7-12th GRADERS | MON, AUG 13 | 10-11AM | BRUEGGERS/CARIBOU, 7101 FRANCE, EDINA**

**Last time this summer!** Come eat bagels, have fun, & meaningful conversations about faith & life! Led by our intern, Annika!



### SMALL GROUP LEADERS NEEDED!

Looking for a fun & rewarding way to connect at NLC? Join the amazing community of youth & volunteers who gather for Confirmation on Wednesday nights! Confirmation runs from September - April, & small group leaders commit to being with their group from 6:45-8:00pm for 15 Wednesdays throughout the year & one overnight Confirmation retreat. *Contact Maggie @ 651.366.0421 or [mjones@normluth.org](mailto:mjones@normluth.org)*

## REGISTER FOR FALL!

Programming Begins in September.



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## WRESTLING & RESTING IN THE PSALMS

### COME EXPERIENCE THE PSALMS IN A NEW WAY!

The Psalms, originally sung to the harp, have been spoken or sung as the voice of prayer for all denominations. Come see how we can encounter the Psalms through one's daily life experiences. Join us. All are welcome.

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 18 . 8:30 AM - 12:45 PM**

# This Week @ NLC | August 13 - 19, 2018

## Monday, August 13

1:00pm - 4:00pm

Archives Committee - Room 308

6:30pm - 7:30pm

NIA with Amy Lamphere - Multipurpose Rooms North & South

## Tuesday, August 14

7:00am - 8:00pm

Primary Elections - Fellowship Hall

8:30am - 9:00am

Choir Camp Check In - Lower Narthex

2:00pm - 3:30pm

Memory Cafe - Fireside Room

6:00pm - 7:00pm

Finance Committee - Center Office

6:30pm - 7:30pm

Alcoholics Anonymous - Room 207

## Wednesday, August 15

6:00pm - 7:30pm

Alzheimer's Caregiver Support Group - Rooms 205-206

6:30pm - 7:15pm

Summer Wednesday Worship - Main Parking Lot

7:15pm - 8:00pm

Spark 5th-6th Grade Summer Youth Group - Main Parking Lot

7:15pm - 8:00pm

Ablaze 7th-12th Grade Summer Youth Group - Main Parking Lot

## Thursday, August 16

1:30pm - 2:30pm

H & W Tai Chi - Studio B

## Friday, August 17

4:30pm

Sara Schroeder & Mario Hevesi Wedding Rehearsal - Sanctuary

## Saturday, August 18

8:30am - 12:45pm

Wrestling & Resting in the Psalms - Chapel, Fireside Room

9:00am - 11:00am

Book, Bagel, & Brew - Room 208

4:30pm

Sara Schroeder & Mario Hevesi Wedding - Sanctuary

## Sunday, August 19

9:30am - 10:30am

Worship | Baptism - Sanctuary

10:30am - 11:30am

Coffee & Fellowship - Fireside Room

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