

# THE CREEKSIDER

Plymouth Creek Christian Church Newsletter

## Be Bold CHURCH!

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Regional Minister

We Disciples come from many directions and hold different beliefs on so many things, but on the issue of Racism and Hate we must be clear. It is wrong and is a sin against God the creator of all!

I learned this growing up in my home church and at church camp and I have taught my son those same lessons of how Jesus constantly reached out to the OTHER and went across the sea and pushed through the human barriers that allow us to hate or treat others as if we were not created by the same God.

We Disciples must make it clear with every breath we take that we mean it when we say that ALL ARE WELCOME AT THE TABLE.

Be bold CHURCH and let the world see us at our best - the Church Jesus called us to be. I call upon all clergy and laity to make it clear in sermons, on church signs, in our front yards, and on our social media presence that RACISM and HATRED is wrong and against GOD.

We can disagree about many things but on this we must be united!

## Joys & Concerns

~Prayers for all those affected by the recent mass shooting in Las Vegas

~Prayers for the family of Shirley Crabtree following her passing.

~Continued prayers for the victims of Hurricane Maria and other recent natural disasters

~Prayers for those with ongoing health issues: Bonnie F, EvaLyn C, Dez, Nancy

## Important Dates

Tue Oct 31 - Halloween

Sun Nov 5 - Daylight Saving Time ends

Fri Nov 10 - Veterans Day observed

Sat Nov 11 - Veterans Day

Mon Nov 13 - Board Meeting

Sun Nov 19 - Potluck

Thu Nov 23 - Thanksgiving Day

Sun Dec 3 - First Sunday of Advent  
(Year B)

## News & Events



**Interfaith Outreach™**  
*Igniting the power of community*

### Holiday Gift Program

October 12, 14, November 1  
Volunteers needed! Please consider giving a few hours of your time to make the holidays brighter for local families. Holiday Gift Program volunteer shifts fill up quickly, so sign up early (go to [goo.gl/zLYPZ5](http://goo.gl/zLYPZ5)) and tell a friend!

**Nov. 11 - Last day to donate  
Thanksgiving food**

Go to [goo.gl/PaXfff](http://goo.gl/PaXfff) for a list of most needed items.

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

Wed Nov 1 - Happy Birthday Ardis L

Sat Nov 11 - Happy Birthday Carlos O

Thu Nov 16 - Happy Birthday Tom J

Fri Nov 24 - Happy Birthday Deb K

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## 2nd Tuesday Gathering

November 14, December 12  
Learn more and get engaged! Tour of Interfaith Outreach and free lunch. Registration required.  
[iocp.ejoinme.org/TuesdayTours](http://iocp.ejoinme.org/TuesdayTours)

## Giving Day on the Bay

November 16 Wayzata Brew Works  
Kick off the Sleep Out with a celebration on Lake Minnetonka! This family-friendly event will include live music by Power Tap, brews, root beer, pizza for purchase and so much more!

## Community Sleep Out

November 18  
Pitch a tent with hundreds of community members as we ignite our collective power to support our struggling neighbors through the Sleep Out. Check back after Oct. 1 to download your 2017 Sleep Out toolkit at [www.iocp.org](http://www.iocp.org)

## Last day to donate December holiday food - December 9

Donate holiday food for December holidays! View the food shelf's most-needed items at [goo.gl/PaXfFF](http://goo.gl/PaXfFF)

## Shop with a Purpose

December 15

All day, businesses throughout our service area generously contribute portions of their sales to help prevent homelessness through the Sleep Out. Check back at

[www.iocp.org](http://www.iocp.org) to view special offers and plan your day – all to help families thrive.

## Plymouth Creek Christian Church

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Worship: Sundays at 10 AM

# Revised Common Lectionary Texts

**Oct. 1** | Exodus 17:1-7 and Psalm 78:1-4, 12-16 • Ezekiel 18:1-4, 25-32 and Psalm 25:1-9 • Philippians 2:1-13 • Matthew 21:23-32

**Oct. 8** | Exodus 20:1-4, 7-9, 12-20 and Psalm 19 • Isaiah 5:1-7 and Psalm 80:7-15 • Philippians 3:4b-14 • Matthew 21:33-46

**Oct. 15** | Exodus 32:1-14 and Psalm 106:1-6, 19-23 • Isaiah 25:1-9 and Psalm 23 • Philippians 4:1-9 • Matthew 22:1-14

**Oct. 22** | Exodus 33:12-23 and Psalm 99 • Isaiah 45:1-7 and Psalm 96:1-9, (10-13) • 1 Thessalonians 1:1-10 • Matthew 22:15-22

**Oct. 29** | Deuteronomy 34:1-12 and Psalm 90:1-6, 13-17 • Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18 and Psalm 1 • 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8 • Matthew 22:34-46

**Nov. 1** (All Saints Day) | Revelation 7:9-17 and Psalm 34:1-10, 22 • 1 John 3:1-3 • Matthew 5:1-12

**Nov. 5** | Joshua 3:7-17 and Psalm 107:1-7, 33-37 • Micah 3:5-12 and Psalm 43 • 1 Thessalonians 2:9-13 • Matthew 23:1-12

**Nov. 12** | Joshua 24:1-3a, 14-25 and Psalm 78:1-7 • Wisdom of Solomon 6:12-16 or Amos 5:18-24 and Wisdom of Solomon 6:17-20 or Psalm 70 • 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 • Matthew 25:1-13

**Nov. 19** | Judges 4:1-7 and Psalm 123 • Zephaniah 1:7, 12-18 and Psalm 90:1-8, (9-11), 12 • 1 Thessalonians 5:1-11 • Matthew 25:14-30

**Nov. 26** | Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24 and Psalm 100 • Ezekiel 34:11-16, 20-24 and Psalm 95:1-7a • Ephesians 1:15-23 • Matthew 25:31-46

# Volunteer Schedule

	Presiding Worship Leader	Assisting Worship Leader	Comm Prep & Clean-Up	Servers/ Ushers	Servers/ Ushers	Worship Facilitator	Servant Leader	Bus Driver
10/1/2017	John F	Russ W	Marian T	Richard S & Don B	Tom J & Matt J	Bob B	LeAnn V	Russ W
10/8/2017	Donna Ja	Tom J	Debbie L	Carlos O & Richard S	Carsten I & Kim W	Carsten I	Donna Je	Richard S
10/15/2017	Al J	Pete B	Wanda B	Carlos O & Matt J	Bob M & Don B	Carlos O	Deb K	Carlos O
10/22/2017	LeAnn V	Julia F	Jeanne J	Tom J & Matt J	Carsten I & Kim W	Tom J	Donna Je	Russ W
10/29/2017	Glenda G	Carlos O	Mike B	Richard S & Bob M	Carsten I & Kim W	Bob B	LeAnn V	Richard S