



PAW SHA SOE MAKING RICE NOODLES

Dear People of Galilee,

I am actually ecstatic about spring coming, and the Rice Street Gardens opening up again for the production of organic homegrown food and flowers!

Two friends from the Gardens came to worship at Galilee one Sunday morning recently, Paw Sha Soe and Christo Mu. When I spotted them amongst the congregation I was trying to remember how I knew them and just where we had last seen each other. These sisters in Christ are brilliant because they can speak three languages, including Karen. They are hard working moms with small children. I am hoping to join them on an outing to the Children's Museum downtown St. Paul soon. But our true shared history comes from sharing plants and seeds. The late Herb Brase's dahlia bulbs are growing in their gardens as well as mine. A very joyful adventure for me was learning how, back in Myanmar, traditional Rice noodles are made by hand. In this photo, Paw Sha Soe is holding a press, which was made on the spot (in the gardens) by carving wood into a hand mill, and more wood into this press, and then poking holes in the tin can. They ground the rice, mixed it into dough, and then pressed it through this can... becoming long spaghetti-shaped noodles, and falling directly into boiling water, over a fire pit. This fun activity brought the Rice Street Gardens to an even higher culinary level in my mind. Not only do hundreds of gardeners from around the world grow hundreds of varieties of vegetables, but even fresh noodles can be produced from the land.

I started sprouting seeds indoors at home this year, because I just can't wait for the last frost to come so I can finally get my hands in the soil. And I can't wait to see what my two renewed church friends, Christo and Paw, come up with this season in the Rice Street Gardens. God is so good, bringing us all together for a shared, productive life.

Yours in service, Pastor Dana K. Nelson

**" This is the day that
the Lord has made.
Let us rejoice and be
glad in it. P"**

Psalm 118:24



AROUND OUR CHURCH

YOUNG AT HEART



Young at Heart will meet on Tuesday, May 10, and again on May 24 at 1:00 in the library. If you enjoy socializing, consider this your invitation to join us. We enjoy playing Twitch and Social Security (a version of the old game Parcheesi).

Karen and Steve are glad to be back home, at church, and with YAH. Granddaughters were thrilled to have them here in time for Easter. They spent time at Como Park with the girls who enjoyed the animals outside. They also made Easter cut-out cookies with the granddaughters. Great family times.

Phyllis Ferns was playing Twitch in the meeting room of her building when I reached her.

LouWanna Osterman enjoyed the kids at the day-before-Easter party. Jim Zrust spent several days helping prepare for the pancake breakfast. He thanks the B-Dale Club for their donation of pancake dispensers, as well as syrup. Joe Juneau had furnace problems (no heat) during the 30° days and is very happy to have a new furnace installed and warmer weather here. He was relying on space heaters and a fireplace for nearly a week. Joe shared the volunteers did a great job on providing a delicious Easter Sunday breakfast. Sharell was happy to have her son here from NY for Easter, as well as her daughters.

During a rainy, windy day, part of a tree fell down, blocking Mary Lanoux' driveway. Thanks to Steve and a chainsaw, the problem was taken care of. Strong bonds of friendship have been formed at Galilee.

As stated above, we would love to increase the size of our group if you find yourself with free time on the 2nd or 4th Tuesday of each month. Stay well and enjoy springtime.

GALI-LADIES

Our Gali-Ladies enjoyed making 170 Easter cards to give to a couple of care centers in the area, and for the Pastor to give to shut-ins. They were delivered the week of the April 10 for recipients to enjoy.



CONGRATULATIONS, AND THANK YOU!



On Sunday, April 3, Teresa Shores was awarded the first Galilee Soup Supper award for organizing our Lenten Soup Suppers for years and years. Notice the very symbolic plastic spoon in the bowl. We are very grateful for her service to Galilee.



Celebration of Life
was held April 22 for
James Joseph Scholen,
husband of Joyce Scholen



AROUND OUR CHURCH

YOUTH!!

Holy Hoops Basketball Schedule



May 1, 3:30pm "Galilea Cristo Rey" vs "Mount Olivet Team #3"

Location of Game: St. Stephen Lutheran Church, 8400 France Ave S, Bloomington MN 55431

May 8, 3:30pm "Galilea Cristo Rey" vs. "Mount Olivet Team #1"

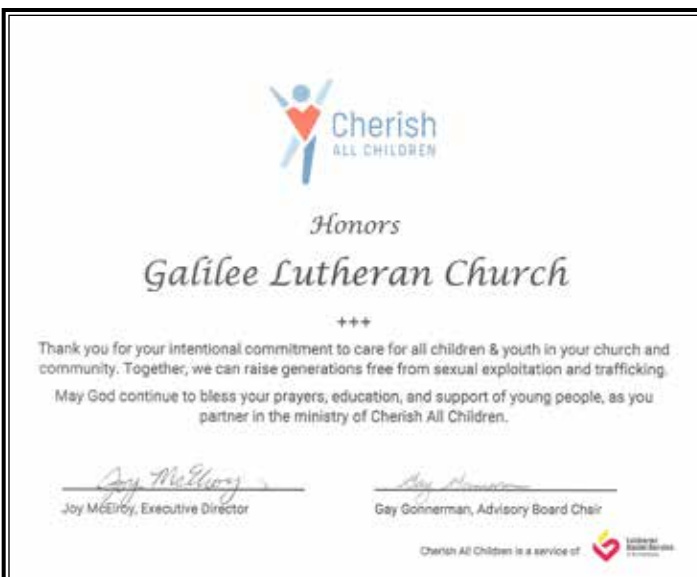
Location of Game: Christ the King Lutheran Church, 1900 7th St NW, New Brighton, MN 55112

May 15, 1:00pm "Galilea Cristo Rey" vs. "St. Stephen Saints"

Location of Game: Christ the King Lutheran Church, 1900 7th St NW, New Brighton, MN 55112

May 22, 1-5pm (To Be Announced) Galilea Cristo Rey vs. (To Be Determined)

Location of Tournament: Augsburg University, Si Melby Hall, 731 23rd Ave S, Minneapolis, MN 55454



Red Cross Blood Drive

Blood products collected at Galilee's drive have now been delivered to patients in need of vital care! Distribution included, several local and out-state hospitals



"When the dust settled (or was it snow, rain, and sleet?) we had worked with 38 smiling donors and collected 33 units of lifesaving blood! While that number is just one unit shy of our goal (34) it is enough blood to positively impact the lives of up to 99 individuals - which is amazing! Even more impressive is the number of lives you've already impacted year to date... 312!!"

Thank you again Galilee for the amazing results and continued support!

Galilee Lutheran Church
Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, May 25
11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Keep up the Great Work,
Galilee!



Sign up here:

<https://www.redcrossblood.org/give.html/drive-results?zipSponsor=Galilee>

AROUND OUR CHURCH



Thursday, May 5: Families and Grief
Thursday, May 12: A Personal Grief Story
Thursday, May 19: Peace in Pieces
Thursday, May 26: Where is God in Our Suffering

7pm at St. John the Baptist Catholic Church
835 2nd Ave. NW, New Brighton, MN 55112

MAY BIBLE STUDY



Join us in May for a continued study on Forgiveness, written by the late Bishop Lowell Erdahl.

Wednesdays at 2 p.m., Church Library



Many Galileans took to the bowling lanes in April. L-R: Enrique, Jim Hart, Sandy Altendorfer, Dylan Solberg, Peter Solberg, Anthony Ososki, Scott Solberg, Andrell Shuma, Mikiel Paul, Ryley Nelson, Taylor Altendorfer, Terry O'Keefe, Decklen O'Keefe, Leesa Matthews, Randall Strand, Maren Dodge, Kevin.

MAY ADULT FORUMS

Sundays from 11-12, join us in the Library to learn

May 1 Ron Peterson and Abraham Watson present their new book!

May 8 Mother's Day forum - celebrating our moms!

May 15 HS Graduation Celebration for Kendra, Monique and Jeremy

May 22 Learn about Hospice/Medicare

May 29 Memorial Day weekend - no forum today

EMAIL VOICE? If you are able and willing to get the VOICE via email, Galilee can save some money in postage, paper and printing. Please let Anne know if this option works for you: office.galilee@gmail.com.

THANK YOU!

A big "thank you" to Darla Nelson from those to whom she personally delivered Easter baskets.



THANK YOU!

to all who contributed to the Easter Breakfast. \$284 will go to our Youth.



CHURCH CLEAN-UP !

Saturday, May 21. Join us for a morning (9-12) of cleaning in and outside the church. Lunch provided about noon!



joy!

Women's Retreat

May 20-22 (Fri, Sat, Sun)

Luther Crest, Alexandria MN

Retreat Leaders:

Rev. Brenda Boogren & Rev. Dana Nelson

Luther Crest is an ELCA camp and retreat center on beautiful Lake Carlos in Alexandria, MN.

<https://www.luthercrest.org/adult-retreat-center.html>

Cost: \$140 per person (scholarship available from Galilee)

Sign up to carpool! Leave from Galilee at 3pm, or carpool leaving from Galilee at 6pm, after work (map available).

Meals provided Saturday breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks;
Sunday Brunch before worship.

[Talk to Pastor Dana to Sign up](#)

WORSHIP & EDUCATION

Scripture Lessons

MAY 1

Third Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:1-6 [7-20]

Paul's conversion, baptism, and preaching

Psalm 30

You have turned my wailing into dancing. (Ps. 30:11)

Revelation 5:11-14

The song of the living creatures to the Lamb

John 21:1-19

Jesus appears to the disciples at the Sea of Tiberias

MAY 8

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Acts 9:36-43

Peter raises Tabitha/Dorcas from the dead

Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not be in want. (Ps. 23:1)

Revelation 7:9-17

A white-robed multitude sings before the Lamb

John 10:22-30

Jesus promises eternal life to his sheep

MAY 15

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 11:1-18

Peter's vision: God give the Gentiles repentance that leads to life

Psalm 148

The splendor of the Lord is over earth and heaven. (Ps. 148:13)

Revelation 21:1-6

New heaven, new earth: springs of living water in the new Jerusalem

John 13:31-35

Jesus gives a new commandment: Love one another as I have loved you

MAY 22

Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 16:9-15

Lydia and her household are baptized by Paul

Psalm 67

Let the nations be glad and sing for joy. (Ps. 67:4)

Revelation 21:10, 22--22:5

The Lamb is the light of the city of God

John 14:23-29

The Father will send the Holy Spirit

MAY 29

Acts 16:16-34

While in prison, Paul speaks to the jailer, who is then baptized

Psalm 97

Rejoice in the Lord, you righteous. (Ps. 97:12)

Revelation 22:12-14, 16-17, 20-21

Blessed are those who wash their robes

John 17:20-26

Jesus prays that the disciples will be one and abide in his love

Prayer Requests

Shawn Altendorfer (Sandy's son)

George Beeks

Janis Behrens (Ron's sister)

Pat Craft

Debbie Haslach-Brown (Ardis' daughter)

CarolAnn Taylor Hart

James Hart

Amy Jarosz (Janet Christensen's niece)

Madeline Johnson (Karen Murphy's sister-in-law)

Karen Murphy

Pat Murphy (Karen Murphy's Brother-in-Law)

Ellie Nagel (Jo Ann's mom)

Brenda (Sheika's Mom)

Marlene Reding

Darlene Schmidt

Lyle Sorum

Family & friends of Jim Scholen

Family & friends of Jon Thompson

Family & friends of Zoey Tran

(Ellen & Andre Tran's daughter,

Teresa & David Shore's grand-daughter)

May Birthdays

3 Jerry Brown

4 Caroline Herman

5 Jeanette Uran

6 Terry O'Keefe

6 Fisch Kitty

7 Ellie Nagel

7 Amy Wood

14 Jean Schneider

15 Dashawn Nunn

17 Joyce Solberg

20 Sonia Vicuña

22 Alexandra Fee

23 Howard French

26 Sharell Babin

26 Roger Ettel

27 George Beeks



May Flowers

May 1

May 8

May 15

May 22

May 29



May Lectors

May 1 Caroline Herman

May 8 Ron Peterson

May 15 Jo Ann French

May 22 Mary Lanoux

May 29 Abe Watson

MAY 2022

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 9a Prayers for Healing 9:30a Worship 11a Adult Forum & Sunday School 11a MN Faith Chinese Lutheran 1p Nepali Friends Church 3:30p Holy Hoops	2	3 9:30a Donut Group 1p Language Table 4p Walk: Cherish All Children 7p Worship & Music Team Mtg	4 2p Bible Study (S) 6p Bell Choir 7p Confirmation	5 9-1p Office Hours 7p Growing Through Loss, New Brighton	6	7 6a Chinese Prayer 9a Ham Radio Group 11a Kalpulli Tlaloctecutli
8 9:30a Worship 11a Adult Forum (Moms!) & Sunday School 11a MN Faith Chinese Lutheran Zoom 1p Nepali Friends Church 3:30p Holy Hoops	9	10 9:30a Donut Group 1p Young at Heart 1p Language Table 4p Walk: Cherish All Children	11 1p Villa Park Devotions 2p Bible Study (S) 7p Confirmation	12 9-1p Office Hours 8a-4p TSE Training 6:30p Council Mtg 6:30p SP Clown Club 7p Growing Through Loss, New Brighton	13 Synod Assembly	14 Synod Assembly 6a Chinese Prayer 11a Kalpulli Tlaloctecutli
15 9:30a Worship 11a Adult Forum (Graduates!) & Sunday School 11a MN Faith Chinese Lutheran 1p Nepali Friends Church 1p Holy Hoops VOICE Articles Due	16 2p Graveside Service for Richard Fisch	17 9:30a Donut Group 1p Young at Heart 1p Language Table 4p Walk: Cherish All Children	18 2p Bible Study 7p Confirmation	19 9-1p Office Hours 12p Galiladies 7p Growing Through Loss, New Brighton	20 Women's Retreat	21 6a Chinese Prayer 9a SPRING Clean-up! Women's Retreat
22 9:30a Worship Guest Preacher: Rebecca Chase 11a Adult Forum (Hospice) & Sunday School 11a MN Faith Chinese Lutheran Zoom 1p Nepali Friends Church Women's Retreat 1-5p Holy Hoops Tournament	23	24 9:30a Donut Group 1p Young at Heart 4p Walk: Cherish All Children 6:30p Alley 19 Grp Pastor Dana on Vacation	25 Blood Drive 2p Bible Study 7p Confirmation	26 9-1p Office Hours 7p Growing Through Loss, New Brighton	27	28 6a Chinese Prayer 11a Kalpulli Tlaloctecutli
29 9:30a Worship Guest Preacher: Pastor Nixon 11a MN Faith Chinese Lutheran Zoom 1p Nepali Friends Church	30	31 9:30a Donut Group 4p Walk: Cherish All Children		Pastor Dana will be on vacation May 24 - June 7. In an emergency, Pastors on call will be Jill Rode and Daniel Ruen. They can be reached at St. Anthony Park Lutheran Church, (651) 645-0371. Guest Preachers: May 22: Rebecca Chase; May 29: Pastor Nixon; June 5: Pastor Justin Grimm.		
Pastor Dana on Vacation						

Location Key: DS - Downstairs S - Sanctuary FH - Fellowship Hall Lib - Library

GALILEE

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MAY 2022

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We share the air.

At Galilee, we
STRIVE to be
fragrance-free!

GALILEE'S MISSION STATEMENT

To gather people together to hear the story of God's love in Jesus Christ, to be nurtured in faith and knowledge, and to share the Good News through word and deed.



"May Flowers"
Photo by Leesa Matthews

To submit information for publication in the monthly VOICE newsletter, to be posted on our website, or to receive the VOICE newsletter by e-mail, send information and/or e-mail address to the church office at: office.galilee@gmail.com.

Articles must be received by the 15th of each month.