CALVIN CONNECTION

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MARCH IS FOODSHARE MONTH!

Greater Minneapolis Council of Churches' Minnesota FoodShare began its work in 1982 as a campaign advanced by congregations to restock food shelves in the 7-county Twin Cities Metropolitan Area. The effort was so successful, and the need so evident, the March Campaign became a statewide initiative just one year later. In observance Calvin will be collecting non-perishable food items and monetary donations to help restock local food shelves.

This month, the children will be asked to bring in canned goods each week along with their "Good Deed" quarters so we can stock our empty food shelf display. We are asking congregation members to also contribute canned goods, or even better, monetary funds, to the campaign because, as you can see in the picture below, a food shelf can buy much more with \$10 than the public can. You can contribute between March 1st-30th. Please make checks out to Calvin and note Foodshare in the memo line, or donate by Venmo.





Your \$10

Your food shelf's \$10



March 5 Bob Solheim March 5 Gary Keller March 5 Bette Chamberlain March 13 Dave Shaughnessy March 14 Susan Manro March 21 Margo Garin March 22 Stephanie Coe March 25 Dave Kearin March 28 Tammy Wenz

Volunteers LITURGISTS FELLOWSHIP HOUR

<u>2ND - JAY GAGNER</u> <u>9TH - OPEN</u> <u>16TH - OPEN</u> <u>23RD - OPEN</u> <u>2ND - BREIT</u> <u>9TH - FELDKAMP</u> <u>16TH - OPEN</u> <u>23RD - OPEN</u>



ADULT EDUCATION CLASS

LED BY REV. DWIGHT R. CHAMBERLAIN

The Adult Education Class meets each Sunday in the fellowship hall at 9:00am. We will have one lesson on each phrase in the 23rd Psalm.

Each class opens and closes with a video of a special and meaningful song appropriate for the lesson. You are most welcome to come as often as

you can.

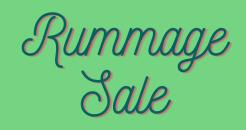


Men's Breakfast

WEDNESDAY MARCH 5TH 8:30AM Men's Breakfast has resumed meeting on the first Wednesday of the month.

We will continue to meet at Perkins off Highway 394 by Menards.

All men of the church are invited and welcome to join us for: A delicious breakfast, good fellowship, and a short devotional and prayer.



The Calvin Women's Association is pleased to announce the Spring Rummage and Bake Sale will run from April 30th - May 3rd. Church members can bring rummage starting Thursday, April 24th through Sunday, April 27th & baked goods will be accepted Monday & Tuesday, April 28th & 29th.

Volunteers will be needed for organizing, pricing, & working at the sale Thursday, April 25th - Saturday, May 4th, with clean-up on May 4th starting at Noon. Call Tammy at 612-384-9520 with any questions, or to find out more about volunteer opportunities.

Note: We can not accept electronics or large items unless you make special arrangements to pick up the item on Saturday, May 3rd if it has not sold.

Pie Sunday

A huge thank you to everyone who contributed pies for our Pie Sunday. We had 11 different kinds of pie, all of which

were delicious. Because of the generosity of our congregation, we received \$325 which we will donate to the National Presbyterian Women's Presbytery Mission Fund. We've decided to make this an annual event.





Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 9am Adult Ed 10am Worship Communion Sunday School 11am Fellowship	3	4 3-5pm SPARKS	5 8:30sam Men's Breakfast 6:30 Ash Wednesday @ FPC Maple Plain	6 9-10am Handbells	7	8
9 Ordination of Elders & Deacons 9am Adult Ed 10am Worship Sunday School 11am Fellowship	10	11 3-5pm SPARKS	12 6:00pm Lenten Supper & Service @ Calvin	13 1:30pm Circle	14	15
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