

Wednesday Night Communion

We will resume Wednesday Night Communion after the Thanksgiving break.

Friday Prayer (Jummah): 2:00 pm in Hoversten Chapel, Foss

CAMPUS MINISTRY STAFF:

Pastor Babette Chatman '06, University Pastor and Director of Campus Ministries

Pastor John Rohde Schwehn, University Pastor

Fardosa Hassan '12, Muslim Student Program Associate and Assistant Director of Interfaith at Augsburg

Tori Remer, Pastoral Intern

Andrea Sorum, Campus Ministry Musician

Janice Dames, Administrative Assistant

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Welcome to Pastor John Rohde Schwehn: John Rohde Schwehn (he/him) comes to Augsburg after five years of parish ministry with Christ the King Lutheran Church in New Brighton, MN. A graduate of St. Olaf College and Yale Divinity School, he has also served congregations in St. Louis Park and Northfield, MN. He is passionate about forming community through practices of hospitality, worship, and justice. In addition to pastoral ministry, he has also been a contributing author to Augsburg Fortress's suite of resources on scripture, theology, and Lutheran identity based on the works of Pr. Dan Erlander (Manna and Mercy; Baptized, We Live; A Place for You; Water Washed, Spirit Born). John is incredibly excited to work alongside (and learn from) the Augsburg community, especially its dynamic, curious students. He lives in north Minneapolis with his wife, Anna, and their two daughters, Lydia (5) and Mira (2).

Advent Vespers Premier Gathering: Come together to celebrate the Virtual Advent Vespers Premiere as an Auggie Community on Friday, December 3!

Open to Augsburg Students, Faculty & Staff

Light snacks and beverages will be provided

Free, RSVP needed @ <https://augsburg.universitytickets.com/w/event.aspx?id=1369&p=1>

We invite you to donate an item to the Augsburg-Central Health Commons – Details & suggestions are included with the RSVP link



Daily Chapel

November 23, 2021

*Welcome to Campus Ministry's Daily Chapel at Augsburg University.
We are blessed by your presence among us!*

PRELUDE

WELCOME

HYMN "For the Beauty of the Earth" ELW 879



1 For the beau - ty of the earth, for the beau - ty of the skies,
2 For the won - der of each hour of the day and of the night,
3 For the joy of ear and eye, for the heart and mind's de - light,
4 For the joy of hu - man love, broth - er, sis - ter, par - ent, child,
5 For each per - fect gift of thine, peace on earth and joy in heav'n;



for the love which from our birth o - ver and a - round us lies:
hill and vale and tree and flow'r, sun and moon and stars of light:
for the mys - tic har - mo - ny link - ing sense to sound and sight:
friends on earth and friends a - bove; for all gen - tle thoughts and mild:
for thy - self, best gift di - vine, to our world so free - ly giv'n:



Christ, our God, to thee we raise this our sac - ri - fice of praise.

Text: Folliott S. Pierpoint, 1835–1917, alt.
Music: DIX, Conrad Kocher, 1786–1872

SCRIPTURE

Joel 2:21-27

Do not fear, O soil; be glad and rejoice, for the Lord has done great things! Do not fear, you animals of the field, for the pastures of the wilderness are green; the tree bears its fruit, the fig tree and vine give their full yield. O children of Zion, be glad and rejoice in the Lord your God; for he has given the early rain for your vindication, he has poured down for you abundant rain, the early and the later rain, as before. The threshing floors shall be full of grain, the vats shall overflow with wine and oil. I will repay you for the years that the swarming locust has eaten, the hopper, the destroyer, and the cutter, my great army, which I sent against you. You shall eat in plenty and be satisfied, and praise the name of the Lord your God, who has dealt wondrously with you. And my people shall never again be put to shame. You shall know that I am in the midst of Israel, and that I, the Lord, am your God and there is no other. And my people shall never again be put to shame.

SERMON

Rev. John Rohde Schwehn

SENDING SONG "Don't Be Afraid"

ACS 1027



Text: John L. Bell, b. 1949, and Graham Maule, 1958–2019

Music: DON'T BE AFRAID, John L. Bell

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INSTALLATION OF TERM PASTOR

Like Miriam, Aaron, and Moses, you have been called to co-lead this beloved community through a year of transition exodus and change. You are helping us navigate the cultural and spiritual transformation of this community with faithful and generous leadership. We give God thanks for your spirit, your energy, courageous curiosity, for your visions and dreams that will help us shape our commitment to the gospel in liminal seasons. May the Holy Spirit continue to guide your leadership for the sake of the church and the world.

From the prophet Joel: The Lord God declared, “I promise to dwell in the midst of my people and to wipe away shame. Then I will pour out my spirit on all flesh; your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, your old men shall dream dreams, and your young men shall see visions. On men and women, on the oppressed and free, I will pour out my spirit” (2:28-29, author’s translation)

PRAYER

Gracious God, in baptism you sealed and marked your servant John Schwehn with your Spirit and the cross of Christ forever. Continue to bless the fullness of his life with a spirit of wisdom, courage, and grace so that he remains faithful to your will in the midst of uncertainty. Grant this community a tenacious spirit, that we would be alive with the breath of your Spirit and the good news of Jesus today and always. **Amen**

BENEDICTION

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Installation liturgy by Carlson, Meta Herrick. *Speak It In Plain Words*. Fortress Press, 2020.

WORSHIP LEADERS

Preacher: Rev. John Rohde Schwehn, University Pastor

Liturgist: Rev. Babette Chatman, University Pastor and Director of Campus Ministry

Musician: Andrea Sorum, Campus Ministry Musician, piano and organ

UPCOMING IN CHAPEL

Wednesday, November 24 at 10:40 am: Join us for Thanksgiving Communion followed by pie.

Thursday and Friday - No chapel for the Thanksgiving break

Monday, November 29 at 10:40 am: Centering Prayer for Healing, Justice, and Hope

Tuesday, November 30 at 11:30 am: Advent Vespers Lessons and Carols

Wednesday, December 1 at 10:40 am: President Paul Pribbenow

Thursday, December 5 at 11:30 am: Morning Meditation with Andrea Sorum