

BROADWAY UMC ANNOUNCEMENTS

TODAY — JANUARY 12, 2020

Adult Sunday School is on Sunday mornings from 10:15-10:45am. Come to church a little early, grab a cup of coffee, and join us for some inspiration before the 11am service!

A sign-up form for **Liturgists and Hospitality Volunteers** is online through this QR code or at <https://signup.com/go/qeDmtnS>. You may also contact the office to volunteer.



January Mission Minutes: Northern Illinois Justice For Our Neighbors (NIJFON) provides free high-quality legal services to low-income immigrants, engages in education and advocacy efforts and builds cross-cultural relationships. In addition to legal services provided by skilled attorneys at clinics across Northern Illinois, staff and volunteers provide hospitality and needed childcare, assist with requisite paperwork and offer a free legal consultation for every immigrant who comes to the clinic. More information at <http://nijfon.org>. The **Night Ministry** provides Housing, Health Care, and Human Connection to individuals experiencing homelessness or poverty. Their Outreach and Health Ministry Programs are the Health Outreach Bus that brings free medical care, food, hygiene supplies, and supportive services to underserved Chicago neighborhoods six days a week, and the Street Medicine Team. The Youth Outreach Team helps young people living on the streets or at-risk of becoming homeless while The Crib provides young adults with safe and supportive overnight emergency shelter. Early Intervention Services at the Response-Ability Pregnant and Parenting Program and the Interim Housing Program offer young people and their children safe and nurturing short-term housing. Long-Term Residential Services at the Transitional Living Program and at Phoenix Hall provide housing and intensive life skills coaching to young people. There are many volunteering opportunities, as well as making financial or in-kind donations. More information at www.thenightministry.org. **You can donate** by designated cash or check in the offering plate, mailing checks to the church, or [giving online](#). Your donation will be split evenly between mission minutes each month unless specified otherwise.

THIS WEEK — JANUARY 13 TO 18, 2020

If you aren't already subscribed to our **Weekly E-News**, click the link on our [website](#) or on our [facebook page](#) or send an email to the [church office](#).

A note from Rev. Alka: Dear Broadway family! I am humbled and my family is very grateful for the out-pouring of your love and support on the passing of my father, Mr. Sweet Edward. The beautiful bouquet and the many messages, texts and notes are much appreciated. Please continue to hold my mother, Mrs. Sheela Edward in your prayers and I will see you all soon.

Rev. Alka is out of the office until January 19. You may direct any pastoral emergencies to Rev. Rick Newbury (312-560-5946/newbury623@gmail.com), Rev. Britt Cox (708-996-0195/pastorbrittcx@gmail.com), or Rev. Gregory Gross (847-989-1656/gregorygross@yahoo.com). For non-emergency needs, you may contact Broadway's Chair of Relationship Builders, Kathy Wurster (773-502-9409/kathwurst1@sbcglobal.net).

Please join us Wednesdays at 7pm for our lay-led **Lectionary Study** where we meditate, reflect, and discuss the lectionary scripture readings. The lectionary readings for can be found at www.umcdiscipleship.org/worship/lectionary-calendar. We study two weeks in advance.

The **Broadway United Methodist Choir** is a dynamic opportunity for anyone who loves to sing to contribute to ministry. The choir welcomes singers of all experience levels, and we pursue a diverse repertoire. Join us for rehearsals **Thursday evenings at 7:00pm and Sunday mornings at 10am!** Questions? Contact Robert Eldridge Galbreath, Jr, Director of Music Ministries, at ziggy6870@gmail.com. (Choir rehearsal is CANCELLED this Thursday, January 16.)

Join us on the third Saturday of each month from 5-8pm for **Movie Night**. The next date is Saturday, January 18.

WINTER WARMING 2020

NEW FORMAT:
9:30 AM - 4 PM
PANEL, LUNCH,
WORSHIP
NETWORKING &
COALITION BUILDING

January 18, 2020
\$25 / \$12 students
Community UMC, Naperville
Parking & Childcare Provided
www.nicreconciling.org
Walk-in Registrations welcome up to capacity

JAY WILLIAMS
TYLER SCHWALLER
ALKA LYALL
MARCUS BRIGGS-CLOUD

TRAILBLAZING

THE NEW UNITED METHODISM

Everything is changing in how we view ourselves as United Methodists and what the future will hold. We need trailblazers to help lead the way. This is our time! Be empowered and supported by others who are realizing that the Church must have the spirit of intersectional justice, resistance, and vision for all LGBTQIA+ folk and allies. We have a dynamic line up of speakers and panel members, including:

- Keynote: Rev. Tyler Schwallier, counsel to Rev. Anna Blaedel;
- Preacher: Rev. Dr. Gerald “Jay” Williams, the UMForward Movement;
- Marcus Briggs-Cloud, a gifted Maskoke musician and scholar leading worship.
- Rev. Alka Lyall, Chair, NIC GC Delegation;
- Pastors Jonah and Cameron Overton, leaders Zao MKE church, & Rev. Daniel Cho, pastor of HA:IN UMC, a progressive congregation formed by a community of Korean Americans.

NEXT SUNDAY — JANUARY 19, 2020

Are you interested in helping decide where Broadway's mission contributions are going? Do you have ideas about what organizations you'd like to see us contribute to? Do you have favorites you think we should be contributing to? Then please come to the **SOWers meeting** on Sunday, January 19 at 12:45pm when we will choose our Mission Minutes for the rest of the year. Food will be provided. And we'd love to have you join us to become a Sower. We need to sprout more Sowers! People with new ideas and a commitment to growing Broadway's connection to our local and worldwide community. Hope to see you on the 19th.

Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration 2020 on Sunday, January 19 from 4 to 6pm at Hinsdale UMC (945 S. Garfield St, Hinsdale, IL 60521). We gather for a time of prayer, worship, Q & A, and music, with special guest Rev. Dr. Angelique Walker-Smith, Senior Associate for Pan-African and Orthodox Church Engagement at Bread for the World, who will present “Slavery’s Enduring Legacy of Disempowerment: 1619-2019.” (Learn more about Rev. Walker-Smith here: www.thehistorymakers.org/biography/reverend-dr-angelique-walker-smith). A light supper will be served after closing worship. No registration required. This free event is brought to you by the Northern Illinois Conference and the Commission on Religion & Race, and supports our conference goal to live out our conviction that racism is incompatible with Christian teaching.

LOOKING AHEAD

CNW District LEAD 2020 on Saturday, January 25 from 9am-12noon at Glenview UMC. They have invited Rev. Dr. Mary Nelson, the Executive Director of Christian Community Development Organization (<https://ccda.org>), to train us on community development and organizing through the lens of our three strategic goals: Discipleship, Anti-racism, and Vital Congregations. They will begin with an opening worship and then roll up our sleeves for a couple of hours of interactive learning and dreaming. Cost: \$10 per person or \$75 per church. More information and registration at www.umcnic.org/calendar/cnw-district-lead-2020.
