



Lake Street Church of Evanston
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SPECIAL AUGUST EVENTS

SUNDAY MORNINGS AT 9:30 AM

ABWOON STUDY CIRCLE Explore the Aramaic teachings of Jesus in the Rose Window Room (above the Church Office).

DREAM SHARING Share and explore your dream life with Weyler Greene as your guide in Room 103 (in the Church House wing).

SUNDAY MORNING PRAYER CIRCLE Come sit in Sacred Space, spending time in silence or spoken prayer in the Aztec Room (downstairs from the Narthex) with Christine Inserra.

AFTER CHURCH SPECIALS

WAR, FORGIVENESS AND UNITY AS ONE NATION – August 8 from Noon to 1:00 pm Hashmat Abdul, born on July 24, 1983, in Rwanda had a peaceful childhood until the age of 7. Then all changed forever. Due to civil wars and coups her family moved from Rwanda to Zaire and back again - losing everything they owned. The Rwandese president's plane was shot down on April 6, 1994, which was the beginning of genocide lasting for 100 days. While Hashmat and her family survived, she saw things at a young age no one should see. Her story is one of transformation, out of the dark night of her soul then through forgiveness, to a life of recovery and pride in her country. In Hashmat's own words... "it is like a rising Phoenix from its ashes". Come hear her story beginning at noon in the Parlor.

NIGHT MINISTRY SANDWICH-MAKING: The Night Ministry is an ecumenical organization serving homeless youth and adults in Chicago. On **August 15** join us at 11:45 am in the Dining Room and help make 100 sandwiches for the Night Ministry's late-night hospitality bus stop on Chicago's south side. All are welcome. Contact Greg Vaughan (gsvaughan@earthlink.net) for further information.

INSIDEOUT, a group for LGBT folks, friends & allies, meets for lunch after worship on the third Sunday of the month. Join us on **August 15!** Contact Christine Inserra (inserrac@sbcglobal.net) for more information.

LAKE STREET CHURCH'S "DINNER ON THE GROUNDS" at the Lakefront immediately following Worship on **August 29!** It's a pot-luck, so please bring a dish to share...and a friend! Here's a breakdown of who brings what...if your last name begins with A – E bring a veggie or green salad;

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F – J bring a grain or fruit salad; K – R a side dish, vegetarian or not; S – Z bring a dessert. The location will be Dawes Park picnic sites A & B at the eastern end of Lake Street – same as last year. Don't forget folding chairs, tables, blankets and enough energy for volleyball, corn hole toss, a 3-legged relay and more.

THROUGHOUT THE WEEK:

MONDAYS

THE SUSTENANCE CONNECTION prepares and serves dinner on the third Monday of every month to guests of Hilda's Place, the homeless shelter housed in our building. Join us on **August 16**. Contact Linda Molitor (llmolitor@comcast.net) or Linda Dienberg (lindainevanston@gmail.com) to get involved.

TUESDAYS

LIGHT OF THE MOON SOCIETY is a women's group that meets for conversation, wisdom-sharing and dessert from 7:30 – 9:30 pm on the night of the full moon each month. Join us this month to celebrate on **August 24** at the home of Loretta Line (**NOTE: new location**). For details, contact Loretta at 847/845-9091.

THURSDAYS

BLUE MOUNTAIN CENTER OF MEDITATION SATSANG "Satsang" is a Sanskrit word that translates loosely as "spiritual fellowship." This meditation group meets Thursdays from 7:00 - 8:30 pm in the LSC Library. Contact Loretta Line (847/845-9091).

THE SUSTENANCE CONNECTION also prepares dinner on the first Thursday of every month to Hilda's Place guests. Join us next on **August 5!** To get involved, contact Linda M (llmolitor@comcast.net) or Linda D (lindainevanston@gmail.com).

A Few September Events

September 5 - Taize/Communion Worship Service
September 11 – marthas event/Sanctuary Cleaning
September 12 – Program Year Kickoff

NOTE: Give information to Pat Stringer (pstringer@lakestreet.org) by Aug. 15 for the Sept. Events Page