

There's still time to sign up for the Garden Tour!

Monday, July 24: Women's Garden Tour and Pot Luck at Carol Biermeier's home. we begin at 11:00 am. Join us for a wonderful day of strolling gardens, eating lunch, and "catching up" with one another. Bring a dish to share. This event will be held rain or shine! RSVP by emailing ca.biermeier@q.com.

Summer Meal Program for Kids: Every year Neighbors help young people get regular meals when school is out. Volunteers are always welcome to provide a friendly face and help serve the food. There is no meal prep involved for volunteers. Anyone is welcome to sign up. Augustana will also have a designated week (to be determined) so you can join our members and serve together. To register: visit [www.neighborsmn.org/services/Summer Meal Program](http://www.neighborsmn.org/services/SummerMealProgram). Or you can email scott@neighborsmn.org. You'll enter your info there and give your permission for a background check. Then you can pick the place, date, and time that works for you. Some specific needs at this time are at Garlough Elementary during the week of July 31-August 3.

Youth Summer Service Days: Tuesday, August 9, and Wednesday, August 16, 8:45 am to 4:30 pm each day. Cost: \$20 (includes lunch each day). We will volunteer with a local organization each morning and have some fun each afternoon. Some of our destinations are Union Gospel Mission, Feed My Starving Children, waterparks, bowling, and more! Students in grade six and up are welcome. Sign up in the Youth Binder.

Where should Abby go this Summer? Augustana Youth be sure to let Abby know of any events you will participate in this summer. She'd love to come and support you!



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HABITAT FOR HUMANITY DATES ARE SET!**

***CAN YOU HELP WITH HABITAT THIS YEAR?
LEARN NEW SKILLS, MAKE NEW FRIENDS,
WHILE YOU HELP OTHERS IN NEED!***

PLEASE GET A SIGN-UP FORM AT THE INFORMATION DESK!

Two Weeks In 2017 ~ 8/28 - 9/1/17 & 9/11 - 9/15/17

August 28	August 29	August 30	August 31	Sept. 1
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Sept. 11	Sept. 12	Sept. 13	Sept. 14	Sept. 15
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CALL or EMAIL: Jim Neuharth - 651-687-9376 neuharth@comcast.net
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Congregational Event Notice:

PLEASE NOTE: Tomorrow's Family Wacky Water Games has been cancelled.

You don't want to miss the last Family Fun Night of the summer~sign up now! August 14: Sundaes and Scavenger Hunt. We will search the church grounds and nearby neighborhood for a list of items and fun photo ops. The hunt begins at 6:30 pm followed by tasty ice cream sundaes!

Yogadevotion at Augustana: Remember you can "drop in" for one session of Yoga at Augustana for the mere price of \$10. Chair Yoga is at 9:00 Mondays, and Yoga Flow is at 6:30 pm on Mondays.



Bible 101 Class: Cathy Hendrikson and Angela LaMoore will teach a Bible basics class this summer on Wednesday evenings from July 12 through August 9. A light dinner and time for fellowship begins at 5:15 pm. You may attend any or all of these classes. Sign up at the Info Center or email Angela, alamoore@augustana. **PLEASE NOTE:** The children's portion of the class has been cancelled; the adult class *will* continue as planned for the 5 weeks.



Interpreting at Augustana: For many years, Augustana has offered the services of an American Sign Language Interpreter in Sunday worship. Once per this summer, an ASL Interpreter will offer sign language interpreting for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing in our community. The remaining dates are TODAY and August 27. Any thoughts or ideas you may have are welcome as a recently formed committee explores and evaluates this ministry.

Adoptive and Foster Parent Group: First Tuesday of each month, 6:00 pm. Please note that we will take a break for July. Our next meeting is on August 1. We believe that our Christian faith is the basis of our family lives. We listen, learn from, and support each other in this confidential, faith-based group.

The Gathering is a program in which Augustana volunteers provide a stimulating and fun day for people experiencing memory loss. We meet on the first and third Tuesday of each month from 10:00 am-3:00 pm. The group loves to sing along, move, and listen to music as part of the day. Would you be interested in sharing 30-45 minutes of a musical program with the group? Please sign up on the Connection Card Serve page or call Mary, Faith Community Nurse in the office.

Memory Loss Support Group for Caregivers: We meet on the first Tuesday of each month at 10:00 am. Our next meeting will be August 1st. Come enjoy this loving, informative group, supporting those who deal with the challenges of caring for loved ones with memory loss.



Remember your pledge as you travel this summer.
Augustana's ministries continue all summer long!