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December 2017

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26 Last Sunday after Pentecost Christ the King Sunday U.M. Student Day Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	27 Ministry candidates meeting, 10:30 a.m. Ladies Group, 3:45 p.m.	28 A.A., 7:30 p.m.	29 Administrative Council, 6 p.m. Choir rehearsal, 7:30 T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	30	1	2 Hanging of the Greens, church sanctuary, 1 p.m.
3 1 st Sunday of Advent Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	4 Ladies Group, 3:45 p.m.	5 Piano tuning, 9:30 A.A., 7:30 p.m.	6 Scrabble® 1 p.m. Choir rehearsal, 7:30 Northbrook Clergy Association, 2 p.m., St. Giles Church T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	7 Caroling, Greek American Rehabilitation & Care Centre , Wheeling †	8	9 Choir Cantata rehearsal, 3 to 5 p.m. (supper to follow)
10 2 nd Sunday of Advent Stewardship Sunday Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 Christmas Cantata (during 10 a.m. service) HCC* RCC**	11 Ministry candidates meeting with Dr. Zaki, 10 a.m. Ladies Group, 3:45 p.m.	12 Caroling, Brandel home, Pfingsten & Techny, Northbrook † A.A., 7:30 p.m.	13 Choir rehearsal, 7:30 T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	14	15	16
17 3 rd Sunday of Advent Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 Holiday Festival potluck (after morning service) Angel Tree party, Chicago (carpool departs at 1:30 p.m.) HCC* RCC**	18 Ladies Group, 3:45 p.m.	19 Outreach / Mission, 1 p.m. A.A., 7:30 p.m.	20 Choir rehearsal, 7:30 T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	21	22	23 <i>January newsletter articles due.</i>
24 4 th Sunday of Advent (Please see note below.) HCC*	25 Christmas Day (church office closed)	26 A.A., 7:30 p.m.	27 Choir rehearsal, 7:30 T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	28	29	30
31 1 st Sunday after Christmas Administrative Council (after morning service) HCC* RCC**	1 New Year's Day (church office closed)	2 A.A., 7:30 p.m.	3 Choir rehearsal, 7:30 T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	4	5 Bible Study Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m.	6 Epiphany

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† Christmas caroling, Dec. 7 & 12 — car pool departs North Northfield at 6:45 p.m., or join us there at 7 p.m., then return to North Northfield for hot chocolate and cookies afterward. All are welcome, invite a friend!

Christmas Eve, Dec. 24 — North Northfield morning service at **10 a.m.**; North Northfield joint service with Happy Christian Church and Renovation Christian Church at **4 p.m.**; North Northfield joint service with Happy Christian Church at **10 p.m.**

Events of the Northern Illinois Conference of the United Methodist Church (for more information, visit www.umcnic.org)

Dec. 1 — World AIDS Day, 6 p.m., Hartzell Memorial U.M.C., Chicago.

Dec. 3 to 9 — Praying Our Way Forward, details TBA.



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7 Baptism of the Lord 1 st Sunday after the Epiphany Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	8 Ladies Group, 4 to 5:30 p.m.	9 A.A., 7:30 p.m.	10 Thrift Sale work time, 9:30 to noon Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p.m. T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	11	12 Bible Study Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m.	13
14 2 nd Sunday after the Epiphany Human Relations Day Friendship Breakfast, 8:30 a.m. Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	15 Birthday of Martin Luther King, Jr. (church office closed) Day of Service , Northbrook U.M.C.	16 A.A., 7:30 p.m.	17 Thrift Sale work time, 9:30 to noon Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p.m. T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	18	19 Bible Study Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m.	20
21 3 rd Sunday after the Epiphany Ecumenical Sunday Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	22 Ladies Group, 4 to 5:30 p.m.	23 A.A., 7:30 p.m.	24 Thrift Sale work time, 9:30 to noon Scrabble® with Friends, Fellowship Hall, 1 p.m. Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p.m. T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	25	26 Bible Study Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m.	27
28 4 th Sunday after the Epiphany Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	29 Ladies Group, 4 to 5:30 p.m.	30 A.A., 7:30 p.m.	31 Thrift Sale work time, 9:30 to noon Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p.m. T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	1	2 Bible Study Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m.	3

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Jan. 19 to 21 — [Mission u](#) – Winter Event, Camp Reynoldswood, Reynoldswood Road, Dixon.

Jan. 27 — Chicago Northwestern District LEAD training, 8:15 a.m. to 3 p.m., Glenview U.M.C.



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28 4 th Sunday after the Epiphany Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	29 Ladies Group, 4 to 5:30 p.m.	30 Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. A.A., 7:30 p.m.	31 Thrift Sale work time, 9:30 to noon Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p.m. T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	1	2 Bible Study Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m.	3
4 5 th Sunday after the Epiphany Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	5 Ladies Group, 4 to 5:30 p.m.	6 Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. A.A., 7:30 p.m.	7 Thrift Sale work time, 9:30 to noon Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p.m. T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	8 Lifesource event	9 Bible Study Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m.	10
11 6 th Sunday after the Epiphany Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	12 Ladies Group, 4 to 5:30 p.m. Ladies Group, 4 to 5:30 p.m.	13 Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. A.A., 7:30 p.m.	14 Ash Wednesday Thrift Sale work time, 9:30 to noon Choir rehearsal, T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	15	16 Bible Study Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m.	17
18 1 st Sunday of Lent Adult Sun. Schl., 8:45 HCC* RCC**	19 President's Day (church office closed) Ladies Group, 4 to 5:30 p.m.	20 Ladies Bible Study, 9:30 a.m. A.A., 7:30 p.m.	21 Thrift Sale work time, 9:30 to noon Choir rehearsal, 7:30 p.m. T.O.P.S., 6:30 p.m.	22	23 Bible Study Group, 1 to 2:30 p.m.	24
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- Feb. 4 to 6 — Annual Cabinet / Full Board Meeting, Sycamore U.M.C., Sycamore, Illinois.
- Feb. 7 — Shift: "Membership to Discipleship," 9:30 a.m., 8765 W. Higgins Road, Chicago
- Feb. 17 — Laity Convocation, Sycamore U.M.C., 160 Johnson Ave., Sycamore.
- Feb. 22 — Executive Team Meeting.
- Feb. 25 — Youth Group Opportunities: Meal, Gaga Ball & Games, 5:30 p.m., Glenview U.M.C., 721 Harlem Ave., Glenview.