




March 2026 Newsletter

MEETINGS	Committee Meetings <i>virtual until further notice</i>	Community Meetings <i>22 Orlin Ave SE, PPUMC</i>
<p><i>For the most up-to-date list of meetings please check the PPA Calendar. All committee meetings are taking place virtually unless otherwise noted.</i></p> <p>ABOUT PPA Prospect Park Association is the official neighborhood association for the Prospect Park Area of the city of Minneapolis.</p> <p>Donate to PPA</p>  <p>Prospect Park Association is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, and all donations are tax-deductible.</p>	<p>Environment Committee Wednesday April 8. 6:00pm</p> <p>Jackson Family Project Thursday April 2, 4:30pm</p> <p>Land Use & Planning Committee Thursday April 19. 7:00pm</p> <p>Transportation & Safety Committee Wednesday April 8. 6:30pm</p>	<p>PPA Board Meeting & Community Meeting</p> <p>Monday March 23rd 6:50pm (hybrid mtg) <i>(enter at far-left, east-side of building up ramp)</i></p> <p><i>All Community Members are welcome!</i></p> <p><u>Agenda</u></p> <p><u>to attend via Zoom, register here</u> (access begins at 6:50pm)</p> <p>Management Council Monday January 5th <i>Sets Community & Board Meeting Agendas</i></p>

GET INVOLVED!

[PPA Event Calendar for Updated Meeting Information](#)

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Engage in City & Neighborhood Activities

Environment, Equity, Public Safety, Land Use, Renters' Rights, Jackson Family Project, Witch's Hat Tower & Local Park Improvements, Transportation & More Board member orientation provided. **ALL ARE WELCOME!**

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Contact staff@prospectparkmpls.org with questions or to receive more information. Learn more about PPA at prospectparkmpls.org.

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To run for the PPA Board,
complete a Board Candidate Profile form by April 17th.

Forms will be available soon online at prospectparkmpls.org

Help us spread the message. [Download the flyer here](#)

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OTHER COMMUNITY NEWS



Mother Earth Summit April 4 @ 11:00 am - 4:00 pm

Purpose of the event

The intent of this event is to connect university students with community members and organizations within the greater Twin Cities area focused on environmental justice and climate action.

The event is open to community and university members who fill out the registration form below. It will be hosted at the Humphrey School of Public Affairs on the University of Minnesota campus on Saturday, April 4th 2026 from 11 am – 4 pm. [Schedule of Events here.](#) [Register here!](#)

Who we are

Since 2023, university students mentored by Michael Chaney of Project Sweetie Pie and Britt Howell of BF50 Indigenous Health Initiative have collaborated to build a dynamic annual environmental justice event rooted in youth leadership and community impact. The 2026 Mother Earth Summit will expand on this strong foundation, fostering spaces of learning and action to build a sustainable and just future.



Events at Prospect Park United Methodist Church

Helping Others While Having Fun! Service Project for Kids



**HELPING OTHERS
WHILE
HAVING FUN!**

Sunday, March 22
12:00 - 2:00 pm

Children K-6 are invited to do a service project making sandwiches. Snacks and fun activities afterward!

Register at prospectparkchurch.org

Children in grades K-6 are invited to help make 200 sandwiches for individuals experiencing homelessness on Sunday, March 22 from 12-2 pm at Prospect Park United Methodist Church, 22 Orlin Ave SE (across the street from Pratt School). After making and bagging the sandwiches, we'll have snacks and fun activities. Parents are welcome to stay or drop-off kids for the 2 hours. If you are coming, please [register](#) so we have enough workstations, snacks, and games.

Richard Kriehn & Friends Concert to Benefit Glendale Food Shelf



Prospect Park UMC Presents

RICHARD KRIEHN & FRIENDS

IN CONCERT
SATURDAY, APRIL 11 | 7 PM

at Prospect Park UMC
22 Orlin Ave SE Minneapolis, MN 55414

The concert is free to attend, with a freewill offering collected in which 100% will support Glendale Food Shelf, a program of



EAST SIDE
Neighborhood
Services



Prospect Park
United Methodist Church
www.prospectparkchurch.org

Holy Week and Easter Services & Events

- A. Maundy Thursday Service, April 2 at 7 pm
- B. Children's Easter Egg Party, Saturday, April 4 9:30-10:30 pm
- C. Easter Sunrise Service, Sunday, April 5, 6:30 am at Tower Hill Park
- D. Easter Breakfast follows the Sunrise Service in Community Hall at PPUMC
- E. Easter Sanctuary Service of Celebration, Sunday, April 5, 10 am

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PROSPECT PARK UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Maundy Thursday Service, Thursday, April 2 at 7 pm
tributes to Jesus from the perspective of characters in the Bible

Children's Easter Egg Party, Saturday, April 4, 9:30-10:30 am
lots of fun activities; egg hunt at 10:15!

EASTER SUNDAY, APRIL 5

Easter Sunrise Service, 6:30 am at Tower Hill Park
journey up Tower Hill on Easter morning
in this traditional PPUMC service

Easter Breakfast follows in Community Hall

Sanctuary Service of Celebration, 10 am
celebrate the resurrection of Jesus Christ
and the joy of new life

 **Prospect Park
United Methodist Church**

22 Orlin Ave SE Minneapolis, MN 55414 612-378-2380
www.prospectparkchurch.org

**Free Resilience & Restoration Workshop
presented by James Hamrick, LICSW**

April 18, 1-3:30 pm, at Prospect Park UMC, 22 Orlin Ave SE.

Learn and practice skills to combat stress. Space is limited. Register by email to james@fishoutofwater.info.



RESILIENCE & RESTORATION



April 18th
1:00 -
3:30pm



Prospect Park
United Methodist
Church

22 SE Orlin Ave,
Minneapolis, MN
55414

A free workshop to:

- understand our emotions and what they tell us about our values
- practice skills for restoring and regulating our nervous systems in stressful times

Presented by James Hamrick, LICSW

Registration by email:
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## [Please donate to PPA at GiveMN](#)

Founded in 1901, PPA's mission is to promote, in a non-partisan, educational and cooperative manner, the health, safety and general welfare of the neighborhood and to promote the maintenance and improvement of the aesthetic, residential and physical qualities of the neighborhood environment.

[Please support PPA so we can continue serving our neighborhood.](#)

Prospect Park Association is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization. All donations are tax-deductible.



Simply click for online GiveMN or mail checks to:  
PPA, P.O. Box 141095,  
Minneapolis 55414.



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Council Member Wonsley:

Contact or Share Your Opinion or Address an Issue Any Time

E-mail Council Member Wonsley and her staff at ward2@minneapolismn.gov

Or contact staff directly:

[Policy Aide Celeste Robinson](#)

[Policy Aide Qannani Omar](#)

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[Follow the Off-Campus Living Facebook Page](#) and [sign up here](#) for their newsletter to receive updates on safety, business, and more in the University of Minnesota Campus area. Non-students are also encouraged to participate!



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