

March 2018 Calendar

Program Meeting, Wednesday, March 21, 1:30 P.M.
Augustana Lutheran Church, 5500 South Woodlawn Avenue



A Look Back and Forward

Barbara Flynn Currie, the 25th District's Representative in the General Assembly since 1979, is retiring in January 2019. She will reflect on her years of service as well as Illinois government and politics.



Visitors are welcome; please bring a friend. Hostesses: Movies

<p>Board Meeting Wed., Mar. 14, 10:00 A.M.</p>	<p>Location: Delta Literacy, Delta Sigma Theta House, 4525 South King Drive. Please note the 10:00 A.M. time.</p>
<p>Special Movie Event Thurs., Mar. 8, 1:30 P.M.</p>	<p>The Hyde Park Art Center will honor the memory of Movie Group founder Mary Rose Shaughnessy. A special presentation and reception will follow the film, <i>Frantz</i>. Refreshments will be served. All Service League members are encouraged to attend. Location: Hyde Park Art Center, 5020 S. Cornell Ave.</p>
<p>MEMBERS AND GUESTS ARE INVITED TO ATTEND ALL SECTION ACTIVITIES</p>	
<p>Book Discussion Tues., Mar. 6, 7:30 P.M. Chair: Laura Kracke 773-288-6455 hkracke@earthlink.com</p>	<p>Hostess: Charlotte Johnston, 773-288-8970 Book: <i>The Underground Railroad</i> (Colson Whitehead) Next Month: April 3, <i>A Piece of the World</i> (Christina Baker Kline) The 2017-18 Book List is available on our website at http://ucserviceleague.org</p>
<p>Dining Out Chair: Jan O'Malley 773-955-4518 hddrO@sbcglobal.net</p>	<p>There will be no dining out in March. Watch for April's gathering at the Kendell College Culinary arts restaurant. It is an upscale dining experience that members enjoyed in January. We are looking forward to to returning.</p>
<p>Games Wed., Mar. 28, 10:00 A.M. Chair: Charlotte Adler 773-256-1314 chbob@sbcglobal.net</p>	<p>Hostess: Marie Schilling, 773-955-4949. RSVP to the Chair. We rotate the hostesses each month and she chooses the game. All are welcome to come and enjoy. We'll have fun!</p>
<p>Movies Thurs., Mar. 8, 1:30 P.M. Chair: Carole Landrum 773-428-8147 cplandrum@sbcglobal.net</p>	<p>Movie: <i>Frantz</i> (Set in Germany and France in the aftermath of World War I. A young German woman meets a French veteran who appears mysteriously in her town.) A reception honoring the memory of Movie Group founder Mary Rose Shaughnessy will follow the film. Refreshments will be served. Location: Hyde Park Art Center, 5020 S. Cornell Ave. All are invited. \$2.00 Donation. Next Month: April 12, <i>Darkest Hour</i></p>
<p>French Tues., Mar. 13 and 27, 2:30 P.M. Chair: Judy Chernick 773-752-2317 ChernickJM@gmail.com</p>	<p>Hostess: Anne Gomer, 773-536-2182. RSVP to the Chair. All levels of conversation are welcome. Did you study French in high school or college? Did you speak French in the past but are no longer fluent? You'll fit right in! Also, please join the Movie Group to see the French film <i>Frantz</i> on March 8.</p>
<p>Spanish Thursdays, 1:30 P.M. Chair: Agnes Zellner 773-643-6992 azellner@gmail.com</p>	<p>Hostess: For information about meeting place contact Agnes. Program: The group reads and discusses Spanish novels, takes trips to museums, restaurants, etc.</p>
<p>Walking Tuesdays, 9:30 A.M. Chair: Frances Gordon 773-684-0522 fgordon0@aol.com</p>	<p>Spring is in the air! Let's meet every Tuesday morning. Call by 9:00 A.M. if you are coming. Location: We will meet at 5412 East View Park. Let me know if you want to be on the Walking Group email list. I will send a reminder to you the day before we meet.</p>

New Members	Please welcome new member Reeva Shulruff . The Membership Committee welcomes nominations for new members. Please email names and contact information for prospective members to Membership Co-Chair, Judy Chernick, ChernickJM@gmail.com *Please include in subject line: "Service League Membership"
President's Message	At the March 21 Program Meeting the slate of candidates for our 2018-19 leadership positions will be presented. At our April 18 Program Meeting we will vote upon the slate. Many of the the same names pop up year after year on the slate. We need to broaden our pool of talent. We ask you to ponder how you yourself might be able to serve our organization. Please invite a friend to our March Meeting to hear what Barbara Flynn Currie has to say. This is an opportunity not to be missed. Remember that spouses are always welcome.
SPECIAL RESOURCES	
Computers	SL Rep: Judith Wright, 773-947-0282, wrightjudithm@gmail.com Special Offers: George Rumsey offers a half-price rate to SL members for his computer classes: Microsoft Office (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Access, and Outlook), Adobe Creative Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Acrobat, and Dreamweaver). Classes are held in his office in the HP Bank Bldg. Go to www.computer-resource.com (click on "Schedule") or call George at 773-955-4455 for all the basics.
Physical Activities	SL Rep: Frances Gordon, 773-684-0522, fgordon@aol.com Mary Rogel offers a \$5 rate to SL members for 1-hour QiGong in the HP Bank Bldg. Go to www.eastpointassociates.com or call Mary at 773-955-9643. Also free Senior Services are available at Chicago Cultural Center, Renaissance Court, 78 East Washington. They have exercise classes Monday thru Saturday. Call 312-744- 4550.
OUR PHILANTHROPIES	
Chicago Commons Association	SL Rep: Caroline Harney, 312-833-3286, harney@att.net Chicago Commons thanks the Service League for its recent gift of \$2308. The gift will help provide high quality Early Education. The Service League's support over many years is generous and valuable. Many Service League members have visited to see their gift at work. Please visit their website at www.chicagocommons.org
Delta Literacy	SL Rep: Charlotte Johnston, 773-288-8970, charlottejohnston@sbcglobal.net Tutoring services are offered at the D'Estee site on Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday 9:30 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. A session is also held on Wednesday afternoon from 4:00 to 6:00 P.M. On Saturday a Book Club meets from 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Tutoring services are also offered at Kelly Library, 6151 S. Normal Blvd. and at Jackson Park Supportive Living, 1446 East 75th Street (open to residents only). Substitute tutors are very much needed. For specifics please contact Olivia Amos, Executive Director, 773-768-5794. Visit their website at www.chicagodeltas.com
HP Kenwood Hunger Program	SL Rep: Agnes Zellner, 773-643-6992, azellner@gmail.com Volunteers are needed! Help with food prep and serving is needed on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Please contact Agnes Zellner, Service League Representative, for information regarding volunteer opportunities. The kitchen also accepts cash, food and clothing donations. For information regarding donations contact Rev. Sanders, 773-373-2861 or visit their website at www.hpkifc@hotmail.com
Hyde Park Neighborhood Club	SL Rep: Colleen O'Leary, 773-643-2115, cmoleary@aol.com Looking Ahead: HPNC's Annual Pancake Breakfast will be held on Sunday April 8, 9:00 A.M. - 1 P.M. For further information please contact Sara Diwan, sdiwan@hpnclub.org Please visit our website at www.hpnclub.org
St. Martin de Porres House of Hope	SL Rep: Patricia Bennett, 773-493-8826, Pbenne@comcast.com St. Martin de Porres House of Hope provides housing and a supportive framework for recovery from addiction for women and their children. In-kind donations (provided that they fit the particular needs of the program) are a valuable way to supplement our cash support for St. Martin. Toiletries, including shampoo, soap, deodorant, toothpaste, bubble bath, lotion, etc., make a large difference in the women's ability to take charge of their own housekeeping and develop their sense of self-respect.

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