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# **GOOD NEWS**

Lutheran Via de Cristo of Minnesota



"Christ is counting on You"

Happy Fall everyone!

To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven; a time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant and a time to pluck up that which is planted.

~Ecc. 3:1-2

Photo courtesy of Monica Voss



#### **CALLED TO THE 5TH DAY\***

We celebrate the lives of those who have entered into their 5th

Day and are now in the Lord's glorious presence.

\* Please contact Monica Voss at <u>acorn1squash@gmail.com</u> with those people we may have missed. Thank you!

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# Council Member Spotlight



Janine Schimmelman,

MN Lutheran Via de Cristo State Council Finance Director/State Treasurer/Admin

Home Church? Eagle Brook Blaine 4+ yrs, Before that, Redeemer Fridley 40+ yrs

Weekend went through VDC? #38

Which church did you go through? First Lutheran church, Brainard

Verse for the weekend? We love, because He first loved us 1 John 4:19

- Favorite Team to work on a VDC weekend? I started with kitchen teams, then I branched out to each of the other teams and I like 4th Day now. I was a Rector in 2016
- What do you do outside VDC? I have been retired for 4 years, so I donate time to bookkeeping for Mom's Haven of Hope and the VDC State. Bill and I enjoy traveling and knocking things off my bucket list. We I like going to car shows and eating out. We have 8 grownup grandkids and spend time with them as often as possible. We'll be Great Grandparents for the 3rd and 4th time in December and January.

What is your favorite hobby? Sewing, crocheting and misc crafting.

What would you want people to know about you or something no one knows about you that you want people to know? I am an introvert, but I learned to put myself out there anyway. I get tired of being around a lot people.

#### **METRO EVENTS**

## Welcome to the 4th Day Community, Weekend # 690!!

Akua A.	Janet R.	Oretha T.
Amy B.	Joann L.	Patricia B.
Amy J.	Joe L.	Rhonda H.
Cece C.	Mardi L.	Rose B.
Dave R.	Mark C.	Shanda M.
Dominic G.	Marlo D.	Sophia B.
Donna F.	Matt T.	Vicki O.
Grace S.	Nana A.	

### \*\* Join Us \*\*

# 4th Day Annual Gathering

October 12, 2024 9am—3pm Christ Lutheran Church 11194 36th St. N. Lake Elmo, MN



#### Feed My Starving Children

Simultaneous events in Coon Rapids & Eagan January 11th OR 18, 2025

This is a 4th Day, Family & Friends event.



Tentative Men's & Women's Weekends February 2025

# **OTHER CURSILLO EVENTS**



#### Unidos en Cristo

Co-Ed Weekend #303

March 20-23, 2025

Faith Lutheran Church 12007 Excelsior Blvd. Minnetonka, MN www.unidosencristo.com



# Northern Minnesota District

Ultreya Event

Sunday October 6, 2024 3pm—6pm Our Saviors Lutheran Church 615 12th Street Cloquet, MN

Bring your yellow book, songbook, name tag & a dish to pass for potluck,

Open to all, whether you attended a Via de Cristo weekend or not.



Sponsor and Weekender applications can be downloaded at www.mnviadecristo.org/formsapplications.

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