

The Voice of Good Shepherd

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WELCOME GUESTS!

Our worship services are held Sunday mornings at 8:30 and 11:00 a.m., with Bible Study for both children and adults at 9:45 a.m. Please introduce yourself to our pastor and worship with us again.

FRIENDSHIP REGISTER

Kindly pass the *Record of Fellowship* down your row, signing your name. Visitors please share your address and phone number that we might acknowledge your presence with us.

OUR NURSERY

Our staffed nursery is located at the end of the hall just outside the sanctuary. We welcome all children under age 5 during the 11:00 a.m. service.

This Week at Good Shepherd December 13th – December 19th, 2015

<u>Sun. 13</u>	<u>Mon. 14</u>	<u>Tues. 15</u>	<u>Wed. 16</u>	<u>Thurs. 17</u>	<u>Fri. 18</u>	<u>Sat. 19</u>
Sunday School Christmas Program 11:00 a.m.	PEP 8:00 – 4:00	Men's Bible Breakfast 6:30 am	PEP 8:00 – 4:00			
Caroling 2:00 pm		OWLS trip to Potter's Ranch 11:30 am	Advent Supper 6:15 pm			
Confirmation 6:00 pm		Art Class 1:00 pm	Advent Service 7:00 pm			

Upcoming Events

- 12/13 Sunday School Christmas program** – The Christmas Program will be this morning at the 11:00 a.m. service.
- 12/13 Christmas Caroling** – The youth will be caroling to our shut-ins today. The congregation is invited to join us. Meet at church at 2:00 p.m.
- 12/13 Christmas Giving Tree** – Gifts need to be returned to the Gathering Area this morning. They will be sorted and taken over to the schools on Monday. Thanks to everyone who participated.
- 12/15 OWLS** – The OWLS will be going to Potter's Ranch on Tuesday, December 15, 2015. We will leave from the church parking lot promptly at 11:30 a.m. sharp for our 12:00 p.m. lunch and Bluegrass Concert.
- 12/16 Advent Services** – December 16 at 7:00 p.m. An Advent supper will precede the service at 6:15 p.m. If you can bring a dish for one of the suppers, please sign up on the sheet which is on the kitchen door.

Save The Date

- 12/24 Christmas Eve Services** – Services will be at 5:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Pre-service music begins at 7:00 p.m.
- 12/31 New Year's Eve Communion Service** - 7:00 p.m.

Adult Inquiry Class – We are planning to offer an **Adult Inquiry Class** beginning in early 2016. This class will review the basics of what we believe, teach and confess as Lutheran Christians and also serve as a new member class for those interested in joining Good Shepherd. The class schedule will be determined by the availability of the participants. If you or someone you know is interested, please contact Pastor Bill by **Sunday, December 20** so that we can schedule the class and order enough materials.

Current Weekly Bible Studies

Tuesdays

6:30 a.m.- Men's Bible
Breakfast at IHOP
Colossians

Sundays

9:45 a.m. – Sunday
School Adult Bible Study
in the Family Life Center.

Sundays

9:45 a.m.–Women's
study of Thessalonians
by Beth Moore in the
Duchow Room.

Announcements

Christmas Cards - Anyone wishing to leave card(s) for any or all church members, please do so by placing them into the basket located in the Gathering Area by the sink.

Kitchen Supplies – Please help purchase items that are needed for the kitchen. These items are listed on tags that are posted on the kitchen door. Thank you.

Family In Need – One of our Whiz Kids families is in desperate need of furniture. If you have anything to donate, please contact Lisa Krejci or Lynn Mitchell in the church office.

Remember...

Refreshments are served in the Family Life Center after the 8:30 a.m. service. Please join us!

Church Office Hours:

Monday through Thursday
8:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

Last Week

Attendance - 105

GEN. FUND YTD Thru Dec. 6, 2015

Commitment -	\$226,325
Received -	\$185,728
Deficit	\$40,597

Special Designated Pastoral Fund

Goal -	\$10,000.00
12/6	10.00
To Date	\$8,030

Our Servants This Week

	8:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Acolyte:	Erik Vezina	Isabel Schmitt
Elder:	Dennis Bird	Glen Leavens
Comm. Assist:	Nathan Hayes	Jason Raap
Reader:	Nancy Krenk	Bruce Bremer
Greeters:	Janice Giglio	Bruce & Regina Bremer
Nursery:	Need Volunteer	Crystal O'Grady
9:45a.m.:		
Lead Usher:	Steve Langsdale	John Bernhardt
Ushers:	Arne Almquist Adam Ostermeier	Jason Raap Dave Wissler
Flowers & Altar Care:	Lori Raap	
Fellowship:	Barb Barvincak	
Refuse Duty:	Andy Gawura	
Offering Counters:	Leroy Raap	
Sound Ministry:	Bill Shaw	Leroy Raap

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	8:30 a.m.	11:00 a.m.
Acolyte:	Seth Bozarth	Dalton Aragon
Elder:	Arne Almquist	Bruce Bremer
Comm. Assist:	Rob Nielsen	Ryan Reasoner
Reader:	Adam Ostermeier	Mark Schmitt
Greeters:	Fred & Virginia Langsdale	Brian & Anne Yri
Nursery:	Need a volunteer	Megan Olson
Lead Usher:	Barb Barvincak	John Bernhardt
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Altar Care:	Sharon Almquist	
Fellowship:	Kim Leavens	
Refuse Duty:	Leroy Raap	
Offering Counters:	Leroy Raap	
Sound Ministry:	Andy Gawura 11:00 am Dave Schneider	

Altar Flowers

This week's altar flowers are given to the Glory of God by Karen Sladen in honor of Erin's 25th birthday.

Good Shepherd Prayer Requests



If you have prayer requests or concerns, please e-mail the church office at gs1c9066@fuse.net. We will have congregational prayer made for those requests received by the office by Noon on Thursdays. Requests after that time should be brought to church on Sunday and a prayer request form (located near the entrance door) completed and handed to an usher or Elder prior to the service, or sent to one of the Elders.

