

The Voice of Good Shepherd

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[Pastor's Office Hours: Weds. 1:30 pm – 7:00 pm; Thurs. 1:30 – 7:00 pm] This Week at Good Shepherd April 21st, 2024 – April 27th, 2024

Sun. 21 Adult Bible Study & Sunday School 8:45 am	Mon. 22 Men's Study 10:00 am	Tues. 23 Women's Bible Study – 9:30 am Christ for Kids 4:30 pm Trail Life 6:30 pm	Wed. 24 Church Service 7:00 pm	<u>Thurs. 25</u> Pastor's Bible Study – 7:00 pm	<u>Fri. 26</u>	<u>Sat. 27</u>
Service - 10:00 am	AHG – 6:30 pm					

- **4/21** Stewardship It is time for our Time and Talent sign-up. The next two Sundays, 4/21 and 4/28, we will have sign-up tables for various areas of our church., We need volunteers to help have a Servant Schedule that does not have to repeat as frequently. If there is an area that you might be interested in but not quite sure of, please contact me, Tammy Woolley (859) 301-5597 and I will make sure that someone contacts you about that area. Thank you for all your volunteer hours and servant areas that are already covered so we can have a successful service and active church.
- **4/24** Women's Auxiliary Fidget Mat Event at Zion Lutheran, 1175 Birney Lane, Cincinnati, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm. Lunch will be served. Bring yourself and your creativity; everything supplied. See poster in FLC for extra details.
- 4/27 Federation Servant Event TBD, Suitable for youth participation. Watch for details to come.
- **4/28 LWML Cincinnati Zone Missions in Motion –** Amazing Grace, 9961 New Haven Rd., Harrison, OH, 2:00 4:00 pm. Each attending church to bring a shareable appetizer. Speakers are Pastor Richie on his Tent Ministry and Jacky Kalubi of Leja Bulela, DRC. See poster in FLC for Ingathering details.
- 5/4 Ladies High Tea Reserve your spot for the second annual Ladies High Tea! We have plenty of room for all the ladies of our congregation and any guests you would like to invite. Please join us on Saturday, May 4th from 2:00 to 4:00 pm in the Family Life Center. There will be good food, (all things dedicated to High Tea), different kinds of tea (hot and cold) and lots of conversation. Wear your Easter hats and come enjoy the afternoon. Reserve your spot by texting Debbie Fitzpatrick at (513) 510-1123 and let her know how many will be attending in your party. We look forward to having a wonderful time together!

In honor of Mothers' Day, we will have a service project to help New Hope Life Center, which we support as a congregation at our High Tea. We will be collecting diapers (all sizes up to 2 yrs.) and/or money for diapers, sleepers, and baby wipes, to be given to New Hope. If you would like to participate, please bring your diapers or money with you to the High Tea, or you can bring your donations to church on Sunday, May 5th.

5/7 OWLS – On Tuesday, May 7th, the OWLS will have speakers from the police and fire departments to speak about safety in various situations. Everyone is welcome. The covered dish will be at noon, speakers at 12:20 pm.

VBS – We are raising funds for VBS and need your help! We are asking for donations of \$10 per child to help purchase supplies, snacks, decorations, etc. To support a child, please put money in the offering basket with it labeled as VBS. Check out the bulletin board in the Family Life Center to see the number of children dwindle as they are supported financially! We currently have 55 children on the board that we hope to support!

Sundays Adult Bible Study – 8:45 am Led by Pastor Poynter in the FLC

> Women's Bible Study – 8:45 am - Duchow Room

Current Weekly Bible Studies <u>Mondays</u> Men's Bible Study 10:00 am <u>Tuesdays</u> Women's Study 9:30 a.m.

<u>Thursdays</u>

Pastor's Study Thursdays - Revelation 7:00 pm 1 John 3:2 – "Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is." This is the essence of our sanctification: becoming like our Lord. As St. John notes, this will only be completed in the Resurrection. But until then, we are called to trust His grace and to grow into His image more and more.

Our Servants This Week

Acolyte: Lead Worship Asst.: Greeter: Reader: Usher: Altar Care: Refuse Duty: Offering Counters: Audio/Visual: Madelyn Cottrell Keith Juergens Becky Aragon Shane Waite Lee Brooks Debbie Fitzpatrick Leroy Raap Dave S. & Dave W. Marc Vonderlage

Our Servants Next Week Acolyte: Paul Poynter Lead Worship Asst.: Eric Berns Lisa Berns Greeter: Reader: Vince Woollev **Dave Schneider** Usher: Altar Care: Lisa Berns Refuse Duty: Mark Aragon Offering Counters: Sharon S. & Billy M. Audio/Visual: **Billy Mitchell**

Good Shepherd Prayer Requests



If you have prayer concerns you would like listed in the weekly Voice or sent to the congregation's prayer team, please contact Lynn Mitchell in the church office at <u>secretary@gslcky.org</u> with the following information.

- First and last name of the individual needing prayer.
- Relationship to the requestor
- The issue of concern
- The amount of information which may be disclosed in the Voice or to the prayer team.

Strength and healing prayers will be listed in the Voice for two weeks; although continued prayers may be requested. Long-term cancer prayers will be listed continually until the need ends.

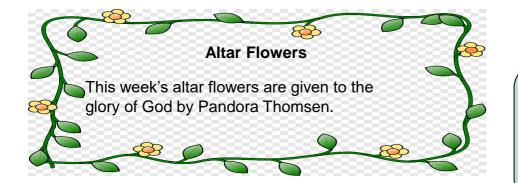
Those dealing with cancer:

Andy Gawura Frank Giglio, Kathy Nielsen's father Scott Buffa, Allison Shaw's brother Pastor John Suguitan. Butch Ried, Kim Leavens' father Mark Twietmeyer, Keith Juergens' cousin

For Strength and Healing:

Louann Gawura, Andy's Aunt Fran Robyler, Friend of Russell Loesch Jim Herr Glen Juergens, Keith's brother Craig Twietmeyer, Keith Juergens' cousin Dorothy Ruschau, Keith Juergen's sister Cassie Molina

Birthdays: Dalton Aragon (22) Mark Aragon (25) Taylor Woolley (27) **Anniversaries:** Jon & Abbey Komplin (24)



Attendance Last Week

Total - 82

13th Month Campaign '22-'26

Goal to Date: \$60,000.00 Given To Date: \$32,065.50 Goal 2026: \$100,000.00

February 2024 Giving

 General Fund:
 \$25,049.06

 Budgeted:
 \$22,237.50

 Year-to-Date:
 \$49,760.36

 YTD Budgeted:
 \$44,475.00

February 2024 Expenses

General Fund:	\$20,883.28
Budgeted:	\$22,191.50
Year-to-Date:	\$51,685.07
YTD Budgeted:	\$44,383.00

For Electronic Giving: gslcky.org/give

Scripture Readings for Next Week:

Isaiah 12:1-6 James 1:16-21 John 16:5-15