



The Voice of Good Shepherd

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This Week at Good Shepherd April 30th, 2023 – May 6th, 2023

<u>Sun. 30</u>	<u>Mon. 1</u>	<u>Tues. 2</u>	<u>Wed. 3</u>	<u>Thurs. 4</u>	<u>Fri. 5</u>	<u>Sat. 6</u>
Adult Bible Study & Sunday School 8:45 am Service 10:00 am	Men's Study 10:00 am	No Women's Bible Study	Pastor's Bible Study 7:00 pm			Ladies High Tea 2:00 – 4:00 pm

- 5/6 SPECIAL EVENT - SATURDAY, MAY 6, 2023 from 2pm to 4:00pm.** The ladies of the congregation from ages **1 to 92** are invited to our first ever (as far as we know) High Tea. We will be celebrating women and mothers on this very special day. Our theme is **"Women at the Feet of Jesus"**. There will be devotion, prayer, singing, discussion of where are our lives are right now, at the feet of Jesus. Additionally, our time together will also be filled with conversations and the joy of spending time with our friends and getting to know each other better. **Of course there will be plenty of High Tea food and drink.** Think of sandwiches, petite-fours, scones, etc. and especially hot tea. Other beverages will also be served in case hot tea is not your beverage of choice. Please RSVP to Debbie Fitzpatrick at 513-510-1123 or email d.fitzpatrick@zoomtown.com by Monday, May 1st.
- 5/11 OWLS Florence Y'all game** – On Thursday, May 11th, the OWLS will be going to the first home game at the Florence Y'all, Thomas More ballpark. The game begins at 6:30 pm. Call or text Linda Kuhn, (859) 630-8233.
- 5/21 Voter Meeting – 11:30 am. (Following the service)** The Voter Meeting agenda will include elections of the following positions: Vice-President, Secretary, Financial Secretary, Head Elder, Elder. Please let Vice-President Phillip Brann know of your willingness to serve in any of these positions.
- 5/20 Mobile Pantry Event** – Good Shepherd will again be packing boxes of food and taking them over to the Arcadia Senior Apartments. Friday packing boxes at 2:00 pm. Saturday morning meet at 9:30 am at church to load. Please sign up on the sheet in the FLC. Thank you.
- 6/4 Cross the Bridge for Life** – This event is happening on Sunday, June 4, 2023. Our chapter of the Northern Kentucky Lutherans For Life is proud to be a Rose Sponsor of this event. The festivities begin at 1:00 pm, with the actual walk beginning at 2:00 pm. The event is being held at Festival Park, Riverboat Row, Newport Riverfront – the area on Newport's riverfront between the Purple People Bridge (left of bridge) and the Taylor Southgate Bridge. Parking at Newport Levee for a fee. Family fun with face painting, balloon artists, music, free T-shirts and more! Come out and join thousands of other people in support of the sanctity of life.

Current Weekly Bible Studies

Sundays

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

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

Mondays

Men's Bible Study
10:00 am

Tuesdays

Women's Study
9:30 a.m.

Wednesdays

Pastor's Study – 7:00 pm

1 Peter 2:21 – “For to this you have been called, because Christ also suffered for you, leaving you an example, so that you might follow in his steps.” Our heavenly Father wants us to grow into the image of His Son and to follow in His steps. Jesus suffered for us not only to redeem us, but also to show us what love looks like and to leave us an example of self-giving, sacrificial generosity. “Let us ever walk with Jesus, follow His example pure.”

Our Servants This Week

Acolyte: Brigid Smith
Lead Worship Asst.: Keith Juergens
Greeter: Tammy Woolley
Reader: Dave Wissler
Usher: Dave Schneider
Altar Care: Debbie Fitzpatrick
Refuse Duty: Mark Aragon
Offering Counters: Marlis N. & Leroy R.
Audio/Visual: Bill Shaw

Our Servants Next Week

Acolyte: Will Vonderlage
Lead Worship Asst.: Eric Berns
Greeter: Lisa Berns
Reader: Sharon Snowden
Usher: Barb Barvincak
Altar Care: Mary Givhan
Refuse Duty: Leroy Raap
Offering Counters: Sherri S. & Leroy R.
Audio/Visual: Marc Vonderlage

**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 secretary@gslicky.org 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
 Robin Stevens, sister of Lisa Brown
 Tony Herald, friend of the Woolleys
 Dorothy Ruschau, sister of Keith Juergens
 Robert Vezina, brother-in-law of Jackie V.
 Frank Giglio, Kathy Nielsen’s father
 Rachel Magee friend of Tammy Woolley
 Scott Buffa, Allison Shaw’s brother
 Regina Hall, Tammy Woolley’s supervisor’s mom

For Strength and Healing:

Chris Maynard
 Lori Thomas, Cousin to Tammy Woolley
 Faye Taylor, friend of Tammy Woolley
 Rev. John Suguitan
 Marian Brockhoff
 Louann Gawura, Andy’s Aunt
 Fred Vezina

Attendance Last Week

Total 91

13th Month Campaign ‘22-’26

Goal 2023: \$20,000.00
 To Date: \$25,847.15
 Goal 2026: \$100,000.00

March 2023 Giving

General Fund: \$27,521.08
 Budgeted: \$18,385.00
 Year-to-Date: \$74,397.08
 YTD Budgeted: \$55,155.00

March 2023 Expenses

General Fund: \$21,527.00
 Budgeted: \$20,640.67
 Year-to-Date: \$66,737.67
 YTD Budgeted: \$61,922.01

For Electronic Giving:
gslicky.org/give

Birthdays: Leland Woolley (2) Pastor Michael Poynter (6)
 Kim Warren (6)

Altar Flowers

This week’s altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Joe and Barb Barvincak in honor of their 35th wedding anniversary.

**Scripture Readings
for Next Week:**

Acts 6:1-9; 7:2a, 51-60
 1 Peter 2:2-10
 John 14:1-14