



The Voice of Good Shepherd

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This Week at Good Shepherd February 5th, 2023 – February 11th, 2023

| Sun. 5 | Mon. 6 | Tues. 7 | Wed. 8 | Thurs. 9 | Fri. 10 | Sat. 11 |
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| Adult Bible Study & Sunday School 8:45 am Service 10:00 am | Men's Study 10:00 am | Women's Bible Study – 9:30 am OWLS – 12:00 | Whiz Kids 4:00 pm Pastor's Bible Study 7:00 pm | | | Women's Bible Breakfast 9:00 am |

- 2/5 Altar Guild Meeting** – Immediately after service in the Sanctuary. Pastor would like to meet with us to discuss Lent/Easter. Thank you.
- 2/7 OWLS Covered Dish Luncheon** – 12:00 Noon. There will be speakers from Advanced Care House Calls and Dayna Ritchey from the Alzheimer's Assoc. along with the luncheon. Food at 12:00 pm and speakers at 12:30 pm. Any and all are invited to attend.
- 2/12 Baby Bottle Boomerang is Underway!** – Please save your loose change or checks made out to the New Hope Center and put them in a baby bottle and boomerang it back to church. The returned bottles will be delivered to New Hope in support of their important ministry which administers to families with an unplanned pregnancy. The baby bottles are on the display table as you enter church. **Bottles must be returned by February 12th.** Thank you!
- 2/15 Bible Study at Legacy Living** – There will be a Bible study the third Wednesday of each month led by Billy Mitchell at Legacy Living Senior Home from 10:00 am to 11:00 am. The congregation is invited to join them. If you have any questions, please see Billy.
- 2/15 Prayer Time** – On the first and third Wednesday of February Billy Mitchell will be at church from 6:00 to 7:00 pm for anyone that would like to pray. He will use the weekly prayer list and include any personal prayers.
- 2/19 Voters' Meeting** – Following the 10:00 am service. Topics will include: Financial review, property project review, and LCMS Convention voting items.
- 2/19 Youth Fundraiser** – The youth will be hosting a Potato Bar prior to the Voters' meeting on February 19th. The sign-up sheet is on the bulletin board in the Family Life Center. Please sign up so we know how many potatoes to bake. Also, if you are interested in skiing with the youth on February 20th (Presidents Day), please let Becky Aragon know.
- 2/18 American Heritage Girls Ladies Tea** – On Saturday, Feb. 18th, from 10:00 am to noon, the AHG will have a tea brunch here at Good Shepherd. They will have displays of their young ladies' accomplishments and occupations for entertainment. They are inviting the ladies of Good Shepherd to join them. They would like to show their appreciation for the use of our building. Dresses, hats and gloves are welcome and encouraged. There is a sign-up sheet in the Family Life Center. They need the RSVP by February 6th. It would be nice to support this Christian group.
- 2/25 FLC Flood Bucket Servant Event** – Peace Lutheran Church. You can help in 3 ways. 1. You can join the team assembling buckets on Feb. 25th at 10:00 am. 2. You or your congregation can purchase items and assemble buckets. 3. You can donate \$30 (or any amount) to be used to purchase bucket items. Mail your donation by Feb. 12th to: The Federation of Lutheran Churches, Gary Kelm, c/o Christ Lutheran Church, 3301 Compton Rd., Cinti. OH 45251. If you are donating items, please place them in the grocery cart in the Family Life Center by Feb. 19th. The list of items needed to fill a bucket are on the display in the FLC. Thank you.

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

Matthew 5:17 – “Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them.” We cannot keep the Law of God perfectly. We are sinners. For us to be saved, Jesus had to fulfill the Law in our place so that the threat of the Law is abolished and the Law itself is upheld. Now, in Christ, we do desire to fulfill the Law, to live out a godly Christian life, precisely because we are so full of thanksgiving toward God for His salvation in Christ.

Our Servants This Week

Acolyte: Madelyn Cottrell
Lead Worship Asst.: Eric Berns
Greeter: Meg Scherer
Reader: Keith Juergens
Usher: Dave Wissler
Altar Care: Lisa Berns
Refuse Duty: Mark Aragon
Offering Counters: Kim L. & Sharon S.
Audio/Visual: Billy Mitchell

Our Servants Next Week

Acolyte: Paul Poynter
Lead Worship Asst.: David Smith
Greeter: Becky Aragon
Reader: Becky Aragon
Usher: Jerry Fitzpatrick
Altar Care: Debbie Fitzpatrick
Refuse Duty: Dave Wissler
Offering Counters: Sherri S. & Dave S.
Audio/Visual: Bill Shaw

**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
 Diane Derks, prior member
 Robert Vezina, brother-in-law of Jackie V.
 Cathy Kennedy, a friend of Gerda Deller
 Wanda & John Cotton, Eva Sellers' great aunt & uncle

For Strength and Healing:

Chris Maynard
 Virginia Langsdale
 Lori Thomas, Cousin to Tammy Woolley
 Adam Beach, Friend of the Woolleys
 Rev. John Suguitan
 Brigid Smith

Attendance Last Week

Total 82

13th Month Campaign

Goal 2022: \$20,000
 YTD 2022: \$25,066
 Goal 2026: \$100,000

December 2022 Giving

General Fund: \$18,746.71
 Budgeted: \$21,820.84
 Year-to-Date: \$222,470.05
 YTD Budgeted: \$251,850.08

December 2022 Expenses

General Fund: \$19,244.77
 Budgeted: \$21,592.68
 Year-to-Date: \$247,820.48
 YTD Budgeted: \$259,112.16

For Electronic Giving:
gslicky.org/give

Birthdays: Mary Givhan (31) Patricia Gage (1) Kim Hoffmann (3)
 Mike Rath (3) Sarah Gamel (6) Dave Schneider (7)
 Allison Shaw (9)

Anniversaries: Calvin & Vonnie Herr (2) 65 years!

Altar Flowers

This week's altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Calvin & Vonnie Herr in honor of their 65th wedding anniversary.

**Scripture Readings
for Next Week:**

Deuteronomy 30:15-20
 1 Corinthians 3:1-9
 Matthew 5:21-37