



The Voice of Good Shepherd

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This Week at Good Shepherd January 7th, 2024 – January 13th, 2024

<u>Sun. 7</u>	<u>Mon. 8</u>	<u>Tues. 9</u>	<u>Wed. 10</u>	<u>Thurs. 11</u>	<u>Fri. 12</u>	<u>Sat. 13</u>
Adult Bible Study & Sunday School 8:45 am Service 10:00 am	Men's Bible Study 10:00 am Elders' Meeting 5:00 pm Council Meeting 7:00 pm	Women's Bible Study – 9:30 am		Home School Returns 9:00 am		

- 1/7 **Portals of Prayer** – The new Portals of Prayer are available in the Gathering Area. Please take one for your family devotions.
- 1/7 **Flower Chart** – The new 2024 chart is up in the Family Life Center. If you want flowers on a particular date, you need to sign up. Envelopes for payment are below the chart. \$20 for 2 vases, \$10 for one.
- 1/8 **Elders' Meeting** – 5:00 pm
- 1/8 **Council Meeting** – 7:00 pm

Thank you

Thank you – Dear Members of Good Shepherd, thank you for the generous Christmas gift; I appreciate it very much. I am blessed by your kind and encouraging words throughout the year as well. Thank you, Kim Leavens

Thank you – I want to thank the congregation for the very, very, generous Christmas gift. I am so very thankful and appreciative. I enjoy working with this congregation throughout the year. Lynn Mitchell

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
Resumes in January

Matthew 3:14 – “John would have prevented him, saying, ‘I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?’” John is right—what Jesus is doing makes no sense! But this is the upside-down, outlandish grace of God: the innocent Jesus takes our sinner’s place. This is the greatest act of giving the world has ever known or will know: the Father gives His Son to die in the place of sinners.

Our Servants This Week

Acolyte: Will Vonderlage
Lead Worship Asst.: Eric Berns
Greeter: Phillip & Jessica Brann
Reader: Lisa Berns
Usher: Kim Hoffmann
Altar Care: Debbie Fitzpatrick
Refuse Duty: Mark Aragon
Offering Counters: Dave S. & Billy M.
Audio/Visual: Marc Vonderlage

Our Servants Next Week

Acolyte: Lily Bovais
Lead Worship Asst.: Glen Leavens
Greeter: Guddy Gawura
Reader: Linda Kuhn
Usher: Dave Schneider
Altar Care: Debbie Fitzpatrick
Refuse Duty: Dave Schneider
Offering Counters: Dave S. & Billy M.
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
 Frank Giglio, Kathy Nielsen’s father
 Rachel Magee friend of Tammy Woolley
 Scott Buffa, Allison Shaw’s brother
 Lynnette Fredericks, Jessica Brann’s mom
 Pastor John Suguitan.
 Chris Maynard, friend of Good Shepherd
 Butch Ried, Kim Leavens’ father

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
 Mark Twietmeyer, Keith Juergens’ cousin
 Sue Bush, Friend of Jackie Vezina
 Bryan Yri

Attendance Last Week

Total - 65

13th Month Campaign ‘22-’26

Goal 2023: \$20,000.00
 Life To Date: \$29,347.35
 Goal 2026: \$100,000.00

November 2023 Giving

General Fund: \$16,401.79
 Budgeted: \$18,463.00
 Year-to-Date: \$219,149.26
 YTD Budgeted:\$202,630.00

November 2023 Expenses

General Fund: \$16,751.56
 Budgeted: \$20,640.67
 Year-to-Date: \$212,179.33
 YTD Budgeted:\$227,047.37

For Electronic Giving:
gslicky.org/give

Altar Flowers

This week’s altar flowers are given to the glory of God by David & Sherri Smith in celebration of the New Year!

**Scripture Readings
 for Next Week:**

Exodus 33:12-23
 Romans 12:6-16
 John 2:1-11