

# 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 March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024 - March 16<sup>th</sup>, 2024

<u>Sun. 10</u>	<u>Mon. 11</u>	<u>Tues. 12</u>	<u>Wed. 13</u>	<u>Thurs. 14</u>	<u>Fri. 15</u>	<u>Sat. 16</u>
Adult Bible Study & Sunday School 8:45 am	Men's Study – 10:00 am AHG – 6:30 pm	Women's Bible Study – 9:30 am	Lenten. Service 3:00 & 7:00 pm Christ for Kids	Home School 9:00 am		Church Cleaning Day 9:30 am
Service - 10:00 am	Elders – 5:00 pm	6:3U Dm	4:30 pm Dinner - 6:00 pm			3.30 am
Aldersgate Church overnight	Council – 7:00 pm	0.00 pm	Choir – 8:00 pm			

- **Open Council Positions –** Good Shepherd will need someone to fill the positions of President, Property Chair, Elder, and Trail Life Liaison. Please prayerfully consider serving in one of these positions. If you have interest or questions please contact Phillip Brann or another Council member.
- **3/6 Lenten Service –** 3:00 and 7:00 pm
- Lenten dinners will continue on Wednesday, March 6<sup>th</sup> and run until March 20th. For our potlucks this year we will be looking for soups, sandwiches and desserts. We look forward to the congregation joining us and enjoying the food and fellowship these dinners always provide on these Wednesday evenings, starting at 6:00 pm.
- **Pastor's Bible Study –** The study will be every Thursday evening at 7:00 p.m. It is the study of Revelation.
- **OWLS Outing –** On March 11<sup>th</sup> the OWLS will be going to Cinemark Theater, behind the mall, at 3:00 pm to see "Cabrini". If you want to go, check seating and hop in. The seats are selling out. We may get food afterward to talk about the movie. See Linda Kuhn with questions.
- 3/13 Choir Practice Following the 7:00 pm service. Join us in raising your voices during Holy Week and Easter.
- Disaster Relief Seminar To learn where your flood buckets went and far more about Disaster Relief opportunities via the LCMS and NALC, join your Federation at the 2024 Education Seminar scheduled for Saturday, March 16, 2024 at St. Paul Lutheran Church, 5433 Madison Rd, Cincinnati from 9am to 12:15pm.
- 3/29 Newsletter Deadline Please send your submissions to Mary Givhan at <a href="mtgivhan310507@hotmail.com">mtgivhan310507@hotmail.com</a>. It will be distributed in April.
- **Easter Egg Hunt -** We are looking for candy to fill the Easter eggs for the children's egg hunt. Chocolate or any candy is fine. Please have donations in by March 16<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

**Easter Flowers –** It's time to order flowers to beautify the altar for Easter. Forms are available as you enter the Sanctuary. Please order early, as some varieties run out quickly. All orders must be in by March 17<sup>th</sup>.

**Church Cleaning –** The semi-annual church cleaning has been scheduled for Saturday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, from 9:30 to 12:00. It is a priority for us to make sure our sanctuary is ready for Holy Week and Easter Sunday. We will be doing a deep cleaning that is not included in the weekly cleaning service. Please consider volunteering that morning to help with this very important service project. The more helping hands we have, the faster the work will be accomplished. We ask that you bring dusting cloths and vacuums as you are able. Other cleaning supplies will be furnished. Lunch will be provided after the work is complete. Let Debbie Fitzpatrick or Mary Givhan know if you are willing to help.

### **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.

Thursdays
Pastor's Study
Thursdays - Revelation
7:00 pm

John 6:8-9 – "One of his disciples, Andrew, Simon Peter's brother, said to him, 'There is a boy here who has five barley loaves and two fish, but what are they for so many?" The disciples focus on the numbers—so little for so much! But the Lord's grace will not be limited by the narrow vision of His disciples. The Lord has a plan to use even the little for His work of greatness. So let us be faithful even in the little and watch the Lord use it for His great works!

#### **Our Servants This Week**

Acolyte: Lily Bovais
Lead Worship Asst.: Glen Leavens
Greeter: Guddy Gawura
Reader: Marlis Norton
Usher: Lee Brooks
Altar Care: Linnea Caldon
Refuse Duty: Dave Schneider

Offering Counters: Dave S. & Billy Mitchell

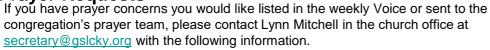
Audio/Visual: Bill Shaw

#### **Our Servants Next Week**

Acolyte: Madelyn Cottrell
Lead Worship Asst.: David Smith
Greeter: Becky Aragon
Reader: Keith Juergens
Usher: Mark Aragon
Altar Care: Lisa Brown
Refuse Duty: Leroy Raap

Offering Counters: Leroy R. & Sharon S. Audio/Visual: Dave Schneider

## Good Shepherd Prayer Requests



- 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.

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#### 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 Allison Shaw

#### **Attendance Last Week**

Total - 69

#### 13th Month Campaign '22-'26

Goal to Date: \$60,000.00 Given To Date: \$31,724.10 Goal 2026: \$100,000.00

#### January 2024 Giving

General Fund: \$24,711.30 Budgeted: \$22,237.50 Year-to-Date: \$24,711.30 YTD Budgeted: \$22,237.50

#### **January 2024 Expenses**

General Fund: \$30,791.79 Budgeted: \$22,191.50 Year-to-Date: \$30,791.79 YTD Budgeted: \$22,191.51

For Electronic Giving: gslcky.org/give

Birthdays: Jeanne Brooks (15) Lenton Woolley (15)

Anniversaries: Kerry & Sharon Snowden (10) Mike & Linnea Caldon (11)



### Scripture Readings for Next Week:

Genesis 22:1-14 Hebrews 9:11-15 John 8:42-59