



The Voice of Good Shepherd

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This Week at Good Shepherd September 17th, 2023 – September 23rd, 2023

Sun. 17	Mon. 18	Tues. 19	Wed. 20	Thurs. 21	Fri. 22	Sat. 23
Adult Bible Study & Sunday School 8:45 am Service - 10:00 am	No Men's Bible Study Elders' Meeting 5:00 pm Council 5:00 pm,	Women's Bible Study – 9:30 am Home School 9:00 – 12:00 pm	Home School 9:00 – 12:00 pm Whiz Kids Training 5:00 pm Pastor's Bible Study - 7:00 pm	Home School 9:00 – 3:00 pm		

9/20 Whiz Kids Training – All tutors that will be helping with Whiz Kids should attend the training at 5:00 p.m.

9/27 Wednesday Evening Church Service – The next service will be on Sept. 27th at 7:00 p.m.

9/27 Women's Auxiliary Committee Fidget Mat Workshop – Wednesday, Sept. 27th, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm, Messiah Lutheran, Bossi Lane, Cincinnati. Lunch will be served with a free will donation. See details on the poster in the Family Life Center. All ladies are invited to participate.

9/30 Lecture by Dr. Robert Bennett – Here at Good Shepherd beginning at 9:30 a.m. There are two sessions in the morning, 9:30 – 10:30 am and 10:30 – 11:30 am. GSLC will host a luncheon at 11:45 am. Two afternoon sessions, 1:00 – 2:00 am and 2:15 – 3:00 am. Dr. Bennett will speak on Spirituality and demon possession. He has written 2 books, *"I Am Not Afraid: Demon Possession and Spiritual Warfare"* and also *"Afraid: Demon Possession and Spiritual Warfare in America"*. Please plan to attend.

9/30 Lunch for Dr. Bennett Lecture – As a congregation we will provide lunch for the day, beginning at 11:45 a.m. The church will provide sandwiches, condiments and drinks. We are looking for donations of chips, fruits (apples and bananas only) and cookies or bars. Sandwiches will be made ahead of time on Friday so that we can quickly serve lunch on Saturday. Volunteers are needed to help make sandwiches on Friday afternoon (two people). Volunteers are needed on Saturday to set up for lunch and clean up after. Lunch will be self-serve so volunteers can eat as soon as everyone else. Please contact Debbie Fitzpatrick at (513) 510-1123 or d.fitzpatrick@zoomtown.com if you are willing to help with any of these things. Many hands make short work and we are grateful for all volunteers.

9/30 LWML Fall Retreat – 9:45 to 2:30 pm at Messiah Lutheran Church, 10416 Bossi Lane, Cincinnati. Registration forms located on bulletin boards are due next Sunday September 24th. Bring your Bible, LWR packages ready for delivery, Ingathering of homemade quilts or fleece blankets, \$25 gift cards for big box stores, or household medicine (listed on bulletin board) for the Food Co-op at the Lutheran Seminary in Ft. Wayne, IN. All women and their friends welcomed! Registration due Sept. 14th.

10/1 Our Chapter of Lutherans For Life will again be hosting an exhibit table at the upcoming Northern Kentucky Right to Life's 50th Annual Celebration of Life that will be held on Sunday, October 1st at Receptions Event Center at 1379 Donaldson Hwy. in Erlanger, KY. I am looking for a volunteer or two who would be willing to help me set up our display. Please see me if you are interested. Thank you. Jackie Vezina

10/11 Lutherans for Life – 2023 Lutherans For Life National Conference beginning October 11 thru 13. please go to lutheransforlife.org/conference. For further questions, contact Erika Peterson, Events Coordinator at epeterson@lutheransforlife.org.

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
Sept. 20th - 7:00 pm

Romans 14:7 – “For none of us lives to himself, and none of us dies to himself.” We just don’t belong to ourselves—we belong first of all to God, and through Him, we belong to our neighbors, We are here to serve God in our service to one another. God has called you to this service through your vocation: as a Christian you serve others in the church, as a neighbor you serve others in society, and as a son or daughter, husband or wife, father or mother, you serve your family.

Our Servants This Week

Acolyte: Paul Poynter
Lead Worship Asst.: Eric Berns
Greeter: Lisa Berns
Reader: Lisa Berns
Usher: Tammy Vaughan
Altar Care: Lisa Berns
Refuse Duty: Leroy Raap
Offering Counters: Marlis N. & Dave S.
Audio/Visual: Dave Schneider

Our Servants Next Week

Acolyte: Eva Sellers
Lead Worship Asst.: David Smith
Greeter: Becky Aragon
Reader: Gerda Deller
Usher: Dave Schneider
Altar Care: Lisa Berns
Refuse Duty: Dave Schneider
Offering Counters: Marlis N. & Dave S.
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 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
 Lynnette Fredericks, Jessica Brann’s mom
 Bill Walton
 Pastor John Suguitan.

For Strength and Healing:

Louann Gawura, Andy’s Aunt
 Fran Robyler, Friend of Russell Loesch
 Carolyn Brooks, Lee Brooks’ mother
 Mary Siren
 Bill Shaw
 JoAnn Henry, friend of the Branns
 Calvin Herr
 Brigid Smith

Attendance Last Week

Total 80

13th Month Campaign ‘22-’26

Goal 2023: \$20,000.00
 To Date: \$27,102.95
 Goal 2026: \$100,000.00

July 2023 Giving

General Fund: \$19,879.42
 Budgeted: \$18,835.00
 Year-to-Date: \$165,859.31
 YTD Budgeted: \$129,595.00

July 2023 Expenses

General Fund: \$25,187.03
 Budgeted: \$20,640.00
 Year-to-Date: \$155,805.17
 YTD Budgeted: \$144,483.35

For Electronic Giving:
gslicky.org/give

Birthdays: Keith Juergens (17) Marsha Smith (20)
 Katelyn Aragon (21) Faith Warren (22) Jason Raap (22)

Altar Flowers

This week’s altar flowers are given to the glory of God by Dwayane & Marsha Smith in honor of Marsha’s birthday.

**Scripture Readings
for Next Week:**

Isaiah 55:6-9
 Philippians 1:12-30
 Matthew 20:1-16