

You are invited to this week's activities at Good Shepherd

SUNDAY, November 6th

STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY

8:45 AM Worship & Communion
 9:45 AM Blood Pressure Checks
 10:00 AM Book Fair
 10:00 AM Sunday School
 10:00 AM The Wired Word
 10:00 AM Coffee Fellowship
 11:00 AM Worship & Communion
Noon Congregational Pot-Luck

Monday, Nov 7th

8:30 AM Jazzercise (FH)
 10:00 AM Quilting (FH)
 10:00 AM AARP Board Mtg (ULSR)
 5:30 & 7:15 PM Yoga (LLSR)
 6:00 PM Gathering @Laurel and Bill Pagel
 7:00 PM Girl Scouts (LLSR)

Tuesday, Nov 8th

Election Day Polling Place
 6:30 PM Gathering @ Jill and Tom Kaiser

Wednesday, Nov 9th

6:15 AM Men's Bible Study (GS)
 8:30 AM Jazzercise
 9:15 AM Gather Bible Study (LLSR)
 10:00 AM Reb/Miriam Circle (LLSR)
 12:00 PM Gathering Kathy Gustafson @ church)
 1:00 PM Deb/Priscilla Circle (LLSR)

Wednesday, Nov 9th (continued)

5:15 PM Sing and Ring
 6:00 PM Confirmation
 6:00 PM Gathering @Amy and Cal Loken
 7:00 PM Joyful Noise Choir

Thursday, Nov 10th

9:30 AM Bible Study (LLSR)
 11:00 AM Gathering Linda Susens (at church)
 4:00-8:00PM Marketplace & Silent Action
 7:00 PM Service Team

Friday, Nov 11th

7:00 AM Women's "Son" Rise Bible
 8:30 AM Jazzercise (FH)
 12:00-8:00 PM Marketplace & Silent Action
 8:00 PM AA & Al-anon

Saturday, Nov 12th,

8:30 AM Jazzercise (FH)
 10:00-3:00 Marketplace & Silent Action

Sunday, Nov 13th

6TH GRADE WRAPPED IN GOD'S LOVE MILESTONE STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY- BISHOP AITKEN

8:45 AM Worship
 10:00AM Healing Service
 10:00 AM Sunday School
 10:00 AM The Wired Word
 10:00 AM Coffee Fellowship
 11:00 AM Worship
 5:00 PM Gathering @ Rosie & Ken Loeffler-Kemp

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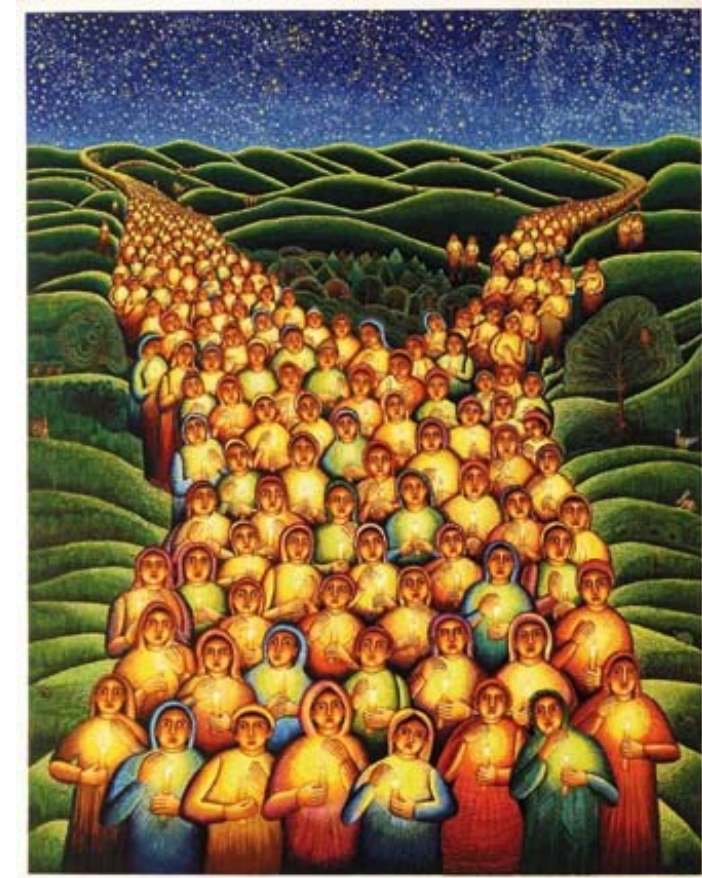
Lead Pastor David E. Mesner

Pastor Timothy P. Berdahl

Katie Kaiser Rich, Director of Youth & Family Ministry; Debbie Sanders, Director Good Shepherd Choir; Amie Abenth, Leader Sing & Ring; Heather Honer, Jodi Leonidas, Director Joyful Noise; Linda Turpening, Organist; Nona Harkness, Spirit Song Pianist; Patti Hallback, Office Manager; Amie Abenth, Communications Coordinator; Sydney Fischer, Nursery Director; Bob Franseen, Greg Susens, Custodians

Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd

Duluth, Minnesota



John August Swanson

November 6, 2016

A Season of Thanksgiving: Reformation Anew!

All Saints Sunday

Spiritsong

8:45 and 11:00 AM Worship & Communion

Welcome to Worship!



We are happy you have chosen to worship at Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd! Please use this bulletin as a guide for today's liturgy, found in the red *Evangelical Lutheran Book of Worship* in each pew.

PARENTS & KIDS: We have a few special things to help children enjoy worship:

- Just outside of the sanctuary, we have a Kids' Corner with a bookshelf filled with Bibles and other activities. You are welcome to bring a Bible into worship with you today!
- In the back of the sanctuary are Joy Bags filled with fun activities for younger kids.
- Come sit in the front of the sanctuary so your child can see everything that's happening!
- In the pews, are "Holy Art" cards for kids of all ages to draw on.
- Please come up front for the Children's Sermon! (*Parents, you are welcome to come up with your child to help them feel more comfortable.*)

We love to have children in worship, but we also understand that sometimes kids (and parents!) need a break. Stop by our church's nursery (near the bathrooms) and say hi to Sydney! She will be more than happy to help!

COMMUNION - You are invited to join us this morning in Holy Communion. We believe that Christ is present in the bread and wine given at the Lord's Supper — a sacrament offered to renew the relationship God began in Baptism. Communion will be served today by Intinction. Communicants should come forward to the two serving stations, receive the wafer of bread and dip it into the chalice of red wine or the chalice of clear grape juice. Children not yet instructed to receive the Sacrament are invited forward for a blessing. The first two pews on the pulpit side are reserved for people who are unable to go up to the communion rail. Please sit there if you wish to have communion brought to you. Gluten free communion wafers are available, let the communion server know if you would prefer this option.



Today we welcome
Taylor Stevens & John Hilleren's daughter
Vivian Marybeth Hilleren
into the body of Christ and into the mission
we share. Join us in giving thanks and
praise to God!



OUR NOVEMBER OWLS ACTIVITY IS ON THE HORIZON.

Tuesday, November 15, beginning at 11:30 a.m. with a potluck Mrs. Jay Cooke (a.k.a. Dorothea Elizabeth Cooke) will join us Rachael Martin, Director of the Carlton County Historical Society, will do a living history interpretation. Mrs. Jay Cooke was almost 40 years old when she and her husband, the famous banker from Philadelphia, visited the Duluth area in 1867. Find out why they came to the wilderness and how their dreams transformed our isolated forest land into the place we call home. Questions contact Marcia at msemerau@hotmail.com or at 722-1042



Wired Word 10am Upper Lakeside Room

A strong earthquake rocked central Italy last Sunday, causing massive property damage, including the destruction of some historic structures, but thankfully, no loss of life. For us, natural disasters can symbolize the uncertainty of life, but they can also be reminders of how *places* affect our own sense of security and even the practice of our faith. All are welcome for this discussion!

Thank you to the following individuals who assisted in today's worship service:

Welcome CenterGrace Chura(8:45); Phyllis Leschishin(11:00)
Greeter Kathy & Dave Kreager(8:45); Phyllis & Denis Leschishin(11:00)
Acolytes.....volunteer8:45); volunteer(11:00)
Ushers..... Jim Skoog, Dave Kreager, Ron Gullicks, Dave Johnson (8:45)
 Bill & Laurel Pagel, Fred Nervick, Karen Guerndt, Cheryl Racine, Mike & Cynthia Bradley (11:00)
Altar Guild Tom and Julie Seidelmann
Communion Assistants.....Dave & Kathy Kreager(8:45)
(11:00)
Offering Counters.....Tom Seidelmann, John Boutin, Jim Moseley, Sulo Kangas
Accompanist Nona Harkness
Projectionist.....Julie Seidelmann(8:45); Rosemary Guttormsson(11:00)
Gathering Space Treats..... Joanne Carlson, Nancy Carlson, Sherri Carlson,
 Nancy Cayemberg

Worship Notes and Announcements



AS WE ARE PRAYING FOR ALL MEMBERS OF OUR CONGREGATION, this week we remember in our prayers: Nona & Paul Harkness; Margaret & Paul Lemenager, and Amy; Patti & Jeff Hallback; Judy & Dick Haney

TODAY IS ALL SAINTS DAY. Clouds of Witnesses! Take time to remember those who led you/taught you/were a part of your spiritual journey. The Stories in the Bible tell us of many people who have guided and shaped Faith Development in our history. In Hebrews, Chapter 12, we hear these stories and these individuals referred to as “Clouds of Witnesses.” In our own lives, we too have individuals who have guided us along our own Faith or Spiritual Journeys. Each “All Saint’s Day,” we honor those individuals by listing their names. Take a moment to add the names to a “post it” note and add that note to our posters in the sanctuary. One poster this year lists the names of our baptized members from 2016 and a Second displays the names of those who have died in the past year. Thank you!

COOKIES FOR OUTREACH — You can help brighten someone’s holiday season! Good Shepherd’s Visitation Team is collecting cookies for our home-bound members as well as for the CHUM Drop-in Center and the St. Louis County Jail. Last year because of your generosity, we also delivered baked goods to the Twin Ports Ministry to Seafarers. Please put your homemade cookies on the counter in the church office by 9:00 Monday morning, December 7th. To assure proper delivery, mark them “Visitation.” We bring a smile to many faces with this ministry; the Jail’s annual program serves over 235 people including inmates, staff and volunteers. Please leave all items in the church office. Because of food allergies, if you bake with nuts, peanut butter or coconut, please label your cookies accordingly. Questions, contact Marcia Semerau at 722-1042. Thank you

NEXT SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH - 6TH GRADE "WRAPPED IN GOD'S LOVE" MILESTONE

As our 6th Graders enter Middle School, we want to take a moment to celebrate a milestone! We want to celebrate that these students are loved by God, loved by this church, and loved by their families - no matter what. In the midst of the changes and drama and stress of middle school, they are wrapped in God's love.

LAST DAY! STOP BY OUR BOOK FAIR and shop award-winning Bibles, books, and videos for babies to twelve-year-olds.

In between services, 10:00 am – 11:00 am

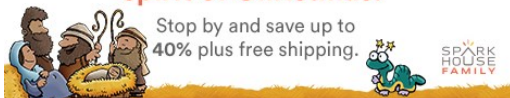
Two displays: both upstairs and downstairs!

Items that you purchase can be picked up right here at church Dec. 4-11.

BOOK FAIR

‘Tis the season to spark the spirit of Christmas!

Stop by and save up to 40% plus free shipping.



SPARK HOUSE FAMILY

GATHERING

PRELUDE

Nona Harkness

CALL TO WORSHIP

“I Will Celebrate” see screen

PREPARATION FOR WORSHIP

*GATHERING SONG

“I Will Call Upon the Lord”

see screen

*PRAYER OF THE DAY

L: Let us pray.

C: Almighty God, you have knit your people together in one communion in the mystical body of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Grant us grace to follow your blessed saints in lives of faith and commitment, and to know the inexpressible joys you have prepared for those who love you, through Jesus Christ, our Savior and Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen.

TEMPLE TALK: “A SEASON OF THANKSGIVING”

Craig Bursch

BAPTISM HYMN (11:00)

“BORNING CRY”

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BAPTISM OF VIVIAN MARYBETH HILLEREN (11:00)

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WORD

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE

Katie Rich, Director of Youth & Family Ministry

(Please sing vs. 1 of “He’s Got the Whole World in His Hands” as the children walk to and from the children’s message.)

*GOSPEL: Luke 6:20-26

(please stand as you are able)

²⁰Then [Jesus] looked up at his disciples and said:

“Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God.

²¹“Blessed are you who are hungry now, for you will be filled.

“Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh.

²²“Blessed are you when people hate you, and when they exclude you, revile you, and defame you on account of the Son of Man. ²³Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, for surely your reward is great in heaven; for that is what their ancestors did to the prophets.

²⁴“But woe to you who are rich, for you have received your consolation.

²⁵“Woe to you who are full now, for you will be hungry.

“Woe to you who are laughing now, for you will mourn and weep.

²⁶“Woe to you when all speak well of you, for that is what their ancestors did to the false prophets.”

SERMON

Pr. Dave Mesner

HYMN OF THE DAY “Blest Are They”

#728

CELEBRATION OF THE COMMUNION OF SAINTS

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN BAPTIZED IN THE PAST YEAR:

L: In the Holy Baptism our gracious heavenly Father liberates us from sin and death by joining us to the death and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ. We are born children of a fallen humanity; in the waters of Baptism we are reborn children of God and inheritors of eternal life. By water and the Holy Spirit we are made members of the Church which is the body of Christ. As we live with him and with his people, we grow in faith, love and obedience to the will of God. **Amen.**

*Adam Bergstrom
Connor Davis
Lewis Hanson
Ellae Holmes
Austin LeCuyer
Averi LeCuyer
Blake LeCuyer
Cali LeCuyer*

*Lucas Menz
Sebastian Monson
Lucy O'Brien
Molly O'Brien
Grady Patterson
Mabel Raleigh
Zoë Stonesifer*

L: Gracious Lord, through water and the Spirit you have made these saints your own. You forgave them all their sins and brought them to newness of life. Continue to strengthen them with the Holy Spirit, and daily increase in them your gifts of grace: the spirit of wisdom and understanding, the spirit of counsel and might, the spirit of knowledge and the fear of the Lord, the spirit of joy in your presence; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord. **Amen.**

WELCOME TO BISHOP TOM AITKEN!

We are excited that Bishop Tom Aitken will be preaching in our worship services on November 13th. The Vision Council will also be hosting a congregational forum with Bishop Aitken at 10:00am in the Upper Lakeside Room. Come and learn about the mission we share with the Northeastern Minnesota Synod and the ELCA. Bishop Aitken will also share his unique perspective on renewal opportunities during the year of Reformation 500!

Marketplace Silent Auction Preview Starts Today!

Marketplace Sale and Clean Up Volunteers Needed

The Marketplace will be open November 10, 4-8 PM, November 11, 12-8 PM and November 12, 10 AM to 3 PM and will be also open to the public. Feel free to invite family, friends and neighbors! The Marketplace will feature an Artisan Boutique, a Vintage Emporium, a Bake Shop and a Silent Auction. Consider volunteering to help out during the sale to support this creative church fundraiser.

Questions?

Artisan Boutique: Sue Boutin, 525-3994, sab.boutin@gmail.com
Silent Auction: Sherri Carlson, 464-1601, sacduluth@yahoo.com
Vintage Emporium: Nan Asperheim, 724-7733
Bake Shop: Pat Johnson, 728-5510, Brucepat2207@gmail.com
Volunteer to Help Set Up Clean Up or Staff the Sale:
Nan Asperheim,724-7733 or Gathering Space Sheet

Silent Auction

Congregational Preview Today!!

Numbers are available in the Gathering Space
Bidding will end on Sunday, November 13th at 11:00am

ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF

Sunday, November 20th 4-6 pm. 6th Annual Reaching Out Night/Chili Cook-Off

Bring a pot of your favorite chili!



Please join in our community celebration of God's grace in our lives! We will work together making blankets, lasagnas, cold-weather kits and cards for our mission partners. We will also celebrate the culmination of our fall stewardship campaign with a fun chili dinner "competition." A new chili champion will be crowned!

Good Shepherd Annual Pasty Sale!

Each time this year we make Pasties from scratch in our kitchen! We gather volunteers and have a great time together for 3 days making and selling Pasties! And are they ever good!! Our goal is to sell 2,000, with proceeds supporting the ongoing mission of Lutheran Church of the Good Shepherd.

Thursday, December 1, Friday, December 2, and Saturday, December 3, 2016

You may ask, "How can I help?"

1 Solicit pasty sales. Ask your friends and relatives if they would buy our product. Get creative! Pasties will sell for \$5.00 each; they have potatoes, onions carrots rutabaga and a blend of pork and beef. They weigh in at a hefty one pound (16 oz.)

2 Volunteer to peel potatoes, carrots, onions and rutabaga on Thurs Dec 1, 5:00 to 9:00 PM

Make and bake on Friday 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM. We may be able to work later if we have the volunteers.

Make and bake on Saturday December 3, 8:00 AM until we finish, Mid Afternoon. The secret to our success is that we have a lot of people working together for short periods of time. We need your help and others that may want to help. Our support staff will train for all levels from dough balls, crimping, portion control, cooling and bagging. **Final Clean up.**

Please see the signup sheet in the Gathering Space with the times you can help to make this a fun fund raiser a success!

FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED IN THE PAST YEAR:

L: When we were baptized in Christ Jesus, we were baptized into his death. We were buried therefore with him by Baptism into death, so that as Christ was raised from the dead by the glory of the Father, we too might live a new life. For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his. **Amen.**

*Alice Bursch
Susan Fremont
Judith Grytdahl
Diane Hilden
Dorance Jordahl
Taeko Larson
Brent Olson
Carl Sandstrom
Harriet Schwenk*

*Mark Shefchik
Gene Soderholm
Mary Stevens
Roger Tryon
Carolyn Joy Vesterstein
Marilyn Wall
Jay Wellberg
Shirley Wilkinson*

L: O God of grace and glory, we remember before you today our brothers and sisters. We thank you for giving them to us to know and to love as companions in our pilgrimage on earth. In your boundless compassion, console us who mourn. Give us your aid, so we may see in death the gate to eternal life, that we may continue our course on earth in confidence until, by your call, we are reunited with those who have gone before us; through your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

*PASSING OF THE PEACE

OFFERING OF OUR GIFTS AND TITHES

OFFERTORY MUSIC "My God Is Powerful" see screen

OFFERTORY RESPONSE "We are An Offering" #692

OFFERTORY PRAYER

L: Let us pray.

C: **Gracious God, thank you for everything you have given us, a sign of your love. Receive these offerings for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.**

*WORDS OF INSTITUTION

***THE LORD'S PRAYER**

C: Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name, your kingdom come,
your will be done, on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial and deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours,
now and forever. Amen.

***DISTRIBUTION**

(Please be seated)

COMMUNION HYMNS

“Lamb of God” (refrain only) #336
“Sing to the King”
“Give Thanks” see screen
“Dance With Me”
“Alleluia”

***PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

***BLESSING**

***SENDING SONG** “When the Saints Go Marching In” see screen

POSTLUDE Nona Harkness

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November 6th 2016		
25th Sunday after Pentecost/All Saints Sunday		
Daily Lectionary Readings		
Sunday	Luke 20:27-33	Luke 6:20-23
Monday	Luke 20:34-40	Luke 6:24-26
Tuesday	Luke 20:41-44	Luke 6:27-36
Wednesday	Luke 20:45-47	Luke 6:37-38
Thursday	Luke 21:1-4	Luke 6:39-42
Friday	2 Thess. 1:5-12	Luke 6:43-45
Saturday	2 Thess. 2:1-12	Luke 6:46-49

Season of Thanksgiving, Reformation Anew



TODAY!! STEWARDSHIP KICK-OFF POTLUCK at noon

Fellowship and thanksgiving will be celebrated at this year's potluck. Following the 11:00 AM worship service, you are invited to join members and friends in a delicious, informative meal to learn about the gifts shared at LCGS!

What should I bring?

Last names starting with:
A-F Salad or Vegetable
G-N Hotdish or Soup
O-R Dessert
S-Z Bread or Snacks

How can I help?

Help is needed for set-up and clean-up

HOME GATHERINGS

Sign up this morning to attend a home gathering! Sign up sheets are displayed on tables in the Gathering Space where you will find specifics on menus and kid-friendly options.

Date:	Time:	Hosts:
NOV. 7 MON.	6:00 P.M.	Laurel and Bill Pagel
NOV. 8 TUES.	6:30 P.M.	Jill and Tom Kaiser
NOV. 9 WED.	12:00 NOON	Kathy Gustafson (at church)
NOV. 9 WED.	6:00 P.M.	Amy and Cal Loken
NOV. 10 THURS.	11:00 A.M.	Linda Susens (at church)
NOV. 13 SUN.	5:00 P.M.	Rosie and Ken Loeffler-Kemp
NOV. 14 MON.	7:00 P.M.	Debbie and Craig Sanders
NOV. 16 WED.	6:30 P.M.	Barb and Derek Olson