

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

SUNDAY, June 19th

FATHERS DAY

9:30 AM Worship & Communion
10:30 AM Coffee Fellowship

MONDAY, June 20th

9:00 - Noon Vacation Bible School

TUESDAY, June 21st

9:00 - Noon Vacation Bible School
4:30 PM Endowment Team Mtg
6:00 PM OWLS @ Huskies game

WEDNESDAY, June 22nd

6:15 AM Men's Bible Study
9:00 - Noon Vacation Bible School
7:00PM Outdoor Worship

THURSDAY, June 23rd

9:00 - Noon Vacation Bible School

FRIDAY, June 24th

7:00 AM Women's "Son"rise Bible
Conversation
9:00 - Noon Vacation Bible School
Noon - VBS Pot-Luck
8:00 PM AA & Al-anon

SATURDAY, June 25th

8:30 AM Jazzercise

SUNDAY, June 26th

9:30 AM Worship
10:30 AM Coffee Fellowship

**June 19, 2016—5th Sunday after Pentecost
Daily Lectionary Readings**

Sunday	Luke 8:22-25
Monday	Luke 8:26-33
Tuesday	Luke 8:34-39
Wednesday	Luke 8:40-48
Thursday	Luke 8:49-56
Friday	Luke 9:1-6
Saturday	Luke 9:7-9

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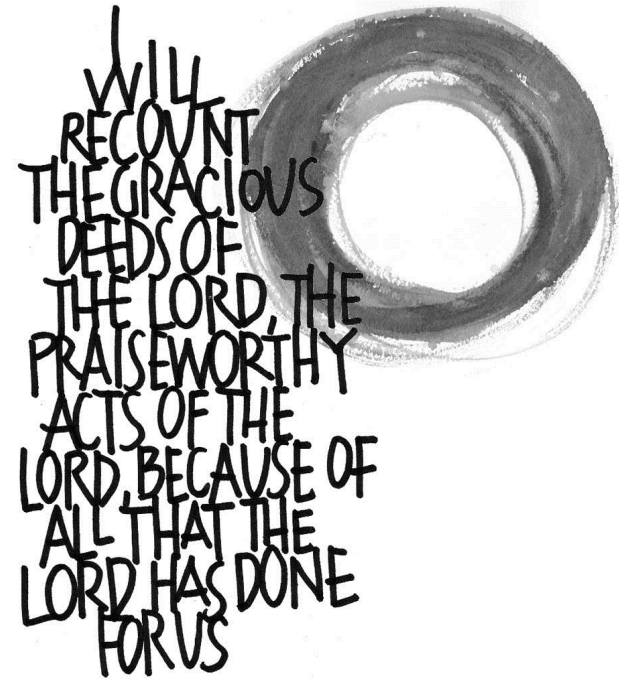
Lead Pastor David E. Mesner

Pastor Timothy P. Berdahl

Katie Kaiser Rich, Director of Youth & Family Ministry; Debbie Sanders, Director Good Shepherd Choir; Amie Abenth, Leader Sing & Ring; Linda Turpening, Organist; Nona Harkness, pianist, Patti Hallback, Office Manager; Amie Abenth, Communications Coordinator; Rick McConnell, Greg Susens, Custodians; Kayla Hoelt, Nursery Director

**Lutheran Church of
the Good Shepherd**

Duluth, Minnesota



ISAIAH 63:7

Fifth Sunday after Pentecost

June 19th, 2016

9:30 AM Worship

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 Kayla! 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 communion. Please sit there if you wish to have communion brought to you.

Mid-Week Summer Worship! Join us Wednesday evenings at 7:00pm for worship around the campfire! We will meet at the Outdoor Worship Area at LCGS (by the playground)

What a great mid-week break to connect with God and each other! We will be sharing music and how a song can carry God to your heart in experiences, lyrics, or faithful moments. If you would like to share a song with us, please contact Jodi at terry.jodi.evan@gmail.com Everyone is welcome! Bring a friend! June 22, 29, July 6, 13, 20th

Coming Soon!! LCGS 2016 Annual Rummage Sale July 15-16

Volunteer to help out at the Annual LCGS 2016 Rummage Sale - Friday and Saturday, July 15-16. This fundraiser contributes to our annual operating income for mission and ministry.

Volunteers are needed to collect and sort items

Sunday July 10 through Tuesday July 12. Also to set up and price Wednesday July 13 through Friday morning July 15.

Individuals with pricing experience with used goods (Craigs List, garage sales) are especially needed! Workers during the sale are needed to cashier, pack and attend the sales floor.

See volunteer signup sheet in the Gathering Space or signup online. We're using VolunteerSpot to organize our online Rummage Sale Sign-ups. Here's how it works in 3 easy steps:

- 1) Go to our Sign-up on VolunteerSpot: <http://vols.pt/CfunE6>
- 2) Review the options listed and choose the spot(s) you like.
- 3) Sign up! It's Easy - you will NOT need to register an account or keep a password on VolunteerSpot. Note: VolunteerSpot does not share your email address with anyone.

Sale Dates and Times: Friday July 15, 4-8 PM and Saturday July 16, 9 AM-2 PM.

Questions? Contact Nan A 724-7733.



CEMETERY PLOTS FOR SALE: 8 cemetery plots at Sunrise Memorial Park Cemetery 4798 Miller Trunk Hwy (across from Menards) Lots 47, Section 21, spaces 5 – 12 (near Veteran's Garden) Prices:\$600 for one plot, \$1000 for two plots, \$4000 for 8 plots (Plots are valued and sell at Sunrise for \$1200 each) Deed transfer fees are included in the sale price. Call Susan @724-3488 for additional information.

Worship Notes and Announcements

Welcome! Pastor Kathryn Tiede, Director of Church Partnership & Philanthropy for Lutheran Social Service of MN! She will be sharing the message today and will be available for conversation with Robin Maxwell Pestalozzi after worship!

We also welcome Jace Jordan today who is our accompanist! Thank you!

Rhubarb Fun for Everyone!

Pies and jams and breads - oh my! Get your taste buds ready to tackle the tangy tartness of every rhubarb delicacy known to mankind. This festival is sprinkled with tasty morsels for the entire family. There will be games, crafts, music, auctions, stage shows and - did we mention? Food! **This Saturday, June 25th from 9:00-4:00 at First Lutheran Church!**



Crafters!! Crafters!! June 30 we will be making "Garden Art" from 9am - 4pm. We will be painting **Peace Posts** as our Marketplace group project. If you would like to join us, please call Sue at 525-3994. (we need to know for supplies please) Bring your imagination, some brushes and your favorite acrylic paints, and paint clothes!

You are also welcome to bring any projects you are working on! Join this fun fellowship, all are welcome!

MUSIC SPEAKS



The Steinway piano in our sanctuary has been on loan to us for the last 10 years by our own, Linda Turpening. We as a congregation have been given the marvelous opportunity to purchase the piano and give it a permanent home. Each of us can generously contribute in this special way to make this a reality. Contact Grace and Mark Monson or The Office for more Information.

"Where words fail, music speaks."

Kayla Nyenhuis would like to welcome everyone from LCGS to join her at her graduation open house. It will be held on Sunday June 26 from noon - 4 PM at 2031 E 1st Street in Duluth.



Scripture Readings

First Reading: Isaiah 65:1-9

¹I was ready to be sought out by those who did not ask,
to be found by those who did not seek me.
I said, "Here I am, here I am,"
to a nation that did not call on my name.
²I held out my hands all day long
to a rebellious people,
who walk in a way that is not good,
following their own devices;
³a people who provoke me
to my face continually,
sacrificing in gardens
and offering incense on bricks;
⁴who sit inside tombs,
and spend the night in secret places;
who eat swine's flesh,
with broth of abominable things in their vessels;
⁵who say, "Keep to yourself,
do not come near me, for I am too holy for you."
These are a smoke in my nostrils,
a fire that burns all day long.
⁶See, it is written before me:
I will not keep silent, but I will repay;
I will indeed repay into their laps
⁷their iniquities and their ancestors' iniquities together,
says the LORD;
because they offered incense on the mountains
and reviled me on the hills,
I will measure into their laps
full payment for their actions.
⁸Thus says the LORD:
As the wine is found in the cluster,
and they say, "Do not destroy it,
for there is a blessing in it,"
so I will do for my servants' sake,
and not destroy them all.
⁹I will bring forth descendants from Jacob,
and from Judah inheritors of my mountains;
my chosen shall inherit it,
and my servants shall settle there.

Psalm: Psalm 22:19-28

¹⁹But you, O LORD, be not far away;
 O my help, hasten to my aid.

²⁰**Deliver me from the sword,
 my life from the power of the dog.**

²¹Save me from the lion's mouth!
 From the horns of wild bulls you have rescued me.

²²**I will declare your name to my people;
 in the midst of the assembly I will praise you.**

²³You who fear the LORD, give praise! All you of Jacob's line, give glory.
 Stand in awe of the LORD, all you offspring of Israel.

²⁴**For the LORD does not despise nor abhor the poor in their poverty; neither is
 the LORD's face hidden from them;
 but when they cry out, the LORD hears them.**

²⁵From you comes my praise in the great assembly;
 I will perform my vows in the sight of those who fear the LORD.

²⁶**The poor shall eat and be satisfied,
 Let those who seek the LORD give praise! May your hearts live forever!**

²⁷All the ends of the earth shall remember and turn to the LORD;
 all the families of nations shall bow before God.

²⁸**For dominion belongs to the LORD,
 who rules over the nations.**

Gospel: Luke 8:26-39

²⁶Then [Jesus and his disciples] arrived at the country of the Gerasenes, which is opposite Galilee. ²⁷As he stepped out on land, a man of the city who had demons met him. For a long time he had worn no clothes, and he did not live in a house but in the tombs. ²⁸When he saw Jesus, he fell down before him and shouted at the top of his voice, "What have you to do with me, Jesus, Son of the Most High God? I beg you, do not torment me"—²⁹for Jesus had commanded the unclean spirit to come out of the man. (For many times it had seized him; he was kept under guard and bound with chains and shackles, but he would break the bonds and be driven by the demon into the wilds.)³⁰ Jesus then asked him, "What is your name?" He said, "Legion"; for many demons had entered him. ³¹They begged him not to order them to go back into the abyss.


³²Now there on the hillside a large herd of swine was feeding; and the demons begged Jesus to let them enter these. So he gave them permission. ³³Then the demons came out of the man and entered the swine, and the herd rushed down the steep bank into the lake and was drowned.

³⁴When the swineherds saw what had happened, they ran off and told it in the city and in the country. ³⁵Then people came out to see what had happened, and when they came to Jesus, they found the man from whom the demons had gone sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind. And they were afraid. ³⁶Those who had seen it told them how the one who had been possessed by demons had been healed. ³⁷Then all the people of the surrounding country of the Gerasenes asked Jesus to leave them; for they were seized with great fear. So he

got into the boat and returned. ³⁸The man from whom the demons had gone begged that he might be with him; but Jesus sent him away, saying, ³⁹"Return to your home, and declare how much God has done for you." So he went away, proclaiming throughout the city how much Jesus had done for him.

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

- Welcome Center** Cathy & Jay Kreft
- Greeter** Jack & Candy Rendulich
- Acolytes**
- Usher** Jim Skoog, Dave Kreager, Ron Gullicks, Dave Johnson
- Lay Reader** Chris McIntosh
- Liturgist** Marge Kangas
- Altar Guild** Grace Monson
- Communion Assistants** Mark & Grace Monson
- Accompanist** Jace Jordan
- Offering Counters** Linda Susens, Mike Ronchetti, Elizabeth Lundgren,
 Sandy Scott
- Projectionist** Brian Fischer
- Gathering Space Treats** Karen Keenan, Heather Kerola, Debra Klopp,
 Karen Kragseth



Today we welcome
Zoë Ann Stonesifer
 Daughter of Chelsey and Jacob Stonesifer
 into the body of Christ and into the mission we
 share. Join us in giving thanks and
 praise to God!

ALTAR FLOWERS — Today the altar flowers are given by Audrey Amundson and Milt Legg in honor of their Wedding Anniversary! Thank you! The flower calendar is posted on the bulletin board outside the sanctuary. Sign up to sponsor altar flowers in honor of or to memorialize loved ones, or celebrate a special event. The cost is \$35.

AS WE ARE PRAYING FOR ALL MEMBERS OF OUR CONGREGATION, this week we remember in our prayers: Tricia & Patrick Schmalz, Brenna and Aubrey; Brenda & Wayne Ringstad, Matthew and Emily; Linda & Gary Turpening; Hallie & Jamie Appleby, Hunter, Hudson and Kylie