



GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH OF SOUTH HILLS

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Good Shepherd Lutheran Church of South Hills 418 Maxwell Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15236 Phone: 412-884-3232/Fax: 412-884-3233 Pastor: Rev. Timothy Bickel Phone: 419-377-7506 E-mail: pastortim@goodshepherdpittsburgh.org In case of a building emergency please contact: Ken Meyer (412-513-8890) For other emergencies, please contact: Scott Thurston (412-584-4250) Office: office@goodshepherdpittsburgh.org ; Preschool: preschool@gscpcpittsburgh.org 412-884-5960 www.goodshepherdpittsburgh.org						1 9a Bell Choir
2 7:45a Choir 8:30a Traditional Worship 9:50a SS/Bible Class 10:45a Modern Worship	3 7p Elders Meeting 7p Boy Scouts	4 11:30a-12:15p Soccer Shots 3-3:45p Soccer Shots 6p Steel City Scrappers	5 7:30p Narcotics Anonymous	6	7 5:30-7:30p Preschool Christmas Family Fun Night 7p Plastic Model Society	8 9a Bell Choir
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16 Choir – Time TBD 10:00a Worship Service - Sunday School Christmas Program	17 7p Council Meeting 7p Boy Scouts	18 6p Steel City Scrappers	19 7:30p Narcotics Anonymous	20	21	22 9a Bell Choir
----- Preschool Christmas Break -----						
23 Choir – Time TBD 10:00a Worship Service	24 Church Office Closed 5p Christmas Eve Service 6:45p Preservice Music 7p Christmas Eve Service	25 Church Office Closed 10a Christmas Day Service	26 Church Office Closed 7:30p Narcotics Anonymous	27	28	29
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30 10:00a Worship Service	31 7p Boy Scouts		<h1 style="color: red; font-family: cursive;">December 2018</h1>			

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December 2018: News to Note

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Sunday School News

Sunday School Offerings currently being collected will go towards purchasing a sheep, feed and basic veterinary care through Lutheran World Relief. This sheep will provide a source of milk and income for a poor family. Our sheep will cost \$100.

All children from **preschool through high school** are invited to participate in Good Shepherd's annual **Sunday School Christmas Program**. The children will be practicing during Sunday School on Nov. 25, Dec. 2, and Dec. 9, with a dress rehearsal on Sat., Dec. 15 from 10-11:15am. Children should arrive at church on Dec. 16 by 9:30am. A reception will follow the service on Dec 16. A sign-up sheet for donations of cookies and drinks is on the bulletin board outside the church office.

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Preschool News

Preschool Family Night is **Friday, December 7, 5:30-7:30pm**. There will be pizza, a bake sale, crafts, games, and a story. The cost is \$10 per family which includes 2 slices of pizza per person and 10 raffle tickets for the basket raffle. Please RSVP to the Preschool (412-884-5960 / preschool@gslcpittsburgh.org) if you will be attending.

Baked goods are needed for the bake sale at Preschool Family Night. Please deliver donations to the church kitchen by Thursday, December 6. *Please, no nuts in the products.*

The Preschool Board has hired a new **Preschool Director** to begin July 1, 2019. Ashley Miller, the current Junior Kindergarten teacher, has accepted the position. Ashley will finish out the current year teaching the Junior Kindergarten class. Jennifer will finish out the current year as director. Ashley will have training alongside Jennifer through June as she is included in the planning for the 2019-2020 school year.

Preschool Registration for the 2019-2020 school year begins in January.

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December Anniversaries

6 - David & Karen Razumic (32)

23 - Dominic and Carol Sue Molinari (39)

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Advent and Christmas Worship Services

Sunday, December 2	1 st Sunday in Advent	8:30am Traditional Worship 9:50am Sunday School / Bible Hour 10:45am Modern Worship
Sunday, December 9	2 nd Sunday in Advent	8:30am Traditional Worship 9:50am Sunday School / Bible Hour 10:45am Modern Worship
Sunday, December 16	3 rd Sunday in Advent	10am Children's Christmas Service No Sunday School / Bible Hour <i>Children arrive at 9:30am</i> <i>Reception following the service</i>
Sunday, December 23	4 th Sunday in Advent	10am Worship Service No Sunday School / Bible Hour
Monday, December 24	Christmas Eve	5pm & 7pm Christmas Eve Service <i>6:45pm Preservice Music Begins</i>
Tuesday, December 25	Christmas Day	10am Christmas Day Service
Sunday, December 30	1 st Sunday after Christmas	10am Worship Service No Sunday School / Bible Hour
Sunday, January 6, 2019	Epiphany	8:30am Traditional Worship 9:50am Sunday School / Bible Hour 10:45am Modern Worship

The Church Office will be Closed for the Christmas Holiday Monday-Wednesday, December 24-26