



Good Shepherd Lutheran Church of South Hills and Christian Preschool

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WEEKLY TIDINGS: MAY 12 – MAY 19, 2019

*Hello and welcome to Good Shepherd! We're glad you're here!
May you experience the love of Christ and feel His presence during worship today.*

SUMMER WORSHIP TIME – WORSHIP: SUNDAY, 10AM; ALL AGES DISCOVERY TIME: SUNDAY, 11:15-11:45AM

May 26, Memorial Day weekend, we will begin our Worship at 10 am time. (NO discovery hour).

June 2 we will begin our 11:15 “All Ages Discovery time.”

I know, I know. Some of you prefer the traditional hymns, some the modern worship songs. For the summer, we are going to bring it together. A few songs from the past, a few from the present. At the center of it all, we will keep our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ.

So I invite and encourage you all to take a step out of your comfort zone to be with and to worship with your Brothers and Sisters in Christ.

A 2019 PICNIC TWIST. We are also planning a little relaxation and fun together. “The FUN committee” AKA “Picnics 2019” are planning picnics for the last Sundays of JUNE, JULY, and AUGUST (6/30, 7/28 & 8/25). Please bring your appetites, smiles, fun, friends and laughter.

AND Back by popular demand ... PRAYER. The evening of June 30th we are setting aside for a time of prayer and praise. We hope that you can join us to be lifted up, and to lift others up in prayer that evening.

More information will follow as the summer unfolds. I guess I would summarize our summer focus as **REACH ACROSS**. Please, be intentional, connect with people you have known, and maybe even venture into meeting a new friend or two along the way.

MOTHER, MA, MOM, MOMMY ...

A huge word of gratitude to all you women who pour into the people around you. Whether a mom with kids of your own, or a mom at heart, today especially, we say thank you for the care and love you pour into others.

So for all your unnoticed, selfless acts of kindness ... Thank you and Happy Mother's Day.

- Pastor Tim

LAST WEEK (MAY 5TH) AT GOOD SHEPHERD: OFFERINGS \$5,028.00 AND ATTENDANCE (21-8:30; 70-10:45)

*** Remember to sign the welcome pad during the service. It is located on the pew near the center aisle.
Pass it down for all to sign, then return it to its original location. ***

PRAYER REQUESTS FOR MEMBERS, FAMILY & FRIENDS:

Marcia Colgan, Family of Pat Miller, Families of the victims of the San Diego synagogue shooting, Tim Lee, Christopher Snyder, Mary Jane Forrest, Debbie, Alexa, Steve Pardini, Debbie Kermes, Lorraine, Larry Krueger, Jack Sincek, Deanna Corporon, Joe Morgan, Sammy Langol, Alex, Jim & Mary Hesse, Brenden, Steve and Sarah Grack and Family, Jennifer Meyer, Andrew Thomasson, Karen and Dave Razumic, elderly father of Alice Meyer and the Meyer family, Alec, Frank Rawson, Bonnie, Carol, Rachel Bricker, Ann Malone, John Oldroyd and Family, Kathi Kuskie, Joe Lynn, Owen Meyers, David Hesse, John Simpson, Mark Centrone, Emily Lebovitz, Art Maksin, Diane Barker, Barratti Family, Sherri Horton, Cheyenne Ignat, Tillie Koerth, Crystal Mason, Don Richards, Pam Spechtold, Will Yanko, Christi, Sharon O, Nancy Edmundson, Robert Hartung, Ella Mae Held, Evie Jones, Rose Marie Koehnke, Alma Krueger, Shirley McClain, Rose Spencer, Joan Steigerwald, Joan Uhrinak

***New prayer requests may be given to the office or written in the Prayer Book located in the narthex. **
Please help us keep the list up to date. If you submitted a name, please call and give the office an update.*

OTHER NEWS – PLEASE SEE THE BULLETIN BOARD FOR DETAILS

- Lutheran Marriage Encounter Weekends (October, November)
- Concordia of the South Hills: Indoor Flea Market (June)
- Strawberry Festival at Redeemer Lutheran, Oakmont, June 7, 6-8p
- Faith Night at the Pirates, Saturday, June 22, 4:05pm
- Easter 2019 update from Pastor Naumann in Sri Lanka.



May 12 – Evie Jones
May 13 – Lynn Pingel
May 15 – Brandon Snyder
May 18 – Patrick Dunmire

ON THE CALENDAR (5/12-5/19):

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| Sunday | 7:45a // 8:30a // 9:30a // 10:45a 11a | Choir // Traditional Worship with Communion // Bible Hour // Modern Worship Private Use of Youth Room |
| Monday | 7p | Council Meeting // Boy Scouts |
| Tuesday | | |
| Wednesday | 7:30p | Narcotics Anonymous |
| Thursday | 5:30p 7p | Soccer Shots Mission Ministry Team Meeting |
| Friday | | |
| Saturday | 9:30a 10a | Soccer Shots Private Use of Youth Room |
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During the Worship Services, Closed Circuit TV of the service is available in Room 11(Preschool Room, Red Door)

*** If a person has difficulty hearing during the service, hearing receivers are available in the narthex. ***

GOOD SHEPHERD ANNOUNCEMENTS

Chancel Flowers are placed to the Glory of God by Arlene Stroebel in loving memory of her husband Bill

If you would like to **sponsor a Bible/devotional book given to the preschoolers at graduation**, please turn in your form TODAY. Additional forms and a box to place completed forms are available in the narthex. Checks for the Bibles may be made payable to Good Shepherd Christian Preschool.

Join us for Preschool Graduation!

May 20 – Mrs. Thurston’s Class - 6p; Mrs. Miller’s Class – 7p

May 21 – Mrs. Storey’s 3 year old Class - 5:30p; Mrs. Storey’s Learning Together Class – 7p

May 22 - 3’s – Mrs. Bell’s Class - 6p

Good Shepherd will be recognizing the **2019 Graduates** (High School, College, and Graduate School) in June. Graduates, please provide the church office with your information (name, graduation date, school graduating from, future plans) so we can acknowledge this major milestone in your life. Forms are available in the narthex.

Light of Life Ministries is one of the missions we focused on during our 51/49 Campaign. Join others with a passion for helping the poor and homeless on **Saturday, May 25** for the **17th Annual Tunch & Wolf’s Walk for the Homeless**. The event opens at 8:30am and the walk starts at 10am. See the flyer posted on the bulletin board and go to the website (www.lightoflife.org/walk) for additional details.

All youth in **6th – 12th grade** are invited to attend an evening of **bowling** at **Princess Lanes** in **Caste Village** on **Friday, May 31, 7-10 pm**. This will be a joint event with Concordia Brentwood and other area churches. The cost is \$4.50/game per person, and shoe rental is \$3. Bring additional money for food and video games as desired. Speak with Grace (724-531-3238) or Anthony (724-561-6070) if you have questions.

The **final fundraiser** for the **National Youth Gathering** is a **Car Wash** at **Firestone, Route 88, Bethel Park** on **Saturday, June 1, 10a-12:30pm**. Tell your friends and family and come support the youth! This is a free will donation event. Thank you for your support!

The **next Voters’ Meeting** is **Sunday, June 2nd, beginning at noon**. Elections will take place and the 2019-2020 budget will be presented. If you are interested in serving in a position, please speak with Ray Vogel or Ruth Johnson.



Join us for **VBS, June 24-28**. Kids will discover that God is good even when life gets wild. *Registration forms for participants and volunteers are available in the narthex.* Registration goes through the end of June, but we ask that you **pre-register by June 1st to be guaranteed a t-shirt.**

As a reminder to our volunteers, it is **Good Shepherd’s policy that the appropriate clearances be obtained for all volunteers age 18 and older prior to working with children and youth**, and a copy of the clearance certificates shall be provided to the church office to be kept on file.



It is time to register for the **2019 LWML Eastern District weekend at Camp Pioneer**. The dates are **September 20-22, 2019**. The *theme* for this year is **LISTEN, LOOK, LEAP** based on *Proverbs 3:5-6*. This is a great opportunity to exam your walk with Christ, and to fellowship with your sisters from Good Shepherd. Registration forms are available on the bulletin board. If you are interested in attending, please let Jean Barone know so she can assist you in choosing lodging.

Thank you to everyone who sent anniversary cards and wishes to help us celebrate our 50th wedding anniversary. We are very blest to have our Good Shepherd family. – *Ray and Chris Vogel*