



Good Shepherd Lutheran Church of South Hills and Christian Preschool

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WEEKLY TIDINGS: JANUARY 3, 2021 – JANUARY 10, 2021

*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.*

TODAY IN WORSHIP

Our **guest preacher** today is Pastor Barry Keurulainen. Pastor Barry recently retired from St. Luke's in Cabot. Pastor Barry has led Good Shepherd in worship before, and we are grateful for his presence here today. Welcome Pastor Barry, and thank you for your service!

Our **volunteers** in worship today include:

Assisting Elder:	Ken Meyer
Usher:	Ray Vogel
Worship Tech:	Jeremy Frantz
Counters:	Louise Kratz
Altar Guild:	Ruth Johnson, Carol Schaar, Phyllis Hckbart



The **chancel flowers** today are placed to the Glory of God by the Decorating Committee for blessings received.

Please **keep in your prayers** recent requests for members, family and friends:

Karen Reiter, David Hesse, Diana Pifer

New prayer requests may be given to the office or [submitted electronically](#).

The many members, family and friends with long-term prayer needs will be listed in the Monthly Newsletter.

ON THE CHURCH CALENDAR THIS WEEK:

Sunday, 1/3	10a	Worship Service with Communion
Monday, 1/4	7p	Boy Scouts
Tuesday, 1/5	6p	Scrapbookers
	7p	Council/Elders Meeting (Youth Room)
Wednesday, 1/6	7:30p	Narcotics Anonymous
Thursday, 1/7		
Friday, 1/8		
Saturday, 1/9		
Sunday, 1/10	10a	Worship Service

Checkout the website for a 'live' calendar: <https://goodshepherdpittsburgh.org/good-shepherd-events-2/>

LAST WEEK (12/27/2020) AT GOOD SHEPHERD: OFFERING: \$10,433.00 (includes Christmas) ATTENDANCE: 44

CHRISTMAS EVE ATTENDANCE, 4PM: 73

CHRISTMAS EVE ATTENDANCE, 7PM: 45

*Arise, shine, for your light has come, and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you.
 – Isaiah 60:1 (ESV)*

GOOD SHEPHERD ANNOUNCEMENTS:

A reminder that offerings may be brought to worship and placed in the designated box in the narthex, mailed to the church office, or given online [via the website](#). Online, you may choose to select if the offering is for a special fund, such as 51/49.



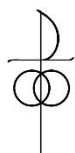
Have you picked up your **2021 Offering Envelopes**? They are available in the narthex on the table near the exit doors. If you are unable to come to the church to retrieve your envelope, contact the office to make alternate arrangements.. And, if you did not receive an assigned envelope number and would like one, please inform the church office.



The **2021 Flower Chart** has been posted on the bulletin board outside the church office. The cost of the flowers remains \$20. Many weeks are still available. Sign-up for an open date on the chart or [click here to sign-up electronically](#).



Good Shepherd's new directory has finally arrived. Those who were photographed, or who submitted a photo, are entitled to a complimentary directory which is available from the church office staff. Directories may be retrieved on Sunday mornings in January before or after worship, or weekdays during office hours. If you would like to make alternate arrangements to receive your directory, please contact the church office.



May God bless the marriage of Amara Hoellein and Jared Rushe who were married on December 31st. Amara is the daughter of Kurt Hoellein and the granddaughter of Bud Hoellein.

Remember to check out the events on the website for the most up to date information including links to sign-up for the different activities:
<https://goodshepherdpittsburgh.org/good-shepherd-events-2/>

PRESCHOOL NOTES:

Preschool Classes resume on Monday, January 4th. Continue to keep the teachers in your prayers that they remain healthy and adaptable in their teaching methods. Pray for their continued patience and the ability to stay strong and resilient in these challenging times. Keep the students in your prayers that they too stay safe and healthy, able to come to school to learn and aware of the joy the teachers feel watching them grow in knowledge and faith.

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA...and invite your friends. Consider sharing the YouTube link and invite friends to join us for Sunday worship. May God bless all who hear His word.

 [Facebook.com/GoodShepherdLutheranChurchOfSouthHills/](https://www.facebook.com/GoodShepherdLutheranChurchOfSouthHills/)

 [Instagram.com/goodshepherdpgh/](https://www.instagram.com/goodshepherdpgh/)

 [Youtube.com/channel/UC3Vh06JeoKM-rVRkXRRVpvQ](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC3Vh06JeoKM-rVRkXRRVpvQ)

(or, go to YouTube and search for Good Shepherd Lutheran Church of South Hills)