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**FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER**

**AS WE GATHER FOR WORSHIP TODAY.** We consider today the witness of God's faithful servants Simeon and Anna. As they beheld Jesus in the temple, they were overcome with joy and proclaimed the good news of God's redemption and salvation. Jesus came into our world as light and peace. As you listen and sing of God's salvation this day, may you be filled with the joy and peace that filled Simeon and Anna.

**PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH:** Our nation and military, our President; Mr. Trump and our Governor; Tony Evers. Our staff and congregation. For Carol Behnke, Oscar Wolfgram, and the Van Domelen family, James Van Domelen passed away on Saturday (father of Richard Van Domelen). Prayers of Thanksgiving for Baby Noah (Grandson to Mark & Deb Calabrese).

**BAPTISM:** (10:30) *Colette Karla Jo Long*; Parents: Daniel and Sonja Long; Sponsors: Ingrid Shilts-Gudlin and Tim Long

**PRAYERS FOR OUR CONGREGATIONAL FAMILIES:** Each week we will be lifting up our family members in prayers. Please take your bulletin news home so you can pray for the families during the week. We will be listing every family in the congregation up in prayer during the year.

- ♥ Judy Becker
- ♥ Jennifer & Blair Cline, McGavock and Tenna

For prayer requests call or email the church office to be listed in the prayers.—Thank you.

**THEME FOR 2020: JESUS OUR SHEPHERD**

We will as the flock of the Shepherd, follow where He leads!

- (1) We will be faithful in Worship: (2) We will be faithful in our receiving God's Word at home and through the Church (3) We will be those who live without fear or want. (4) We will be those who live bear witness to our faith in Jesus that the flock may grow and flourish. We will rejoice in our life together. This will all be possible, as we remember these familiar words from David in *"The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want."* Psalm 23:1 *Jesus our Shepherd! This year and always!*



**March 2020 schedule**

**\*Please check the schedules on the church website weekly in case of changes.\***

Date:	Time:	Elder:	W/A/CA:	Usher:	Acolyte:	Greeter(s)	Projectors/ screens	Nursery Attendat	Readers:	Readings:
3/1	8:00 AM	Steve Calder	Dan Lenz	Adam & Carter These	Crystal Doelle	Ann Calder	Diane Simon	Stephanie	1- Ron Bom 2- Carolyn Bezt	1- Gen. 3:1-21 2- Rom. 5:12-19
	10:30 AM	Jon Podvin	Judelle Carroll	Dan Hutter / Bill Strullmyer	Carter Appl	Don Voigt	Learnn Johnson	Stephanie	1- Krista Nigbor 2- Tracy beegs	1- Gen. 3:1-21 2- Rom. 5:12-19
3/4 Lent 2	6:30 PM	Pat Leigl								
3/5	6:30 PM	Hai Neitzel		Jim & Mary Wacker	Alivia Brick	Carol Pete	Ray Koeller			
3/8	8:00 AM	Lyle Parins	David Stuckwisch	Diane Simon & Al Broker	Keil Mertz	Liz Parins	Dan Lenz	Jean	1- Diane Simon 2- Judy Becker	1- Gen. 12:1-9 2- Rom. 4:1-8, 13-17
	10:30 AM	Ryan Neumeier	David Stuckwisch	Rob Worth & Dustin Schmidt	Abby O'Bright	Carolyn Berg	Elizabeth Hanna	Jean	1- Sarah Long-Radioff 2- Rob Worth	1- Gen. 12:1-9 2- Rom. 4:1-8, 13-17
3/11 Lent 3	6:30 PM	Lyle Parins								
3/12	6:30 PM	Ron Blom		Herb Mahaffey	Vicki Sheets		Bonnie Siefert			
3/15 TAPS	8:00 AM	Mike Hintz	Nic Bolz	Paul Whalley & Mike Barrel	Kyra Whalley	Don & Kathy	Tommy Hintz	Stephanie	1- Kathy Hill 2- Susan Renelning	1- Ex.17:1-7 2- Rom. 5:1-8
	10:30 AM	Matt Haada	Learnn Johnson	Emma Curtin / Ed Kumbler	Jack Woldt	Laurie Kumbler	Josh Nigbor	Stephanie	1- Joy Block 2- Joanne Sitwell	1- Ex.17:1-7 2- Rom. 5:1-8
3/18 Lent 4	6:30 PM	Steve Calder								
3/19	6:30 PM	Pat Leigl		Jim & Mary Wacker	Carter Johnson	Carol Pete	Melissa Hanson			
3/22	8:00 AM	Joel Railing	Jim Pohman	Becky & Avery Pohman	Lila Bornemann	Deb Suchyra	Milne Bartel	Jean	1- Renee Noble 2- Ron Blom	1- Is. 42:14-21 2- Eph. 5:8-14
	10:30 AM	Steve Calder	Jason Schiltz	Krista Nigbor / Herb Mahaffey	Sophia Schiltz	Rozanne Thiemer	Dustin Schmidt	Jean	1- Karl Simmerman 2- Sharon Peterson	1- Is. 42:14-21 2- Eph. 5:8-14
3/25 Lent 5	6:30 PM	Joel Railing								
3/26	6:30 PM	Lyle Parins			Alivia Brick		Bonnie Siefert			
3/29 TAPS	8:00 AM	Ryan Neumeier	Marty Hintz	Brian & Casey Krueger	Austin Miller	Kathy & Mart Caseran	Diane Simon	Stephanie	1- Joel Railing 2- Herb Mahaffey	1- Ezek. 37:1-14 2- Rom. 8:1-11
	10:30 AM	Jon Podvin	Sarah Long-Radioff	Dan Hutter / Rob Worth	Owen Krause	Sarah Long-Radioff	Bill Strullmyer	Stephanie	1- Tracy Beegs 2- Sarah Long-Radioff	1- Ezek. 37:1-14 2- Rom. 8:1-11

## PASTOR SEABAUGH'S MESSAGE

### The Shepherd of Love

As most of you know, a theme has been developed for our life together at Good Shepherd. The theme is Jesus our Shepherd based upon Psalm 23:1, "The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want." This month which celebrates Valentine's Day affords us with the opportunity to talk about our Shepherd of Love.

Love is wonderful isn't it. To say that you love someone, or something is about having such high regard for this person or thing that you can't live without them. David in our text is saying just that about the Lord. David was right! David, although he was chosen by God to be king, was a sinner. You and I share this with David. And being in sin means that you cannot or should not be loved. Why or how could someone love another who is unfaithful, a liar, a cheat, a murderer, and adulterer and so forth?

While we would say the answer is that no one should be loved who meets the criteria of sinner, God looked upon the world, and although corrupted by sin, chose to love it anyway. David knew this love as God's promise to save the world. A world that dead to itself, God chose to intervene and make it alive again. A job that only He could do, a job to send His Son, the Shepherd to this world to give His life to redeem, to buy back, all people. This is the love that David boasts about, the Shepherd of which he lacks nothing.

However, this love being received was not going to be easy. Jesus, the Shepherd came, and faced our enemy the devil and all his temptations and was not overcome. He came to this sinful world and all its temptations and was not overcome. As the writer to the Hebrews reminds us, "for we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin." All this so that He by giving His innocent life as the payment for our sins, we would free from the judgment of sin to eternal death. We know that He accomplished this loving act for us, as His resurrection wonderfully proclaims.

Today, when it comes to love many will try to compare love as to how to show or display the greatest love. Many will be agony trying to figure this out for Valentine's day, but the love that our Shepherd Jesus showed to us by coming and dying for us is unmatched! John 15:13, "Greater love has no one than this, that someone lays down his life for his friends." Our Shepherd held nothing back when it came to show and give us the love that we need! A love that is made evident through His forgiveness. A love received by His Word and Sacraments. A love that empowers us to love our neighbor as we have been loved.

Good Shepherd was formed in the love of this Shepherd in 1962 and we will soon be celebrating 60 years in His loving arms! One great hymn that summarizes this love so beautifully is hymn 709, The King of Love My Shepherd is:

- 1 The King of love my shepherd is,  
Whose goodness faileth never;  
I nothing lack if I am His,  
And He is mine forever.
- 6 And so through all the length of days,  
Thy goodness faileth never;  
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise;  
Within Thy house forever!

Jesus is our loving Shepherd! As we continue through this year, we will remember to give thanks for this Shepherd!

In His loving care!  
Pastor



## February 2020 Schedule

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Date:	Time:	Elder:	WA/CA:	Usher:	Acolyte:	Greeter(s)	Projectors/ screens	Nursery Attendant	Readers:	Readings:
2/2	8:00 AM	Matt Halada	Nic Boltz	Brian & Casey Kueger	Lila Bommernann	Don & Kathy Behnke	Diane Simon	Stephanie	1- Herb Mahaffey 2- Kathy Hill	1-1 Sam. 1:21-28 2- Heb. 2:14-18
	10:30 AM	Mike Hintz	Jodelle Carroll	Bill Strullmeyer / Dustin Schmidt	Abbey Hintz	Carolyn Berg	Tommy Hintz	Stephanie	1- Sarah Long-Radioff 2- Sharon Peterson	1- 1 Sam. 1:21-28 2- Heb. 2:14-18
2/6	6:30 PM	Pat Leigl		Jim & Mary Wecker	Vicki Sheets		Bonnie Sialoff			
2/9	8:00 AM	Steve Calder	David Stuckwisch	Diane Simon / Paul Whalley	Kyra Whalley	Ann Calder	Dan Lenz	Jean	1- Susan Reineling 2- Carolyn Berg	1- Is. 58:3-9a 2- 1 Cor. 2:1-12 (13-16)
	10:30 AM	Ryan Neumeier	David Stuckwisch	Dan Hutter / Rob Worth	Owen Krause	Don Voigt	Elizabeth Hanna	Jean	1- Krista Nigbor 2- Tracy Beegs	1- Is. 58:3-9a 2- 1 Cor. 2:1-12 (13-16)
2/13	6:30 PM	Ron Blom		Herb Mahaffey	Alivia Brck		Ray Koeller			
2/16	8:00 AM	Jon Podvin	Jim Pohlman	Becky & Avery Pohlman	Aurora Sutton	Deb Suchtya	Mike Bartel	Stephanie	1- Herb Mahaffey 2- Diane Simon	1- Deut. 30:15-20 2- 1 Cor. 3:1-9
	10:30 AM	Matt Halada	Jason Schiltz	Krista Nigbor / Ed Kumbier	Sophia Schiltz	Rovane Theimer	Josh Nigbor	Stephanie	1- Karl Simmernan 2- Joanne Sidwell	1- Deut. 30:15-20 2- 1 Cor. 3:1-9
2/20	6:30 PM	Hal Netzel		Jim & Mary Wecker			Leann Johnson			
2/23	8:00 AM	Mike Hintz	Mary Hintz	Larry Bartel / Gene Mason	Michael Czerwan	Kathy & Matt Czerwan	Melissa Hanson	Jean	1- Judy Becker 2- Kathy Hill	1- Ex. 24:8-18 2- 2 Peter 1:16-21
	10:30 AM	Joel Railing	Sarah Long-Radioff	Emma Curtin / Herb Mahaffey	Hailey Vecker	Sarah Long Radioff	Dustin Schmidt	Jean	1- Joy Block 2- Rob Worth	1- Ex. 24:8-18 2- 2 Peter 1:16-21
Ash Wed. 2/26/2019	6:30 PM	Ryan Neumeier	Gary Miller	Kurt & Kylee Miller	Kendall Hengst					
2/27	6:30 PM	Pat Leigl			Vicki Sheets		Ray Koeller			

## HUMAN CARE



### Who we are and what we do

The Board of Human Care identifies ways to address the personal tangible needs for those in our congregation and community (primarily local, but not excluding national or global communities) to honor God's command to serve those in need. Some of the projects are one time events, others are annual occurrences and some are ongoing commitments. We seek to find a variety of opportunities to encourage every Good Shepherd member to live our congregational motto of "Cared for by Christ, we care for all others". Another major responsibility of this board is to review requests for emergency assistance. In addition, our Parish Nurse Sharon Harder offers blood pressure readings once a month.

**CARE CORNER:** Presenting a variety of opportunities for you to live our motto, "Cared for by Christ, we care for all others"

- Food for Salvation Army

**THE FEBRUARY COTS** menu is posted in the sign up area. Please take a look and see if there is something you can sign up for. Thank you for helping!

## FINANCIAL NEWS

### Office Renovation Update

In April 2019, the office renovation project was completed. As approved at the Special Voter's Meeting on January 20, 2019 fundraising efforts are to continue until the full cost of the project has been repaid to the contingency account.

**As of December 31, 2019, the full cost of the renovation has been received via contribution support, with the contingency fund having been repaid in full as agreed upon at the January 20, 2019 Special Voter's Meeting. Thank you for your support of this project!**

**2020 Financial Informational Meeting:** What's it all about? A two-way discussion with the congregation and church council clarifying needed updates to the 5-year Strategic Plan, sharing information about membership v.s. giving units, and an analysis of our contribution history. Where do we go from here and how does this information impact the charge of the Calling Committee? Members are invited to submit questions that would feed into these topics and result in a constructive two-way discussion at the meeting. Questions should be turned into the church office by Sunday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>. Mark your calendar for Sunday, February 9<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 in the Community Room and plan to attend this important informational meeting.



### February 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>26</b> 8:00 AM Worship/Communion Service 9:15 AM Education Hour 9:30 AM 1st Year Confirmation Class 10:30 AM Worship/Communion Service 1:00 PM Hmong Lutheran Church 3:00 PM Zion Congregation - in CR	<b>27</b> Pastor Tim Seabright's day off 5:00 PM Men's Basketball 6:30 PM Ray and Debbie Sm. Grp. Bible Study	<b>28</b> 9:30 AM Staff Mtg./Devotions 5:00 PM TOPS - Rm 5 6:00 PM Trustees 6:30 PM Elders 7:00 PM Bell Choir	<b>29</b> 9:00 AM Kiwanis Mtg. - CR. / Women's Bible Study - Rm 3 5:00 PM 2nd Yr Conf. - Rm 3 / 3rd Year Conf. - Rm 5 6:30 PM Choir	<b>30</b> 6:30 PM Worship/Communion Service	<b>31</b> David Stuckwisch's /Jacob Erdman day off 5:00 PM Men's Basketball	<b>1</b> 7:30 AM Men's Bible B-fast @ Perkins 2:30 PM Zion French-African Worship Team Practice - CR
<b>2</b> Blood Pressure Check 8:00 AM Worship/Communion Service 9:15 AM Education Hour 10:30 AM Worship/Communion Service 11:45 AM 1st Communion Class - CR 12:00 PM Middle School Youth 1:00 PM Hmong Lutheran Church 3:00 PM Zion Congregation - CR 5:00 PM High School Youth	<b>3</b> Pastor Tim Seabright's day off 9:00 AM Prayer Chain I 5:00 PM Men's Basketball	<b>4</b> 9:30 AM Staff Mtg./Devotions 4:00 PM Prayer Chain II 4:15 PM Human Care Mtg. 5:00 PM TOPS - Rm 5 6:00 PM Stewardship Mtg. / Trustees 7:00 PM Bell Choir	<b>5</b> 9:00 AM Kiwanis Mtg. - CR. / Women's Bible Study - Rm 3 5:00 PM 2nd Year Conf. - Rm 3 / 3rd Year Conf. - Rm 5 6:30 PM Choir	<b>6</b> 8:30 AM Shut Ins Visitation 3:00 PM TAPS 3:30 PM Worship/Communion Service 7:30 PM LMF	<b>7</b> David Stuckwisch's /Jacob Erdman day off 5:00 PM Men's Basketball	<b>8</b> 7:30 AM Men's Bible B-fast @ Perkins 2:30 PM Zion French-African Worship Team Practice - CR
<b>9</b> 8:00 AM Worship/Communion Service 9:15 AM Education Hour 9:30 AM 1st Year Confirmation Class 10:30 AM Worship/Communion Service 12:00 PM Middle School Youth 1:00 PM Hmong Lutheran Church 3:00 PM Zion Congregation - in CR 5:00 PM High School Youth	<b>10</b> Pastor Tim Seabright's day off 5:00 PM Men's Basketball 6:30 PM Ray and Debbie Sm. Grp. Bible Study 7:00 PM Book Club - Community Room	<b>11</b> 9:30 AM Staff Mtg./Devotions 11:45 AM Adult Club @ Pizza Ranch 5:00 PM TOPS - Rm 5 5:30 PM BOE Mtg. Rm 3 6:00 PM Trustees 6:30 PM Council 7:00 PM Bell Choir	<b>12</b> 9:00 AM Kiwanis Mtg. - CR. / Women's Bible Study - Rm 3 5:00 PM 2nd Year Conf. - Rm 3 / 3rd Year Conf. - Rm 5 6:30 PM Choir	<b>13</b> 8:30 AM Shut Ins Visitation 3:00 PM TAPS 3:30 PM Worship/Communion Service	<b>14</b> David Stuckwisch's /Jacob Erdman day off 5:00 PM Men's Basketball	<b>15</b> 7:30 AM Men's Bible B-fast @ Perkins 12:00 PM Newsletter Articles are due 2:30 PM Zion French-African Worship Team Practice - CR
<b>16</b> Jacob Vacation 8:00 AM TAPS Worship/Communion Service 9:15 AM Education Hour 9:15 AM LMF Fellowship 10:30 AM TAPS Worship/Communion Service 12:00 PM Middle School Youth 1:00 PM Hmong Lutheran Church 3:00 PM Zion Congregation- in CR 5:00 PM High School Youth	<b>17</b> Jacob Vacation Pastor Tim Seabright's day off 5:00 PM Men's Basketball 6:15 PM LWML in Community Rm.	<b>18</b> Jacob Vacation 9:30 AM Staff Mtg./Devotions 5:00 PM TOPS - Rm 5 6:00 PM Trustees 6:30 PM Finance Mtg. 7:00 PM Bell Choir	<b>19</b> Jacob Vacation 9:00 AM Kiwanis Mtg. - CR. / Women's Bible Study - Rm 3 5:00 PM 2nd Year Conf. - Rm 3 / 3rd Year Conf. - Rm 5	<b>20</b> Jacob Vacation 11:30 AM Staff Lunch 6:30 PM Worship/Communion Service	<b>21</b> David Stuckwisch's /Jacob Erdman day off 5:00 PM Men's Basketball	<b>22</b> 7:30 AM Men's Bible B-fast @ Perkins 9:00 AM Spagetti Dinner Set up/Prep 2:30 PM Zion French-African Worship Team Practice - CR
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## SCRIP NEWS

**GOOD SHEPHERD SCRIP PROGRAM:** (1/26/20) Sales: \$3,185; Gross Earnings: \$123; **Thank you.** Your participation is helpful and appreciated. **Sportsman:** If you have not bought sporting licenses for this year, please use scrip to get them and help your church while you enjoy your hobby and the great outdoors God has given us. (Just a small way to say thank you to Him.) **Please consider** buying a scrip gift certificate to give to the **Board of Human Care** to purchase scrip gas and grocery cards to give to those in need. **Scrip is sold** in the office before and after services on Thursdays and in the community room between services on Sundays. **Specials:** Our current scrip specials include: **Retailer**

Retailer	Is	Was	Start	End
DSW	11.00%	8.00%	2/1/2020	2/14/2020
Kwik Trip	9.00%	4.00%	2/1/2020	2/14/2020
Shutterfly	11.75%	9.00%	2/1/2020	2/14/2020
SpaFinder	17.00%	15.00%	1/25/2020	2/7/2020

### OUR RESPONSE TO GOD'S LOVE ~ LAST WEEK

Church Attendance:  
Thur. 6:30—56; Sun. 8:00— 190; 10:30— 152 = 398  
(Communed: 232)

### WEEKLY BUDGET INFORMATION

General Fund: \$9,594  
Designated Funds: \$773  
Weekly Budgeted Needs: \$13,970  
We are under our budget this past week by: \$4,376

## FAQ

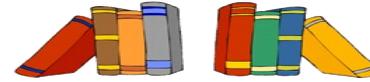
FAQ: What does this mean? The great Lutheran question!  
Please feel free to ask any question via email to the called staff! We will endeavor to respond in a timely fashion in upcoming bulletin news.



Pastor Seabaugh: tseabaugh@gslchurch.net  
David Stuckwisch: dstuckwisch@gslchurch.net  
Jacob Erdman: jerdman@gslchurch.net



## LIBRARY / BOOK CLUB NEWS



As of writing this, winter has been relatively mild here in the Fox Cities. But that doesn't mean February won't be full of storms and snow. Although in your lifetime, you probably have never been truly snowbound you may look outside and find ways to stay in!

Hopefully, you have books to curl up with. A February suggestion might be from our inspiration section. We have several "Chicken Soup for the Soul," series books. Have you ever read one? How about a book about Chuck Colson or Billy Graham? "The Good Life," by Colson speaks of his conversion to Christ after the Watergate scandal. Billy Graham's, "Just as I Am" compiles his entire life of evangelism in this country and around the world.

How are your resolutions going? Remember last month's? Read a book from Good Shepherd Library this year. You have 11 months left to fulfill it and this month there is an extra day to help. Have a Great Leap Year Day!

### BOOK CLUB

We had a rip-roaring good time last month with two books to discuss. And thank the Good Lord, the weather held for driving to and from Book Club. This month we meet on February 10th at 7 pm to discuss, "The Life She Was Given," by Ellen Marie Wiseman.

Hidden away from the world, a young girl is suddenly dragged from the only home she has known and sold to a circus. She quickly learns what is different about her but never quite understands why she was hidden away and why her parents never came back to get her. When she did get a chance to speak to her father, his explanation fell short.

The author, tells the story of another girl, years later who grows up at the family farm but runs away. She returns to find mysteries she is apprehensive to find the answers to. Did her parents murder someone? Who was it? What was the purpose of the hidden room she found?

If you have read the book or even if you haven't, please join us for discussion. You are welcome any time!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is. 47:1-15;</li> <li>• Ps. 31;</li> <li>• John 13:1-20</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is. 48:1-11;</li> <li>• Ps. 32;</li> <li>• John 13:21-55</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is. 48:12-22;</li> <li>• Ps. 33;</li> <li>• John 13:56-14:14</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is. 49:1-7;</li> <li>• Ps. 34;</li> <li>• John 14:15-31</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is. 49:8-26;</li> <li>• Ps. 35;</li> <li>• John 15:1-17</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is. 50:1-11;</li> <li>• Ps. 36;</li> <li>• John 15:18-16:4</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Is. 51:1-11;</li> <li>• Ps. 37:1-22;</li> <li>• John 16:4-24</li> </ul>
<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>

### DAILY BIBLE READING PLAN:

Read the Bible daily with the help of our 3 year Bible reading calendar! You can pick it up monthly in the coat room or the back of the church OR go online and see/print all of 2019 and 2020, (2021 coming at a later date)



## EDUCATION/BIBLE STUDY NEWS

### **ADULT SUNDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDIES:**

- Pastor Seabaugh's is in the community room.
- "A Longer Look at the Lesson" is in room 5.

**WED. EVENING BIBLE STUDY:** "Starting Jan. 8th at 5:00 p.m. in the Community Room there will be a new Bible Study; "Paul: A Man of Grace and Grit" by Charles Swindoll. We will learn more about Paul's call to spread the Gospel to the Gentiles, the adversity and the blessings he experienced along the way. All are welcome! Questions? Call Carolyn Berg 920-810-2422.

**MEMBER CLASSES:** Winter Classes began on January 22<sup>nd</sup> at 6:00 p.m. This class lasts five weeks and will cover the basics of Lutheran doctrine and practice and a view of Good Shepherd. If you are already a member of the LCMS, we encourage your attendance to brush up on the catechism and meet those who will also be joining. We will hold our member welcome on February 23<sup>rd</sup> at our 10:30 a.m. service. Contact Pastor Seabaugh [tseabaugh@gslchurch.net](mailto:tseabaugh@gslchurch.net). Good Shepherd welcomes you!

**PRESCHOOL:** We are taking applications for a Lead Teacher position for the 2020-2021 school year. Please pass the word.

**CALLING ALL QUILTERS!** The Board of Education is looking for quilt donations for our graduating seniors. We want to be able to give the seniors a choice in quilts so if your quilt doesn't get picked one year it very well will be picked the next. Plus with a large number of graduating classes we have coming up, we appreciate getting extra quilts each year. Whether you are new to quilting or a long time quilter we are looking for all the help we can get. If you don't quilt but would like to help with monetary donations for materials needed that is greatly appreciated as well. If you have any questions, please contact Jenny Hintz at [jenny.hintz@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jenny.hintz@sbcglobal.net) or 920-428-9756. We are asking for all quilts to be in by Sunday, May 17th. Thank you all in advance for your help in keeping this great tradition going.

**CONFIRMATION BANNER:** We are looking for 6th, 7th and 8th parents who would be willing and able to help with making this years confirmation banner. Once I know who is able to help we can figure out times for us to get together and decide who wants to do what. If you have any questions please let me know. My cell # is 920-428-9756 or my email is [Jenny.hintz@sbcglobal.net](mailto:Jenny.hintz@sbcglobal.net).



## MISCELLANEOUS NEWS

**NEW PODCAST FROM LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES:** Speaking Jesus Real people having a real conversation about Jesus. That's it. We want to encourage you to invite Jesus into everyday conversations. The weekly dialogue is centered around Christ and his relevance. This program is a dialogue between a variety of Christians from different walks of life, different stages of life, and different family backgrounds. All of Lutheran Hour podcasts can be found on:



### **CABIN FEVER NEWS: ITS THAT TIME AGAIN! COMING MARCH 15TH!**

During your shopping, please consider purchasing an item for Cabin Fever in March. Your item or bottle of wine for the wine pull helps support our fundraising efforts to help with the church expenses. Thank you for your consideration!

**CANCER SUPPORT GROUP:** Cancer is a burden no one should bear alone. Whether you are a cancer fighter, survivor, caregiver, loved one or affected by cancer loss, there are others who want to stand by you! Please join us in fellowship and prayer as we share in cancer education, support and stories. No RSVP needed. Anyone may join: patients, family members, friends, survivors and caregivers. FREE of cost. Facilitator: Kylie Thews RN BSN with Green Bay Oncology  
When: Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month Time: 7pm Where: Faith Ministry Center (601 E. Glendale Ave)

- ♥ Emotional Support
- ♥ Reduce Stress
- ♥ Find Joy
- ♥ Manage Emotions
- ♥ Improve Quality of Life
- ♥ Provide Coping Support
- ♥ Provide Sense of Control
- ♥ Create Relationships with Others



**ELDERLY COMPANION NEEDED:** We are currently looking for individuals to spend time with my grandmother, who has dementia. Hours & pay are flexible, although midmorning—late afternoon preferred. No nursing experience necessary. If interested, or know someone, please contact me. Michelle Miller 450-3186. Thank you.



### **MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN YOUR COMMUNITY!**

Become a volunteer driver for Make the Ride Happen, a program of Lutheran Social Services, that helps seniors and people with disabilities remain active and involved in their community. Volunteers use their own car and gas to transport older adults to appointments and social engagements in the Fox Cities. Drive once a month, Monday through Friday, 8 a.m.-noon or noon to 4 p.m. To apply, contact Jan at the RSVP 55+ Volunteer Program at 920-832-9360 or [rsvp@volunteerfoxcities.org](mailto:rsvp@volunteerfoxcities.org).

### **THE FOX VALLEY CHORUS OF SWEET ADELINES INT'L IS HOSTING ITS 4TH ANNUAL SWEETIE PIE SOCIAL**

on Saturday, February 15th, at the First Presbyterian Church, 200 S. Church St., Neenah. Entrance to the Fellowship Hall is on Doty Ave. Doors open at 2:00 p.m. for pie, with performances starting at 2:30 p.m. Tickets are \$10, which includes a slice of pie, beverage, and music by the chorus and small groups. Additional slices and whole pies of many varieties will be available for purchase. There will be an opportunity to win a pie every month for a whole year! For tickets contact Joanie at 920-982-5639, or [jsuszko1@att.net](mailto:jsuszko1@att.net). Visit [www.foxvalleychorus.org](http://www.foxvalleychorus.org).

## **STEWARDSHIP**

### **LIVING AS SERVANTS**

"...even as the Son Man came not to be served but to serve, and to give His life as a ransom for many" (Matthew 20:28).

Jesus lived a perfect life of service to those He came to save. His ministry of service for us culminated in His death on the Cross. His death is the ultimate act of loving service.

Because we have an inborn desire to serve ourselves, serving others is not natural. Yet, as we remember our Lord's supreme act of love on the Cross, we are inspired to be servants. It is to love that motivates us to be servers rather than people who want to be served. Our desire to love and serve our neighbors is our response to the Lord's love for us. We love because He loved us first (1 John 4:19). To love is to serve; service is the natural outcome of love. Love is what gives us the energy and desire to serve. When our hearts are filled with gratitude for who God is and what He's done for us, we serve with joy. Awed and grateful, we are compelled to share His love by "living as servants." As we live each day as stewards our eyes and hearts are opened so that we are made aware of the needs of others.

Questions to ponder: How am I serving? What are some ways I can serve more?



## **MUSIC NOTES**

**LOOKING FOR INSTRUMENTALISTS:** Do you play an instrument and would like to play in a service? There are opportunities for all ages to play before and after services and during the offering. Please contact Jacob Erdman—Director of Parish Music if you are interested.

## **YOUTH**

### **SUPER BOWL OF CARING: TODAY IS THE LAST DAY TO BRING IN YOUR DONATION!**

We will be collecting Mac & Cheese cups, Chef Boyardee microwave meals, and Pasta Roni to be distributed to area high school food pantries. Donations can be dropped off on the table or the corresponding Sunday School boxes in the hallway. Please help us stock shelves.

### **CHANGE OF DATE! SPAGHETTI DINNER** will be **FEB. 23rd.**

Dinner service will be 10:30 a.m.—2:00 p.m. Pre-order your tickets. Contact David Stuckwisch at [dstuckwisch@gslchurch.net](mailto:dstuckwisch@gslchurch.net)



## **OUTCROPPINGS FROM THE OFFICE**

**2019 FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:** Please pick up your financial statements in the hallway today—Thank you!

**LOST –N– FOUND:** Please look in the lost-n-found basket in the hallway by the financial Statements. We would like to find rightful owners of the items in the basket. The Lost—n –Found is normally placed in the Coatroom, so if you do misplace something it will most likely be placed in the Lost—n –Found basket.

