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## Bulletin News August 9—August 16, 2020

**PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH:** Prayers for our Board leaders and leadership of church. **Healing prayers for:** Bill Van Eeckhout. Pat Schoenike. For our church members and staff as we navigate through this COVID-19. For those affected by the COVID-19 virus.

**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.

- ♥ Mills & Sarah Neubert, Corey, Mason
- ♥ Cindy Reinhold
- ♥ Sharon Smith

The names we list are from what we have in our church records; if it is not listed correctly, please notify the church office so we can update our records. For prayer requests, please call or email the church office to be listed in the prayers.—Thank you.

### YOUTH / EDUCATION

**BIBLE STUDY GROUPS ARE ALWAYS LOOKING TO WELCOME OTHERS TO JOIN!**

For more information contact the church office [goodshep@gslchurch.net](mailto:goodshep@gslchurch.net) or Pastor Seabaugh, Ryan Neumeier, Ray & Debbie Koeller; (who are studying Matthew via Zoom during COVID-19 please contact us at [dkoeller@gslchurch.net](mailto:dkoeller@gslchurch.net) if you would like to join us), Carolyn Berg, Nancy Smith or Ed Kumbier and Ann Cattau. They all teach/host Bible Studies in home or at church (at this time utilize online means to communicate and/or by phone). We will find the one that fits with your schedule. Grow in your knowledge and with the Lord and enjoy fellowship!

**ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL:** Come join us in the Community Room between services. Our study will be a longer look at the lessons. We will explore the Gospel, Epistle, and Old Testament readings for Sunday and discuss them in greater detail. We will begin around 9:20 a.m. Contact DCE David if you need help with your children during class at [dstuckwisch@gslchurch.net](mailto:dstuckwisch@gslchurch.net)

**YOUTH BIBLE STUDY:** Join David and the youth as they go through a bible study on YouVersion Bible app. They meet via ZOOM at 3pm on Sunday afternoons. To receive the Zoom link email David at [dstuckwisch@gslchurch.net](mailto:dstuckwisch@gslchurch.net) and he'll answer any questions.

**PRESCHOOL:** If you have been looking for a Christian based preschool where your child or grandchild can have fun while learning, please consider Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool. Our State licensed preschool has been providing a Christian based high-quality program that fulfills the spiritual, intellectual, social, physical and emotional needs of each child for over 40 years. We offer a 3 day (Monday, Wednesday and Friday) or 2 day (Monday and Wednesday) a week program for 3-4-year-old. Please, feel free to check us out. We have a tab on the Good Shepherd Website, we are also on Facebook, feel free to call the church office or Joanne Sidwell at 920-850-2291.

**JOIN OUR TEAM:** Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool is looking for a Substitute Teacher for the 2020-2021 school year. If you are interested or know of someone who might be interested please call Joanne Sidwell at 920-850-2291. Or the Church office.

The Board Of Family Education has met and has decided we will not be holding a Summer Sunday School/VBS program this year. We feel that with the COVID-19 pandemic and this being a new program this is not the year for us to start it. A survey will has been sent out to help us with planning for the Fall. If you have any questions please feel free to contact Jenny Hintz at [jenny.hintz@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jenny.hintz@sbcglobal.net) or 920-428-9756  
 Sunday School Kickoff at this time will be set for September 6<sup>th</sup>. We hope to see everyone there and we hope to be able to provide a safe environment



and a product that we can all be proud of. We are going to have a hard look at our building and how we can maximize and optimize the space that we currently have. We want to utilize our classrooms to the best of our abilities. We know that keeping children at a distance will be nearly an impossibility but we can at least provide a space where that distance is possible. WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK! Confirmation is set for September 13<sup>th</sup>. We want to be able to celebrate these students for the active role that they are playing in their faith life. We as a congregation need to come together and recognize these students and lift them up and continue to support them and help them in their walk with God.

### FINANCE

\*\*\*\*\* YEAR TO DATE JUN 2020 FINANCIAL UPDATE \*\*\*\*\*

**YEAR TO DATE JUN 2020 General Fund Contribution Recap**

- ◇ YTD 2020 general fund contributions were \$324,525
- ◇ Comparable YTD 2019 general fund contributions were \$316,063
- ◇ YTD 2020 budget expenses were \$363,232
- ◇ YTD 2020 general fund contributions were **\$38,706 LESS** than the approved budget.

### MISCELLANEOUS

**Buy Scrip Online** – Did you know you can purchase scrip on line? Since we will not be selling at church the next few week, now is an opportunity to support your church by enrolling at Great Lakes Scrip Center on their website (<https://shop.shopwithscrip.com>). Please send an email to [DarwinHanson@Centurytel.net](mailto:DarwinHanson@Centurytel.net) or call him at (920) 740-2440 to get the code or assistance to enroll. Enrollment is required for Good Shepherd to get credit for your purchases. We look forward to helping you. You can reload existing cards or order new e-cards. You can pay using PrestoPay (\$0.15 charge per order) or a charge card (2.6% fee will be added to your order).

**THE COMMUNITY CLOTHES CLOSET** is looking for volunteers to help with donation intake on Mondays from 6 to 7 and Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9 to 11. They would like 2 people for each shift. Later on they will need help with sorting. Let Bonnie Ebbesen ([bonnie.ebbesen@gmail.com](mailto:bonnie.ebbesen@gmail.com) or 836-2153) know if you are interested in either of these opportunities. This isn't expected to be a long term commitment. You can just volunteer for one time. Volunteers can be as young as 14. **Cared for by Christ, we care for all others.**

## CALENDAR OF THE WEEK

AUGUST 9—AUGUST 16, 2020

CHURCH SERVICES WILL BE HELD INSIDE SUN. 8:00 A.M. AND 10:30 A.M. PLEASE KEEP AN EYE ON EMAILS AND THE CHURCH WEBSITE AND CHURCH CALENDAR FOR UPDATES SERVICES WILL BE STREAMING AS WELL BY NOON SUNDAYS—THANK YOU

### Aug. 9

8:00 AM Worship/Communion Service  
9:15 AM Pastor Seabaugh's Bible Study-CR  
10:30 AM Worship/Communion Service  
12:00 PM Streaming Worship Service - YouTube and FB  
1:00 PM Hmong Lutheran Church  
3:00 PM Zion French-African Congregation- in CR

### Aug. 10

Pastor Tim Seabaugh's day off  
6:30 PM Ray and Debbie Sm. Grp. Bible Study

### Aug. 11

9:30 AM Staff Mtg./Devotions  
11:45 AM Adult Club @ Pizza Ranch  
5:00 PM TOPS - RM 5  
6:00 PM Trustees  
6:30 PM Council Planning Mtg. - CR

### Aug. 12

### Aug. 13

8:30 AM Shut Ins Visitation

### Aug. 14

David Stuckwisch's /Jacob Erdman day off

### Aug. 15

12:00 PM Newsletter Articles are due  
2:30 PM Zion French-African Worship Team Practice - CR

### Aug. 16

8:00 AM TAPS Worship/Communion Service  
9:15 AM Pastor Seabaugh's Bible Study-CR  
10:30 AM TAPS Worship/Communion Service  
12:00 PM Streaming Worship Service - YouTube and FB  
1:00 PM Hmong Lutheran Church  
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## MISCELLANEOUS CONTINUED

**YOUR HANDS - GOD'S WORK:** Good Shepherd has been providing two meals a month for the women in COTS transitional housing program, even throughout the Safer at Home mandate.. It's a way to live our faith by assisting those in need. Now it's time for you to help. **It's a great opportunity for families to intentionally serve together.** We provide a main dish, a fruit or vegetable side or salad and a dessert for 20 people. You can make your own favorite recipe or we can give you a suggestion. You can contribute the whole meal or just part of it. The next meal donation will be Aug. 17th and you can just drop the food off in the community room that day. Please contact Yvonne Miller at 739-2935 or [archylake@sbcglobal.net](mailto:archylake@sbcglobal.net) to indicate your intentions. If August doesn't work for you, just let Yvonne know which month you'd like to provide.

### LISTENING/LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES:

The Lutheran Hour: SiriusXM: Family Talk channel 131  
Sundays at 10:00 a.m.

WRVM: FM 101.7 Sundays at 10:00 a.m.

Lutheran Hour Ministries Daily Devotions:

<https://www.lhm.org/dailydevotions>



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### COME AND SEE WENDYSUE FLUEGGE HERE AT GOOD

**SHEPHERD ON AUGUST 30TH** 8:00 + 10:30 services

Unique music and arrangements from this Wisconsin based singer, songwriter and worship leader [www.wendysue.com](http://www.wendysue.com)

Wendysue and her husband are looking for someone to host them the evening of Saturday, August 29. If you are able to host them, please let Jacob Erdman know.

Email: [jerdman@gslchurch.net](mailto:jerdman@gslchurch.net)

Phone (office): 920-734-9643 Ext. 112



**NEW MEMBER INFORMATION:** Want to know more about Good Shepherd Lutheran Church? Call the Church office 920-734-9643, or email Pastor Timothy Seabaugh [tseabaugh@gslchurch.net](mailto:tseabaugh@gslchurch.net) with any questions. New member classes will be held: September 30<sup>th</sup>, October 7<sup>th</sup>, 14<sup>th</sup>, and 21<sup>st</sup> from 6:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. New member welcome is October 25<sup>th</sup> at

## HUMANCARE

10:30 a.m. service. Let us know if you need childcare.

Interested in helping build a home with **Habitat for Humanity** through Thrivent's Faith build in Appleton? The Xiong family is building a home on W Packard St and there is opportunity to help with sheet rock on October 6, 7 and 8th. Lunches are also needed for those days. Contact the Ebbesen's at 920-836-2153 or [bonnie.ebbesen@gmail.com](mailto:bonnie.ebbesen@gmail.com) so we can be sure to get you on the schedule.

### Stewardship Thought:

Prayer is not a "spare wheel" that you pull out when in trouble, but it is a "steering wheel" that directs the right path throughout



### WEEKLY BUDGET INFORMATION

General Fund: \$11,442

Designated Funds: \$1183

Weekly Budgeted Needs: \$13,970

We are under our budget this past week by: **\$2,528**

This budget information is accurate at the time of printing but may vary do to electronic deposits that come in during the week.