

Those Serving today and
next week March 27 & April 3

3/27

Music: Beth Steuck
Elder: Darwin Leek
Acolyte: Ian Brockberg
Ushers: Dan Radel & Mark Henkelman
Counters: Peggy Peterson
Servers: N/A

4/3

Music: Beth Steuck/Chimes
Elder: Scott Peterson
Acolyte: Alex Sturrock
Ushers: Dan Radel & Mark Henkelman
Counters: Randy Thordson
Servers: N/A

**Attendance for Sunday,
March 20, 2022:**
Worship Service: **115**
Communicants: **NA**

This Week at Good Shepherd
3/27 – 4/3

Sunday

9am – Divine Service III
10:30am – Education Hour

Monday

Tuesday

7pm – AA Meeting

Wednesday

7am – Men’s Bible Study
5:30pm – Confirmation
5:45pm – Lenten Meal
7pm – Lenten Divine Service

Thursday

Pastor’s Day Off/Church Office Closed

Saturday

Sunday

9am – Divine Service III
10:30am – Education Hour

The Congregation at Prayer
How to use this bulletin for daily prayer all week long.

*Reading God’s Word and offering up our prayers to God should be part of our daily routine.
Below is an outline for a simple daily devotion.
Also included is a portion of the Small Catechism for the week and the prayers of our parish.*

Invocation: **In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Introit: **Bulletin Insert**

Learn by Heart:

- Learn by Heart Bible Verses: **Psalm 143:10; 1 Peter 1:13**
- Catechism: **Confession: Where is this written?**
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Daily Readings:

Sunday: **Gen. 41:28 – 28-57; Mark 11:20-33**
Monday: **Gen. 42:1-34, 38; Mark 12:1-12**
Tuesday: **Gen. 43:1-28; Mark 12:28-44**
Wednesday: **Gen 44:1-18, 32-34; Mark 12:28-44**
Thursday: **Gen. 45:1-20, 24-28; Mark 13:1-23**
Friday: **Gen. 47:1-31; Gen. 48:1-49:28; Mark 13:24-37**
Saturday: **Gen. 49:29-50:7, 14-26; Mark 14:1-11**

Readings for next Sun.: **Genesis 22:1-14; Hebrews 9:11-15; John 8:42-59**

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- **Birthdays:** Nathan Lingl 3/28; Jayden Manthei 3/28; Joshua Stefanic 3/29; Dylan Wittmeier 3/29
- **Sickness/Illness/Recovery:** Steve Hall, son-in-law of Anne Paradis; Rev. Carl Berner; Anita Johnson, sister of Kathy Brockberg; Marge Meffert, sister-in-law of Mary Meffert; Carolyn Bayerkohler; Carol Nienkirk; Joanne Christoffer; Diane, Aunt of Lisa Haen; Jon Gullickson; Lorraine Gullickson; David Sturrock; Floyd Brecheisen, brother of Gay Brockberg; Shirlene Schwab; Ruth Timm; Jon Gerken; Jean Peirce; Esther Schrunk; Karen Geske; Hester, sister of David Sturrock; Tobias Haugen, grandson of Mavis Ochsendorf; Del Determan, friend of the Pratts; Larry Pratt; Joshua Grau, godson of Mary Meffert; Bonnie, mother of Lisa Haen
- **With child:** Lyndsey Slade, daughter of Scott & Peggy Peterson; Becca Sampers, niece of Carrie Davis; Sarah Bartz
- **Family of:** Bob Schrunk

HYMN OF THE MONTH: **“Sing, My Tongue, the Glorious Battle” LSB #454**

COLLECT (**Bulletin Insert**)

APOSTLES’ CREED

LORD’S PRAYER

BLESSING: The almighty and most merciful God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us. Amen.

**Fourth Sunday in Lent -
Laetare**

Divine Service III: **pp. 184 - 202**

Hymn of Invocation: **LSB #454 (Hymn of the Month)**

Confession and Absolution: **pp. 184-185**

Introit: **Bulletin Insert**

Kyrie: **p. 186**

Gloria in Excelsis (omitted during Lent)

Salutation-Collect: **p. 189**

Old Testament Reading: **Isaiah 49:8-13**

Gradual: **Bulletin Insert**

Second Reading: **Acts 2:41-47**

Tract

Holy Gospel: **John 6:1-15**

Nicene Creed: **p. 192**

Hymn of the Day: **LSB #743**

Sermon

Offertory **p. 192**

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament: **pp. 194-199**

Distribution Hymns: **LSB #625, #774, #421**

Post-Communion Liturgy: **pp. 199-202**

Closing Hymn: **LSB #642**

Announcements

To our visitors and guests:

The Lord’s Supper is celebrated at Good Shepherd in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord, as He says, gives not only bread and wine, but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord Jesus those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us. They show forth His death until He comes. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod and so are unable to receive the Sacrament are invited to meditate on God’s Word in the distribution hymns and pray for the day when divisions will have ceased. You may also come up to the rail and receive a baptismal blessing. Signify this by crossing your hands over your chest. If you have any questions, please feel free to talk to Pastor.

There are actually many different names for the service of the Holy Sacrament. It is called the Eucharist, the Holy Supper, the Holy Communion, the Lord's Supper, the Sacrament of the Altar, and the Mass. In the New Testament and early church times it was called the breaking of the Bread.

The term Mass (Latin, missa) is perhaps the term with most widespread use throughout Christendom. It is also a source of controversy among Protestants because of its regular association with Roman Catholicism. The Lutheran Reformation renounced the Roman Mass as "the greatest and most horrible abomination, as it directly and powerfully conflicts with this chief article (of justification by faith in Christ)" (Smalcald Articles II,1). Yet the context of this statement will determine what it is that is abominable about Roman Mass, for Luther's quote continues: "...it has been held that this sacrifice or work of the Mass, even though it be rendered while only the lamb of God shall and must do this" (ibid.). Thus it is clear that what Luther opposed was the Roman idea of Mass as an act or work of man, essentially of re-sacrificing the body of Christ for sins. For Rome the benefits of the Mass were effected by the work that the priest performed. For Luther and the Lutherans, the benefit was seen in the words, "Given and shed for you for the remission of sins." Thus in the Mass the Sacrament was to be received orally by the communicants in order for them to benefit from it.

A Layman's Guide to the Liturgy, Why is Holy Communion sometimes called Mass? - Parag.1-2

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Spiritual Discipline for March: Fasting

Spiritual Discipline for April: Learn or relearn one of the chief parts of the catechism

Evening Prayer is scheduled for 7pm on Wednesday. Join us as we consider the question: "Which are these sins that we ought to confess?"

****Lenten Meal this week is served by the BOE. Please join us at 5:45!**

We need your help! Saturday, April 9th is spring clean up day for Good Shepherd. We will be cleaning throughout the church from around 9am until 4 pm. Snacks and lunch will be provided. Bring your cleaning materials and enjoy a day of fellowship and service to your Lord. A sign up sheet is on the fellowship hall bulletin board or just show up and we'll put you to work. If that day doesn't work for you, call Denny Brockberg and volunteer when you can. We'd like to have a big crew so we can get it all done. We'll be able to find a job to meet everyone's abilities. Thank you.

EGG MY HOUSE YOUTH FUNDRAISER - Let the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Youth hide eggs for you while helping them get to the National Youth Gathering in Houston. We are selling treat filled eggs by the dozen to be hidden in your yard the night before Easter morning. Options are 2 dozen for \$30, 4 dozen for \$50, 6 dozen for \$70, or 8 dozen + 4 additional eggs (100) for \$90. Please contact Cory Brockman at 507-530-4580 or at csbrock22@yahoo.com to order by Wednesday, April 13th. All proceeds benefit the youth for the National Youth Gathering in Houston.

To learn more about Lutherans in Ukraine and how you might support them in this time, please visit www.lcms.org/ukraine.

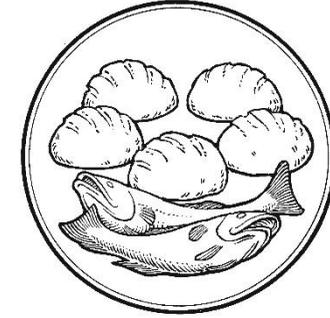
MN South LWML Grant – The Dwelling Place - \$10,000 - The Dwelling Place is a Christian ministry providing healing and hope to victims of domestic abuse through supportive services and a safe place to call home. This program seeks to end the generational cycle of domestic violence by helping women and their children become self-sufficient, empowered, and committed to living a spiritually centered healthy life. This grant funding would be directed to the costs of providing transitional housing with supportive services and education for women and children escaping abuse and equipping them to live Christ-centered lives. The Lord will rescue me from every evil deed and bring me safely into His heavenly kingdom. To Him be the glory forever and ever. Amen. 2 Tim. 4:18 Donate to this grant by putting your offering in the LWML Mite box in the Narthex.

Ushers Needed - looking for ushers to do 2 weeks at a time, please contact Kerry Kerr.

New Reading Materials - Check out the table in the narthex.

SOLID, SERIOUS, SUBSTANTIVE...Issues, Etc. is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's teachings include: Human Tyranny vs. Christian Freedom, The Movie "Nightmare Alley," The Gradual, Peter & Cornelius and more. You can listen at your convenience at issuesetc.org, the LPR mobile app and your favorite podcast provider.

If you missed being here last Sunday and would like a bulletin, they are available in the foyer on the free materials table.



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A Member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

Worship Schedule: Sunday 9:00 am

Education Hour: Sunday @ 10:30

Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday from 8-12:00

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We, the members of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, believing the Bible to be God's inspired and inerrant Word, acknowledging that Jesus Christ is Lord, and affirming that we are saved by grace through faith in Him alone, offer the following as our statement of mission:

Empowered by the Holy Spirit and loving our neighbors as ourselves, we, as ambassadors for Christ, must strive to make disciples of all nations; Using the gifts the Lord has given to each of us, we must help the saints to grow in unity of faith through regular worship attendance, the partaking of the Sacraments, the study of God's Word, and by ministering to the spiritual needs of others; We will persevere in prayer and thanksgiving for all the opportunities and blessings which God places before us.

Fourth Sunday in Lent (Laetare)

March 27, 2022