

Those Serving the Lord today and next week May 1/2 & May 8/9

5/1

5:30 Elder: Dan Radel

5/2

Music: Beth Steuck

9am Elder: Scott Peterson

Acolyte: TBD

5/8

5:30 Elder: John Gunter

5/9

Music: Beth Steuck

9am Elder: Cory Brockman

Acolyte: TBD

**Attendance for Saturday & Sunday,
April 24-25, 2021**
Saturday: 21
Sunday: 90

This Week at Good Shepherd
May 1/2 & May 8/9

Sunday

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

Monday

Pastor @ Winkel, Fulda

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Pastor's Day Off/Office Closed

Friday

9am - Bible Study

Saturday

9am – Divine Service III

Sunday

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10:30am – Educational 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 110:5; Hebrews 11:16**
Catechism: **Christian Questions w/Their Answers: Questions 3 & 4**

Daily Readings:

Sunday: **Lev. 20:1-16, 22-27; Luke 11:37-54**

Monday: **Lev. 21:1-24; Luke 12:1-12**

Tuesday: **Lev. 23:1-22; Luke 12:13-34**

Wednesday: **Lev. 23:23-44; Luke 12:35-53**

Thursday: **Lev. 24:1-23, Lev. 25:1-55; Luke 12:54—13:17**

Friday: **Lev. 26:1-20; Luke 13:18-35**

Saturday: **Lev. 26:21-33, 39-44, Num. 1:1—2:34; Luke 14:1-24**

Readings for next Sunday: **Num. 21:4-9; 1 Timothy 2:1-6 or James 1:22-27;
John 16:23-33**

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- **Birthdays:** Jedidiah Tabaka 5/3; Barb Werner 5/7; Ruth Timm 5/8
- **Sickness/Illness/Recovery:** Joanne Christoffer; Maisey Brockberg; Gary Steuck, brother of Kathy Brockberg; Joanne Christoffer; Diane, Aunt of Lisa Haen; Jon Gullickson; Lorraine Gullickson; Caitlyn Ramey; Orla Timm; David Sturrock; Floyd Brecheisen, brother of Gay Brockberg; Shirlene Schwab; Carol Nienkirk; Ruth Timm; Jon Gerken; Bob Meffert; Jean Peirce; Esther Schrunk; Karen Geske; Phyllis, sister-in-law of Bob Meffert; Hester, sister of David Sturrock; Tobias Haugen, grandson of Mavis Ochsendorf; Del Determan, friend of the Pratts; Larry Pratt; Joshua Grau, godson of Bob Meffert; Bonnie, mother of Lisa Haen
- **With Child:** Monique Konrad
- **Family of:** Michael White, the husband of Mary Meffert's niece

HYMN OF THE MONTH: **"On Christ's Ascension I Now Build" LSB #492**

COLLECT (**Bulletin Insert**)

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LORD'S PRAYER

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

Fifth Sunday of Easter
(Cantate)

Divine Service III: **pp. 184 – 202**

P Alleluia! Christ is risen!
C **He is risen indeed! Alleluia!**

Processional Hymn: **LSB # 465**

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

Introit: **Bulletin Insert**

Kyrie: **p. 186**

Gloria in Excelsis: **pp. 187-189**

Salutation-Collect: **p. 189**

Old Testament Reading: **Isaiah 12:1-6**

Epistle Reading: **James 1:16-21**

Alleluia: **LSB #459**

Holy Gospel: **John 16:5-15**

Nicene Creed: **p. 192**

Hymn of the Day: **LSB #556**

Sermon

Offertory: **p. 192**

Prayer of the Church

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

Distribution Hymns: **LSB #797, #811, #484, #475**

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

Recessional Hymn: **LSB #482**

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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.

The Administration
Take and eat, this is the Body of Christ, given for thee.
Take and drink, this is the Blood of the
New Testament, shed for thy sins.
The Body of our Lord Jesus Christ and
His precious Blood strengthen and preserve you in
True faith unto everlasting life.

Pastor, Is this part of the Service important?

It is the most important act in the whole Service, because in it takes place the closest communion between Christ and His people. The believer now reaches the loftiest summit of all worship. He is as near heaven as he can be in this life.

Pastor, what takes place in the Distribution?

The body and blood of Christ are given to the communicants with the bread and wine.

An Explanation of the Service Proper: The Office of the Word, The Service: The Holy Supper – The Administration, 167-168.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Renewal/Order time for the Lutheran Witness!!! – If you have been receiving and want to continue, or if you would like to sign up for a NEW SUBSCRIPTION to the Lutheran Witness, please fill out the insert in today's bulletin and put it in the offering or return to the office by May 16th with a payment in the amount of \$19.68 (annual fee) made out to GSLC. If your name is on the insert, I need to hear from you by that May 16th date to know if you want to continue receiving the "Witness". Thank you...Gerri

A voters' meeting will be held on Sunday, May 16th at 12pm. This meeting will be held in person. If you are interested in using a Zoom option to join the meeting, please let Pastor or Stephen Leek know by May 9th so we have it prepared and get you the information. There will not be a meal served, but you may bring your own food and eat before the meeting. Please plan to attend!

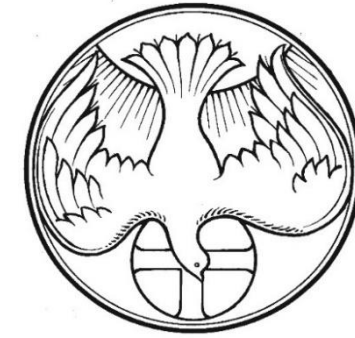
Sean-David Doyle Benefit – THANK YOU, THANK YOU!! We were overwhelmed by the support we received from family, friends, businesses, and even strangers. We cannot say THANK YOU enough. Continued prayers are appreciated.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MISSIONS-We continue to collect non-perishables items and unused, sealed toiletries to church and set in the shopping cart. We will be collecting items throughout the school year. If you would like us to pick up your items, please contact Josiah Nelson or another member of the Board of Ed. and we will stop by when it's convenient for you. Thank you!

The Youth Group is selling HyVee gift cards. Please contact Cory Brockman if you would like to purchase a card and we can have those prepared and ready for either service on Saturday evening or on Sunday morning. Thank you for supporting the Youth!!

ESSENTIAL EXERCISE FOR THE CHRISTIAN MIND...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: Roman Catholic Mariology, The Godly Practice of Leisure, The Word "Glory" in the Bible, Facebook's New Prayer Post Feature and more. You can listen on-demand 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.



Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

A Member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod

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Education Hour: Sunday @ 10:30

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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.

Fifth Sunday of Easter (Cantate)
May 2, 2021