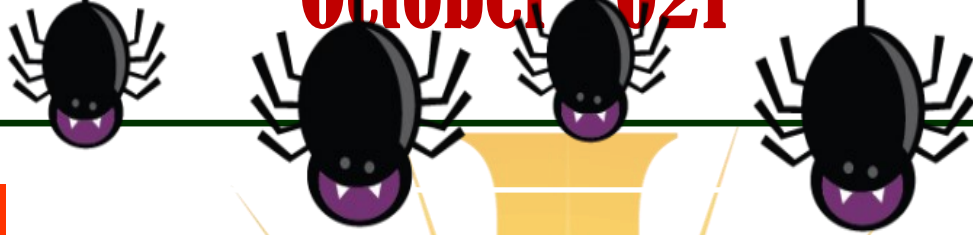


# The Shepherd's Voice

## October 2021



### GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH MISSION STATEMENT

Sharing The Love of Jesus



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You are welcome to join us at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

Dear Friends,

*It should be no surprise to you when I say the pandemic has been a tough time for many, churches included. We are still not near normal for our worship attendance. Some people are comfortable watching our worship on Facebook even though we've been open. Some don't feel comfortable being inside yet and so they haven't been to church in awhile. Some have moved. Many have kept up their offering by sending it in. Thank you!*

*We are at a critical point in our history. We need people to help out on our Church Council. We need: a President, a Vice-President, a financial secretary, someone to help with worship, and property. We have never had as many vacancies as we have now. The Nominating Committee (the Council) will be meeting soon. Please be open to serving if you are asked. Your church needs you now.*

*Also, as I mentioned, many of you have sent in your offerings. We are not in as bad shape as we could be considering everything but currently, we are \$31,000 in the red. The last two months have been particularly tough. You can see the report included here.*

*I am grateful to God for the opportunity to serve here. Many of you have served before. Please serve again. If you can help serve on our Council or the other opportunities included in this newsletter, please call me or Yvonne Smith.*

*Oh yeah, Jesus loves you!*

*God's Peace,  
Pastor Ted*

## Prayer Concerns

### Members in Need of Prayer:

Mabel Vogler  
Linda Roberts & Family on the loss of her mother Adelaide Dornbusch.  
Patrick Norris & Family on the loss of his Stepbrother.  
Mike Kubar  
Verna/Neil Walden & Family on the loss of their grandson, Dan Walden to Covid.  
Juana On & Family  
Anthony On & Family  
William & Liz Smith  
Dennis Fey  
Connie Alvarado  
Susan Berg  
Karla Sutton  
Paul Werfelmann  
Richard & Kay Schumacher  
Irene Pierini  
Jocelyn Miller  
Kirsten Linder  
Jim Thompson  
Betty Snyder

### Family and Friends:

Duke Cunningham (McQuillen's)  
Jim Bray (Sullivan's)  
Pat Hayner's Son and Family  
David Davenport (Susan Linder)  
John & Lucy Martin (Sue Hays)  
Jack Hannah Family on the loss of their daughter-in-law.  
Linda (Sandy Terstegen)  
Anne Todd-Cortez (Mary Norris)  
Don, Wife & Nicole (Jill Anderson)  
Randy Rowe (The Walden's)  
Helen Schneider (John Bender)  
Jackie Simonds  
Grace Johnson (Diane Fake)  
Karen Ohanesian (Sue Hays)  
Craig Barton (Lisa Kossow)  
Rosemary (Vonny's Friend)  
Eric & Cathy Bose (Cecile Bachar)  
Nathan Robbins (Arlene Robbins)  
Darlee (Mary & Patrick Norris)  
Molly (Mary & Patrick Norris)  
Peggy Mitchem (Gordon's Sister)  
Mickey Cecil & Vergie G. (Patrick Norris)  
Janet Sharp (Diane Fake)  
Eladio, Celia & Family (Roeding)  
Mike D.  
Anthony Cholicho  
Kim Carlson  
Kim Boren and Family  
Jade Dixon  
Rev. Arlynn Turnquist



Liz Smith – 10/08  
Susan Berg – 10/09  
Francis Sullivan – 10/13  
Marilyn Woodward – 10/14  
Arlene Robbins – 10/15  
George Weber – 10/21  
Ted Miller – 10/23  
James Thompson – 10/29



Brenda Hofmann – 10/01  
Linda Roberts – 10/11  
Mark Sanchez – 10/15  
Kurt Niemi – 10/17

"If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it."  
John 14:14, NRSV



Please **PRAY** for those affected by **COVID-19**



Earl & Anne Mose - 10/02

### PRAYERS FOR

All Good Shepherd Families Who Have Lost Loved Ones, Members of Our Military Service, First Responders, & Those Affected by Natural Disasters and COVID-19.

For Prayer Requests Call or email the Church Office 225-2092/gslcfresno@att.net

| STEWARDSHIP OF WORSHIP & OFFERINGS                             | Mobile/PayPal Sept. 5, 2021                | Mobile/PayPal Sept. 12, 2021 | Mobile/PayPal Sept. 19 2021  | Mobile/PayPal Sept. 26, 2021 |
|--|--|------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Attendance   | Praise 23<br>Traditional 21                | Rally Day Service 58         | Praise 27<br>Traditional 231 | Praise 18<br>Traditional 32  |
| General Fund   | \$4,140.00                                 | \$3,609.00                   | \$4,875.00                   | \$2,650.00                   |
| Special Memorial (designated funds)                            |  |                              |                              |                              |
| ELCA Disaster Response World Hunger/Malaria (designated funds) |  |                              |                              |                              |
| Community Center Capital Fund<br>Loose Plate                   | Comm. Ctr.: \$50.00<br>Loose Plate: \$6.00 | Loose Plate: \$5.00          | Loose Plate: \$175.00        | Loose Plate: \$20.00         |
| Special Mission Project Gifts (designated funds)               |  |                              |                              |                              |
| BIA Rent/ Property Use/<br>Misc.                               |  |                              |                              |                              |
|  | \$4,196.00                                 | \$3,614.00                   | \$5,050.00                   | \$2,670.00                   |



## September Financials

# Finance Update



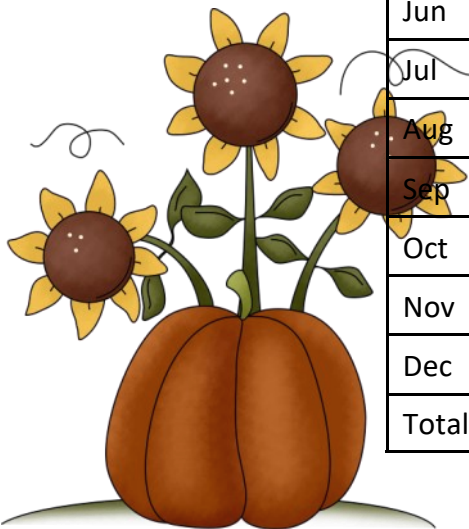
Dear Good Shepherd Family,

Our income was down significantly in September. Even accounting for the BIA payment going in on 8/29 it was still a low month. We had two expenses for repairs to the crash bar in the Community Center totaling \$846.00. We also had a \$425.00 bill to Woodside Homeowners Association (the condominiums next door to us) for a fence repair. Our electricity and water were high again. With the cooler weather coming, hopefully the electricity will go down.

Our negative balance as of September 30<sup>th</sup> is \$31,465.75. Our negative balance at the end of July was \$21,410.70 – it has increased \$10,045.05 in the last two month. I will be having a budget meeting next month. If anyone has any ideas on how to reduce our expenses, please feel free to contact me at 559-360-6678, or email at [sullivancl@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sullivancl@sbcglobal.net).

Yours in Christ,  
Caroline Sullivan

| Month | Income       | Expenses     | Difference    |
|-------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| Jan.  | \$26,383.16  | \$29,727.30  | (\$3,344.14)  |
| Feb   | \$19,549.53  | \$25,525.99  | (\$5,976.46)  |
| Mar   | \$21,850.70  | \$28,120.75  | (\$6,270.05)  |
| Apr   | \$32,391.57  | \$26,001.18  | \$6,390.39    |
| May   | \$31,597.25  | \$25,764.20  | \$5,833.05    |
| Jun   | \$15,689.67  | \$27,524.77  | (\$11,835.10) |
| Jul   | \$23,533.70  | \$29,752.09  | (\$6,218.39)  |
| Aug   | \$31,479.71  | \$27,191.10  | \$4,288.61    |
| Sep   | \$15,110.00  | \$29,443.66  | (\$14,333.66) |
| Oct   |              |              | \$0.00        |
| Nov   |              |              | \$0.00        |
| Dec   |              |              | \$0.00        |
| Total | \$217,585.29 | \$249,051.04 | (\$31,465.75) |



# BE THE CHURCH

Protect the environment.

Care for the poor.

**FORGIVE OFTEN.**

**REJECT RACISM.**

Fight for the powerless.

Share earthly and spiritual resources.

**EMBRACE DIVERSITY.**

**LOVE GOD.**

Enjoy this life.

# Check Out These Announcements & Mark Your Calendar For These Upcoming Events!



## 'Christ In Our Home' Daily Devotional

The 'Christ in Our Home' Devotional for Oct. - Dec. is available in the office. You may pick one up M-F, 9am-1pm or you can email Kathy and she will send one out, just let her know if you prefer regular or large print.



## Memorial Garden Committee Raffle

October is here and your Memorial Garden Committee has been working hard on that exciting raffle we've told you about in the church bulletin. Be watching for a letter from our committee in the US mail. You'll be receiving information on how to join in on the fun. You'll have plenty of time to turn in your raffle ticket stubs for a chance to win some great prizes! Everything you need will be in the envelope from your Good Shepherd Memorial Garden Committee so look for it in the mail during the week of October 11. If you do not receive a letter by Oct. 13th, please let the office know & we'll get a packet out to you.



## Westside Rescue Socktober

Sock it to Me! 🧦

It's that time again!, socks are needed for Westside Rescue.

Socktober 2021



## CROP Hunger Walk 2021



The Fresno-Clovis CROP Hunger Walk this year will be together but apart. Many in our community and around the world are still struggling because of the impact of Covid-19 and other disasters. You can walk any time and place of your choosing from October 1-17<sup>th</sup>. You can walk with your family, with your friends or with Good Shepherd. 75% of the proceeds go to Church World Service and 25% will go to the Central California Food Bank. Register online and use this link <http://crophungerwalk.org/fresnoc> and search for the Good Shepherd Lutheran Fresno to make a donation to our team. If you have any questions or need more information contact Julie Werfelmann or Janet McQuillan 259-3053.

## Mission Endowment Fund Sunday Oct. 10th

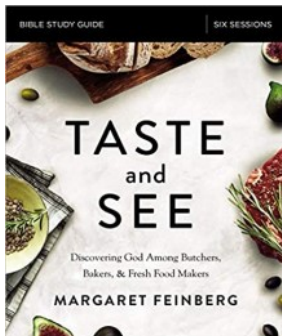
October 10<sup>th</sup> join the Mission Endowment Board in celebrating the donations made to worthy individuals and organizations. We are excited to give the Central California Food Bank and The ELCA Disaster Fund donations to further their missions. We also are seeking your input to identify other worthy organizations or individuals in need. The MEF board will be serving snacks after both services so come join us for some fun and yummy snacks. Any questions please call Janet McQuillan 559-259-3053.



## WEDNESDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY RETURNS!

Mark your calendars for 6 Wednesdays, at 6:30 pm, beginning October 6

"Taste and See - Discovering God Among Butchers, Bakers, & Fresh Food Makers" by Margaret Feinberg



You're invited on a delectable pilgrimage to discover the secret to savoring every day. The Psalmist declared, "Taste and see that the Lord is good" (Ps 34:8), so Margaret Feinberg decided to take the invitation literally. She embarked on a global culinary and spiritual adventure descending 410 feet into a salt mine, baking fresh matzo at Yale University, harvesting olives off the Croatian coast, and tasting succulent figs at a premier farm - all to discover the truth in such a simple verse.

With her delightful curiosity and whimsical humor, you'll learn to:

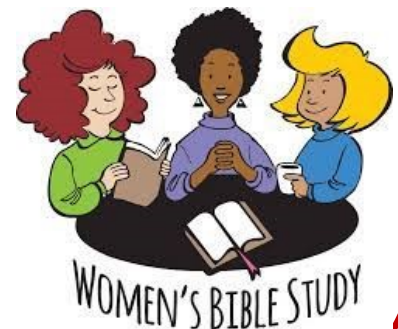
- \*Overcome awkwardness and nurture deeper connections around any table.
- \*Rise above uncertainty knowing what's divinely planted to carry you through.
- \*Learn how you were uniquely created to help others flourish.
- \*Unlock the satisfying and fruitful life you've been created for.

Please join us in this deeply nourishing six-week video Bible study sprinkled with delicious recipes and tangible insights. After all, it's at the table where we learn to taste and see the goodness of God.

RSVP - Sharon Rowley, [shandrow@outlook.com](mailto:shandrow@outlook.com) or 313-0757 (text OK)

Let me know if you are okay with meeting in person, socially distanced with masks, in the Community Center - **OR** - would you prefer to meet on-line via Zoom.

**NOTE: For this study you will need to purchase your own BIBLE STUDY GUIDE. Be sure you are purchasing the BIBLE STUDY GUIDE. It is available through Amazon, Barnes & Noble, Christianbook.com, and [margaretfeinbergstore.com](http://margaretfeinbergstore.com)**



## INTERESTED IN A BASIC COMPUTER CLASS

Staying relevant in this digital age! Come have some computer GSLC fun.



Sign up for a computer class with Kathy to be offered at GSLC or Via Zoom. Keep learning and asking technical questions, knowledge is power. She will need to know the device or devices you will be using. Questions or if you are interested please contact Kathy. She can also cover some information regarding smart phone and tablet usage.

If you would like to see this class offered, contact Kathy asap and when you contact her, please indicate any topics that you specifically would like to see covered.



## Thanksgiving Basket Fund



Please consider giving generously to Good Shepherd's Thanksgiving Basket Fund in this Covid 19 time of need. Gift cards will be given to Roeding School families for food during the Thanksgiving break. Thank you so much to our Good Shepherd family 's past and present generosity. Checks may be written to Good Shepherd with a memo of Thanksgiving Baskets.

Yours in Christ, Pam Gerster, Stewardship (559-999-5443)

## PET BLESSING RETURNS - 10/17 @ 3 PM

We will be having our Blessing of the Animals Service once again this year. We will gather in the courtyard with our animal companions @ 3 PM on October 17th. Pets of all kinds are welcome to join us as long as they are leashed or in carriers. Each and every pet will receive a blessing and a certificate as we join together to thank God for our animal friends. Please spread the word and invite your friends and neighbors to bring their pets, too. It'll be a "pawsome" time for all!



## NEWS FLASH!!!

Sunday BAKE SALE OCT. 31, 2021  
9:45am to 11:30 or until sold out!



## News Flash!!!

BIEROCK SALE NOV. 7, 2021

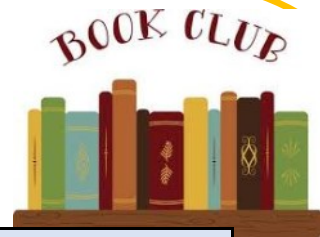
Keep your eyes 👁️ and tummies open!!!!

Much Love, Lori and Sue



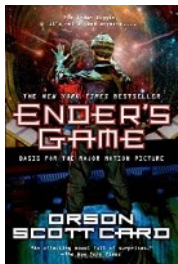


# GSLC Book Club 2021/2022



|             | BOOK                          | AUTHOR           |
|-------------|-------------------------------|------------------|
| November 21 | The Old Man and the Sea       | Ernest Hemingway |
| December    | <i>skip</i>                   |                  |
| January 16  | The House We Grew Up In       | Lisa Jewell      |
| February 20 | Caste                         | Isabel Wilkerson |
| March 20    | What's Mine and Yours         | Naima Coster     |
| April TBD   | The Year of Living Biblically | A.J. Jacobs      |
| May 15      | West with Giraffes            | Lynda Rutledge   |

## October's book: "Ender's Game" by Orson Scott Card



In order to develop a secure defense against a hostile alien race's next attack, government agencies breed child geniuses and train them as soldiers. A brilliant young boy, Andrew "Ender" Wiggin lives with his kind but distant parents, his sadistic brother Peter, and the person he loves more than anyone else, his sister Valentine. Peter and Valentine were candidates for the soldier-training program but didn't make the cut—young Ender is the Wiggin drafted to the orbiting Battle School for rigorous military training.

Ender's skills make him a leader in school and respected in the Battle Room, where children play at mock battles in zero gravity. Yet growing up in an artificial community of young soldiers Ender suffers greatly from isolation, rivalry from his peers, pressure from the adult teachers, and an unsettling fear of the alien invaders. His psychological battles include loneliness, fear that he is becoming like the cruel brother he remembers, and fanning the flames of devotion to his beloved sister.

Is Ender the general Earth needs? But Ender is not the only result of the genetic experiments. The war with the Buggers has been raging for a hundred years, and the quest for the perfect general has been underway for almost as long. Ender's two older siblings are every bit as unusual as he is, but in very different ways. Between the three of them lie the abilities to remake a world. If, that is, the world survives. *(From the publisher.)*

*If the book description doesn't catch your fancy, consider this:* Originally written in 1985, any discussion of Orson Scott Card's work must necessarily begin with religion. A devout Mormon, Card believes in imparting moral lessons through his fiction, a stance that sometimes creates controversy on both sides of the fence. Some Mormons have objected to the violence in his books as being antithetical to the Mormon message, while his conservative political activism has gotten him into hot water with liberal readers.

The beauty of a book club is it stretches you to read outside your normal genre. Please join us!! Questions? Contact Sharon Rowley 313-0757 (text ok), or [shandrow@outlook.com](mailto:shandrow@outlook.com)

**Please join us for our monthly discussion,  
SUNDAY, October 17 at 4:00 PM,  
in the Community Center.**

## LHN Free Neighborhood Market on 10/02/21 at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, 9 - 11am.



There will once again be a drive through food distribution of the Lutheran Hunger Network's FREE Neighborhood Market at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church located at 2101 N. Fruit Ave., on Saturday, 10/02/21, from 9-11 a.m.

Central CA Food Bank will provide gloves, and you will need to bring your own mask. **On 10/2, anyone planning to volunteer who is or has been feeling ill - especially if they have or have had a fever, cough or flu-like symptoms - is asked to PLEASE stay home.** Volunteers will be encouraged to drive through and get food for their own household, too, just like usual. Please share this information with everyone you know who could benefit and with those who might want to volunteer.

Questions can be directed to me @ [13jdixon13@gmail.com](mailto:13jdixon13@gmail.com) or 559-287-3457.

Thank you for your ongoing support of this ministry!  
Julie W.



## BULA

Please help Bless a family in Roatan Honduras

Meet the Najera family... Miguel & Brendy have been together since high school, and have 2 daughters, Madison (5) and Lhea (5 months). Both Miguel & Brendy work, earning about 16-18 dollars a day. They have managed to save enough to buy land, and our team is headed to Roatan to build a home for them in December (Lord willing)! Once again, we are calling on our network of family and friends to partner with our team. We need to raise \$18,000 to build the home. In a world where there is a lot of suffering and chaos, this is one solid action we can take to make a difference. Will you join us? All donations to BULA are tax deductible. You can send a check, or use PayPal, Venmo, or Apple Pay. Message me if you have questions =) You can also give through FB by using the donate button on this post. No fees, and all funds will go for the build.



# REFORMATION SUNDAY -10/31- WORSHIP AND FUN

ONE SERVICE @ 10 a.m.

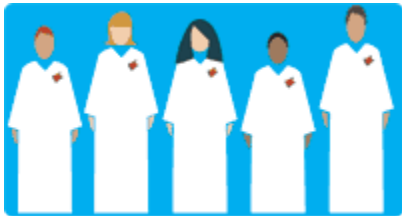


## Reformation Service

This year's Reformation Sunday falls on the actual date of Luther's nailing of the 95 theses to the Wittenberg castle church door - October 31st! Luther was hoping for a debate and reforms and got so much more. We will be having ONE worship service this day @ 10 a.m. - and so much more!



## CONFIRMATION



Kudos to Our Confirmands

We will be confirming three of our young people during this service: Chris, Madelynn, and Ava. This is also known as the *Affirmation of Baptism*, where they affirm that if they had- n't been baptized as infants, they would be now. There will be a special cake to honor them and celebrate this important occasion after worship.

## PUMPKIN CARVING & SPOOKY POTLUCK

Following worship and along with the confirmation cake, we will be hosting our "spooky potluck" and pumpkin carving outside in the courtyard. The congregation is invited to bring some sort of "spooky" dish to share (think "zombie brains" or "witches' fingers") while we will provide the drinks. We can turn the oven on low to keep items warm. We will



also be providing pumpkins for carving. Tables will be available outside for eating and for carving. Please be sure to let Julie know if you or members of your family would like a pumpkin to carve via [email:13jdixon13@gmail.com](mailto:13jdixon13@gmail.com) or text: 559-287-3457. You are also free to bring your own pumpkin and/or carving tools.



## BE SURE TO WEAR RED!

We have never done it this way before, but we hope many of our church family will join together for some fun and fellowship this year on Reformation Sunday. As always, you are invited to bring your friends and family!



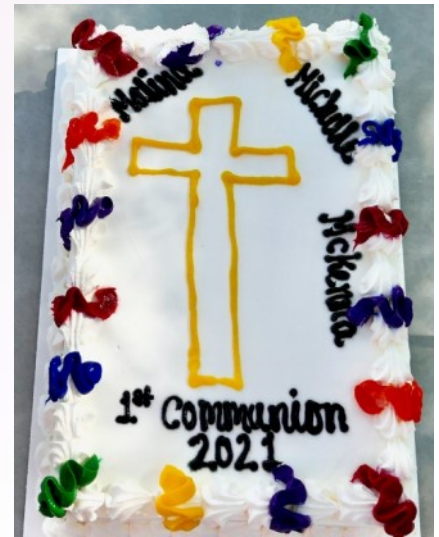
GSLC First Communion 2021  
Sunday, Sept. 19th

First Communion

Malina Hotetz  
McKenna Hotetz  
Michelle Wilson



Malina & McKenna  
Hotetz and  
Michelle Wilson  
Take First  
Communion





Michelle Wilson

Malina Hotetz

McKenna Hotetz

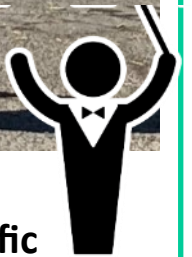


GOD USES  
ORDINARY PEOPLE  
TO SHARE HIS  
EXTRAORDINARY  
HOPE

# GOD'S WORK, OUR HANDS LHN FREE NEIGHBORHOOD MARKET



**Paul Bolm**  
**'Conducting' Traffic**





HELP FOR THE HUNGRY



Sharing The Love Of Jesus!



# Community Help with LHN Free Neighborhood Market



**Girl Scout  
Troop 5045  
Thank You!**



**Boy Scout Troop  
130 Thank you!**



# Behind-the-Scenes



# Sewing Saints on a Mission.



"God's work. Our hands." Sunday



Sept. 12  
2021





**Many Hands Make Light Work.**



**Gloria Miller, Sandy Terstegen, Diane Fake, Dee Wright, Pam Gerster, Jackie Miller**

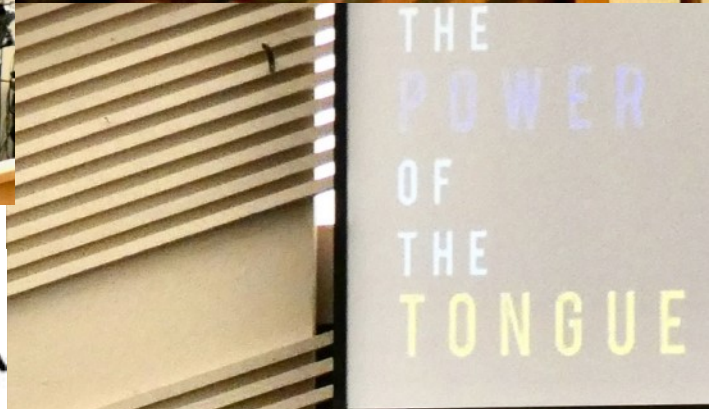
# My day of service at GSLC counting items for Westside of Rescue #westsiderescue



**Sue Hays makes light work of counting donations for Westside Rescue.**

# Rally Day Service "Rally Around the Cross"

Sermon  
"Rally Around the Cross"  
Pastor Jack Niemi





**Praise Band (Above):** Mark Svetlik, Pastor Ted, Alan Hofmann, Sean Walker, Chris Walker, Paul Werfelmann, & Paul Bolm.



**GS Ensemble (Below):** Paul Bolm, Paul Werfelmann, Gloria Miller, Carolyn Linn, Dee Wright, Jennifer Neer, Ken Berg, & Cheryl Montgomery.







# OWLS - SIGNS

1. A SIGN IN A SHOE REPAIR STORE IN CHICAGO READS:

We will heel you  
We will save your sole  
We will even dye for you.

2 A SIGN ON A BLINDS AND CURTAIN TRUCK:

"Blind man driving."

3. Sign over a Gynecologist's Office:

"Dr. Jones, at your cervix."

4. In a Podiatrist's office:

"Time wounds all heels."

5. On a Septic Tank Truck:

Yesterday's Meals on Wheels

6. At an Optometrist's Office:

"If you don't see what you're looking for,  
You've come to the right place."

7. On a Plumber's truck:

"We repair what your husband fixed."

8. On another Plumber's truck:

"Don't sleep with a drip. Call your plumber."

9. At a Tire Shop in Milwaukee:

"Invite us to your next blowout."

10. On an Electrician's truck:

"Let us remove your shorts."

11. In a Non-smoking Area:

"If we see smoke, we will assume you are on fire and will take appropriate action."

12. On a Maternity Room door:

"Push Push. Push."

13. At a Car Dealership:

"The best way to get back on your feet - miss a car payment."



14. Outside a Muffler Shop: ...they really mean silencer...

"No appointment necessary. We hear you coming."

15. In a Veterinarian's waiting room:

"Be back in 5 minutes. Sit! Stay!"

16. At the Electric Company:

"We would be delighted if you send in your payment on time.

However, if you don't, YOU will be de-lighted."

17. In a Restaurant window:

"Don't stand there and be hungry; come on in and get fed up."

18. In the front yard of a Funeral Home:

"Drive carefully. We'll wait."

19. At a Propane Filling Station:

"Thank Heaven for little grills."

20. And the best one for last...;

Sign on the back of another Septic Tank Truck:

"Caution - This Truck is full of Political Promises"



# THE BEATITUDES

**BLESSED** ARE THE POOR IN SPIRIT,  
FOR THEIRS IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.

**BLESSED** ARE THOSE WHO MOURN,  
FOR THEY WILL BE COMFORTED.

**BLESSED** ARE THE MEEK,  
FOR THEY WILL INHERIT THE EARTH.

**BLESSED** ARE THOSE WHO HUNGER AND THIRST FOR RIGHTEOUSNESS,  
FOR THEY WILL BE FILLED.

**BLESSED** ARE THE MERCIFUL,  
FOR THEY WILL BE SHOWN MERCY.

**BLESSED** ARE THE PURE IN HEART,  
FOR THEY WILL SEE GOD.

**BLESSED** ARE THE PEACEMAKERS,  
FOR THEY WILL BE CALLED CHILDREN OF GOD.

**BLESSED** ARE THOSE WHO ARE PERSECUTED BECAUSE OF RIGHTEOUSNESS,  
FOR THEIRS IS THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN.

**BLESSED** ARE YOU WHEN PEOPLE INSULT YOU, PERSECUTE YOU AND  
FALSELY SAY ALL KINDS OF EVIL AGAINST YOU BECAUSE OF ME.  
REJOICE AND BE GLAD, BECAUSE GREAT IS YOUR REWARD IN HEAVEN,  
FOR IN THE SAME WAY THEY PERSECUTED THE PROPHETS WHO WERE  
BEFORE YOU.

**MATTHEW 5:3-12**

# Notes of Gratitude



## Thank you!



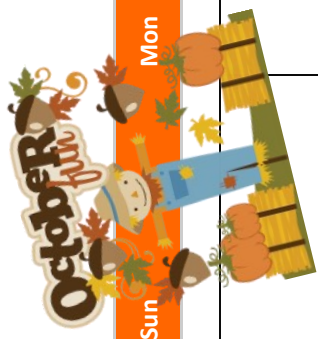
The Sewing Saints pitched in and completed 18 school bags which we filled with school supplies supported by **Thrivent Action Team** funds! Notebooks, pencils, crayons and other supplies were included in each bag. These will go to Lutheran World Relief for disaster situations here and overseas. The "Gathering" event from all over the Central Valley will be at Bethel Lutheran in Cupertino. We have a couple who have volunteered to make the trip to deliver these items. They are picked up by a large semi also manned by volunteers and end up in shipping crates going to worldwide destinations. **Special thanks to Gordon and Diane Fake, Sandy Terstegen, Gloria Miller, Pam Gerster, Jackie Miller and Mary Schmidt.** Many thanks also to Victor who carries sewing stuff in for me nearly every Sunday!  
**Dee Wright**

## Thank You!

Michelle Wilson and family would like to thank our GSLC Family for a special First Communion.

Blessings,  
Michelle Wilson & Family







# October 2021



Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

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| <p><b>17</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9AM Praise &amp; Celebration Service</li> <li>10:30AM Traditional Service</li> <li>3PM Pet Blessing (Court Yard)</li> <li>4PM GSLC Book Club</li> </ul>       | <p><b>18</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm &amp; Fireside Rm)</li> <li>12PM OWLS</li> <li>5PM - 10PM Boy Scouts (Jacobson Hall)</li> </ul>  | <p><b>19</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm &amp; Fireside Rm)</li> </ul>  | <p><b>20</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm &amp; Fireside Rm)</li> <li>6:30PM Bible Study, Comm Ctr</li> </ul> | <p><b>21</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm &amp; Fireside Rm)</li> <li>5:30PM Council Meeting (Conf Rm)</li> </ul> | <p><b>22</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm &amp; Fireside Rm)</li> </ul> | <p><b>23</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm &amp; Fireside Rm)</li> </ul>  |
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| <p><b>31 Reformation Day</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>10AM Worship Service - Confirmation Ceremony</li> </ul>  |   <p>Life without life.<br/>Change transforms change.<br/>But You God, as the replacing light...<br/>Delivering life to my veins.</p> |   |  |  |  |   |

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