



The Shepherd's Voice

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Dear Friends,

Happy Advent! Advent is the time of preparing for Christmas. There is lots going on here this month to help prepare your hearts for Christmas this year. Please take time to read through this newsletter to find how you can be involved. There are events from our Christmas Tea on December 7 all the way to our Christmas Day Worship on December 25. In between there are other opportunities to get involved in our ministries. This is not only a time of celebratory preparation but also of still making a difference in our community.

As this is the last newsletter of this decade I'd like to thank you for being a part of this church. With all of the opportunities to come together to celebrate this month we will be seeing more of each other than at other times of the year. There will be memories made and relationships built or strengthened upon in our community. There will be those among us whose struggles will be made more manageable because of the strength we can get from one another. We are some of God's greatest gifts to each other. Thanks for being that.

I pray that this is a great Christmas for you as we celebrate Jesus' birth. It is exciting to anticipate what God will be calling us to in the 2020's!

God's Peace,

Pastor Ted



Prayer Concerns

Members in Need of Prayer:

Paul Werfelmann
 Richard Schumacher
 Karen Kubar
 Irene Pierini
 Anthony On
 Jocelyn Miller
 Arlene Robbins
 Kirsten Linder
 Stacy Lairson
 Jim Thompson
 Addie Dornbusch
 Neil & Verna Walden
 Ginny Wilkinson and
 Family
 Karl & Pauline
 Ritterbush

Family and Friends:

Melissa Melton
 Rhylee Dinning
 Emily
 Fasse Family
 Ed Manning
 Mary Norris and Children Alex, Isaac, and Michelle
 Kim Boren
 Celia
 Mason Ohanesian & Family
 Linda Franklin
 Laura James
 David Adamcik
 Judie Meadows
 Joan Rollin
 Margie Poole
 Sandy Robbins
 Kathy Christiansen
 Arlyne Turnquist
 Kelley Kim
 Barbara Lester
 Janet Sharp
 Jade Dixon



Don Dueker– 12/04
 Diane Fake – 12/11
 Susan Linder – 12/19
 Dennis Fey – 12/22
 William Smith – 12/22
 Chris Dueker– 12/26
 Lori DeGiovanni – 12/27
 William Hayes – 12/27



Verna Walden – 12/01
 John Montgomery – 12/09
 Nathan Montgomery – 12/12
 Brenden Novell – 12/25
 Don Dueker – 12/31

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

IN OUR
 Thoughts and Prayers



Paul & Julie Werfelmann - 12/15
 Woody & Deborah Wilk - 12/16
 Gordon & Diane Fake - 12/19

PRAYERS FOR

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

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

STEWARDSHIP OF WORSHIP & OFFERINGS	Sunday November 3, 2019	Sunday November 10, 2019	Sunday November 17, 2019	Sunday November 24, 2019
Attendance	Praise: 43 Traditional: 45	Praise: 44 Traditional: 33	Praise: 41 Traditional: 43	Praise: 41 Traditional: 34
General Fund	\$5,477.00	\$3,839.00	\$4,019.00	\$5,002.00
Special Memorial (designated funds)			Memorial Garden: \$10.00	
ELCA Disaster Response World Hunger/Malaria (designated funds)				
Community Center Capital Fund	Community Ctr: \$70.00 Plate (Visitors): \$166.00	Community Ctr: \$20.00 Plate (Visitors): \$42.00	Plate (Visitors): \$74.00	Community Ctr: \$50.00 Plate (Visitors): \$64.00
Loose Plate				
Special Mission Project Gifts (designated funds)	Kitchen: \$100.00 Thanksgiving Baskets: \$240.00	Thanksgiving Baskets: \$100.00	Thanksgiving: \$70.00 Youth: \$50.00 Kitchen: \$25.00 Ruth Circle: \$27.00	Thanksgiving: \$100.00
BIA Rent/ Property Use/ Misc.	Misc. WC Refund: \$99.00		BIA Rent: \$4,518.51 Singers: 180.00	Property Use: \$100.00
Total Offerings	\$6,152.00	\$4,001.00	\$8,973.51	\$5,316.00

MINISTRY ASSISTANTS	December 1	December 8	December 15	December 22	December 29
Praise Band Leader	Ron Delarm	Ron Delarm	Ron Delarm	Ron Delarm	Ron Delarm
Praise Band - 9:00 am	Alan Hofmann, Paul Bolm, Jimmy Sanborn, Pastor Ted, Sean Walker, Stacy Lairson, Mark Svetlik	Alan Hofmann, Paul Bolm, Jimmy Sanborn, Pastor Ted, Sean Walker, Stacy Lairson, Mark Svetlik	Alan Hofmann, Paul Bolm, Jimmy Sanborn, Pastor Ted, Sean Walker, Stacy Lairson, Mark Svetlik	Alan Hofmann, Paul Bolm, Jimmy Sanborn, Pastor Ted, Sean Walker, Stacy Lairson, Mark Svetlik	Alan Hofmann, Paul Bolm, Jimmy Sanborn, Pastor Ted, Sean Walker, Stacy Lairson, Mark Svetlik
PowerPoint - 9:00 am	Steven Smith, Stacy Lairson	Steven Smith, Stacy Lairson	Steven Smith, Stacy Lairson	Steven Smith, Stacy Lairson	Steven Smith, Stacy Lairson
PowerPoint - 10:30 am	Carol Sullivan, Dana Klein	Carol Sullivan, Dana Klein	Carol Sullivan, Dana Klein	Carol Sullivan, Dana Klein	Carol Sullivan, Dana Klein
Altar Guild	Set up: Judy Smith, Lori DeGiovanni, Brenda Allen Take down: Marty & Dana Klein	Set up: Judy Smith, Lori DeGiovanni, Brenda Allen Take down: Marty & Dana Klein	Set up: Judy Smith, Lori DeGiovanni, Brenda Allen Take down: Marty & Dana Klein	Set up: Judy Smith, Lori DeGiovanni, Brenda Allen Take down: Marty & Dana Klein	Set up: Judy Smith, Lori DeGiovanni, Brenda Allen Take down: Marty & Dana Klein
Ushers at 9:00 am	Tom Rogers, Janet McQuillan	Tom Rogers, Janet McQuillan	Tom Rogers, Janet McQuillan	Tom Rogers, Janet McQuillan	Tom Rogers, Janet McQuillan
Ushers at 10:30 am	Karl Ritterbush, Francis Sullivan, Marty Klein	Karl Ritterbush, Francis Sullivan, Marty Klein	Karl Ritterbush, Francis Sullivan, Marty Klein	Karl Ritterbush, Francis Sullivan, Marty Klein	Karl Ritterbush, Francis Sullivan, Marty Klein
Sound Design	Francis Sullivan	Francis Sullivan	Francis Sullivan	Francis Sullivan	Francis Sullivan
Altar Flowers	Open	Open	Open	Open	Open
Coffee Hosts 9:00 am & 10:30 am	William Hayes	Janet McQuillan	Open	Open	Open
Counters	Diane Fake, Sandy Terstegen, Lois Green	Alan Hofmann, Brenda Hofmann, Lois Green	Yvonne Smith, Steve Smith, Lois Green	Jim Thompson, Ruth Thompson, Lois Green	JoAnn Huebner, Besrat Solomon, Lois Green
Lectors at 10:30 am	Jennifer Neer Isa. 2: 1-5 Rom. 13: 11-14	Cheryl Montgomery Isa. 11: 1-10 Rom. 15: 4-13	Verna Walden Isa. 35: 1-10 James 5: 7-10	Dee Wright Isa. 7: 10-16 Rom. 1: 1-7	Gloria Miller Isa. 63: 7-9 Heb. 2: 10-18



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



COFFEE HOSTS/HOSTESSES NEEDED!!!

Don't forget to sign up to be a coffee host/hostess for the months of December/January!



Roeding Christmas Project

It's that time of year, friends! We will be collecting about 700 pairs of gloves/mittens to cover the hands of all the children at our adopted school again this year. We will also need candy canes as well. They will be delivered to Roeding on Dec. 13th, so 12/8 will be the last possible moment to bring them in and place them in the appropriate bin in the hallway. Thank you for sharing the love of Jesus in this way!



Annual Congregational Meeting

There will be a congregational meeting on December 8th between services. We'll be presenting the budget for 2020 at that time. We look forward to seeing everyone then!

P.S. Pastor Ted will be meeting with everyone who is interested in becoming an official member of the church on the 8th at 11:45, as well. We will meet in the Conference Room in the Parish House. If you have any questions please see Pastor Ted.

Congregational Meeting



History of the Advent Wreath

It is thought that the first Advent wreath originated in Germany or France within the Lutheran church. Today the Advent wreath or its variations can be found in many cultures and ethnic communities because of the symbolic way it represents the weeks before Christmas.

The original wreath was most likely a circle of wire, with the circle presenting the unending love of God. The evergreens used with the wreath represent the hope of eternal life that all of God's people share. The four candles used in the wreath represent not only the four weeks until Christmas Day, but also the thousands of years people waited for the Messiah to come. As each week's candle was lit, it represented the people's joy and anticipation of the light that came into the world at Jesus' birth.

There is no official tradition surrounding the lighting of the Advent wreath candles and different explanations have evolved through time. This year our church will follow a familiar theme as listed below. Each week someone will give a presentation on that week's candle. We know you will learn a lot!

Week 1 - December 1: The **Prophecy** candle.

Week 2 - December 8: The **Bethlehem** candle

Week 3 - December 15: The **Shepherd's** candle

Week 4 - December 22: The **Angel's** candle



Volunteer Needed

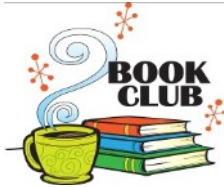
A volunteer is needed to help with decorating Jacobson Hall on Sundays and Holidays. Primary responsibilities would be helping to replace table clothes and center pieces and build center pieces for each season. Contact Liz at: 559-492-3722.



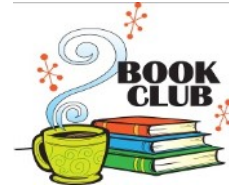
Need help with 2020 New Year resolutions??

Come join GSLC's "Verse of the day"
Just email the Good Shepherd Lutheran Church and let the praise begin!





GSLC Book Club



NO GSLC Book Group for December

Looking forward to 2020, we will gather monthly again beginning in January.

January - *Far Side of the Sea* by Kate Breslin

February - *The Inheritance* by Dani Shapiro

March - *What Was Mine* by Helen Klein Ross

April - *The Hummingbird* by Stephen P Kiernan

May - *The Dinner List* by Rebecca Serle



Sound Interesting?? Join us for a very casual discussion. **We will meet in the Community Ctr. the 3rd Sunday of each Month @ 4pm.**

Special Worship Next Week -12/8/19

Please join us in worship next week as our Youth & Children (& friends) present this year's Christmas pageant, at both services. We thank the band and choir for enhancing the experience via their participation in each of the respective services!



Ladies Christmas Tea!

It's almost here!! Remember that this year's Ladies Christmas Tea will be on December 7, 2019 from 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m., with table viewing starting at 11:00 a.m. The tea will be held in Jacobson Hall, and our theme is "**Light of the World.**" Our Bible verse is Isaiah 9:2, 6. Our devotional speaker will be Diana Mitts, a volunteer with Kairos Prison Ministry. Invite your family, friends, coworkers, neighbors, etc. to come and join us for a wonderful start to the Advent and Christmas seasons. If you have any questions, please talk to Ginny Wilkinson or Karlee Wilkinson. We hope to see you there!



ROEDING SATURDAY SPORTS CHRISTMAS PARTY 12/14, 10-12

Please plan to join us for our Christmas Party with our kids and their families. One of the Roeding moms suggested a potluck! Everyone is invited to bring a dish to share and come on out to the school to play and craft with a special Advent and Christmas focus. We will not be back out to the school again until 1/16.



Outreach Meeting

Next Outreach meeting is December 5th 5:30p.m. @ Sue Hays' home.
Discussion on Outreach for 2020.

Bring your ideas to share and show you care.



O.W.L.S - Save the Date

Dec. 16th, Mon. at Noon

Come celebrate God's b-day at noon, Dec. 16th at Sandy's. Bring a dish to share and a \$10 gift. Table service provided for meatloaf and a birthday cake. Fun fellowship guaranteed in games, carols, and a door prize. See Sandy for RSVP & directions.

Upcoming Events:

Dec. 16 - Christmas Capers at Sandy's

Jan. 20 - Celebrations Come Down at Honey Baked Ham

Feb. 17 - Busy Bees Speakers at Sandy's

Mar. 16 - March Madness at Sandy's

Apr. 20 - Gelato Garden Gorging at Dee's

May 18 - May Matches at Lois'

June 15 - Summer Sayonara at Macaroni Grill



Poinsettias for Christmas

It's that time of year - time to help us decorate the altar for Christmas. You may now order poinsettias in honor of or in memory of a loved one. The cost is \$17.00. The order forms are on the usher table in the narthex.



When Using Jacobson Hall

Please contact Liz before use to have her put plastic table cloths down or contact her after use to come and pick up used table cloths to be cleaned. She can be reached at: 559-492-3722.

Upcoming Concerts for the Holiday Season

1. The Annual Messiah Sing-a-long, directed by Dr. Julie Carter, will be on Sunday, December 1, at 3:00 p.m. at First Presbyterian Church, 1540 M Street in Fresno. There is no admission charge but please bring a non-perishable food item for the needy (canned soup, dry pasta, pasta sauce). A soup and bread supper will follow the concert.
2. Saturday, December 14, you are invited to hear Earl Meyers in a Holiday Concert on Saturday, December 14, at 4:00 p.m. The concert will be at Fresno Westside Seventh-day Adventist Church, 2750 Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., Fresno. Admission is free.
3. The San Joaquin Chorale, directed by Dr. Bethany Lynn Alvey, will present a concert on Sunday, December 15, at 3:00 p.m. at University Presbyterian Church, 1776 E. Roberts in Fresno. Ticket prices are \$10 for general admission and \$5 for students or members of the Fresno Pacific University community. Further information or tickets are available from the university music department at (559) 453-2267 and on the web at www.FPU.edu/events/music
4. The Fresno Community Chorus, directed by Dr. Anna Hamre, will present several concerts during the coming season.
 - On Saturday, December 7, at 7:30 p.m. at Saroyan Hall The Fresno Master Chorale with the Fresno Philharmonic will present “Home For The Holidays.”
 - On Sunday, December 15, at 2:30 p.m. and at 4:30 p.m. at St. Anne's Chapel Coro Piccolo will present “And Suddenly With The Angels.” Tickets for any of these concerts may be purchased from any chorus member or on the web at www.fresnocommunitychorus.org. John Montgomery is a member of the distinguished Fresno Master Chorale.Additional information for these concerts may be found on Good Shepherd's bulletin board. May the beauty of music fill your hearts with His joy and love!



Roeding Hygiene Kits

We've been asked to help our adopted school put together hygiene kits for all 3rd through 6th grade students - approximately 300 total. In addition to the shampoo, soap, and conditioner we already have, we also need the following: **toothbrushes, travel size toothpaste and deodorant, combs and/or brushes.** If you can help out, please bring items in and place them in the bin marked *Roeding*. You can also put a check in the offering basket with *Roeding* in the memo, and we will shop for you. Thank you for loving the children of our community!

Donate Hygiene Items



Feast Of Love

THANK YOU GOOD SHEPHERD FAMILY FOR PROVIDING A 'FEAST OF LOVE.'

28 bags of groceries, together with a \$20 gift certificate, were delivered to Roeding School to provide a joyous Thanksgiving for 14 deserving families. Our heartfelt thanks to each of you who make this contribution possible each year. It is indeed a 'Banquet' for our friends at the school and deeply appreciated! It is a real privilege and we are blessed to be a part of this ongoing "Feast of Love".

Your Grateful Servants,

Pam Gerster - Coordinator

Vonny Rae Sturgeon - Helper

P.S. PAM HAS BEEN THE COORDINATOR OF THIS PROJECT FOR 22 YEARS!





Owls Activity



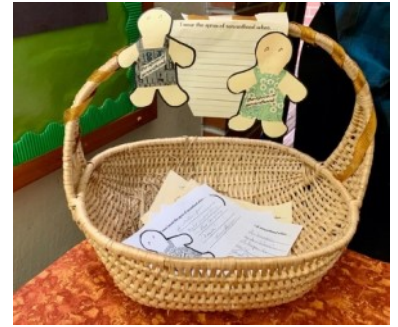
November OWLS started out with a worrisome call that Margie was in the hospital with chest pains. The Prayer Chain was promptly notified and Diane saved the day by hosting. A special prayer was raised for Margie and a get well card was inscribed with loving wishes. Surprisingly, the meal was balanced with main dishes, a salad and cookies. Many members were fighting colds or off to the doctor.

A walk down memory lane proved to be some of the best parts of our lives. We all qualified as true "Older Than Dirt" OWL members. A yard sale ASAP (Lightning Fast Fun Board Game) was adapted due to missing pieces. Odd buttons became markers and rules were construed to meet our challenging needs. Diane was declared the winner even without the game's completion. A short version of LINKEE was introduced with Gordon, Art and Woody coming up with most of the correct answers. Woody winced and moaned at the Laugh Out Loud challenges. GSLC beware for he has stowed them in his Sunday arsenal!



“The Apron of Servanthood”

This year’s campaign emphasized how our members individually reach out to the community by volunteering in many different ways. We have also recognized how many of us participate in Good Shepherd initiated programs in our Newsletters and our Stewardship Ministry bulletin board!



How beautifully Pastor Ted presented this analogy: to volunteer in church or community as if we were putting on an apron! This year Stewardship is recognizing how we individually reach out in our neighborhoods and don the ‘Aprons of Servanthood’.

In the Bible, Jesus teaches us in many ways that helping others is a part of Christianity. As the author Charles Lane writes: “all stewardship, including financial stewardship, is an intensely spiritual matter...close to our personal relationship to Jesus, that giving is one of the basics of our discipleship”. Giving food and clothing, volunteering at hospitals, driving patients to appointments, volunteering at our schools, care giving for long periods to family members are some examples.



Operation Christmas Child 31 Boxes Sent!

Way to go, Good Shepherd! 31 boxes of Christmas gifts were sent off this year to children around the world who may not receive any other gifts this year. If anyone would like to help offset the cost to mail the boxes, you can still give Janet McQuillan a check or cash! Thank you to Janet for spearheading this opportunity to share the love of Jesus with little children all over the world. Thanks also to the SSLC kids - and Chris & Liz - for putting the boxes together and to all of you who shopped and donated toward this project.





Notes of Gratitude

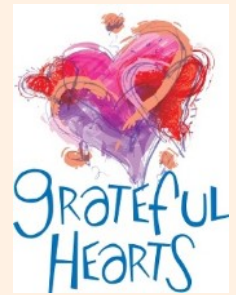


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Many Thanks! To the Stewardship steering committee--Sue Hays and Woody Wilk--as well as Yvonne and Steven Smith for kitchen duty during Sunday's breakfast. Also, thanks to Lori and Francis for their help. Much appreciation to Brenda Hoffman, and Susan Linder and Woody for sharing their ministries and testimonies during our "*Apron of Servanthood*" campaign". Collin also, thanks--Dee Wright



Thank You!, Contributors






Thank you to all the members that contribute every month to the newsletter in some form or another. Your contribution makes creating the Newsletter a blessing and a success. Whether it's pictures, articles, expressions of gratitude, or upcoming events the effort is greatly appreciated. For some church family members the Newsletter is vital to keeping connected.



God Bless, You all!



December 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
<p>1 1st Sunday of Advent</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9AM Praise & Celebration Service 10AM Blood Pressure/Healing 10AM Adult Bible Study (Comm. Ctr.) 10:30AM Traditional Service 11:30AM Blood Pressure/Healing 11:45AM Choir Practice 	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm & Fireside Rm) 5PM - 10PM Boy Scouts (Jacobson Hall) 6PM Esther Circle (Fireside Rm) 	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm & Fireside Rm) 6 - 10PM Voices United (Comm. Ctr.) 	<p>4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm & Fireside Rm) 6:30PM - 8PM Adult Bible Study (Fireside Rm) 6PM - 8PM Kids Salt & Light (Jacobson Hall) 	<p>5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9AM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm & Fireside Rm) 6PM - 10PM Gold Note Chorus (Comm. Ctr.) 	<p>6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All Day Christmas Tea setup (Jacobson Hall) 9AM - 4PM BIA (Fireside Rm) 10AM - 12PM Scribes (Conf Rm) 12PM - 4PM BIA (Conf Rm) 	<p>7</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> All Day Christmas Tea (Jacobson Hall) 4PM Praise band practice (Sanctuary) 
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Praise Band Leader: Ron Delarm

Youth Ministries: Julie Werfelmann

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