



The Shepherd's Voice

November 2021

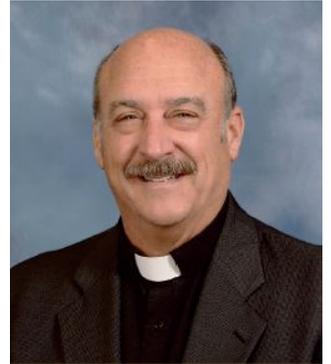


Good Shepherd Lutheran Church (ELCA), 439 E. Norvell Bryant Hwy., Hernando, FL

Pastor's Page

Greetings in the name of our risen Lord Jesus!

It has been my experience as a pastor that around the first week of November a key word in most people's vocabulary is "Thanksgiving". If you are like most people, you will associate Thanksgiving with family, football, and food. Especially Pumpkin Pie!



In the church the word is used slightly differently. Have you, or do you remember, ever hearing the word "Eucharist"? It is the ancient Greek word used for Communion and it means to "Give Thanks". It is used to express thanks to God who is explicitly the object of thanksgiving. The prayer that I say before Communion, the Eucharistic Prayer, was/is a prayer to give thanks at a meal and it is a prayer of "thanksgiving" for the meal that we share and for the sacrifice of Jesus as the Lamb of God. Also, that word, "Thanksgiving", is used approximately 38 times in the New Testament. As Lutheran Christians we believe, as Martin Luther in his explanation of the first article of the Apostles' Creed,

"... that God has created me together with all that exists. God has given me and still preserves my body and soul: eyes, ears, and all limbs and senses; reason and all mental faculties. In addition, God daily and abundantly provides shoes and clothing, food and drink, house and farm, spouse and children, fields,

*livestock, and all property; along with all the necessities and nourishment for this body and life. God protects me against all danger and shields and preserves me from all evil. And all this is done out of pure, fatherly, and divine goodness and mercy, without any merit or worthiness of mine at all! For all of this I owe it to God to **THANK** and praise, serve and obey him.”*

Unfortunately, in the larger society in which we live, Thanksgiving has a different definition. The holiday has become more about conspicuous consumption than about giving thanks. It appears that Thanksgiving has simply become the day before Black Friday. Thanksgiving has become the lead-in to greed and over-spending. Even the holiday itself for many businesses, has become an added opportunity to make an addition to the corporate bottom line. The businesses are thankful on that day, they are very thankful that you wish to spend your cash with them. Has wealth and affluence become our God?

This last month we have spent time remembering how God has blessed, and continues to bless, each of us. Even though we still remain in the midst of a pandemic – the same global pandemic that has forced us to rethink our existence and rethink how we live – look around and take time to see how much the God we know in and through Jesus cares for us and walks with us in our daily lives.

Even if you go shopping on Thanksgiving and Black Friday, remember God provided the means to allow you to be out and about. Give Thanks!

Pastor Dennis



Executive Council Meeting on Zoom:
November 4th @ 9:30 AM

Council Meeting on Zoom:
November 11th @ 3:00 PM

Deacon's Digest

1 THESSALONIANS 5: 16-18

“Rejoice always, pray continually, give thanks in all circumstances; for this is God’s will for you in Christ Jesus.”



Although Thanksgiving Day is not a religious holiday, we give thanks for the Glory of God, God’s Grace given to us through Jesus’s death and resurrection along with family, friends, and church family.

We sometimes tend to think back to the days when families gathered, and distance was not a reason to make it to the dinner table and we were so much younger. Our hearts were young and gay. It may bring tears to some of us but what a wonderful gift that we are able to remember those days.

Always keep those memories close to your heart.

I am happy to tell you that Good Shepherd’s tradition of having a thanksgiving dinner for those who wish to come, although a bit different, **will continue for this year’s thanksgiving.**

We will mirror in the same manner as we did last year. “Drive by Turkey Day.” The menu will be surrounded by the main attraction: **TURKEY!!!!**

Located in the Narthex are the signup sheets for the following:

1. Sign up for your dinner by name and how many dinners.
2. We need volunteers for the day before Thanksgiving to set up.
3. We would need as many as possible for Turkey Day to fill the plates and bring to the parking lot, for pick up.
4. **VOLUNTEERS TO COOK A DISH**, which is also in the Narthex.

Please ask Bob Bonomo if you have any questions.

God’s Peace always, Deacon Bob





One Church 2021

Virtual Assembly of Florida Bahama Synod

On Friday, October 15, 2021, at 12:30, the first Virtual Assembly began. 297 voting members participated as all the necessary tasks of the Florida-Bahamas Synod took place on Zoom. Pastor Dennis Koch, Michael Busler, and Anne Storan were the voting members from Good Shepherd Church. Bishop Suarez opened with a midday prayer reminded us that although we were scattered this weekend, we remain one church.

The first vote approved a change to the bylaws to modify the term of office for youth members of council from two years to one year.

The nominees for the office of Vice President had an opportunity to speak prior to taking a vote on our first general ballot. The voting members were voting to select Vice President and Secretary, as well as members of synod council, consultation committee, discipline committee, and 2022 Churchwide Assembly voting members. Three ballots were cast throughout Friday afternoon and Saturday morning to finalize the selection of all positions.

Between these votes, other items of business took place.

The synod budget was presented and approved.

We saw a video presentation from Luther Springs. Bishop Suarez presented the report on the synod's actions and vision.

The report on our Global Missions highlighted the many natural and financial challenges, as well as the pandemic, have impacted our partner churches.

The retiring Synod Vice President, Cheryl Stuart, shared her some highlights of her twelve years in office. She emphasized her belief in the future of the church inspired by the evidence of the Spirit demonstrated in Youth Assemblies. She challenged all of us to contribute to send all interested youth in our synod to their Assembly.

The meeting adjourned for the night and reconvened on Saturday morning. Following a welcome and prayer from Bishop Suarez, the Churchwide presentation was given by video. Bishop Eaton was with us by video with a message that "God is making something new with us and in us."

The final presentation was a video highlighting the programs and activities of the Florida-Bahamas Synodical Women's Organization.

The assembly concluded with a Service of Word and Prayer.

Respectfully,
Anne Storan



Thanksgiving TAKE-OUT DINNER

Thanksgiving Take - Out Dinner

In lieu of a sit-down social gathering Thanksgiving meal at church this year GSLC will be offering a prepackaged Thanksgiving dinner available for "drive-thru" pick-up on Thanksgiving Thursday for those individuals who might not otherwise be able to cook for themselves. A sign-up clipboard is in the Narthex or you may **call or email Deacon Bonomo directly** to sign up and provide more details. The menu will consist of turkey and gravy, potatoes, stuffing, corn, additional veggie, cranberry sauce, roll, and dessert. There will be no set fee but a donation is always welcome. More details to come as we get closer to the date.

Volunteers will be needed to prepare and drop off food items, assembly-line package the meals that morning, and hand them out at the door. Please contact Bob if you'd like to sign up for providing food or helping out that morning.

Bob: 352-220-4307 or deaconbob73@gmail.com

Please know that everyone involved will take every reasonable precaution to maintain the safety of those who are volunteering and partaking of this special meal.



**Saturday Night Pick-Up
&
Food Share Monday Delivery**

Bockers 2nd and 20th
Possingers 6th, 13th, & 27th

Fellowship



As we begin to think about activities in 2022, I am happy to report that we plan to hold our Tag Sale on February 26, 2022. So continue to gather all your “treasures” that you plan to donate. You do not need to put prices on them as this will be done by the sale team. As a heads up, we will NOT be selling large furniture pieces. We will be providing more detailed information going forward. We always need a large team of volunteers so mark your calendars.

The Fellowship Committee has lost some members who have moved or for other reasons. We welcome new members who can provide new ideas and suggestions and offer a helping hand when needed. Please feel free to see me or give me a call to answer any questions. If you would like to come for the next few months, we will primarily be going over all the details for the sale. We meet on the second Monday of the month at 1:30 pm in the classroom unless notified otherwise. Please let me know if you plan to attend.

Betty Sanger
Chair, Fellowship Committee



Worship & Music



The choir's Christmas program will be December 12th. If you are interested in singing in the Christmas Choir, please let Roger or Renate know ASAP.

1. The Advent theme, "Rise and Shine" ...Wednesday night, Advent services will be televised only.
2. There will be a change of liturgy for Advent.
3. Deacons Rick & Bob will alternate Sundays
4. Only one service for Christmas Eve (a Friday) time to be announced
5. No Service on Christmas Day (a Saturday)
6. Normal two services on Boxing Day—the day after Christmas....a Sunday
7. Pastor will continue to pick the hymns

Next meeting: November 2nd at 10:00 AM



Roger Johnson
Worship and Music Director

WANTED

All Songsters and Songstresses

Contact: Roger @352-601-2772

or

Renate @ 352-228-7809



***A**s a community of women created in the image of God called to discipleship in Jesus Christ and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we commit ourselves to grow in faith, affirm our gifts, support one another in our callings, engage in ministry and action, and promote healing and wholeness in the church, the society and the world.*

On October 13, the Women of Good Shepherd held their monthly Circle Meeting and Bible Study. Eight women attended in person, and three on Zoom. We were happy to meet two first-time attendees, and to welcome back one who came back now that the COVID circumstances have improved. Our next meeting will be at 1:00 on November 10th, in person and on Zoom. Anne Storan will lead the Bible study. The women were reminded that at our next meeting, we will hold the election of officers. We have no nominee for the position of Vice President. If you are interested in learning more about this position, or know someone who is looking for a way to serve, contact Shelly Fortin or me.

On Sunday, November 21, the Thankoffering will be collected to support the work of the Women of the ELCA. Our Churchwide organization supports the ongoing ministries of our church unit as we work to act on our purpose and fulfill our mission. Churchwide provides many online and printed publications such as Gather magazine, Bold Connections, Bold Cafe, and Daily Grace. All of these resources are available at womenoftheelca.org. They also supply, training, scholarships, and free downloadable program resources. This November we will ask you to think about how God has blessed you this year, and to express your gratitude by giving generously. Special offering envelopes will be passed out at church throughout the month of November. If you are not attending church in person, you can still contribute by making out a check to WELCA, and including it with your regular offering. We pray you will support the ministry of the Women of Good Shepherd.

We encourage all of the women to put together personal care kits for Lutheran World Relief. We will count and pack them for shipping at the beginning of January.

With the opportunity to meet in person with appropriate safety measures, plans are being made for an Advent luncheon. Watch for details.

The November board meeting will be held on Zoom, Monday, November 1, at 1:00. If you are interested in coming, contact Anne Storan for the Zoom link.

Anne Storan, WELCA President





QUILTING GROUP

On August 18th, we had 3 Quilters and 1 Sew-er. We made 3 large quilts. We are so happy to have Maggie B. Volunteer to be our sew-er.

The first of September, we had 4 Quilters and 1 Sew-er and we finished 3 quilts.

September 15th, we had 4 Quilters and 1 Sew-er and we made 3 quilts. Judy T. Made 3 baby quilts and she also took 2 large quilts to sew edges at home.

On October 6th, we had 4 Quilters and 1 Sew-er and we finished 3 quilts. Judy T. Made 7 baby quilts and she took 2 large quilts home to sew edges.

We met on October 20th and will meet on November 3rd and 17th. We can use more helpers. Please join us from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM. Bring a lunch and a beverage. It is fun and we have a good friendship time and we are helping others.

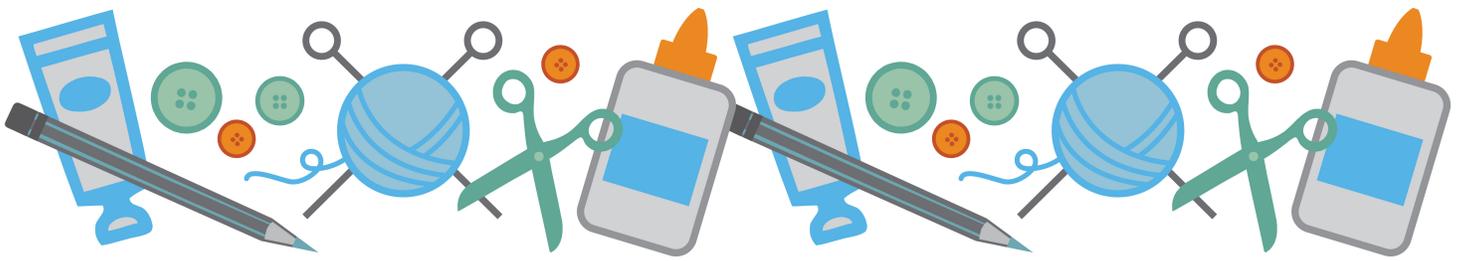
Sincerely,

Chairperson Gerry Kauth

**Money is the means to the greater end of glorifying God
as we demonstrate practical Christianity in our lives.**

“So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do
everything for the glory of God” (1 Cor. 10:31).

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CRAFT N SHARE

WE PLAN TO MEET AGAIN WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2021 at 10 AM to 2 PM We will 'social distance' and wear masks. Bring your lunch and a beverage.

At the November meeting we plan on making simple felt Christmas ornaments. We have traditionally sent Christmas cards with an ornament to our Good Shepherd shut-ins.

We hope to make an ornament to insert in a card to the shut-ins, as well as one for you to take home.

We will also, if time allows, put together pillowcase kits for home sewers. Our supply of pillowcases is very full so no need to drop off any for awhile. We make these for The Little Dresses for Africa project. The dresses are distributed by their organization in Michigan to various countries and places in need. We have several kits already available if you would like to sew at home.

We also have patterns to crochet or knit prayer shawls or lap robes. Since the box of lap robes is full, we hope to pass some on again to the Veterans. We also plan to give crocheted winter neck scarfs to Family Resource Center for them to include in the Christmas gifts they give out. See the Angel Tree in Narthex in early November for names of children from Family Resource Center for Christmas gifts.

JOINS US On the fourth WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 24 , from 10 to 2 for a chat while we work. Bring your lunch and a beverage. We will not meet in December, but start up again in January. Our meeting days are the 4th Wednesdays of the month.

Questions??

Call Maggie at 352-860-2215

Farewell and Godspeed

Carolyn Creager

1655 Knoxlyn Road

Gettysburg, PA 17325



Adopt a Highway Road Clean Up



Our next road clean-up will be Saturday, December 4! We will meet at the church at 8 am and clean three (3), one-mile sections of Norvell Bryant Highway as part of the Citrus County Adopt-a-Highway Program. We are typically done within 1.5-2 hours, depending on how many people participate.

AND, on the 4th, we're going to celebrate the completion of two years with this program and the beginning of another two years! A special "scavenger hunt" will occur while you're picking up trash and some other special plans are in the works. Thank you to the more than 34 people who have helped with this program over the last two years! The difference we have made in the community around us has been appreciated and we've had fun doing it!

If you haven't joined us yet, please do so. We pick up trash on the sides of Norvell Bryant Highway four times a year. Just let me know if you're coming so I can send you some notes a few days prior to the clean-up. My email is LCK1164@gmail.com or text me at 386-589-4727. And, if you're not sure about coming until the last minute, that's okay! We welcome all who want to help. Thank you!

Linda Koch

Angel Tree



Our Angel Tree Ministry for the Citrus County Resource Center will start on, **Sunday, November 7, 2021**. The Angel Tree table will be set up in the Narthex on Sundays.

Please come by Sunday and choose your angel(s) and help a needy child have a Merry Christmas. Someone will be available before and after each service to record your angel's name and provide the information that goes with it. Donations of wrapping paper and ribbon are always welcome. All unwrapped gifts can be placed in the Christmas box provided. The gifts will be delivered to the Citrus Co. Resource Center.

For additional information, contact **Amy Gilbert 352-564-0397**.

Newsletter Editor

You probably noticed the changes of the October newsletter, it was because Shirley has handed it off. We all need to appreciate ALL of Shirley's hard work on the newsletter as it is a challenge.

The DEADLINE is the **third** Sunday of the month (except this month due to the Holiday week.) It takes time to arrange things and if someone is late after it is all arranged, it can throw all the formatting off. Sometimes, little items can be squeezed in successfully.

With that thought, if you think you want to put something in, let me know and I will put a place holder in until you get it finished. This is our newsletter and will get better with your input. Also, if you usually have a monthly submission and have none for a month, please let me know.

Send me an email at gslchernando@gmail.com or call/text 352-586-6189.

Stephanie





Do you like the FEEL of MONEY?

Call Louise Osborn at 352-746-2405
And she can tell you how you can get your hands
on money every Sunday for a month !



IN THE MAILBAG



I want to thank the church for for the friendly way everyone is accepted.

Also for the visits when Ray was ill. No one realizes how he appreciated the visits, I did also. He looked forward to it. Thank you.

Carolyn Creager

I would like to thank you all for the thoughtful cards and well wishes. Each one brought a smile to my face. It is wonderful to feel so loved...I am on the mend and am hopeful that I will be back in business soon.

Thankful for my Church Family,

Sue Fowler

Memorial and Special Gifts



General Fund

Gerri Fallanca in memory of Barbara Johnson
Jean Lobenthal in memory of Barbara Johnson
Aagot Green in memory of Barbara Johnson
Joe & Stephanie Adams in memory of Barbara Johnson

Fellowship Committee Fund

Sondra Jackson in memory of Barbara Johnson

Enduring Gifts Fund

Mary Wagner for Barbara Johnson

Memorial Fund

Rich & Virginia Pierce in memory of Barbara Johnson
Terry Mooney in memory of Barbara Johnson

SOS Food Pantry

Anita Bikowitz

Thrivent Choice Dollars

The following Thrivent Financial for Lutheran members have directed October's Choice Dollars be given to Good Shepherd:

Pastor Dennis and Linda Koch

Thank you for your gift.

Thank you

Good people of Good Shepherd -- you have blown me away with many very thoughtful cards and gifts for Pastor Appreciation Sunday. My appreciation is for each of you and your support in the ministry we do together. "Thank You" does not seem adequate enough, but know that when I say "Thank You", it is with humble gratitude for your kind and generous hearts. *Pastor Dennis*

Special Dates

All Saint's Day - November 1st

Daylight Savings Time ENDS - November 7th

Veterans Day - November 11th

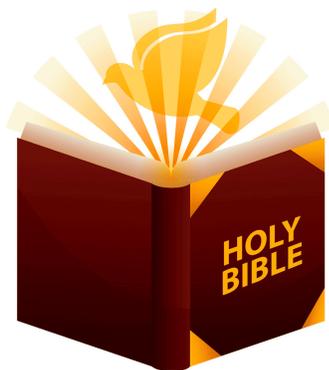
Christ the King Sunday - November 21st

Bible Sunday - November 21st

National Bible Week - November 21st - 28th

Thanksgiving Day - November 25th

First Sunday of Advent - November 28th



NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES AND BIRTHDAYS



Bill & Wendy Knarr

11/12/05

Todd & Cindy Gaertner

11/24/88



2 - Helen Maidhof

16 - Michele Schortemeyer

24 - Bob Deck

Margaret Hehn

3 - Pat Bentley

21- Maxine Whitcomb

Marty McMahon

6 - Gladys Kean
Alec Slater (2008)

22 - Jeanette Jimenez
Walter Johnson

25 - Dave Boerger

27 - Stephanie Adams

9 - Dennis Moore

23 - Dianne Kohm
Pat Mainster
Vera Swade
Stacy Wilson

28 - Linda Koch

Marge Symons

10 - Lisbeth Goetter
Judy Teague

30 - Ray Whitcomb

NOVEMBER 2021

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
|---|---|--|--|--|--|---|
| | 1 10:00A – Bible Study 1:00P WECLA zoom meeting | 2 10:00A Worship & Music Mtg 6:30P Scouts 6:30P - Bells | 3 8:00A-SOS 10:00A- Quilters 6:30P- Choir | 4 8:30A – SOS 9:30 A Executive Council Zoom | 5 8:00A – Workday on Grounds  | 6  |
| 7 8:30 & 11A Worship  BIRTHDAYS | 8 10:00A – Bible Study 1:30P Fellowship | 9 6:30 P Scouts 6:30P - Bells | 10 8:00A-SOS 1:00P WELCA Bible Study* 6:30P - Choir | 11 8:30A - SOS 3:00P Church Council Zoom Veteran's Day | 12 8:00A – Workday on Grounds  | 13 |
| 14 8:30 & 11A Worship  | 15 10:00A – Bible Study 1:30P - Social Ministry | 16 6:30P Scouts 6:30P -Bells | 17 8:00A-SOS 10:00A - Quilters 6:30P - Choir | 18 8:30A- SOS  | 19 8:00A – Workday on Grounds  | 20 |
| 21 8:30 & 11A  | 22 10:00A – Bible Study | 23 6:30P- Scouts 6:30P - Bells | 24 8:00A-SOS 10:00A- Craft n Share 6:30P -Choir | 25  Thanksgiving | 26 8:00A – Workday on Grounds  | 27 |
| 28 8:30 & 11A Worship | 29 10:00A - Bible Study | 30 6:30P- Scouts 6:30P -Bells | | | | |

*WELCA Bible Study is in person and Via Zoom

November



Let us remember:

Benefiel, Larry&Karen
Britt-Busler, Elizabeth
Burfeindt, Janet
Clark, Dawn
Dionne, Pam
Drennen, Rose &
family
Hartsfield, Sylvia
Hassinger, Douglas &
Donna

Jernberg, Sandy
Jimenez, Jeanette
Johnson, Carol Lee
Koch, Dennis&Linda
Lauer, Barbara
Lawrence, Ivalee
Lepore, Linda
Masters, Leith
Page-Wood, Jeremy

Pawelko, Diane
Swade, Ken
Thomas, Maria
Whitcomb,
Maxine&Ray
Wildman, Joe
Wolff, Jack

Those who are shut-in or residing in assisted living homes:

Hehn, Margaret
Moll, Bob

Philipp, Dick
Whitcomb, Maxine

All who serve our country in the military:

Burba, Jake
Ceballos, Jason
Corsino, Mykael
Day, Kenneth
Gaertner, Jerrod
Harrington, Bryan
Heinz, Karinne
Hickman, Richard
Hicks, Nathan
Holman, Evan
Jackson, Brad
Johnston-Garcia,
Christian
Luchay, Alan
Martin, Aaron

McCann, Jim
Miller, Tyler
Muchow, Jason
Piott, Trenton
Posa, Codymichael
Radloff, Steven
Radosevitch, Eric
Seefeld, Jessica
Springer, Dennis
Stroble, Jeramy
Swain, Jr., Terry
Thomas, Peter Chris
Thompson, David
Timpe, Chris

Relatives and Friends:

Arbuckle, Amy &
Matthew
Balastieri, Casey
Barber, Steve & Kitty
Beck, Bryan
Beeftink, Paul
Bell, Ian
Blunt, Robert
Blyth, Ruby
Brockschmidt,
 Brian & Donna
Brugger, Tristan
Burgess, Louise
Burkhardt, Faith
Campano, Thomas
Cashman, Lynda
Cato, Cecelia
Cherry, Elaine
Cipollone, Elaine
Clarke, Father Peter
Clarke, Charlotte
Costa, Denise
Crawford, Cleola
Crooks, Candi
De Gina, Fran & family
Dortin, Rachel
Egan, Tom
Farmer, Tom
Fidell, Eloise
Fowler family

Fratto, Joseph
Gaertner, Kent
Garling, John
Gifford, Judy
Goetter, Tom
Goforth, Jeffrey
Goodloe, Ernestine
Graves, Janice, Declan
Guberman family
Hertel, Karl
Johnson, Jim
Kamm, Mike & Nancy
Koch, Michael
Kraft, Carter
Krol, Shirley
Krutzikowski, Karl
Lavaja, Jim
Lewellen, Emily Anne
Lobenthal, Jean
Loftin, Tracy
Longworth, Kathy
Lubkemon family
Lundsford, Victoria
Magrum, Corbin
Mainster, Arlene
Magri, Steve
Maidhof, Dexter,
Gary, Jeremiah
McHugh, Mark
McPhee, John
Mena, Steve
Nickerson, Mike &
Beth
O'Berry, Darlene
Page-Wood, Jaaken

Powell, Bill
Priselac, Lorrie
Queen, Max
Rajotte, Keith
Ralph, Bruce
Rambaldini, Jim
Rivera, Roberta
Rothmeyer, Heidi
Scheetz, Cathy & fam
Schoenleber, Sara
Sillen, Rita
Small,
 Brenda & Steven
Stewart, Sam
Stuart, Neil & family
Thatcher, Jean
Thompson, Lori
Traywick, Edward
Tuegel, Chuck
Van Wyk family
Vera, Mireya
Vespa, Hazel
Vulkelich, Alejan
Wells, Emmarie
Wilder, Gayle
Williams, Dorothy
Wierzel, Rosalee
Wittmann family
Wood, Rowen
Woods, Donna Jean
Woolf, Nick
Woolley, Carol & fam
Wright, Matthew
Wyzard, Joe & Dana
Yonker, Veronica

Please take this prayer list, and use it in your private or family devotions in the coming month. You can see that our congregation has a great many people who are in need of our prayers. We will continue to pray for those folks for as long as they need our prayers. However, please call the church office by the third Sunday of the month to ask that your loved one or friend remain on the prayer list – otherwise we will joyfully assume that they are well once more, and with thanks to God, remove their names from this list.

ALTAR & COMMUNION

FLOWER DISTRIBUTION

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Adult Class - Deacon Rick Mainster

Children's Class - Susan Fowler

MONEY COUNTERS

Louise Osborn, Lead

Tom Clutz

Jo Ann Clutz

Aagot Green

GREETERS

USHERS

8:30

Dave Bocker and Bill Mehnert

11:00

Norma Engle and Doris Herp

MEDIA CENTER

Fran Stetson

John Gifford

Joe Adams

LECTORS

November 7th

8:30 - David Sotrines

11:00 - Vera Swade

November 14th

8:30 - Margot Berger

11:00 - Shelly Fortin

November 21st

8:30 - Bob Fowler

11:00 - Lisbeth Goetter

November 28th

8:30 - Joann Frost

11:00 - Ginny Gopadze

DEACONS

Serving All Weeks

Deacon Rick Mainster

Deacon Bob Bonomo

NURSERY

Susan Fowler



God's work. Our hands.

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Kids Corner

PUZZLE



No kidding

Whatever our age, God calls us to model holy living for others.



Directions: Match the animal young with its parent. Then write the letter answers in order below to complete 1 Timothy 4:12, NIV.



- | | | | |
|-----------------|-------------------|------------|--------------|
| 1. ___ bear | 9. ___ monkey | A. fry | I. hatchling |
| 2. ___ frog | 10. ___ platypus | B. fawn | K. foal |
| 3. ___ owl | 11. ___ alligator | C. gosling | L. owlet |
| 4. ___ horse | 12. ___ giraffe | D. cub | M. puggle |
| 5. ___ kangaroo | 13. ___ goose | E. kid | N. joey |
| 6. ___ deer | 14. ___ swan | F. cygnet | O. polliwog |
| 7. ___ goat | 15. ___ dog | G. infant | P. puppy |
| 8. ___ fish | | H. calf | |

“_on’t let any_ne _oo_ down o_ you _ecaus_
 you _re youn_, but set an exa_ple for the bel_ers
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1 TIMOTHY 4:12, NIV

Answer: D, O, L, K, N, B, E, A, G, M, I, H, C, F, P



“Because he works from home. That’s why we never see God in person.”

A taste of history

Add a yummy, authentic touch to your Thanksgiving meal with this recipe.



What you need:

- 2/3 cup heavy cream
- pint jar with lid
- strainer
- bowl
- container
- salt



What you do:

1. Pour cream into the jar and close the lid tightly.
2. Shake vigorously about 8 minutes, until a solid lump of butter forms. (Take turns with a friend!)
3. Strain the contents, catching the buttermilk in a bowl to save for another recipe.
4. Put the butter in a container. Add salt to taste.
5. After chilling the butter, enjoy on fresh bread.

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