

*Good Shepherd Evangelical Lutheran Church*  
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Weekly Announcements

**WELCOME:** May God bless you as we worship together. At our Sunday service we ask that you please complete one of the beige cards located on the back of the pews and place the completed card in the offering plate so that we have record of your attendance today. At our Saturday service and upon entering the Nave, one of our ushers will hand you a blue card with the service bulletin. At the Eucharist, if you are unable to come to the Altar Rail to receive, simply notify one of our ushers and the Altar Servers and Pastor will bring communion to you.

**OFFICE HOURS:** Parish Office hours are **9 AM - 3 PM, Monday through Thursday.** The Office is **closed** on **Friday.** You may contact Pastor Jim by phone or email: **cell 231.468.9155; home 231.425.4197; [James Friesner@gmail.com](mailto:James.Friesner@gmail.com).**

**SYMPATHY:** Our prayers and sympathies are extended to Coby Lange whose father, Tom Mateer, passed away on February 23 and to Jackie Harms whose grandfather, Paul Geist, passed away on February 24. May Paul and Tom rest in peace and let perpetual light shine upon them.

**THE ETERNAL LIGHT:** Is given to the Glory of God in loving memory of Paul Geist, Jackie Harm's Grandfather, and Tom Mateer, Coby Lange's Father. The light is given by the Good Shepherd family.

**ELECTRONIC GIVING:** Is now available on the Good Shepherd website. Go to [gslcman.org](http://gslcman.org) and click on the "Donate" button. Credit card donations are available now and bank draws will be available soon.

**COMMUNITY TABLE:** Good Shepherd serves on **Tuesday, March 5 at 5 PM.** Please see the sign up sheet on the podium in the Unity Room.

**WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY:** Resumes on **Tuesday, March 5 at 6:30 PM.**

**LENTEN BIBLE STUDY WITH PASTOR JIM:** Begins on **Ash Wednesday, March 6 at 10:30 AM** and will continue on Wednesdays until Holy Week.

**ASH WEDNESDAY:** Ash Wednesday services are scheduled for **12:05 PM and 7 PM on Wednesday, March 6.** Both services include the imposition of ashes and Eucharist.

**SPRINGHILL:** Youth will be at Springhill **Friday, March 8 - Sunday, March 10.**

**WORKSHOP FOR SERVICE VOLUNTEERS:** The workshop for ushers, readers, and Eucharistic Ministers scheduled for **Saturday, March 9** has been **postponed.** Doing so enables Pastor Jim to spend the entire weekend at the Springhill youth retreat and enables returning snowbirds to attend the workshop. Stay tuned for a new date for the workshop.

**WORSHIP COMMITTEE:** Meets **Monday, March 11 at 7 PM.**

**PROPERTY COMMITTEE:** Meets on **Tuesday, March 12 at 3 PM.** Pastor Jim will be reporting on the first six months as the Interim Pastor.

**SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING:** **Tuesday, March 12 at 7 PM.**

**MIDWEEK EUCHARIST:** Midweek Eucharist resumes on **Wednesday, March 13 at 12:05 PM** and will continue on Wednesdays **until Holy Week.**

**SOUP/FELLOWSHIP:** There will be soup served with a side of fellowship on Wednesdays beginning **Wednesday, March 13** until Holy Week. The soup lunch will be available after Midweek Eucharist. If you are interested in bringing soup, bread, or dessert, there is a sign up sheet on the podium. And be sure to stop by for a warm bowl of soup, some fellowship, and a midday breather. Questions? Call **Beth Schlinkert at (231) 887-4067** or **Judy Pefley at (231) 398-0634.**

**SAFE HARBOR:** Good Shepherd hosts Safe Harbor **Saturday, March 23 - Saturday, March 30.** Sign up sheets are on the podium in the Unity Room. Volunteers are needed to help with dinner and a male and female overnight attendant is needed for each night. Questions? Call **Beth Schlinkert at (231) 887-4067.**

**STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE:** Will not be meeting in March. The next scheduled meeting is **Tuesday, April 9 at 8 AM.**

**AA MEETINGS:** Meets here in our building on Monday and Wednesday @ Noon, Tuesday and Friday @8 PM.

**PRAYERS:** *“Let my prayer be as the evening sacrifice that burns like fragrant incense, rising as my offering to you as I lift up my hands in surrendered worship!”*

Audrey Ann Amburgey	Lea Illig	Bill Smith
Shirley Blakeslee	John K.	Vickee Sawhill
Doris Bowling	Rick Kaminski	Dale Sparks
Keith Brown	Ed Knaffle	Laura Stefanski
Jackie Burmeister	Betty Lytle	Mark Steigenga
Emma Carey	Jon Madsen	Bob Tobey
Aiden Chambers	Anthony Metiva	The family of Paul Byro
Diana Dutkavich	Tammy Sue Metiva	The family of Paul Geist
Tom Dutkavich	Phyllis Miller	The family of Richard Hansen
Tom Dutkavich, Jr.	Norm Olson	The family of Anita Krumins
Marc Edmondson	Donna O’Rorke	The family of Susan Kukla
Jim Friesner, Sr.	Heather P.	The family of Tom Mateer
Pat Garber	Jane Reeves, daughter of	The family of Barb Olson
Rick & Terry Guthridge	Bob & Ruth Skiera	The family of Rick Shively
Gary Hansen	Dale & Laura Shoemaker	The family of Ruth Turk
Marion Hilliard	Randy Skiera	

Alana Bergstrom, James Dutkavich, and Thomas Dutkavich III and all our troops serving in the military.

All the suffering, sick, shut-in, grieving, and homeless.

If there are any changes to the prayer list, please contact Pr. Jim or the Parish Office.

**SERVING Transfiguration, March 2 & 3, 2019**

**CELEBRANT:** *The Rev. Dr. Jas. Friesner, Jr.*

**CONTEMPORARY: Saturday 5:30 PM**

**TRADITIONAL: Sunday 9:30 AM**

<b>MUSIC:</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Praise Band	<b>ALTAR GUILD:</b>	Ann Ziehm
	<b>Sunday</b>	Mark Steigenga	<b>ACOLYTE Saturday:</b>	Emily Miller, Vincent Williams
<b>USHERS:</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Sandra & Jerry Hosman	<b>Sunday :</b>	Madison Antal, Josie Ziehm
	<b>Sunday</b>			
<b>GREETER:</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Scott Brown	<b>FRIENDSHIP Saturday</b>	Meal
	<b>Sunday</b>	Elaine Ritola	<b>SUPPER:</b>	
<b>READER:</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Laurie Seidelman	<b>FELLOWSHIP Sunday</b>	
	<b>Sunday</b>	Angela Caro	<b>COFFEE:</b>	
<b>EUCHARISTIC</b>				
<b>MINISTERS:</b>	<b>Sunday</b>			

**SERVING Lent 1, March 9 & 10**

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**CONTEMPORARY: Saturday 5:30 PM**

**TRADITIONAL: Sunday 9:30 AM**

<b>MUSIC:</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Praise Band	<b>ALTAR GUILD:</b>	Sharon Hayden, Micheal Amor
	<b>Sunday</b>	Mark Steigenga	<b>ACOLYTE Saturday:</b>	Hailey Zupin
<b>USHERS:</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Sandra & Jerry Hosman	<b>Sunday:</b>	Mya Ziehm
	<b>Sunday</b>			
<b>GREETER:</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Scott Brown	<b>FRIENDSHIP Saturday</b>	Meal
	<b>Sunday</b>	Ann Ziehm	<b>SUPPER:</b>	

<b>READER:</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	Karen Skiera	<b>FELLOWSHIP</b>	<b>Sunday</b>
	<b>Sunday</b>	Ann Ziehm	<b>COFFEE:</b>	
<b>EUCHARISTIC</b>				
<b>MINISTERS:</b>	<b>Sunday</b>	Dennis Mikula, Chuck Wolverton		