

The Shepherd's Voice

Weekend of August 15 & 16, 2020

Good Shepherd Evangelical Lutheran Church
521 Cypress Street
Manistee, MI 49660
231.723.7161
gslc49660@gmail.com
<https://www.gslcman.org/>

Mary, Mother of Our Lord
Weekly Announcements

OFFICE HOURS: The Parish office is open from **9 AM - 3 PM, Monday through Thursday**. The office is **closed on Friday**. The entrance to the Church is now locked. However, you are always welcome to call the office at 231-723-7161 during office hours or email us at gslc49660@gmail.com.

ONLINE SERVICE: Here is a link to the service for the weekend of **August 15 & 16: [Mary, Mother of Our Lord](#)**. To view the accompanying bulletin [click here](#).. Good Shepherd's recorded services are posted and archived on our website. To view any of our services, click on <https://www.gslcman.org/>, scroll down, then click on the service you'd like to view.

OFFERINGS: Although there are currently no services at Good Shepherd, you can still make offerings electronically or by regular mail. Electronic giving is available on the Good Shepherd website, <https://www.gslcman.org/>. Click on the "Support God's Work at Good Shepherd" box and follow the instructions. You are also welcome to mail your offerings to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, PO Box 157, Manistee, MI 49660.

SYMPATHY: Our prayers and sympathies are extended to the family and friends of Donna O'Rorke who passed away on August 6, 2020. A celebration of Dona's life was held on Friday, August 14 for family members. May Donna rest in peace and let perpetual light shine upon her.

QUICK UPDATE ON PASTOR JIM: His bone marrow transplant on Thursday went well. For approximately the next two weeks, Pastor Jim will be at the following address:

The Rev. Dr. James L. Friesner, Jr.
Room 5422
Butterworth – Spectrum Hospital
100 Michigan Street N.E.
Grand Rapids, MI 49503

Pastor Jim and Norma are grateful for your continued prayers, support, and positive thoughts during this challenging time.

ETERNAL LIGHT: Is given to the glory of God in honor of the donor who made Pastor Jim's transplant possible.

IN-PERSON WORSHIP SERVICES: Good Shepherd will reopen for in-person services on **Saturday, August 21**. There will be a service at **5:30 PM** and a service on **Sunday, August 22 at 9:30 AM**. Doors will open 30 minutes prior to the start of services.

ONLINE SERVICES AND COMMUNION: Online services will continue to be available every weekend. Communion will continue to be available every Saturday. The new time to pick up communion will be between **4 PM and 4:30 PM on Saturday afternoons**.

GREETERS & USHERS: The Church is asking for a volunteer greeter and a volunteer usher for each in-person service. The greeter and usher will assist in making services run smoothly for everyone as we adjust to new ways of doing things. If you would like to help, please call the office.

COUNCIL MEETING: The council will meet on **Tuesday, August 25 at 6:30 PM.** You can join the meeting in person or remotely via Zoom. If you'd like to participate via Zoom, please call the Church office for instructions.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING: Usually held on the third weekend of August, the 2020 meeting for the purpose of electing Council members has been rescheduled for **September 12 & 13.** Accommodations will be made for congregation members to participate in the meeting in person, online, and by telephone. More information will be available as we get closer to the date of the meeting.

TUITION ASSISTANCE: Members in good standing who have children in local parochial schools are eligible for tuition assistance. Please submit your yearly tuition invoice from the school to the office by **September 25.**

Contributions
April 5 - May 2, 2020
\$11,609.31

Contributions
May 3 - May 30, 2020
66662.78

Contributions
June 1 - July 4, 2020
\$8151.22

PRAYERS: For all the suffering, sick, shut-in, grieving, homeless, those currently serving in the medical profession, first responders, essential personnel, and those serving in the military, including Alana Bergstrom, James Dutkavich, Thomas Dutkavich III, and Spencer Linke.

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

Alan & Louise
Audrey Ann Amburgey
Leona Amerell
Olive Baker
Jack Bauman
Kelly Bjorkquist
Shirley Blakeslee
Bob
Keith Brown
Jackie Burmeister
Aiden Chambers
Cora Brinkley Cook
Dave
Diana Dutkavich
Tom Dutkavich
Tom Dutkavich, Jr.
Marc Edmondson
AJ Epperson
Jane Fortier
Jim Friesner, Sr.
Pastor Jim Friesner
Pat Garber
Terry Guthridge

Marian Hilliard
Lea Illig
Joan Jensen
Eric Johnson
Rick Kaminski
Carol Krull
Al Kukla
Betty Lytle
Jon Madsen
Pat McGinnis
Anthony Metiva
Tammy Sue Metiva
Phillis Miller
Pat Murdock
Nicole
Norm Olson
Terry & Rose Pierson
Jane Reeves
Lois Rosenow
Vickey Sawhill
Benjamin Schultz
Dale & Laura Shoemaker

Karen Skiera
Randy Skiera
Bill Smith
Dale Sparks
Laura Stefanski
Mark Steigenga
Debra Thomas
Bob Tobey
Robert (RT) Williams
The family of Doris Bowling
The family of Gary Hansen
The family of Duane Keith
The family of Ed Knaffle
The family of John Kuenzli
The family of Mary Kukla
The family of Brett Madsen
The family of Donna O'Rorke
The family of Charles &
Rosemary Preuss
The family of Martha Roesch
The family of Terry and David
Tetzlaff
The family of Irma Thompson