

First Sunday in Lent

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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 a 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.**

IN APPRECIATION: Thank you to all of the Good Shepherd family for your continued patience, understanding, prayers, and willingness to serve while Pastor Jim faces health challenges. Special thanks go out to Rev. Jody Bambas for filling in and filling us up with faith and positive thoughts.

ETERNAL LIGHT AND ALTAR FLOWERS: are given to the glory of God in honor of the 55th wedding anniversary of Tom and Dianna Dutkavich.

SYMPATHY: Our prayers and sympathies are extended to Sandy Kuenzli and all the family and friends of John Kuenzli who passed away on February 26, 2020. Information on a funeral service has not yet been announced. May John rest in peace and let perpetual light shine upon him.

ELECTRONIC GIVING: Is available on the Good Shepherd website, gslcman.org. Click on the "Give" button on our homepage and follow the instructions. You can now use the drop down box to specify which fund you'd like your offering to go to.

TEAM JESUS MINISTRY: Project #9 benefiting Homeward Bound, a nonprofit, no-kill, adoptive animal shelter operating in Manistee County, will continue through the **end of March.** After the regular offering is collected, the Team Jesus buckets are passed. We prayerfully request a \$1 donation per week from each person for this mission project, but more is welcome if you are so moved.

TUITION ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE: Committed to the availability of Christian Education, Good Shepherd is forming a committee to examine and implement tuition assistance. If you are interested in being on this committee, please contact Missy Amor at 231-690-2397 or Pastor Jim.

CONFIRMATION CLASS: Sunday, March 1 at 11 AM.

YOUTH GROUP: Sunday, March 1 at 6 PM.

MEN'S BREAKFAST: 8:30 AM, Tuesday, March 3 at House of Flavors.

MIDWEEK EUCHARIST: 12:10 PM, Wednesday, March 4.

LENTEN SOUP LUNCHEONS: Begin on **Wednesday, March 4 after the 12:10 PM Midweek Service.** Sign up sheets are on the podium if you'd like to volunteer to bring soup, breads, or desserts. Hope you can join us for soup & fellowship!

TCOM MEETING: The Churches of Manistee will meet on **Wednesday, March 4 at 3 PM.**

CHOIR REHEARSAL: 5:30 PM on Wednesday, March 4.

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Thursday, March 5 at 6:30 PM.

BAND REHEARSAL: Thursday, March 5 at 7 PM.

QUILTERS: Meet on Friday, March 6 at 10 AM.

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME: Spring forward on March 8, 2020!

CONFIRMATION CLASS: Sunday, March 8 at 11 AM.

YOUTH GROUP: Sunday, March 8 at 6 PM.

WORSHIP COMMITTEE: Meets on Monday, March 9 at 6:30 PM.

PROPERTY COMMITTEE: Meets on Tuesday, March 10 at 3 PM.

MIDWEEK EUCHARIST: Wednesday, March 11 at 12:10 PM.

LENTEN SOUP LUNCHEON: Wednesday, March 11 after Midweek Eucharist.

TCOM MEETING: The Churches of Manistee will meet on **Wednesday, March 11 at 3 PM.**

WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Thursday, March 12 at 6:30 PM. **WEATHER:** Council has approved a policy stating that the Church office will close on all days the Manistee Public Schools close due to inclement weather. Any Church activities will also be cancelled. If you'd like to be contacted about the cancellation of Saturday & Sunday services and activities, please add your name and the best way(s) to contact you on to the list on the podium in the hallway. You can always check the GSLC Facebook page and our website for cancellations too.

AA MEETINGS: Here in our building on **Monday & Wednesday @ Noon, Tuesday & Friday at 8 PM.**

PRAYERS: To all the suffering, sick, shut-in, grieving, homeless, 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 Pr. Jim or the Parish Office.

Alan & Louise	Lea Illig	Vickee Sawhill
Audrey Ann Amburgey	Eric Johnson	Benjamin Schultz
Leona Amerell	Rick Kaminski	Dale & Laura Shoemaker
Olive Baker	Duane Keith,	Karen Skiera
Jack Bauman	Son of Paul Byro	Randy Skiera
Kelly Bjorkquist	Ed Knaffle	Bill Smith
Shirley Blakeslee	Carol Krull	Dale Sparks
Bob	Al Kukla	Laura Stefanski
Keith Brown	Mary Kukla	Mark Steigenga
Jackie Burmeister	Coby & Gary Lange	Irma Thompson
Aiden Chambers	Betty Lytle	Bob Tobey
Cora Brinkley Cook	Brett R. Madsen	Robert (RT) Williams
Diana Dutkavich	Jon Madsen	Ann Ziehm
Tom Dutkavich	Pat McGinnis	John Ziehm
Tom Dutkavich, Jr.	Anthony Metiva	The Family of Doris Bowling
Marc Edmondson	Tammy Sue Metiva	The family of Richard Guthridge
Jane Fortier	Pat Murdock	The family of Doug Jensen
Jim Friesner, Sr.	Nicole	The family of Joanne Shannon
Pastor Jim Friesner	Norm Olson	Kohan
Pat Garber	Donna O'Rorke	The family of John Kuenzli
Terry Guthridge	Terry & Rose Pierson	The family of Sue Bosschem
Gary Hansen	Rosemary Preuss	Kuechenmeister
Marge Heuck	Jane Reeves	The family of Charles Preuss
Marian Hilliard	Lois Rosenow	The family of Walter Seidelman

Last Week's Worship Attendance	
Saturday Service	40
Sunday Service	36
Total	76

Ash Wednesday Worship Attendance	
12:10 Service	23
7 PM Service	20
Total	43

Last Week's Offerings	
Team Jesus	60.00
Loose Offerings	6.00
Weekly Offerings	1414.00
Total	\$ 1480.00

Serving First Sunday in Lent Feb 29 & March 1, 2020

CELEBRANT: *The Rev. Jody Bambas*

Saturday 5:30 PM
Sunday 9:30 AM

MUSIC: **Saturday** Praise Band
Sunday Mark Steigenga
USHERS: **Saturday** Terry & Debbie Anderson
Sunday Chris Amor, Mike Kelley
GREETERS: **Saturday** Scott Brown
Sunday Elaine Ritola
READERS: **Saturday** Karen Skiera
Sunday Missy Amor
INTERCESSOR: Sunday Missy Amor

EUCCHARISTIC Saturday Gary Schlinkert
MINISTERS: Sunday

ALTAR GUILD: Beth Schlinkert, Jean Schwerin

ACOLYTES: Saturday Noah Antal
Sunday SpringHill Weekend

SATURDAY FRIENDSHIP SUPPER: Potluck
SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP COFFEE: Sheila Wittmer

Serving Second Sunday in Lent, March 7 & 8, 2020

CELEBRANT: *The Rev. Jody Bambas*

Saturday 5:30 PM
Sunday 9:30 AM

MUSIC: **Saturday** Praise Band
Sunday Mark Steigenga
USHERS: **Saturday** Sandy & Jerry Hosman
Sunday Bob Skiera, Dennis Mikula
GREETERS: **Saturday** Scott Brown
Sunday Sheila Wittmer
READERS: **Saturday** Laurie Seidelman
Sunday Ron Gardin
INTERCESSOR: Sunday Ruth Skiera

EUCCHARISTIC Saturday Laurie Seidelman
MINISTERS: Sunday Ron Gardin, Madison Antal

ALTAR GUILD: Sharon Hayden, Micheal Amor

ACOLYTES: Saturday Vincent Williams
Sunday Shayla Tetzlaff, Josie Ziehm

SATURDAY FRIENDSHIP SUPPER: Supper
SUNDAY FELLOWSHIP COFFEE: