

Celebrating 500 Years

## Shepherd of the Hill Lutheran Church

# GOOD TIDINGS

October 2017

### Special points of interest:

- Beer/Brat Fest
- Community Outreach
- 500th Reformation Events

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Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

Rev. Kelly Fryer, in her book, *Reclaiming the L Word: Renewing the Church from Its Lutheran Core*, teaches a fact that Lutheran theology is very good at emphasizing: God always comes down. God came down to earth in the person of His Son, Jesus. In Jesus, God took on human flesh and lived among us. In Jesus, God took on suffering and death. In Jesus, God even took on our sinful curse. God always comes down because we are unable to climb to Him.

History tells us that on October 31, 1517, a German monk/priest/university professor named Martin Luther posted a list of 95 theses (propositions for debate) on the doors of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany. The overall theme of these points of debate had everything to do with the most central point of Lutheran theology: *we are saved by God's grace through faith*. This is a 'churchy' way of saying that God has forgiven us and gathered us back to Himself not because *we* have done something special, but rather because God has done something special for us: God has come down. We cannot buy our salvation. We cannot earn it. It is a gift from God. We are forgiven, we are justified, we are redeemed, we are saved because of Jesus' death on the cross. All we need do is trust in that act of Jesus that has freed us from the sins of our past. All we need do is trust that through Jesus Christ, God has gathered us into God's family forever.

On the day of Pentecost, God once again came down. As the Holy Spirit has burned its way into the formation of the Church, God continues to come down into the lives of the world. Part of our Lutheran heritage is in how we have traditionally partnered with God in this. For centuries, God has used Lutherans to found universities, hospitals, and congregations to reach out into a suffering world. For over 150 years, God has used *Lutheran Social Services* to care for seniors, children, immigrants, refugees, abuse victims, homeless people, and those with disabilities. In more recent decades, God has used *Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service*, *ELCA World Hunger*, *ELCA Malaria Campaign*, and –very recently— *Lutheran Disaster Response* to care for some of the world's most vulnerable people. For the past 50 years, God has used Shepherd of the Hill to preach and teach love, hope, and forgiveness. God has used SOTH to feed and care for the vulnerable through social service agencies such as the *FISH Food Pantry* and the *Lockport Resource Center*. God has used SOTH to assist in the education of our neighbors' children through our tutoring program.

To be Lutheran is more than just believing some very important theological truths. To be Lutheran is more than just celebrating a heritage of a particular type of music, worship, or food. To be Lutheran is to be freed from our captivity to sin and selfishness in order that we partner with God to help and heal a broken world. This month we have a fantastic opportunity to celebrate 500 years of powerful heritage. But do not forget that this heritage is not an end to itself. God came down in love, forgiveness, and power, giving us the freedom to serve our neighbor and change the world around us. That is very, very Lutheran!

Forever Thankful,

Pastor Jon





Greetings,

Rachel and I live in an old apartment in Chicago. I love our apartment but it has some quirks to it. In the living room there is an alcove between two built-in bookcases. It is 4 feet wide, 7 feet tall, and 2 feet deep. It clearly used to have doors on it and until recently we had no idea what it was. I thought initially it was a fireplace that had been closed up but the walls are plaster and there is no evidence of a chimney. It works perfectly for our T.V. but with the apartment built in the early 1900's that was not its intended purpose. I learned recently that it was originally fitted with a murphy bed. Next we just need to find out why one of our hall closets is only 6 inches deep...

What I love about our old apartment is the way over 100 years people have given it new life and purpose to fit their needs. What was once a place for a bed, now is the perfect place for our entertainment systems. Last month I wrote about how this high school group starting in November will be the last program to add into our initial vision of youth ministry from 3yr olds through high school. This past month we have spent time and energy into preparing for that group. Part of that preparation has been looking for a space that will be inviting and functional for high school youth.

This past month we have been working on bringing life and function back to the upstairs youth room. In my three years of being here, we have used it sparingly. It is too small to put a table and chairs in, and hasn't served much of a purpose beyond storage. Wednesday nights are a full night in our building. Between confirmation, choir, bells, and AA almost every room in the building is put to use on Wednesday night. This is a good problem to have. After some time spent praying about and dreaming what we want out of the space for our high school group we came up with a plan to clean out and redesign the upstairs youth room.

We will be painting the room to relaxing colors with an accent wall. We have ordered a new couch and are repurposing one that we already had downstairs. In order to make the space feel less like a classroom we have purchased a large area rug. The room will be functional, welcoming, and relaxing. The project should be finished by mid-October. We will be ready to use the space when we kickoff our new high school group November 8th. I invite you to come and take a look at the space once it is completed. It is located next to the elevator on the main floor.

The space is just part of the vision. A cool space and a funny youth leader will not create a sustainable high school group. We need to identify the spiritual needs of the high schoolers in our community and look for ways to meet those needs. The reality of our high school students today is that they are far busier than students of generations past, including when I was in high school just 10 years ago. We see it with our confirmation students now, they come in exhausted straight from band, sports, or other activities. They have hours of homework and are eating on the run. Wednesday nights for our high school youth will be a time for them to recharge. It's more than giving them time and space to relax. If we do not provide them with something substantive we will be cut from their schedule that is packed to the gills. This group will be about intentionally leading them through prayer, pouring into them, and other activities that will strengthen their relationship with God and give them the spiritual and emotional energy to finish out the week. We hope to foster a healthy relationship with Christ and the church community that will help them navigate the reality of their lives.

I invite you to continue to pray for this ministry. Pray for our leaders and students. Pray for myself and my wife Rachel as together we will lead this group in an attempt to recharge our students and give them opportunities to live out their faith. Pray for our students, pray that they find balance in their lives and that they maintain their spiritual health. Pray that they continue to set examples for their peers on how to live a Christ-centered life. Pray for their families who continue to be the most influential part of their spiritual life. Amen

Our High school group will begin meeting weekly on Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00 starting November 8th.

MikeMarkwell  
Youth Ministry Coordinator

Monthly Financial Report		
August		
INCOME		
Offerings	\$	22,909.50
Loose Offerings	\$	1,380.99
Simply Give	\$	5,809.00
SG Fees	\$	(167.38)
Bldg Usage	\$	375.00
Sunday School	\$	-
Special Env-Fire Victims	\$	535.00
<b>INCOME</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>30,842.11</b>
Preschool	\$	1,431.75
Preschool-Advertising	\$	195.00
Fish Pantry	\$	200.00
Special Projects	\$	200.00
Memorial Gifts	\$	570.00
Debt Reduction	\$	5.00
Gifts-flowers	\$	22.50
Tanzania-VBS	\$	1,502.58
<b>INCOME</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>4,126.83</b>
	<b>\$</b>	<b>34,968.94</b>
EXPENSES		
Salaries/Benefits	\$	19,512.36
Preschool Wages	\$	1,431.75
Mortgage	\$	2,571.00
Child Care/Hospitality	\$	440.46
Fish Pantry	\$	-
Utilities	\$	1,769.59
Maintenance	\$	757.82
Insurance	\$	1,468.19
Office Expenses	\$	517.82
NI Synod	\$	2,550.00
Tanzania-VBS	\$	1,502.58
Worship	\$	258.90
Learning/Youth	\$	1,819.22
WW-Elana	\$	125.00
Advertising	\$	500.00
Fire Victims	\$	525.00
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>35,749.69</b>
<b>Income less Expenses</b>	<b>\$</b>	<b>(780.75)</b>



The students have adjusted well to the preschool school program as they have enjoyed exploring the classroom and making new friends. Now they are ready to jump into fall and experience all the activities and events that are planned for October.

Pastor Jon will join us weekly to engaged with the students and review the Bible story which was introduced that week. Mrs. Jane from the Lockport library will be joining us to read stories dealing with the season of Fall and Halloween and sing the dinosaur song with us. LASEC preschool screening will take place on October 11th and 12th and the Firemen will visit us on October 18th and 26th to review fire safety. They will help us to remember how to stop, drop and roll. At the end of the month, all preschool families will be invited to the Halloween carnival on Thursday, October 26th in the evening. Thank you much for all your support and continue to pray to us.

God Bless,  
The Shepherd of the Hill Preschool Staff

## Shepherd of the Hill Trunk or Treat!

Glow in  
the Dark!!

**PLEASE JOIN US!!!**

Saturday, October 21st

6:30pm

Shepherd of the Hill Lutheran Church

925 E. 9th Street, Lockport

Dress in your favorite costume for Trunk or Treat!

Kids Activities



## ?? Bible Quiz ? ?

How many times does Jesus say we should forgive others?

- A. 7
- B. 70
- C. 77
- D. 70 x 7
- E. C or D, depending on the translation

forgive 

Answer: E (See Matthew 18:22.)

# 500<sup>TH</sup> Anniversary OF THE REFORMATION

Get ready, SOTH, to celebrate LUTHER MONTH, this October in celebration of Reformation 500.

## Schedule of Events

Sept. 24 – Announcement of the Family Brat/Beer Fest. Outdoor event: Beer = \$3 , Hot dog= \$2, Brat=\$3, Chips= \$1, Water =\$1 Kraut, condiments, Koolaide, coffee = Free. Tickets will be sold at the door – 1 ticket=\$1

Oct. 1 – Theme “95 Thesis & Media Literacy” – Intro to Luther and his history.

Movie between services in Narthex. Jan Rauworth teaches craft of the Luther Rose in the Council Rm. Oktoberfest reservations will go on sale. (Look for bulletin insert for details & colored envelopes in pew.)

Oct. 8. – Theme “The German Bible”. Movie between services in Narthex. Sue Forbes and Tina Baker lead a Time-Line Scavenger Hunt on the Kiosks. Secure your spot at the Oktoberfest dinner with the bulletin insert and pew envelope.

Oct. 15 – Theme “ Luther’s Small Catechism”. Family Brat/Beer Fest in circle drive after second service. The Gustafson’s entertain us as Martin & Katie. Games for kids. Casual dress and bring a lawn chair. Again, reserve your spot for the Oktoberfest

Oct. 22 – Theme “Augsburg Confession”. Puppets and Jan Rauworth’s Luther Rose craft in Council Rm. Plan on attending the Oktoberfest dinner!

Oct. 29 – Culminating Activity – Celebratory Church, followed by Oktoberfest and Entertainment after 1 & only Service at 10:30. Last minute spots are still available for dinner.

“A Mighty Fortress IS our GOD”.

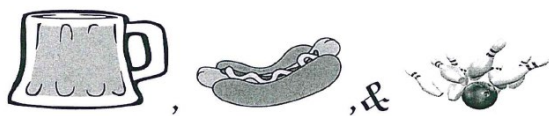
This month, let us celebrate the message Luther brought to us.





Come celebrate the “3 B’s” at  
SOTH, Oct. 15!

That’s right:



(Luther loved bowling)

And lots more fun and games for all ages.

### **It’s the Family Brat/Beer Fest!**

Where: SOTH Circle Drive

(Outdoor event – Bring a lawn chair & dress casual)

When: Right after 2<sup>nd</sup> Service

What else? Roving Katie and Martin for your entertainment  
and enlightenment

#### **Food & Drink:**

Beer - \$3, Water - \$1, Koolaide, coffee - Free!

Hot dog = \$2, Brat = \$3, Chips = \$1, kraut, condiments,

**Tickets available at the door: 1 ticket - \$1**

### **|Church World Service needs our help!**

CWS is sending hygiene kits to areas that have been affected by recent natural disasters and needs help restocking their shelves. Let’s help them by making some! It’s easy and it will be a big help to those in need. Just follow the directions below to assemble a kit and drop off as many as you make to the church office by October 8.

#### **Supplies needed:**

- One hand towel measuring approximately 15”x 28” to 16”x 32”  
(no fingertip, bath, dish towel or micro-fiber)
- One washcloth
- One wide-tooth comb removed from the package
- One finger nail or toe nail clipper removed from the package
- One bath size bar of soap in the wrapper
- One toothbrush in the package
- Ten standard size Band-Aids

All items must be new. All items need to fit inside a one-gallon plastic zipper closure bag. Remove the excess air from the bag and seal before boxing. **Do not add any extra items or toothpaste.** A tube of extended expiration date toothpaste will be added to each Hygiene Kit just prior to its journey.

\*A processing fee of \$2 is asked for each kit. If you would like to donate \$2 per kit, please put the money in a separate envelope and not in the kit. You can also give a donation to the church for the processing fee or for others to make more kits.

\*\*The cost for each kit is approximately \$15. If you would like to donate its equivalent cost, the materials for the kit will be purchased and the kit assembled for you at the church.

For more information contact Sonya Pedersen at 714-335-2996.



### **LOCKPORT FISH PANTRY IS CLOSING TEMPORARILY**

The current building (604 E. 9th Street) has officially been sold and the FISH Pantry will cease operations as of September 22, 2017.

The FISH Pantry will be back in service once the new location (1463 S. Farrell Road, the new Township building) is up and running. The opening date is still to be determined.

How can you help? You can help your community right now by taking a brown Berkots grocery bag from the narthex, and filling it with the following:

- 2 Cans of tuna fish or chicken
- 1 Box of pasta
- 1 Jar of spaghetti sauce
- 2 Knorr rice sides or canned Chef Boyardee  
(or similar but DO NOT require milk or a microwave to prepare)
- 2 Cans of peas, green beans, or corn
- 4 Breakfast bars

Please do not add anything else to your bag. If you would like to help out even more, take another bag and fill that up with the same items. Bring your bag(s) to church this week so that they can be distributed right away.

The First Congregational Church will be the distribution site for now. How else can you help? You can help by volunteering to distribute the food bags at First Congregational. Please call our church office for further information on volunteering there.

**Shepherd of the Hill Lutheran Church Council Minutes**  
**Tuesday, September 19, 2017**

The meeting was called to order by President Steve Kirk at 6:30 PM.

Present: Steve Kirk, Rick McManis, Ken Bobek, Dennis Wellsandt, Tom Gustafson and Phil Sleezer.  
Absent: Dave Helfert, Amber Gayhart, Nell Pieper and Pastor Jon Pedersen

**Special Order of Business/Guests**

Mike Markwell was in attendance. He presented a proposal to Council suggesting that the Youth Room be repurposed and refurbished for the use of our high school youth. The brick walls would be painted (by the youth). A 4'x4' chalk board will be mounted and additional wall art will be added as well. Mike provided a floor plan and a list of items that will be needed for the room (i.e, area rug, coffee table, beanbag chair, couch). Mike feels that the project will cost approximately \$800. Funds will come from money already budgeted for the high school youth ministry and from the Youth Fundraising account.

A motion to approve the project was made by Phil Sleezer (2<sup>nd</sup> by Ken Bobek). The motion carried.

The Council shared personal “highs/lows” and prayed for one another.

Minutes of the July 22 Council meeting were approved prior to the meeting via email.

**Treasurer’s Report:** Treasurer Wellsandt presented a financial report for the month of August as well as a year-to-date spreadsheet. Wellsandt noted that giving has been down over the last few months compared to the first 1/3 of the year. He said that this is typical and that hopefully giving will pick up in the fall and early winter.

**Pastor’s Report (Highlights):** On September 10, there was a meeting concerning the proposed mission trip to Nicaragua. Ten to twelve people expressed interest in making the trip. It is scheduled for January 20-28, 2018.

On September 14, the Visitation Group had an informational meeting. Thirteen people expressed interest.

On September 16, Shepherd of the Hill participated in the Dellwood Block Party, “Back to School, Back to Church.” SOTH flyers and bags were distributed as well as flyers for ELCA, Youth Ministry, LRC, Care for the Caregiver and Preschool.

On November 9, the Synod’s annual Discipleship Gathering will take place at First Lutheran in Joliet.

**Youth Ministers Report:**

Council received the Youth Ministry Coordinator’s report from Mike Markwell. It included a schedule of activities through early November.

\$800.45 was raised by our youth at their recent garage sale. A \$100 donation was given to the LRC, and the remaining money was added to the youth account for summer camps and trips

## **Ministry Team Reports:**

Communications (Tom Gustafson): The Committee met on Saturday, September 9. A primary focus at present is moving the SOTH web page to a new host/provider. This needs to be done by the end of the year as our present host is going out of business.

Evangelism/Fellowship and Caring (Amber Gayhart/Rick McManis) with Learning and Youth: (Amber Gayhart/Rick McManis): The Ministry Teams were involved with the Dellwood Park Block Party.

The Palm Squad is preparing a presentation for Reformation month.

Stewardship (Pastor Pedersen): No recommendations to Council.

Preschool (Nell Pieper): No report (Nell absent).

Property (Phil Sleezer): There are several areas of concern. (1) Once again we need roof repairs. Estimates will be obtained. (2) Cracks in the parking lot need to be filled. (3) Repairs (toilet and tiles) need to be made in the men's bathroom (main floor) and the children's bathroom (lower level). (4) One of the two pumps used for our HVAC system needs repair.

Worship (Pastor Pedersen): No report (Pastor absent).

Finance/Audit (Dennis Wellsandt): The 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter audit will be done in early October.

On October 21 Treasurer Wellsandt will be attending a treasurer's workshop in Rochelle, IL.

Memorial Gifts (Nell Pieper): No report given.

Personnel (Ken Bobek): The committee did not meet.

Nominations (Dave Helfert): No report (Dave absent).

## **Old Business:**

Copies of By-Laws and Constitution: The project has been completed. Updated digital copies will be sent to Council members.

Development of new SOTH Mission Statement (Pastor Pedersen and Amber Gayhart): Tabled for a future meeting.

HVAC/Plumbing update: On a motion by Phil Sleezer (2d by Rick McManis) Council approved a partial payment of \$2,500 to the 20/10 Engineering Group. This project should begin soon.

Approval of Congregational Meeting Minutes. Council agreed that minutes of congregational meetings should be approved by the congregation **IF** the meetings are close together (i.e., approving minutes of the December meeting at the January meeting). For meetings that are far apart, the minutes will be approved by the Council's Executive Committee.


## **New Business:**

Building Use Policy. Tabled until the October meeting.

Council Meeting: The next Council meeting will be on Tuesday, October 17 at 6:30 pm.

Phil Sleezer moved for adjournment. The meeting adjourned at 8:05 and was closed with the Lord's Prayer.

Approved 9/20/17  
MTG



## The gift of grace

God's grace is a free gift, not something we can earn on our own. How do we have this gift?

*Directions: Complete the Bible verse by placing the capital letters from the gifts on the blanks below.*

F	u	O	R	L	t	A	s	W	v	w	G
I	x	V	p	E	N	M	q	O	S	a	r
E	r	S	e	G	R	m	A	C	E	d	T
R	U	n	T	H	T	H	R	k	O	U	G
H	j	J	E	S	f	U	S	u	C	o	H
R	b	I	y	p	S	T	J	O	i	H	N

“ \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ was \_\_\_\_\_  
 through \_\_\_\_\_ ; \_\_\_\_\_ and  
 \_\_\_\_\_ came \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ .”

\_\_\_\_\_ 1:17, NIV

Answer: “For the law was given through Moses; grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.” John 1:17, NIV

## Sign of grace

Make this sign to hang on your wall as a daily reminder of God's amazing gift of grace.



**What you need:**

- White poster board
- Large wooden letters that spell GRACE
- Painter's tape
- Tempura paint
- Paper plates
- Paintbrushes
- Colored pens or markers



**What you do:**

1. Place the poster board on the ground (outside, if possible).
2. Put tape on the back of the letters and secure them to the board. No tape should be visible.
3. Paint and draw all over the poster board. Be creative with splatters, handprints and so on.
4. When paint is dry, remove the letters and hang up the poster.







# VOLUNTEERS: VERY VALUABLE!

Helper Schedule  
August 26 - November 2017

	Assisting Minister	Communion	Lay Reader	AV Operator	Ushers 9am	Counters Weekly
	9am Only	Assistant 9am	9am Only	All Services	Flink/Gaddis	
8/26-8/27	Jim Forbes	Jan Rauworth	Lynn Reed	Sat. 5pm Jerry Liston	Flink/Gaddis	Lois Reil
		Donna Woods		Sun. 9:00am Andy Neil		Doug Waldvogel
				Sun. 10:35am Phil Sleezer		
9/2-9/3	Gary Wintersteen	Lynn Reed	Donna Rothlisberger	Sat. 5pm Kris Glowczynski	Flink/Gaddis	John Yudt
		Tina Baker		Sun. 9:00am Nathan Helfert		Sally Unmisig
				Sun. 10:35am Susan Mead		
9/9-9/10	Dave Helfert	Jeri Rigoni	Jan Sleezer	Sat. 5pm Bryan Rauworth	Flink/Gaddis	Don Lawler
		Nancy Baumgart		Sun. 9:00am Phil Sleezer		Sharon Grabenhofer
				Sun. 10:35am Jerry Liston		
9/16-9/17	Harold Sager	Gary Haut	Mickey Callaghan	Sat. 5pm Phil Sleezer	Flink/Gaddis	Chris Toso
		Bill Bunting		Sun. 9:00am Bryan Rauworth		Ed Grabenhofer
				Sun. 10:35am Kris Glowczynski		
9/23-9/24	Jim Forbes	Dan Gaddis	Harold Sager	Sat. 5pm Paul Toso	Flink/Gaddis	Lois Reil
		Bryan Rauworth		Sun. 9:00am Andy Neil		Doug Waldvogel
				Sun. 10:35am Jerry Liston		
9/30-10/1	Linda Bunting	Dave Helfert	Jeri Rigoni	Sat. 5pm Kris Glowczynski	Flink/Gaddis	John Yudt
		Kirstin Mack		Sun. 9:00am Susan Mead		Sally Unmisig
				Sun. 10:35am Phil Sleezer		
10/7-10/8	Susan Mead	Donna Rothlisberg	Marianne Wintersteen	Sat. 5pm Phil Sleezer	Flink/Gaddis	Don Lawler
		Harold Sager		Sun. 9:00am Nathan Helfert		Sharon Grabenhofer
				Sun. 10:35am Jerry Liston		
10/14-10/15	Gary Wintersteen	Jan Rauworth	Gary Haut	Sat. 5pm Phil Sleezer	Flink/Gaddis	Chris Toso
		Jeri Rigoni		Sun. 9:00am Kris Glowczynski		Ed Grabenhofer
				Sun. 10:35am Susan Mead		
10/21-10/22	Jeri Rigoni	Susan Mead	Gary Flink	Sat. 5pm Kris Glowczynski	Flink/Gaddis	Lois Reil
		Donna Woods		Sun. 9:00am Susan Mead		Doug Waldvogel
				Sun. 10:35am Phil Sleezer		
10/28-10/29	Dave Helfert	Jan Rauworth	Tina Baker	Sat. 5pm Jake Zacharias	Flink/Gaddis	John Yudt
Reformation		Linda Bunting		Sun. 9:00am Bryan Rauworth		Sally Unmisig
1 Service Sun						
11/4-11/5	Harold Sager	Tina Baker	Carole Ziemke	Sat. 5pm Jerry Liston	Flink/Gaddis	Don Lawler
Confirmation		Lynn Reed		Sun. 9:00am Andy Neil		Sharon Grabenhofer
				Sun. 10:35am Paul Toso		
11/11-11/12	Susan Mead	Nancy Baumgart	Linda Bunting	Sat. 5pm Jerry Liston	Flink/Gaddis	Don Lawler
		Jeri Rigoni		Sun. 9:00am Nathan Helfert		Ed Grabenhofer
				Sun. 10:35am Phil Sleezer		
11/18-11/19	Linda Bunting	Dan Gaddis	Heidi Habas	Sat. 5pm Jake Zacharias	Flink/Gaddis	Lois Reil
		Gary Haut		Sun. 9:00am Susan Mead		Doug Waldvogel
				Sun. 10:35am Bryan Rauworth		
11/25-11/26	Jeri Rigoni	Dave Helfert	Jan Rauworth	Sat. 5pm Kris Glowczynski		John Yudt
		Tina Baker		Sun. 9:00am Jerry Liston		Sally Unmisig
				Sun. 10:35am Phil Sleezer		

## Executive Committee Members

Steve Kirk .....President  
 Dave Helfert..... Vice President  
 Tom Gustafson. .... Secretary  
 Dennis Wellsandt..... Treasurer

## Council Member

Ken Bobak                      Rick McManis  
 Nell Pieper                    Amber Gayhart  
 Phil Sleezer

Council Meets the 3rd Tuesday of the Month  
 at 6:30PM



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10/3 Sally Hausken  
 10/4 Nancy Mormann  
 10/5 Justin Phillips  
 10/6 Lura Reyes  
 10/8 Andres Caneva  
 10/9 Kathy McCarthy, Elyse Zabelka  
 10/10 Michael Meyers  
 10/11 Abigail, Aiden and Caitlyn Grabenhofer,  
 Megan Szczepanski  
 10/12 Fred Grabenhofer Sr., Kevin Helfert,  
 James Peterson  
 10/13 Alan Mead, Janice Waldvogel  
 10/14 Hailey and Jacob Soderstrom  
 10/15 Audrey Larson  
 10/16 Debra Crosse  
 10/18 Anthony Kopel, Paul Marolda  
 10/19 Raymond Anderson, Lois Reil, John Yudt  
 10/20 Brian Gerrity  
 10/22 Susan Mead  
 10/24 Raquel Caneva, Vada Cartwright,  
 Richard McManis  
 10/28 Diane Bramlet  
 10/29 Donna Rothlisberger  
 10/30 Charles Grabenhofer  
 10/31 Lisa McManis



10/1 James & Dominica Calderaro  
 10/2 David & Mary Helfert  
 10/6 Sherry & Sean Aoyagi, Cean & Anne Magosky  
 10/12 Bob & Ellen Schroll  
 10/13 Carl & Abby Larson  
 10/16 James & Judy Lake  
 10/18 Jeri & Jeffrey Rigoni  
 10/20 Walter & Ida Lewandowski  
 10/23 Bill & Joan Butler  
 10/24 Debra & Kevin Crosse  
 10/25 John & Fern Kinder  
 10/26 Alan & Susan Mead  
 10/26 Troy & Kelly Siewert  
 10/28 Bill & Beverly Dornick  
 10/29 David & Dorothy Kuehl



## Shepherd of the Hill Lutheran Church

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### Mission

"To Know Jesus And To Make Jesus Known"

### Vision

"Transforming Lives, Families And Our  
Community Through Jesus Christ"



## SERVICE SCHEDULE

### Saturday

5:00PM

### Sunday

9:00AM and 10:35AM

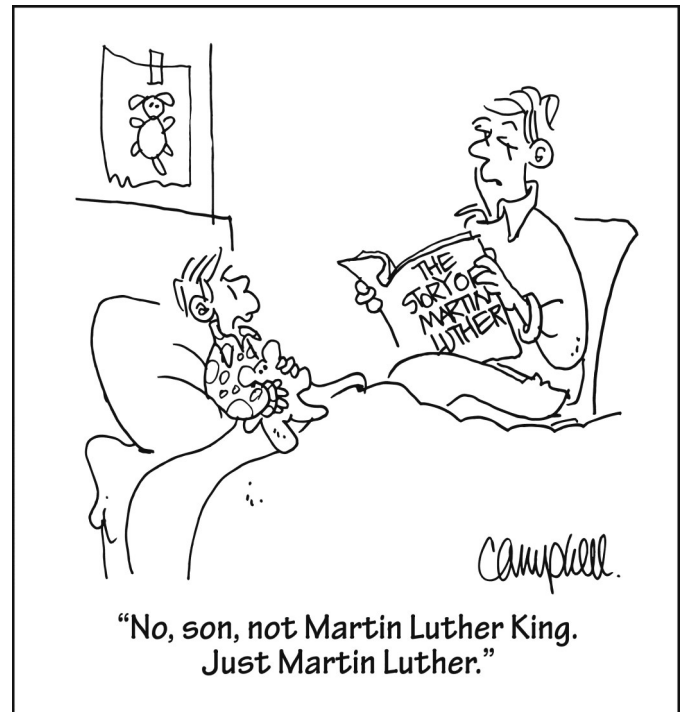
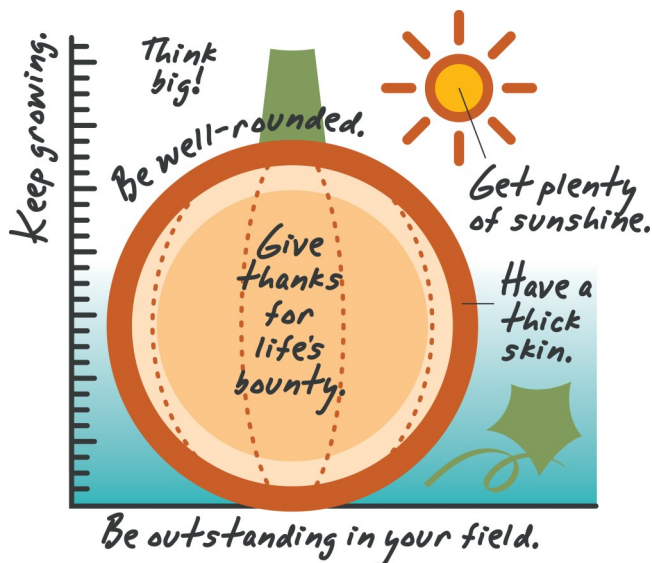
### Sunday School

Starts 9/10/17

10:30AM

Childcare Available

## GOOD TIDINGS



## How to Contact Good Tidings

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"The Reformer is always right about what's wrong. However, he's often wrong about what is right."

—G.K. Chesterton