

HOLY SHEPHERD HAPPENINGS
*Worshipping and Growing Together in Christ,
 Serving and Reaching Out Joyfully to All*

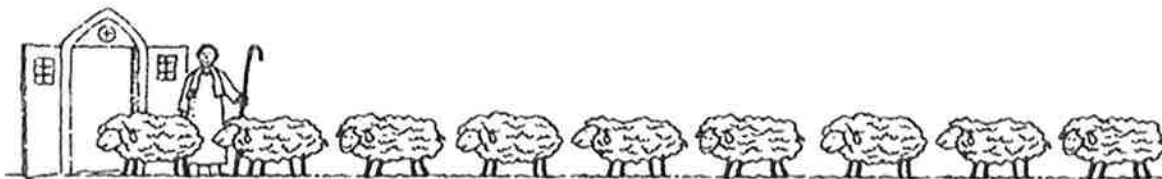


Sat/Nov 17	5:30pm	Holy Communion - Traditional
Sun/Nov 18	8:00am	Holy Communion - Traditional
	9:15am	Community Time (FH)
	9:30am	Adult Ed (BC)
	9:45am	Praise Team (S)
	10:45am	Holy Communion - Contemporary
	11:45am	Community Time (N)
	2:00pm	Finnish Christmas Carol Concert (S)
	5:00pm	HSLC Bridge Club (FH)
Mon/Nov 19	5:30pm	Council Meeting (MP)
	6:30pm	Prayer Shawl Ministry (N)
Tues/Nov 20	9:30am	Women's Morning Bible Study (MP)
	11:00am	Memorial Service for Carol Sipes (S,N,L,FH) Luncheon following the Service
	2:30pm	Transition Team (L)
	7:00pm	Book Club (L)
Wed/Nov 21		Mailing of Shepherd Staff
	7:45am	Newsletter folders (FH)
	7:00pm	Thanksgiving Eve Worship followed by Pie Social (FH)
Thurs/Nov 22		<i>Thanksgiving Day—Office Closed</i>
Fri/Nov 23		<i>Office Closed</i>
Sat/Nov 24	5:30pm	Holy Communion - Traditional
Sun/Nov 25	8:00am	Holy Communion - Traditional
	9:15am	Community Time (FH)
	9:30am	Adult Ed (BC)
	9:45am	Praise Team (S)
	10:45am	Holy Communion - Contemporary
	11:45am	Community Time (N)

Readings for the week of November 24 & 25, 2018

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14; Psalm 93
 Revelation 1:4b-8; John 18:33-37

What's Happening at Holy Shepherd? For a full listing of upcoming events held at Holy Shepherd, please refer to the calendar on the website at www.holyshepherd.com. Weekend emails and/or voice messages are available - contact the church office for more information.



- **Jeff Braden, Council President**, has had changes in his job and, due to time limitations, he is unable to carry out his role as President of Council. Jamie Curry, Vice President, will be acting as President until the Annual Meeting in January when the congregation will elect new leadership. For right now, we give thanks to Jeff for his dedicated leadership and we give thanks to Jamie for stepping in!
- ***The Most Beautiful Christmas Carols*** - Sunday, November 18th at 2:00pm in the Sanctuary. Finnish Christmas songs. All are welcome!
- **What's happening in Transition?** - A bulletin board by the entrance to the narthex will keep you updated. Also check the website or talk with:

Shirley Bradsby	Denise Ikenberry
Don Threlkeld	Paul Thomas
Joan Meister-Bridges	Carol Rossini
- **Thanksgiving Eve Service and Pie Social - November 21st**
 - ELCA World Hunger Appeal - special offering envelopes in the pews
 - Bring non-perishable food items forward during the service to share with the Action Center. They will distribute over 4,000 boxes of food for Thanksgiving at the Jeffco Stadium.
 - Bring a pie to share - enjoy our annual pie social following the service.
- **Holden Village**, is a Lutheran ministry, welcomes all people into the wilderness to be called, equipped and sent by God to share the rhythms of Word and Sacrament; work, recreation, and study; intercession and healing. Located in the mountains of Glacier Peak Wilderness, Washington.

Have you ever thought about going to Holden, to return again, or wondering . . . what is Holden? If so, please come to a "exploratory" meeting to discuss the possibility of attending next summer as a group. Gathering should last about ½ hour to start the conversation to see where it might take us. Three times will be offered: **Saturday, December 1st – 6:30pm; Sunday December 2nd – 9:00am and 10:45am.**

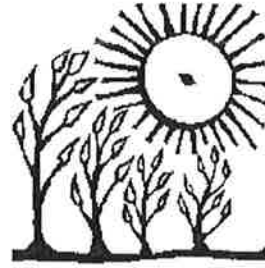
You only need to attend 1 meeting. We will meet in the library. *Come, check it out, share your thoughts and who knows... you may be going to Holden!*

Altar flowers this weekend are given to the glory of God by Dorothy Haldeman in memory of her husband, Robert.

Pastors: Michael TeKrony and Kari Reiquam
Pastors' EMERGENCY number – 303-562-4207

Growing in Faith

November 18-24, 2018
Thanksgiving Week



Sunday, November 18

9:30am

Adult Education: Millennial Panel *Bell Choir Room*

What do 2 millennials have to say about what they are looking for in church?

Guest Leaders

Tuesday, November 20

Women's Morning Bible Study

9:30am *Fellowship Hall*

Topic: Repentance. Turning the Church to the World

Leader: Pat Mohrbacher

Holy Shepherd Book Club

7:00pm *Library*

Book Selection: **The Absolute True diary of a Part Time Indian**

Author: Sherman Alexie

A heart-breaking, funny, and well-written story of Junior (Arnold Spirit Jr.) growing up on a reservation. A tale of a boy's survival of many medical and social set-backs to become a budding cartoonist.

Leader: Gail Skaggs

The following classes will not meet:

- Wednesday Adult Education Class
- Thursday Morning Lectionary Bible Study
- Men's Bible Study & Breakfast (Saturday)



God's Work

Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church's Story



November 17 – 23 focus:
GRATITUDE

1. You are invited to reflect on your experience at Holy Shepherd. Here are some questions to think about.
 - What called you to Holy Shepherd?
 - How has your experience at Holy Shepherd enhanced your life?
2. **Reflect** on the people, the activities, and the circumstances you have participated in at Holy Shepherd. It could be big things or the small things, like the welcoming smiles, the out stretched handshake, the smell of coffee, a quiet place to sit, a kind and thoughtful word, the encouragement at a challenging time, the music, or the inspiring words of the gospel that help us live with a grateful heart and share it with others.
3. It is time to count our blessings and express our gratitude. Write your name and what you are grateful for on a sticky note and add it to the time line.

***PLEASE** continue to write the names of the **People** who have helped you grow your relationship with Christ on the pink sticky notes and the **Small Group Ministries** you have participated in on the yellow sticky notes. Then add them to the **TIME LINE** too!*

**Holy Shepherd
Time Line Project**
Missing Information???



The source material for the **Time Line Art Project** comes from the Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church 50th Anniversary Publication (1954-2005) and the Annual Reports (2005-2017).

If you know of other factual information about the building, people, or small group ministries, please let us know by filling out the information below and putting it in the basket.

Please add the following information to the
Holy Shepherd Time Line Art Project.

Name _____

Phone Number _____

Email Address _____

DATE of Information _____



Community First Foundation and FirstBank are presenting Colorado Gives Day on **Tuesday, December 4, 2018.**

This annual statewide movement celebrates and increases philanthropy in Colorado through online giving. The \$1 Million Incentive Fund created by the partners is one of the largest giving-day incentive funds in the country. Donate on ColoradoGives.org to make your donations.

How do I make a donation on ColoradoGives.org?

1. From most pages on the site, you can search for nonprofits by name, keyword, cause, city or zip code. It is also possible to search for ColoradoGives fundraising pages that benefit specific nonprofits. You can further filter your search results by a status (e.g., how recently they joined the site or how close to a goal they are), region, or alphabetical listing.

2. After selecting a nonprofit or fundraising page, select "Donate Now" from their profile and complete the checkout process.

Note: You can make one-time donations as a guest and need not create an account.

Alternative Gift Giving

A form of gift giving where the donor, instead of buying a gift for the recipient, makes a donation to a charitable organization in the recipient's name.



ELCA GOOD GIFTS

community.elca.org

WORLD HUNGER APPEAL

elca.org/hunger

*** CAPITOL HILL COMMUNITY SERVICES**

mealsforthe poor.org

*** DENVER INDIAN CENTER**

denverindiancenter.org

*** THE ACTION CENTER**

theactioncenter.org

OUTDOOR MINISTRY

*** Rainbow Trail Lutheran Camp**

rainbowtrail.org

Sky Ranch Lutheran Camp

skyranchcolorado.org

BREAD FOR THE WORLD

bread.org

*** URBAN SERVANT CORPS**

urbanservantcorps.org

*** HABITAT FOR HUMANITY**

habitat.org

*** CHRIST AID INTERNATIONAL**

christaidinc.org

*** SECOND WIND FUND**

thesecondwindfund.org

*** LUTHERAN FAMILY SERVICES**

lfsrm.org

*** FAMILY PROMISE**

familypromiseofgreaterdenver.org

HEIFER PROJECT

heifer.org

BORDER SERVANT CORPS

borderservantcorps.org

*** WARM HEARTS, WARM BABIES**

warmheartswarmbabies.org

*** *Colorado Gives Day Non-Profit Recipients***

LUTHERAN DISASTER RESPONSE
U.S. WILDFIRES

NOVEMBER 2018

ELCA.org/disaster

Wildfires are raging across California, destroying thousands of homes and wiping out the town of Paradise, located north of Sacramento. Multiple deaths have been confirmed and large-scale, mandatory evacuations are in place for multiple communities across the state's impacted areas as first responders work to gain control of the fires.

Northern California and the California synods to respond to this fire. As the fires are still raging, we continue to assess the ever-changing situation to determine the best ways to respond.

Lutheran Disaster Response is working with Lutheran Social Services of Southern California, Lutheran Social Services of

Gifts to Lutheran Disaster Response designated for "U.S. wildfires" will be used to help those affected by wildfires until the response is complete. Together, we can help provide immediate and long-lasting support. Please give today.

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YES, I WANT TO HELP!

- Lutheran Disaster Response: *U.S. wildfires* \$ _____ DDG0077
- Lutheran Disaster Response: *Where needed most* \$ _____ DDG0010

Name _____

Address _____

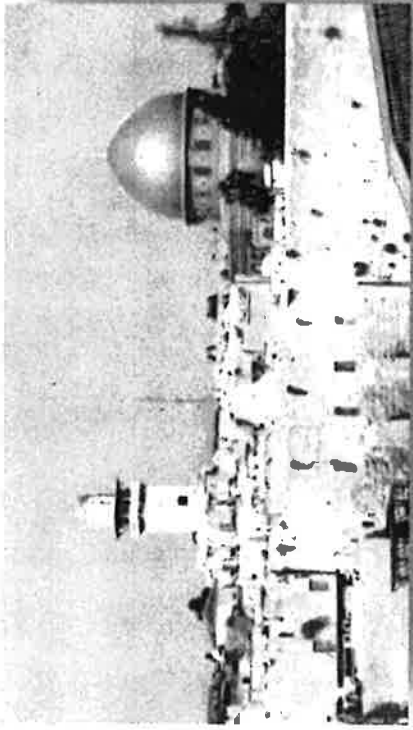
City _____ State _____ ZIP code _____

Email address _____

Give through your congregation or make your check out to
Lutheran Disaster Response and send to:
Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, ELCA Gift Processing Center
P.O. Box 1809, Merrifield, VA 22116-8009
Write "*U.S. wildfires*" or "*Where needed most*" on your check's memo line.



Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
God's work. Our hands.



Living Stones Pilgrimage

For those of you who heard Pastor Arnie Voigt speak recently at HSLC of the “Living Stones” or just maybe you have always been interested in visiting the Holy Land, you now have this opportunity!

On November 19 - 29, 2019, travelers from Colorado, led by Pastor Michael Stadtmueller, will embark on a trip beyond the viewing of the old stones left by previous inhabitants of the Holy Land. This pilgrimage introduces you to the Living Stones who continue a two millennia presence in this land made holy by God's actions, both throughout history and continuing today.

The tour will begin in Galilee and then visit ancient sites from the Old and New Testaments throughout the lands of historic Palestine and Israel. This trip will offer insights into the land and its people: the past, present, and future of the place where Jesus lived and did His ministry. The hope is that all participants will find a deeper connection to the roots of Christianity and gain greater insight and understanding of the current situation in the Holy Land. You will be far more than a visitor to the Holy Land. You will travel as a guest of the Christian Churches in the Holy Land; the Living Stones.

For more information on this opportunity, please contact Eric Kurtz at (303) 432-8167 or email: e_kurtz@hoi@mail.com. An itinerary of this trip is located at the information station in the Narthex.