

Happenings

Trusting God + Loving the World

Weekly Calendar
Week of March 23, 2025

WORSHIP LIVE STREAM
HOLY SHEPHERD YOUTUBE CHANNEL

Sunday, March 23

9:00am Adult Education

10:00am + Worship Service + (S)
Live Streaming (YouTube)

11:15am Caring Ministry (Ed Rm 7)

11:00am Sky Ranch Day Camp Planning (L)

Monday, March 24

1:00pm Women's Early Afternoon
Bible Study (L)

4:00pm Family Recovery Night
(FH, L, Ed Rm 1)

4:15pm Private Lessons (CR)

Tuesday, March 25

9:00am Busy Bees (Ed Rm 1, 2, 3)

1:00pm Admin Staff Meeting (Admin)

4:15pm Private Lessons (CR)

Wednesday, March 26

9:30am Private Event (FH)

4:30pm Social Committee Meeting (L)

5:00pm Handbells (BCR)

5:30pm Dinner Church/Lenten Reflection

6:30pm Chancel Choir (CR)

Thursday, March 27

8:30am Lectionary Bible Study (Zoom)

4:15pm Private Lessons (CR)

Friday, March 28

11:00am Prayer Group for Everyone (L)

Saturday, March 29

8:00am Men's Breakfast (FH)

Weekly Sunday Worship

w/ Holy Communion

Lost Sheep, Lost Coin, Lost Son

10:00am



The Season of Lent:
Mercy in Troubled Times

March 30 - Rich Man and Lazarus

April 6 - Zacchaeus

Holy Week & Easter

April 13- April 20

Adult Education - Sunday Mornings

9am - Library

March 23rd

Action Center Future Plans

March 30th

Pilgrimage to Poland

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Has exciting new plans

Learn more

9:00 am March 23 Fellowship Hall

NEW MAILING ADDRESS

Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church
PO Box 150265
Lakewood, CO 80215



GROWING IN CHRIST



Men's Saturday Morning Fellowship

Saturday mornings - 8am

Busy Bees

2nd & 4th Tuesday of the month - 9-11am

Prayer Shawl Ministry

2nd Wednesday of the month - 3:30-4:30pm

Writers Group

1st Thursday of the month - 11-1:00pm

Book Club

2nd Tuesday of the month - 1:30-2:30pm

Adult Lectionary Bible Study - Zoom

Thursdays - 8:30am

Women's Early Afternoon Bible Study (WEABS)

2nd & 4th Monday of the month - 1-2:30pm

Women's Morning Bible Study

3rd Tuesday of the month - 10:00am

Prayer Group for Everyone

2nd & 4th Friday of the month - 10-11:00am

March 30th Fellowship

includes a celebration and blessing for the Kella family.

Felicia and Junior's cultural tradition is to bestow God's blessing on a family in anticipation of a baby's birth. Holy Shepherd is fulfilling this role, along with sharing tangible gifts for a baby boy due to them in April.
(See below)

Lenten Dinner Church

A simple soup supper each
Wednesday in Lent,
followed by a Lenten reflection

March 12, 19, 26, April 2, 9
from 5:30-6:30pm in the
Fellowship Hall



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Holy Shepherd's Annual Food Drive

Pick up a bag today. Return them on March 23rd or 30th.

The most needed food items include:

Cereal and Oatmeal, Cooking Oil, Rice, Canned Meals, Canned Soup, Canned Fruit, Canned Meat, Peanut Butter, Pasta and Sauce, Cat and Dog Food

One of the spiritual practices of Lent is 'almsgiving' or 'acts of love'. In the next weeks, there are several opportunities for you to engage in acts of love for people near and far by providing:

Food T-shirt bags. See above!

Baby supplies. For the Kella family baby boy due in April. Many repurposed items have been secured, but a list of still-needed items is available at the Welcome Center. Gift cards for Walmart or money (checks to Holy Shepherd with memo) work as well. Bring items on March 30. See top of page.

ELCA World Hunger: Holy Shepherd Hunger Dinner - May 3rd



FELLOWSHIP HOSTS

MARCH 23 - OPEN
MARCH 30 - IMMIGRATION, MISSION, EL CLASS
KELLA FAMILY BLESSING



If you are interested in helping with fellowship treats and serving, please take a pamphlet from the kitchen door by the sign-up sheet.

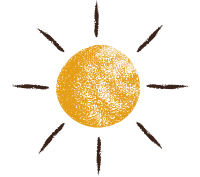
ANNOUNCEMENTS



*Spring is here and
it's bee time!*

The hives on Holy Shepherd's north property are showing activity and if you are interested in hosting a swarm trap at your home, talk to Tom and Kristin Knapp in the narthex March 16 or 23. (They will handle the bees!)

**Save the Date
June 23-27**



Sky Ranch Day Camp

**at Holy Shepherd
Ages K-8th grade**



Pancake Breakfast
A fundraiser for
Habitat for Humanity

Sunday, April 6th
During fellowship

English Language Class

Sundays at 12:00pm in the Library
(Exception: Easter)

We welcome anyone who wants to learn or improve their ability to read, write, and speak English.

We also need volunteers to help with the class using the provided curriculum and activities for the adults and children.

For more information: Kathleen Clark
(303) 912-7876 | KFCowanClarke@gmail.com

Thank you 

OPPORTUNITIES TO GIVE

Thank you 

Family Promise On-Going Requests

There is a list of items that are needed on a regular basis, such as laundry detergent etc. Please take a list from the FP station across from the mission cabinet. Donations can be placed in the bin under the display board.

WARM HEARTS, WARM BABIES

Receiving blankets - Onesies - Burp Cloths - Girl's sweaters
Afghans - Girl's Outfits

IN OUR PRAYERS

Holy Shepherd Community

Sandy Bennett
George Wittenberg
Heather Wallace
Taz Walkowich
Richard Buethe
Karen Smith
Ben Mohrbacher
The family of Pat Shetler
(mother of Lynn Monson)
Thanksgiving for Quinn Kumar
(grandbaby to Ed and Annette Gillcrist)



NEW MEMBERS

Ed Haynes
Kelli Marko
Lynne & Larry Monson
Yvonne Wilken



Church, Neighborhood & World

We pray for...

- The congregations, ministries, and leaders of the **Boulder Broomfield Conference** of the RM Synod, ELCA
- Guests and Staff of **Family Promise** (Family Shelter hosted by Holy Shepherd)
- **Cristo Rey Lutheran Church**, Denver - Prayer Partner
- **Local schools** - Lakewood High School and Eiber Elementary School

HAPPENINGS DEADLINE

If you would like to add an announcement or prayer request to the Happenings for the upcoming week, please submit your request to office@holyshepherd.com by Wednesday, before noon.

CHURCH OFFICE & STAFF HOURS

OFFICE HOURS: TUESDAY – THURSDAY 9:00AM TO 1:00PM (303) 233-2740

Pastor Julie Brooks: Tuesday-Friday, 9-5pm (Phone ext. 101 - jbrooks@holyshepherd.com)
Pastor Kim Gonia: Tuesday-Friday, 9-5pm (Phone ext. 106 - kgonia@holyshepherd.com)

Diane Klinkerfues: Tuesday-Thursday (Phone ext. 109 - dklinkerfues@holyshepherd.com)
Emily Knapp: Tuesday-Thursday (Phone ext. 108 - office@holyshepherd.com)



Outside of scheduled office time, email staff directly for an appointment.
For urgent matters outside of office hours, dial one of the pastors' extensions and listen to the message to get their cell number.