

Worship of the Good Shepherd

June 22nd, 2025

Offering

Our congregation has joined together to proclaim Jesus and his love in this community and around the world. This offering is a joyful response of our faith. If you are a visitor with us, please do not feel obligated to give an offering unless you desire to do so.

Electronic Offering Options

- † VancoFaith church app on Apple or Android device
- \dagger **Online** giving at <u>www.gsholmen.org</u> Scan the QR Code $\rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow \rightarrow$

Credit card transactions have a 3% processing fee deducted from the offering while only 1% is deducted from an ACH bank transaction.



Serving in Worship Pastor: Gregory Pope Accompanist: Karin Stellick **Worship Attendance 6/15 and 6/16** Sunday Morning: 110 Monday Night: 13

Ushers & Greeter 9:00 am Mark Helmreich Gary Priem Heather McCarty

Next Week Ushers & Greeter

Mike Melott Tammy Melott Tim Beckendorf Kim Beckendorf

Good Shepherd's Weekly Calendar

Sunday, June 22nd Monday, June 23rd Saturday, June 28th Sunday, June 29th Monday, June 30th

Worship – 9am Worship – 6:30pm Brat Barn Fundraiser – 10am to 6pm Worship – 9am Worship - 6:30pm

Church Council Contact Information

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Good Shepherd Evangelical Lutheran Church

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Who Can You Invite to Church This Week?

Around us everywhere are people with whom Jesus wants us to share his message of love and salvation. Sometimes, we don't realize who in our lives we can invite to church or talk to about our faith with. That's why we are encouraging all of our members to think about who they can invite to church this week. They could be:

- Friends
- Relatives
- Acquaintances (work colleagues, dentists/doctors, coaches, etc.)
- Neighbors

Take five minutes and think about these lost souls, pray for them and consider inviting them to church this week.

Raising Funds for New Playground

- We have so much to be thankful for at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church especially the joy and laughter of children who fill our halls, classrooms, and worship spaces. As we look ahead with thankful hearts, we're excited to share a new opportunity to bless the youngest members of our church family: a brand-new playground for our preschool and the children of the congregation.
- A new playground will provide a safe, welcoming, and engaging space where children can learn, grow, and build friendships through active play. It will serve not only our preschool students, but also the many families who attend church events, worship services, and community gatherings.
- This is a significant project, and we are prayerfully inviting the entire Good Shepherd community to come together to help bring it to life. We are thrilled to announce that we've already received a generous lead gift! Now, we are seeking to raise an additional \$16,529 to meet our full goal.
- We invite you to give in honor of the children in your life, in memory of someone who loved kids, or simply out of gratitude for the blessings of family, faith, and fellowship. You can partner with others to sponsor together, or offer your support anonymously. If you are not able to give financially at this time, we welcome your prayers and encouragement—and invite you to share this opportunity with others who may feel called to support it.

Ways to donate:

- Online through the Vanco App please select the "Special Projects" category: https://secure.myvanco.com/L-Z7KV/home.
- In person via offering envelopes write "playground fund" on the "Other" line.

Let's build something together—for the children of Good Shepherd.

Vacation Bible School

Registration for VBS is now available. The dates for VBS are July 28 -31 from 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm. It is open to 3-year-olds through 5th grade. Please invite other family and friends as well. Anyone older than 5th grade through adults can also sign up for volunteer positions. Many volunteers are needed for this event. The theme this year is True North Trusting Jesus in a Wild World. You may register by scanning the QR code.

Right now, we are looking for volunteers to help with decorating. There is a sign-up sheet on the window in the narthex, or you can email Tammy at <u>tmelott@gsholmen.org</u> if this is something you would like to participate in. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact Tammy. We look forward to another wonderful VBS event here at Good Shepherd because of volunteers like you!

Sunday School Brat Barn Fundraiser

We have reserved the Brat Barn at Festival on Saturday, June 28th to raise funds for a new curriculum and the preschool playground. We will need many volunteers throughout the day to run the brat barn, and volunteers to grill the brats. Volunteers can be 7th grade and up. A sign-up sheet is posted in the narthex if you would like to take a time slot. You can also sign up online by using the QR Code. Let us know if

you have any questions, please contact Tammy Melott at <u>tmelott@gsholmen.org</u>. Thank you in advance for helping the Sunday School in this way.

Junior Knights Band

Registration is NOW OPEN for the Luther Junior Knights Band Program for the 2025-2026 school year! Any students in grades 5-8 are able to participate - secure your child's spot today!

More information can be found on the website at <u>https://www.lutherhigh.org/arts/junior-knights-band-jkb</u>.

Contact the program director, Emily Schmidt, at <u>schmemil@luther.k12.wi.us</u> or 608-783-5435 ext. 1322 if you have any questions!



