

October 17th, 2021

**SHEPHERD
CHURCH**



WEEKLY UPDATE

CONNECTING OUR COMMUNITY IN A MEANINGFUL RELATIONSHIP WITH CHRIST
FIRST TIME HERE?



We would love to meet you and answer your questions!

Please fill out a digital connection card or contact a member of our team with your questions or comments.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

This week's services will be streamed on Saturday at 6:00 PM and Sunday at 8:00, 9:30 and 11:00 AM. On-demand available following the service.

We encourage you to use The Loop to find phone numbers, emails, and addresses to stay in touch with each other during this time. If you cannot access this information, please contact Tim Swanson for additional methods of staying in touch.

IN-PERSON SERVICES

Our in-person services will be held at 8:00am, 9:30am, and 11:00am. We will be streaming services live during those times as well for those of you watching from home!

TRUNK OR TREAT

Trunk or Treat is right around the corner! This year it will take place on October 31st from 3-4:30pm. We are planning to have trunks filled with goodies, a scavenger hunt trail in the field, bonfire and s'mores, music, and hayrides! We need lots of candy! If you are willing to donate, there is a place to put donated candy out in the main church lobby. If you are interested in volunteering, please reach out to Ashley Kuhn at akuhn@shepnaz.org

PASTOR TIM ON SABBATICAL

Pastor Tim will be on sabbatical from October 17 to December 4, 2021. Please contact the church office if you have a pastoral need. The office number is [614-471-3368](tel:614-471-3368). The email address is info@shepnaz.org.

PASTOR APPRECIATION

October is Pastor Appreciation Month! We do appreciate our pastors and our church board always sets aside a small gift for them from everyone. In addition to that, we invite you to drop cards and notes, including gift cards if you wish, into a box in the foyer the last Sunday in October.

THE SHEPNAZ APP

We highly recommend downloading the ShepNaz app on your phone. Due to no longer handing out bulletins, this app has become a vital tool in helping us to stay connected. Through the App we will share updates, post song lyrics, provide access to the notes, and so much more.

CRAFT DAY

On October 23rd, we will have another craft day! This event will begin at 9am in the Fireside Room. Craft Day is for anyone! This is the perfect time to bring any project you have been working on or to start a new one. We look forward to seeing you there!

LANDSCAPING NEEDS

We have some landscaping needs here at Shepherd. If this is your things and you would like to help out, let us know on your connection card!

WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING

Every week the Pastors and a few others have been meeting for prayer at 9am on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Anyone is welcome to come and join us in prayer for one or all the prayer times throughout the week.

CONNECTING WITH CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

GROW Kids will have TWO services this weekend at 9:30am and 11:00am! These services will be for children ages 3yrs-5th grade. The Nursery is now open for the 9:30am service and the 11am service!

Come join us on Wednesday nights at 6:30pm for kids Connect Groups!

To see all the daily activities for GROW Kids go to the link below:

GROW Kids ShepNaz Page <http://shepnaz.org/ministries/grow-kids>

STUDENT MINISTRY

Student Ministry is in the full swing of things! On Sundays during the 9:30am service, we will have Scion University Classes for 6th-12th graders to promote spiritual growth and Christian education. Students are encouraged to attend the 11:00am service following the class. Wednesday Night Youth Group takes place on Wednesday evenings and be held in the FLC at **6:30pm**. We look forward to seeing you there!

ONE FOR ONE

Our One for One this week will go towards Nazarene Theological Seminary. The mission of Nazarene Theological Seminary is to form faithful and effective ministers of the Gospel of Jesus Christ to participate in the reconciling of the world to God. They support the calling of women and men in ministry by supporting their call in a community of scholars for the purpose of serving Christ and the world.

GIVING

During this uncertain time, we want to continue to minister to our community and meet our financial obligations to others. Your continued generosity will help us to be faithful in this area. One way to consider giving, if you have not already done so is to give digitally or online. In fact, nearly half of our giving comes in through digital means. There are several options available for you to give in this manner:

- **Online through "The Loop":** Online giving at Shepherd is safe, secure and easy! You can set the amount, frequency and even when you want your giving to be withdrawn each time you give. This is a great way to give consistently! In fact, we encourage as many people as we can to give through "The Loop!"
 - If you are already in "The Loop," [click here](#) to begin giving online.
 - If you aren't already in "The Loop" and want to get set up, you can [click here](#).
 - To give just one time without logging into "The Loop", [click here](#).

- **Through our Mobile App:** [Click here](#) to get the Shepherd Mobile App **or** Text "SHEPNAZAPP" to 77977
- **Text to Give:** Simply text "SHEPNAZ" to 77977 and follow the link. After setting it up the first time, you can give in a matter of seconds. It's safe and secure!
- **Through the Mail**
 - Shepherd Church of the Nazarene
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STATISTICS:

	10/17/2021	YTD
Worship Together*	-	-
Walk Together	-	-
Tithes Needed	\$22,192	-
Tithes Received	-	-
Faith Promise Needed	\$1,269	-
Faith Promise Received	-	-