

AUGUST 24, 2018

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH WANTS YOU TO KNOW . . .

If you are a guest, have a prayer request or want more information about Good Shepherd, please take a moment to complete a connection card found in the pews. Place your card in the offering plate during the collection.

## ***Things to Do***

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### **Books and Brew – Monday, August 27, 6:30 pm at Sola Coffee Café**

Pastor Tim and Pastor Marsha are hosting *Books and Brew* to go along with our final summer sermon series. Grab a brew of your choice (coffee or spirits) and join us to dig deeply into *Being Christian: Baptism, Bible, Eucharist, Prayer* by Rowan Williams.

### **Worship on Wednesdays (WOW)**

**Wednesday, August 29, 5:15-6:00 pm, Fellowship Hall** This monthly worship service is geared towards families with small children, but all are welcome! Join us for pizza at 5:15 pm followed by a family-friendly worship at 5:30-6:00 pm.

### **Rally/Raleigh Days**

**Saturday & Sunday, September 8 & 9** Good Shepherd, along with congregations throughout the ELCA, will get to work serving God's people with our hands with an opportunity to serve for everyone - all ages, all abilities, in the community and at Good Shepherd. Not available that weekend? Check out the list of donated items needed. Learn more and sign up to serve or donate items at [gslchurch.org/rallyraleigh](http://gslchurch.org/rallyraleigh).

### **Rams Cornhole Tournament**

**Saturday, September 15, 3:00–6:00 pm, GSLC** As the summer days wind down, all men (12 years old +) are invited to an afternoon of cornhole, competition, fun and food! Hot dog dinner will be served. Cash prize will be awarded. More information and registration at [gslchurch.org/events](http://gslchurch.org/events).

## ***Children and Youth***

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### **Middle School Beach Retreat Weekend**

**September 14-16 at Kure Beach Faith Center** Sun, sand, water, and waves! All 6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> grade students are invited to the Middle School Beach Retreat. This annual event is a great way to get to know fellow middle school students and get one last beach trip in before the fall. Register by

Wednesday, September 5 for early bird rate of \$75. More information and registration is available at [gslchurch.org/events](http://gslchurch.org/events). Questions? Contact [andrew.buck@gslchurch.org](mailto:andrew.buck@gslchurch.org).

### **BYG (Building Youth Groups) Weekend for 3<sup>rd</sup>–5<sup>th</sup> graders**

**October 19-21 at Camp Agape** Get ready for a fun-filled weekend! We will depart from and return to Good Shepherd together. \$65 non-refundable deposit is due at registration with final payment of \$75 due October 14. More information and registration is available at [gslchurch.org/events](http://gslchurch.org/events). Questions? Contact [barb.newcomer@gslchurch.org](mailto:barb.newcomer@gslchurch.org).

**Preschool Registration Is Ongoing** Our preschool provides a nurturing place for 1-5 year old children to learn. Find out more about our preschool and registration at [gslchurch.org/preschool](http://gslchurch.org/preschool) or contact Deanna Klimek, Preschool Director at 919-846-5060.

## ***Things to Know***

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### **Summer Sermon Series - *Being Christian: Baptism, Bible, Eucharist, Prayer***

**Sundays through September 2** Each Sunday, we will highlight a chapter or two from Rowan William's book, *Being Christian: Baptism, Bible, Eucharist, and Prayer*. By focusing on each of these four elements of ancient Christianity, we find the foundation for our living faith.

### **Bluegrass Worship**

**Sundays through September 2** While the order of worship remains the same, the lively music during Bluegrass Worship will have you tapping your toes and maybe even clapping your hands!

### **Endowment Grant Applications**

The Endowment Committee is accepting grant applications through September 30. Information regarding the Fund is available at [gslchurch.org/endowmentgrant](http://gslchurch.org/endowmentgrant). Questions? Contact Joye Groff, [joyegroff@yahoo.com](mailto:joyegroff@yahoo.com) or Larry Goode, [larrygoode123@earthlink.net](mailto:larrygoode123@earthlink.net).

**Food Barrel supports the Lutheran Services Carolinas** Needed items include: 3 ring binders; spiral notebooks, composition notebooks, crayons & markers, rulers, glue sticks, highlighters, mini staplers, erasers, folders, calculators, pencils. Thank you for helping our neighbors in need. Contact: Melinda Hawkins, [MelindaDHawkins@yahoo.com](mailto:MelindaDHawkins@yahoo.com).

### **Good Shepherd's Communication Portal Has Changed!**

We have made an exciting change to our church's online community - moving from The City to a new program called Realm! Realm includes many of The City's features plus updates that make it easier to connect, get the latest news, and register for events. Watch for more information in the coming weeks.

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### Our Mission

*Growing a Christ-Centered Community through Life-Changing Service*

### Our Values

+ Embracing All God's Children + Connecting with God and Others + Developing Life-Long Disciples  
+ Serving with Compassion