

January 20, 2019

Second Sunday After Epiphany

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH WANTS YOU TO KNOW . . .

Things to Do

Get to Know Good Shepherd

Today, 9:30-10:30 am, Fellowship Hall If you are interested in learning more about becoming part of the Good Shepherd church community, we invite you to join us for this Way of the Shepherd (WOTS) informational meeting. WOTS encourages people to talk openly about religion, faith and grace while getting to know one another and Good Shepherd. Please come if you are thinking about joining Good Shepherd! All former Way of the Shepherd participants and new members of the church are also invited.

Budget Forum

Today, 12:00 pm, Sanctuary Join us to go over any final questions on the 2019 spending plan/budget prior to the Congregational Meeting on January 27.

Commemoration of Martin Luther King, Jr. & Service of Holy Communion

Today, 3:00 pm at St. Paul's Lutheran Church (1200 W. Cornwallis Road, Durham) There is no better way to honor Dr. King's faithfulness than by gathering together in worship: hearing the Word and sharing the Lord's Supper as One Body in Christ.

WOW with Pizza Dinner

Wednesday, January 23, 5:15 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.

Spend an Evening with GSLC Coffeehouse

Friday, January 25, 7:00-8:30 pm This Ministry offers live music, refreshments, and fellowship to adults of all abilities. Approximately 25 adult and youth helpers are needed to assist with set-up, serving, and clean-up for approximately 200 guests. A great volunteer activity for families, too! No experience needed. Contact coffeehouse@gslchurch.org for more information.

Generations Forum

Sundays (January 27, February 3, 10 & 17), 9:30 -1030 am, Underwood North Good Shepherd, blessed with folks from all existing generations, is unique in its potential for strong cross-generational relationships. But before relationships can be built, first must come understanding and empathy – both gained by listening. Join all the generations for this four-week Generations Forum. A new generation will be represented each week by a panel. Each panel will be asked and answer the same questions and will teach a generation-specific skill to the audience.

On Sunday, January 27, the Gospel Gathering will begin a six-week study entitled *The Twenty-four Hours That Changed the World* during the Sunday School hour in Underwood West.

Through interactive power point presentations, we will examine Mark's account of the last hours of Jesus' life and what those final moments mean to us in the twenty – first century. Join us for a pre-Lenten Biblical study that will include discussions, art and music and that will set the tone for a deeper understanding of the Passion story.

Annual Congregational Meeting

Sunday, January 27, 12:00-1:00 pm All confirmed members of Good Shepherd are encouraged to attend this annual congregational meeting to help celebrate God's work at GSLC in 2018 and hear more about the plans crafted by our council, staff, and ministry teams for 2019. Light refreshments will be served.

Baptismal Seminar

Monday, January 28, 6:00-7:00 pm, Underwood North If you are considering Baptism at Good Shepherd, make plans to attend this baptismal seminar. We will discuss the baptismal rite, the responsibilities, and the marks of baptism that make up this ancient sacrament. For more information, contact Pr. Marsha.

Let's Do Lunch!

All-Church Potluck sponsored by Way of the Shepherd – Sunday, February 10, 12:00-1:30 pm in Fellowship Hall We will be welcoming guests and prospective Good Shepherd members in church, then we will welcome them to our community with a meal. Come share this time with friends old and new; bring a dish to share. All ages are welcome.

Children and Youth

Basketball Clinic

Saturdays, January 26 – February 23, 9:00-11:00 am in Fellowship Hall Children in grades K through 5, spend your Saturday mornings on the court at Good Shepherd learning the fundamentals of basketball, and most of all, having FUN!! \$20 fee includes t-shirt. Sign up at bit.ly/GSLCYouthbasketball (case sensitive). Questions? Contact Jerry Livingston (jerry.k.livingston@gmail.com) or Kyle Macemore (kyle.macemore@gmail.com).

Get ready to form new friendships, grow in faith, and have fun this summer!

Registration for Agape Day Camp at GSLC (July 8 - 12) Is Now Open Camp Agape counselors lead this camp for rising 1st – 6th graders with support from Good Shepherd youth and adults.

Hours: Monday -Thursday, 9:00 am–3:00 pm; Friday, 8:00 am–3:00 pm. Camp Cost: \$165 with \$50 due at registration; balance due by June 2. Register online at bit.ly/GSLCDayCamp (case sensitive).

Preschool Registration is Open

Good Shepherd Lutheran Preschool registration for the 2019-2020 school year for returning families, church families, and new families is open. Learn more and register at gslchurch.org/preschool.

Blessing of Social Media Freedoms

Sunday, February 3, 12:00 pm, in Underwood North 6th grade students and parents – The world of social media is awesome, exciting, often deceptive, and only becoming more and more a part of our lives. Let us gather together to explore, talk about, and bless this new freedom at our fingertips. Lunch provided. Please RSVP on Realm.

Things to Know

Planning for the future is hard when you're still paying for the past! But there's a better way! Financial Peace University helps you learn how to beat debt, feel like you got a pay raise and make a plan for the future . . . together! Interested? Join the class at St. Philip Lutheran Church starting January 27. Sign up at <https://fpu.com/1076066> or contact Chuck Wolfe at chuck.wolfe.nc@gmail.com.

Food Barrel: North Raleigh Ministry needs paper towels, dish soap, laundry detergent, all-purpose cleaner, deodorant, feminine hygiene products, diapers, jelly, granola bars, crackers, canned vegetables (no beans), and healthy breakfast cereals. Questions? Contact Melinda Hawkins, MelindaDHawkins@yahoo.com.

More information on upcoming events at can be found at www.gslchurch.org and in the Friday Faithprints e-newsletter. If you do not receive Friday Faithprints and would like to, contact the church office at info@gslchurch.org.

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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