

NOVEMBER 5, 2017

GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH WANTS YOU TO KNOW . . .

Things to Do

Food Drive sponsored by Senior Adult Ministry

November 5-12 Grab a bag outside the Sanctuary today and head to the store as we support North Raleigh Ministries' food pantry. Bring filled bags back to church by next Sunday. Your generosity is a blessing to those less fortunate in our community.

Volleyball in the Fellowship Hall

Wednesday, November 8 Youth and adults are invited to join in pickup games anytime from 6:30-8:30 pm. All skill levels are welcome. Bring a friend. Volleyball is great for your body and for your soul!

Preschool Book Fair

Thursday, November 9, 6:00-8:00 pm It's Pizza in PJs Storytime! Bring your children, their grandparents, or their friends and enjoy some pizza! Kids will enjoy storytime while you shop. Not able to attend? Shop online at <http://www.scholastic.com/bf/gslp>.

Interested in Good Shepherd? Want to know more about religion in general?

Sunday, November 12, 9:30-10:30 am in Fellowship Hall Join us for the Way of the Shepherd all-church study. We'll gather for food and conversation on the topic "Who is God, anyway?" Everyone is invited, but especially those who may be interested in formally joining Good Shepherd this year. For more information, contact Cortney Tyson, cort.tyson@gmail.com or Ben Crane, wbc2346@gmail.com.

Coffee Fellowship Assistants Information/Training Session

Sunday, November 12, 9:30-10:30 am at the Coffee Bar If you are one of the many that enjoy coffee and treats on a Sunday morning, here is your opportunity to help ensure regular "service" by sparing as little as two hours per month preparing fresh hot coffee. There is no obligation to sign up. Contact Christina Valente, christinavalente@bellsouth.net with questions.

Budget Forum

Sunday, November 12, 12:00-12:30 pm Join us for a brief review of the proposed 2018 Spending Plan (Budget) and an opportunity to have any questions answered. The vote to approve the Spending Plan will take place at the Annual Congregational Meeting on December 10.

Memory Café for Adults With Dementia and Their Caregivers

Monday, November 13, 4:30-6:00 pm in Fellowship Hall Contact Ginny Poston for details, 919-836-7650 or ginnyposton4@gmail.com.

ROMEO (Retired Older Men Eating Out) Lunch

Thursday, November 16, 11:45 am, Manchester's Bar and Grill Join us for this monthly lunch to share in conversation and enjoy a meal together. Open to all men, so bring a friend.

Transportation can be arranged. Contact George Rusincovitch grusincovitch@gmail.com with questions or to RSVP.

Advent Festival

Sunday, November 19, 12:15-3:00 pm in Fellowship Hall \$12/household includes catered lunch, wreath making and a chance to explore how we can let our light shine in the lives of others this Advent season. Tickets on sale in the Narthex and on The City through November 8.

Things to Know

Help is Needed for the Advent Festival on November 19 Let us know if you can help with any of the following:

- Set up tables and decorations on November 18 or 19 – contact jennifer@thehauglands.org
- Provide homemade Christmas cookies - contact christinavalente@bellsouth.net
- Provide greenery for Advent wreaths – contact jennifer@thehauglands.org

GSLC's Food Barrel this month supports First Night Bags, a Girls Scout Silver Award Project developed by Cadette Scouts Renée Lombardi and Ella Greengrove. The following *new* items for children of all ages as they enter the foster care system are needed: personal hygiene items (diapers, pacifiers, etc.), sleepwear (pajamas, t-shirts, etc.), and comfort objects (books, stuffed animals, etc.). A complete list of needed items and more information on First Night Bags is available on The City.

More information on upcoming events 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.

Our Stephen Ministers are ready to care for you! Stephen Ministers provide confidential



Christian care to people that are experiencing difficult times. They will listen, care, encourage, and pray with and for you. If you or someone you know is hurting, find out more about Stephen Ministry by talking with Pastor Tim Brown (919) 848-1573, Stephen Leader, Ann Buff (919) 414-1231, or email stephenministry@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