

Staying in Touch...



Prayers

PRAYER REQUEST PROCEDURES

- Email: prayers@sothfamily.org. Requests will be forwarded to the pastors
- Pastors: email, call directly, or call the church office: 303.798.0711

HEALING/PEACE/PATIENCE: God's merciful hand of healing upon those hurting in body, mind, or spirit

*Those dealing with cancer: Amanda, Paul, Chris, Pam, Larry, Jim, Carrie Ann, Karen, Susan, Bruce, Charles, Jim, Bob, Annie, Kathy, Dan, Esther, Connie, Jill, Izzy, Jayson, Robert, Eric

SHUT-INS: Carole, Karen, Dorla, Ilse, Carolyn, Judy, Gordon

THIS WEEK:

- Christians persecuted for their faith
- World-wide honor of the value of life from pre-born to natural death
- Food Bank clients
- Eric, dealing with multiple health issues

THANKS:

- Confirmation students celebrating a Faith Milestone today
- Food Bank volunteers

MILITARY: Safety and strength for those serving; peace for their families

MISSIONS: Protection and perseverance as they serve the Lord

COLLEGE/TRADE SCHOOL: Protection, peace, and Godly wisdom as they continue their education

TRAINING FOR CHURCH WORK: Noah, Stephen, Nate, Reilly

ROCKY MTN. DIST. SISTER CHURCHES:

- *Gethsemane, Northglenn
- *Gloria Christi, Greeley
- *Good Shepherd, Richfield, Utah
- *Good Shepherd, Edgewood, New Mexico

LEADERS: Public servants

****Please do not share these on any form of social media. Thank you!****



This Week

Sunday, August 30 14th Sun. after Pentecost

Lord's Supper in all services (5th Sunday)

Growing in Christ Faith Milestone

- 8 am Traditional Service, Sanctuary
Infinite Grace Team prac., M. Amidei
- 9:15 am Fellowship Time, Gym
- 9:30 am **Bible Study/Sun. Sch. Classes**
NO Infants-4th grade Sunday School
- 10:45 am Traditional Service, Sanctuary
Contemporary Service, Gym
- 12:15 pm Usher/Greeter Lunch, Parish Hall
- 12:15 pm Young Adult Lunch, Sina Williams

Monday, August 31

- 10 am E-blast, Announcements deadline
- 12 pm Communications Team Meeting

Tuesday, September 1

- 6 pm Infinite Grace prac., Michael Amidei
- 6:30 pm GriefShare Session, Nancy Lee

Wednesday, September 2

- 9 am ELC Chapel
Quilts & Kits, Sharleen Jespersen
- 12 pm Staff Meeting

Thursday, September 3

- 9 am Bible Study, Pastor Oesch
- 10:30 am Circuit Pastors' Meeting
- 6:30 pm Women's Bible, Audrey Monson
- 7 pm Young Adult Sports Night, Gym

Friday, September 4

- 7 pm Xtreme/SHYP Slick City Event, Sina

Saturday, September 5

- 8 am Online Bible Study, Jim Mulford

Sunday, September 6 15th Sun./Pentecost

Lord's Supper in 10:45am Contemporary

- 8 am Traditional Service, Sanctuary
Infinite Grace Team prac., M. Amidei
- 9:15 am Fellowship Time, Gym
- 9:30 am **Bible Study/Sun. Sch. Classes**
NO Infants-4th grade Sunday School
- 10:45 am Traditional Service, Sanctuary
Contemporary Service, Gym

Monday, September 7 Labor Day

- ~ Office closed; NO school, ELC ~
- 10 am E-blast, Announcements deadline
- 4 pm Food Bank

Tuesday, September 8

- 9 am School/Staff photos (also Sept. 9)
- 6 pm Infinite Grace prac., Michael Amidei
- 6:30 pm Bible Study, Pastor Stoltenow
GriefShare Session, Nancy Lee
- 7 pm ELC Board Meeting, Chris Skirde

**5 Days to Fall Kickoff:
Worship | Event | Potluck!**

Announcements

***FALL KICKOFF SUNDAY SEPT. 13...is for everyone** from 2 days-122 yrs. Old! We'll get TOGETHER **+9:30-10:30am** in the Gym for an **all-ages** program based on our theme. At **+12:17pm**, after late worship services, we'll be TOGETHER in the Gym for a potluck lunch. Bring an appetizer, salad/vegetable, or entrée/hot dish (dessert provided). This'll be a wonderful year TOGETHER!

***FREE CHICAGO DOGS! Sun., Aug 30, 12:15pm**, Shepherd is hosting an Usher & Greeter Training/Info/ Appreciation lunch in the Parish Hall. Come and bring anyone who wants info. on ushering or greeting.

***YOUNG ADULT (18-35) LUNCH: AUGUST 30** Bring \$\$ for lunch. Meet in the Gym at **12:15pm**. RSVP to Sina.

***SEPT. VOICE** Learn about our Shepherd goings-on in the VOICE newsletter: ShepherdHillsChurch.org/Events.

***QUILTS & KITS...**next meeting is **Wed., Sept. 2, 9am**, at Shepherd, room LL-5. Sharleen: jesper417@yahoo.com.

***ACTIVE SENIORS LUNCHEON...is Thurs., Sept. 10:** 10:30am coffee in the Atrium | 1:15am lunch and program (K-9 Comfort Dog Ministry) in the Parish Hall. Need a ride? Please contact Jan Hoener: 303.898.5401.

***BREAKFAST WITH BABY** For **Sept. 12, size 3-4 diapers and wipes** are needed. We really could use more volunteers to assist. Thank you for reflecting God's love.

***XTREME/SHYP SLICK CITY EVENT...is Fri. Sept. 4, 7-10:30pm.** Cost: \$10/person. Scholarships available. **Register by Wed., Sept. 2.** Payment due at event time. Will carpool over in the church van. Looking for 1-2 other adults to be there. Available? Contact Sina: 707.326.8666.

***A MESSAGE FROM YOUR DCE** After being here 3 years (already?!), one of my greatest desires is for an expanded youth/young adult team. I'm so grateful to Bethany, Ben, Adam, Sam, our pastors, Val, and Patrick for their investment in these ministries. I would love to grow our resource bank. That's where YOU come in! Please check out the Youth/Young Adult Min. Team form on the website and let me know how you would like to offer support. Some commitments are less than 1x/week or 1x/mo. Having a list of team members to contact would be an asset to me and to those we serve as we walk TOGETHER in Christ. Your partnership in these ministries will be a huge blessing! ~Sina

***EARLY LEARNING CENTER...**Parents & Pastries is **Tues., Sept. 15, 7:45-8:30am**, in the Parish Hall. Please join us and get to know our ELC families!

***CHOIR BEGINS: ALLELUIA!** Ages 14-104 are invited to join the Shepherd's Chorale family in the sanctuary choir "loft" **Wed. Sept. 16, 6:37-8:07pm** as we begin our Fall season! We practice most Wed's and sing about 1x/mo. In Traditional services. Q's/Info? Gail gblack@sothfamily.org, 303.737.4364.

***MEN'S CONFERENCE** St. John's Luth., Yuma, CO, is hosting a men's conference **Sat. Sept. 19** with the guest speaker, Rev. Adam Koontz. This is a free event, lunch included, open to all men. Details and to register: ShepherdHillsChurch.org/Events.

Missionary for September: Rev. Tim & Beth Heiney, Guinea, W. Africa

Full information at: ShepherdHillsChurch.org/Events

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GIFTS	General Fund	ELC Tax Credit
MTD gifts	48,763	624
MTD budget	76,924	6,154
YTD gifts	588,838	6,959
YTD budget	653,854	52,307
ahead(behind)	(65,016)	(45,348)
2026 budget	1,000,000	80,000

