

**The Worship Shepherd has a clipboard for prayer requests.** You will find the clipboard in the narthex before you enter the church sanctuary. Prayer requests are important, and we encourage you to get your prayer request on the prayer list so they can be included in the worship prayer time.



Please keep our baptized children in your prayers...

#### **Child's Name**

Edward Jeffrey Salzbrun Ella AnnMarie Salzbrun Emma Luella Taylor Lakelynn Jean Struffert Elyza Johanna Manea Libbie Kay Seppelt Cole Jordan Morgan Olivia Pearl Morgan Kye John Roelofs Blakelyn Rose Gangl Mädchen Cate Smallfield Emily May Moulzolf Bridger Allen Dumonceaux

#### **Date of Baptism**

August 22, 2021 August 22, 2021 August 29, 2021 September 19, 2021 October 3, 2021 October 17, 2021 November 14, 2021 November 14, 2021 November 21, 2021 March 27, 2022 April 3, 2022 June 19, 2022 July 24, 2022

# Shepherd of the Pines Mission Statement:

**Connecting People to God...To Others...and To Service** The purpose of this congregation is mandated for us by our Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, as found in the words of the <u>Great Commission</u> (Matthew 28), namely first of all to <u>Go</u>. To leave our walls of refuge, going into all the world, comprised of our families and neighbors. We plan to achieve our purpose by identifying persons with whom we are particularly well-equipped to serve and reach with the challenge of becoming Disciples of Christ.

Second, to <u>Make Disciples</u> or in the words of St Paul, "<u>To equip the saints</u>" (Ephesians 4:12). This is to be understood as helping people to live the Christian life here on earth, preparing and encouraging young and old alike to find and to use their God given gifts and abilities for the extension of His Kingdom, and to grow in fervent love for God and for others.

Thirdly, to <u>Baptize</u> as commanded by Jesus Himself. As God reaches down to mankind with His means of grace, He would have us baptize His people, bringing them into His family and Kingdom, granting them life, forgiveness of sins, and eternal salvation.

And lastly, to continue steadfast in His Word, <u>Teaching them to observe all</u> <u>things whatsoever I have commanded you</u>. A continued zeal for the study of His Word, the Bible, is necessary for the growth of any Christian congregation. Thus, the Word of God will be taught and studied in full measure and His Word shall be the <u>rule and norm</u> of this congregation's faith and life.

To that end, our every effort and energy will be used in motivating, training, and putting to use our time, and talents and treasures to <u>Make Disciples</u>.

#### **Board of Lay Ministry/Elders**

Kyle Hackett, Pres.	266-1700	Joan Ramey	393-3342
David Perleberg V.P.	360-5147	Colleen Woods	685-4389
Bev Gerads Secretary	761-1894	Deb Erdmann	249-4804
Ron McKeever Treas.	393-2524	Garry Loidolt	393-2097

Keith Peterson - Church Properties

#### **Executive Ministry Team**

Brenda Hackett - Education & Colleen Woods Small Group Leader Keith Hackett - Worship Team Leader

July Altar Guild: Joanny Ramey

July Counters: Barb McKeever & Juli Popp

July 31<sup>st</sup>

Scriptures: Psalm 100 Colossians 3:1-11 Luke 12:13-21

August 7th

Scriptures: Genesis 15:1-6 Hebrews 11:1-16 Luke 12:22-34



We are glad to have you with us today! Please sign our guest book and pick up a Visitor Information Bag from the worship leader Fellowship will be after church service.

Now Introducing Online Giving Available Now

Go to SOTP website: www.sotpministries.com/give or call the office at 320-393-4295 for help setting this up!



## Birthdays & Anniversaries This Week

## **Birthdays**

August 1<sup>st</sup> Jesse Johnson August 2<sup>nd</sup> Deb Erdmann & Troy Hovland August 3<sup>rd</sup> Rebecca Jacka August 4<sup>th</sup> Lloy Erdmann August 5<sup>th</sup> Judy Gehrking and D'artagnan Madsen

### Anniversaries

August 1<sup>st</sup> Duane & Darlene Albrecht & Steve & Roxann Ree August 3<sup>rd</sup> Ben & Nicole Cole August 6<sup>th</sup> Glen & Christine Gertken & Ken & Peggy Feia

# **Call Committee Members**

Scott Manea 320-267-5409 Lloyd Walburn 763-458-1236 Janet Maleska 320-249-4467 Colleen Woods 320-291-5910 Gabby Dingmann 320-429-4992 John Alstrup 612-839-9490 Dan Carins 320-293-9213 Peg Herman 320-267-1863 Julie Kiraly 320-223-0880

If you have any questions for Pastor Dave Strohschein, here is his contact information as well. 320-241-5806.

# Pastor Names for Consideration

Rev. Aaron A.J. Neugebauer, Lafe, AR Rev. Nathan Reichle, Manawa, WI Rev. David Bass, Kerrville, TX Rev. Matthew Baye, DePere, WI Rev. Benjamin Braun, Penfield, NY Rev. Russ Gipson, Huntsville, AL Rev. Benjamin Johnson, Urbandale, IA Rev. Michael Erdman, Madison, WI Rev. Michael Grannis, Lincoln Park, MI Rev Joshua Keinath, Denison, IA Rev. Matthew Schilling, Evansville, IN Rev. Jacob Wampfler, Scottsdale, AZ

> We will be taking up our noisy offering on **This Sunday**, July 31<sup>st</sup>, for the **Christian Scholarship Fund** Thank you for your support and your generous donations!

Please Join us on Wednesday, August 3 at 6:30 PM, there will be a meeting where speakers from Prince of Peace and Faith Christian will talk about their schools and about the benefits of Christian Education.



If you would like information about the scholarship fund Please reach out to Pastor Dave, Ron McKeever, or Paul Tschida.

## Keep Eyes open for upcoming events!

- Noisy Offering Today for Christian Scholarship Fund
- Due to lack of interest we have decided to cancel Rox Baseball game
- Christian Education Meeting August 3<sup>rd</sup> at 6:30pm
- September 11<sup>th</sup> Fall Kick off with "Blessing of the Backpacks" Coffee, Cupcakes and Fellowship prior to the first day of Sunday School!!

## **UPDATE TO FELLOWSHIP!!**

Here is the schedule for this summer for fellowship. We ask that if you can't serve the Sunday that you are scheduled, please find a group to switch with. Each group is to bring in treats, serve, and clean up. Thank You!



July 31<sup>st</sup> J. Clasen, D. Giese, T. Hovland August 7<sup>th</sup> S. Pressnall, C. Walberg, D. Carins August 14<sup>th</sup> M. Barringer, D. Skajewski, K. Peterson August 21<sup>st</sup> B. Jasmer, H. Jasmer, L. Saldana, A. Ostendorf August 28<sup>th</sup> J. Elliott, K. Maleska, K. Huhne/Popp September 4<sup>th</sup> K. Kirchner, R. Brutcher, P. Tschida, G.

Hendrickson

September 11<sup>th</sup> J. Amundson, M. Popp, B. Statz September 18<sup>th</sup> J. Ramey, J. Alstrup, M. Kiraly, G. Welle September 25<sup>th</sup> D. Arntson, R. Woods, T. Ollman



# **Bible Studies**



It's time to gear up for fall Bible Studies! I would like to have two or three people available to lead a study. Some have indicated a desire to study a book of the Bible as well as suggested book studies. Among

them are "Mothers and Daughters of the Bible", "Get out of your Head" (Stop the spiral of thought in your head), David Barton's Video study of "America's Godly Heritage", and "Healing the Wounds of Trauma: How the Church can help."

So gather your group together, choose your topic and contact Colleen Woods or the Church office for help to obtain the study materials



2 Samuel 22:31 "As for God, his way is perfect: The LORD's word is flawless; he shields <u>all who take</u> <u>refuge in him</u>."

We will be traveling to Custer

South Dakota on August 16<sup>th</sup>, leaving at 6am! We will return August 20<sup>th</sup>, 7pm. Youth Group, please be prepared to be at church on Sunday August 14<sup>th</sup> to be a part of the blessing Pastor Dave will do for the group. Our goals for the trip are to 1) Build up our youth group at SOTP and 2) Grow in our personal understanding of how great and awesome our God is from what we will see in nature. A BIG THANK YOU to Pastor Dave for arranging this trip! We will have time to explore God's word, time to explore God's creation, and time to share our time and talents to entertain each other. We may even have a servant event along the way! We are excited to learn from and about each other and our awesome God! We are expecting to have a lot of fun.

Sunday School will be starting before we know it. All youth of high school age are invited to the youth room on Sunday mornings as we explore God's word together and how to apply it to our daily lives.

Sarah Anderson Youth Group Leader



Together we will RISE to support the RESTORATION of women and their small children so that they may experience a life of independence and freedom.

## SEPTEMBER 15, 2022 7:30-9:00 AM

The Park Event Center Join us for an inspiring program and delicious breakfast!

> Exciting ministry updates and stories of rest, rise, and restoration! Invite your friends & family to learn more about Terebinth Refuge!

> Learn how your support for Terebinth Refuge is helping women in their journey towards restoration.



# PLEASE JOIN US!

During this event, you will learn what is necessary for restoration of the body, mind, soul, and spirit in the lives of survivors of sexual exploitation and trafficking. Survivors who have personally experienced the power of restoration will share their testimonies.

#### THIS IS YOUR CHANCE

to thoughtfully and prayerfully join their journey.



SPONSOR THE EVENT Your generosity will make the event possible.

DECLARE A MATCH Double the impact of your gift and inspire others to give.

ATTEND THE EVENT

Come listen, learn, and support!

SPREAD THE WORD

Spread the word, invite your friends, and encourage others to do the same.

Event is free | Registration required | Donations optional

To become a sponsor or matching donor, contact: development@terebinthrefuge.org

Register to Attend by September 12th: TerebinthRefuge.org/RISE

2 CORINTHIANS 13:11 "FINALLY, BROTHERS (AND SISTERS) REJOICE. AIM FOR RESTORATION, COMFORT ONE ANOTHER, AGREE WITH ONE ANOTHER, LIVE IN PEACE, AND THE GOD OF LOVE AND PEACE WILL BE WITH YOU."

# This Week at Shepherd of the Pines

Sunday, July 31 <sup>st</sup>	(Music- Gabby) Noisy Offering Christian Scholarship Fund	
8:00 AM	Prayer Time	
9:00 AM	Worship	
10:00 AM	Prayer and Anointing with Oil	
10:00 AM	Fellowship	
Monday, August 1 <sup>st</sup>		
7:30 PM	Praise Team	
7:30 PM	Bible Study – in homes	
Tuesday, August 2 <sup>nd</sup>		
9:00 AM	Quilters	
6:00 PM	Al-Anon Meeting	
Wednesday August 3 <sup>rd</sup>		
6:30 PM	Christian Education Meeting	
Thursday, August 4 <sup>th</sup>		
9:00 AM	Pastor Dave in the office	
9:00 AM	Quilters	
6:30 PM	Call Committee Meeting	
Sunday, August 7 <sup>th</sup>	(Music- Heather)	
8:00 AM	Prayer Time	
9:00 AM	Worship	
10:00 AM	Fellowship	

## SOTP Worship Team Serving, This Sunday July 31st

#### 9:00am Worship:

Greeters: Projectionist: Reader: Ushers: Brenda & Keith Hackett Julie Kiraly Jane Nelson Volunteer Needed

Worship Leader:

Paul Tschida

**Worship Service Shepherd:** 

Ron McKeever

Fellowship

J. Clasen, R. Hemple, T. Hovland

SOTP Worship Team Serving, Next Sunday August 7th

#### 9:00am Worship:

Greeters: Projectionist: Reader: Ushers: Ron & Barb McKeever Julie Kiraly Richael Weinand Ron & Barb McKeever

Worship Leader:

Jerry Nelson

Worship Service Shepherd:

Bev Gerads

Fellowship

S. Pressnall, C. Walberg, D. Carins