

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.

Pre-Service Worship

We will be playing a couple worship songs about 15 minutes prior to the start of each service. If you wish to participate, please arrive accordingly!



Please keep our baptized children in your prayers...

Child's Name

Rhett David Ganz Spencer Jeffrey Timm Watson Mitchell Koenig Reid Jordan Giambrone Joshua James Johnson Lillian Elizabeth Brannen Brady Jay Hallanger Sophie Rae Gangl Savannah Skys Cole Linnèa Ann Maslonkowski Wendy Lee Hicks Meghan Alice Hicks Steffen Joseph Hicks Cindy Marie Christensen Riley Lynn Gruba

Date of Baptism

October 13, 2019 December 22, 2019 December 22, 2019 January 19, 2020 January 19, 2020 February 2, 2020 March 7, 2020 June 14, 2020 July 12, 2020 July 26, 2020 August 12, 2020 August 12, 2020 August 12, 2020 September 26, 2020

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, comprising 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 to 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	Wayne Anderson	393-2128
David Perleberg V.P.	360-5147	Janet Maleska	249-4467
Sarah Anderson, Sec.	267-2628	Deb Erdmann	249-4804
Curt Kvamme, Treas.	393-4519	Bev Gerads	761-1894

Keith Peterson - Church Properties

Executive Ministry Team

Jen Ollman - Service Team Leader Brenda Hackett – Education & Small Group Team Leader Keith Hackett - Worship Team Leader

October Altar Guild: Julie Clasen, Charyl Walberg, & Brenda Pressnall

October Counters: Dennis Arntson & Scott Manea

October 18th Scriptures:

Old Testament – Isaiah 44:6-8 Epistle – Ephesians 2:1-10 Gospel – John 15:9-17

October 25th Scriptures:

Old Testament – Isaiah 55:10-11 Epistle – Ephesians 1:15-23 Gospel – John 16:12-15

Pastor David will read one scripture in the video, feel free to check out the other scriptures on your own.



We are glad to have you with us today! Please sign our guest book and pick up a Visitors' Guide. Fellowship will be after Church service.

Now Introducing Online Giving Available Now

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



Reminder: If you unable to come to in person worship you can mail in your offering or give online. Donations for the Week Total Received \$4,466 Weekly Needed \$4,943 Attendance 73



In Acts 6:1-9 as the Apostles were in need of others to help in the ministry, they encouraged the believers to choose those who are known to be full of the spirit and wisdom.

In keeping with this advice from scripture, Article 4 of our Constitution By Laws says, "The Board of Lay Ministry of the church shall be composed of 7 communicant members (male and female), and the treasurer of the church, elected at the annual meeting of the church. They shall be people who have proven faithful to the Lord and His church. They shall also have been communicant members of the church for at least 2 years prior to sitting on the board and shall not be ministry staff members or employees of the church. They also should be people who attend worship faithfully and are involved in ongoing Bible study and a committed life of growing discipleship. Members of the board shall serve three-year terms established on a staggered basis and may not serve more than two consecutive terms. The Senior-Pastor - Director of Ministries shall be an ex-officio member of the Board of Lay Ministry."

There are three spots open for election on the Board of Lay Ministry. They are currently held by Janet Maleska and Kyle Hackett finishing their first terms, also Sarah Anderson finishing her second term. There is also the Treasurer spot open with Curt Kvamme finishing his second term. Please pray that the Lord will guide us to the people He wants to fill these positions. As you are led to someone, contact that person to see if they are willing to serve, and then submit their name in writing and place it in the nomination box on the counter in the church lobby. The nomination box will be available on the counter between <u>September 27th and October 25th</u>. The congregation will elect four people from the list of nominations at the annual congregational meeting on Sunday, November 22nd. Feel free to contact any current board member with any questions you may have.



We will be starting Fellowship back up on September 20th. We need one family to volunteer for serving and clean up. Snack will be provided by the church and will be individually wrapped. Coffee, Juice, & water will be served. Will start after 9AM service and go until Sunday School is over at 10:45. Reminder we need

Volunteers to have fellowship. Please consider signing up.

Sign-up sheet on the Narthex counter!



OCTOBER NOISY OFFERING!

We will be taking up our noisy offering on **This Sunday**, **October 18**th, for the **Military Biblestick**. Thank you for your support and your generous donations!

Volunteers Needed to help with Trunk Or Treat

Please arrive at 4PM on October 24th need several people to help set up, also during, and take down. Please sign up on the Narthex counter.

We Need Volunteers for Next Month November 14th to serve at Place of Hope

This is a servant opportunity that is sure to fill you up in many ways. A great opportunity to be the hands and feet of Jesus! Cooking begins at 1:30, circle prayer at 4:30, and serving at 4:45. You can choose to work the whole time or simply pick the first or second half of the timeframe. If interested, please contact Sandie Resch at 360-4563. Please prayerfully consider.



TRUNK OR TREAT OPEN TO THE PUBLIC SO PLEASE SPREAD THE WORD!

Please consider decorating a trunk for this event! Sign up on the Narthex counter. Any candy donations would be greatly appreciated! Please bring donations to the office.

RICE AREA BLOOD DRIVE will be at

Shepherd of the Pines on **Monday, October 26th from 1:00pm - 6:45pm.** Give the gift of life so that others may live. To set up an appointment call Lora @ 393-2701 evenings. Thank you for your support!



Men's Bible Study

Anyone interested and Joining a Men's

Bible Study

Bible Study Please sign up on the Narthex counter with Day and time that works best for you.

This Week at Shepherd of the Pines

Sunday, October 18th (Music –Lyric Music)

9:00 AM	Worship
10:00 AM	Fellowship
10:15 AM	NO Sunday School
	Online Services
6:00 PM	Bridge Church

Monday, October 19th

7:30 PM	Praise Team
7:30 PM	Bible Study – in homes

Tuesday, October 20th

6:00 PM	Al-Anon Meeting (1 st Grade Classroom)
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Wednesday, October 21th

6:30 PM	Confirmation Class

Thursday, October 22nd

6:30 PM	Prayer and Praise
7:00 PM	Joint BOLM/EMT Meeting

Saturday, October 24th

5:00-7:00 PM	Trunk or Treat

Sunday, October 25th (Music – Praise Team)

9:00 AM	Worship with Holy Communion
10:00 AM	Fellowship
10:15 AM	Sunday School in the Sanctuary prek-5
	& 6 th -12 th in the Youth Room
	Online Services
6:00 PM	Bridge Church

SOTP Worship Team Serving, October 18th

9:00am Worship:

Projectionist: Reader: Greeters: Keith Hackett Jeff Ramey Al & Bev Gerads

Worship Leader:

Jane Nelson

Worship Service Shepherd:

Janet Maleska

SOTP Worship Team Serving, October 25th

9:00am Worship:	
Projectionist:	Dennis Arntson
Reader:	Pastor David
Greeters:	Garry Loidolt
Worship Leader:	Pastor David
Worship Service Shepherd:	Bev Gerads
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Reader:	Volunteer Needed
Greeters:	Volunteer Needed
Worship Leader:	Pastor David
Worship Service Shepherd:	Bev Gerads