



# Shepherd of the Pines

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

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### **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.

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Please keep our baptized children in your prayers...

### **Child's Name**

Blake Daniel Andres  
Piper Mary Efraimson  
Tilla Rae Steffes  
Vera Autumn Berg  
Colter Wayne Rogge  
Edward Jeffrey Salzbrun  
Ella AnnMarie Salzbrun  
Emma Luella Taylor  
Lakelynn Jean Struffert  
Elyza Johanna Manea  
Libbie Kay Seppelt

### **Date of Baptism**

October 18, 2020  
November 1, 2020  
January 17, 2021  
April 4, 2021  
June 13, 2021  
August 22, 2021  
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August 29, 2021  
September 19, 2021  
October 3, 2021  
October 17, 2021

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# **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 Great Commission (Matthew 28), namely first of all to Go. 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 Make Disciples or in the words of St Paul, "To equip the saints" (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 Baptize 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, Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you. 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 rule and norm 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 Make Disciples.

## **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**

Jen Ollman - Service Team Leader

Open Position – 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, & Laurie Madoll

October 24<sup>th</sup>

Scriptures:  
Psalm 126  
Hebrews 7:23-28  
Mark 10:46-52

October 31<sup>st</sup>

Scriptures:  
Psalm 46  
Romans 3:19-28  
John 8:31-36



We are glad to have you with us today! Please sign our guest book. Fellowship will be after Church service.

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## Now Introducing Online Giving

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Go to SOTP website:

[www.sotpministries.com/give](http://www.sotpministries.com/give)

or call the office at

320-393-4295

for help setting this up!

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Online Giving Through Checking



Give One Time



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[www.sotpministries.com/give](http://www.sotpministries.com/give)

**Have you asked yourself, "How can I have a variety of inspiring Bible based information and teaching on many topics & issues for kids, teens and adults available on my smartphone, I-Pad, TV, computer, etc?" Shepherd of the Pines offers you, for no charge, all of that on RightNow Media. [Just Click here to set it up](#), and you will be able to use all this wonderful stuff to help you grow in your faith! You can refer your friends and family members too!**

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Men's Bible study meets **Wednesday Nights at 7pm-8pm**  
Study is on creation & science

Woman's Bible Study will be on hold for a little bit until things get settled

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## Bible Studies



Looking at starting a Bible Study on Sunday morning during Sunday School. Please sign up if interested. If YOU would like to lead a study, Contact Colleen Woods 320-685-4389. If no answer leave a message and I'll get back to you.

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## Homeless Shelters

Homeless shelters are in dire need of twin flat and fitted sheets, they do not need matching sets. – No stains, no tears and twin fitted sheets must have good elastic. Please donate clean with no fragrances (for people with allergies). As always towels are needed. Please give items to Ardelle or leave in the church sewing room. Thank you!

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**Confirmation will be starting on October 27th from 6:30-7:30. Pastor Dave would like at least one parent to attend class.**

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**IT'S LEFSE SEASON!** We are thinking about a lefse making day at Shepherd of the Pines on Saturday, November 6. If you are interested in joining us, please sign-up! The sheet will be on the counter.

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**TRUNK OR TREAT  
THIS SATURDAY!!!  
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.

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## **Place of Hope Needs**

- Ankle length socks for Men
- Beach, Bath, & Hand towels
- New Wash cloths
- New Men's underwear sizes L to 3XL
- Large coats- new/clean gently used

**Please Leave in Evelyn's sewing Room or give to Ardelle.**

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## UPDATE TO FELLOWSHIP!!

Here is the schedule for this Fall for Fellowship. We ask if you can't do 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!



**October 24<sup>th</sup> MEA BREAK NO FELLOWSHIP**

**October 31<sup>st</sup> J Ramey, M Kiraly, J Alstrup**

**November 7<sup>th</sup> D Arntson, R Woods, T Ollman**

**November 14<sup>th</sup> A Gerads, S Manea, T Hinderscheid**

**November 21<sup>st</sup> D Erdmann, J Brenny, D Mickelson**

**November 28<sup>th</sup> K Kirchner, R Brutcher, P Tschida, R Weinand**

**December 5<sup>th</sup> Ke Hackett, Ky Hackett, J Hackett**

**December 12<sup>th</sup> Ar Betker, B Betker, J Dingmann**

**December 19<sup>th</sup> J Nelson, R McKeever, L Popp**

**December 26<sup>th</sup> No Fellowship**

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## Annual Congregational Meeting



**The annual congregational meeting of SOTP will be held Sunday, November 21, 2021 at 10:15am in the church sanctuary.** We will have our normal service time on Sunday, November 21<sup>st</sup> at 9:00am. Thank you for attending and lending your voice. Feel free to contact any current board member with any questions you may have.

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## [This Week at Shepherd of the Pines](#)

### **Sunday, October 24<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 AM

**10:00 AM**

**10:15 AM**

1:00 PM

**(Music- Lyric Videos) Pastor Beck**

Worship

**NO Fellowship**

**NO Sunday School/Youth Group**

**MEA BREAK**

Fellowship Reserved

### **Monday, October 25<sup>th</sup>**

7:30 PM

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Praise Team

Bible Study – in homes

### **Tuesday, October 26<sup>th</sup>**

10:00 AM

6:00 PM

Quilters

AI-Anon Meeting (Hospitality Room)

### **Wednesday, October 27<sup>th</sup>**

6:30 PM

7:00 PM

Confirmation

Men's Bible Study

### **Thursday, October 28<sup>th</sup>**

9:00 – Noon

9:00 AM

7:00 PM

**Pastor Dave Strohschein in the office**

Quilters

BOLM Meeting

### **Saturday October 30<sup>th</sup>**

**5-7 PM**

**Trunk or Treat Event**

### **Sunday, October 31<sup>st</sup>**

9:00 AM

10:00 AM

10:15 AM

10:25 AM

**(Music- Praise Team)**

Worship

Fellowship

Sunday School/Youth Group

Adult Bible Study

SOTP Worship Team Serving, This Sunday  
October 24<sup>th</sup>

**9:00am Worship:**

Projectionist:	Sarah Anderson
Reader:	Dennis Arntson
Greeters:	Keith & Roxanne Peterson

**Worship Leader:** Dennis Arntson

**Worship Service Shepherd:** Ron McKeever

**Fellowship:** MEA Break No Fellowship

SOTP Worship Team Serving, Next Sunday  
October 31<sup>st</sup>

**9:00am Worship:**

Projectionist:	Isabelle Cairns
Reader:	Jerry Nelson
Greeters:	Keith & Brenda Hackett

**Worship Leader:** Steve Ree

**Worship Service Shepherd:** Bev Gerads

**Fellowship:** J Ramey, M Kiraly, J Alstrup