

**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**

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 August 22, 2021 August 29, 2021 September 19, 2021 October 3, 2021

## **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**

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 31st

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

November 7<sup>th</sup>

Scriptures: Psalm 149 Revelation 7:9-17 Matthew 5:1-12



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

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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





# **Bible Studies**

Sunday Morning Bible Study meets at 10:25 in the Sanctuary

# 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!

# Confirmation is Wednesdays evenings from 6:30-7:30pm.



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.

# 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.

## **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 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

## Annual Congregational Meeting



The annual congregational meeting of SOTP will be held <u>Sunday</u>, <u>November 21</u>, <u>2021 at 10:15am</u> 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.



## November NOISY OFFERING!

We will be taking up our noisy offering on **Sunday**, **November 14**<sup>th</sup>, for the **Terebinth Refuge**. Thank you for your support and your generous donations!

## This Week at Shepherd of the Pines

Sunday, October 31 <sup>st</sup>	(Music- Praise Team)
9:00 AM	Worship
10:00 AM	Fellowship
10:15 AM	Sunday School/Youth Group
10:25 AM	Adult Bible Study
Monday, November 1 <sup>st</sup>	
7:30 PM	Praise Team
7:30 PM	Bible Study – in homes
Tuesday, November 2 <sup>nd</sup>	
9:00 AM	Quilters
6:00 PM	Al-Anon Meeting (Hospitality Room)
Wednesday, November 3 <sup>rd</sup>	
6:30 PM	Confirmation
7:00 PM	Men's Bible Study
Thursday, November 4 <sup>th</sup>	
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9:00 – Noon 9:00 AM **Pastor Dave Strohschein in the office** Quilters

Sunday, November 7<sup>th</sup>

9:00 AM 10:00 AM 10:15 AM 10:25 AM (**Music- Heather**) Worship Fellowship Sunday School/Youth Group Adult Bible Study

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

### 9:00am Worship:

Projectionist: Reader: Greeters:

Isabelle Cairns Jerry Nelson Keith & Brenda Hackett

Worship Leader:

Steve Ree

**Worship Service Shepherd:** 

**Bev Gerads** 

Fellowship:

J Ramey, M Kiraly, J Alstrup

SOTP Worship Team Serving, Next Sunday November 7<sup>th</sup>

### 9:00am Worship:

Projectionist: Reader: Greeters: Dennis Arntson Lois Perleberg Shelly Pintok

Worship Leader:

Jane Nelson

**Worship Service Shepherd:** 

**Colleen Woods** 

**Fellowship:** 

D Arntson, R Woods, T Ollmann