



# 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.

### 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**

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  
Blake Daniel Andres  
Piper Mary Efraimson

### **Date of Baptism**

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  
August 12, 2020  
September 26, 2020  
October 18, 2020  
November 1, 2020

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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, 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 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 to 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	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

Brenda Hackett – Education & Small Group Team Leader

Keith Hackett - Worship Team Leader

**January Altar Guild:** Roxanne Peterson, Juli Popp, & Joan Ramey

**January Counters:** Deb Erdmann, Curt Kvamme, & Sandie Resch

January 3<sup>rd</sup> Scriptures:

Old Testament – Isaiah 30:15-17

Epistle – Romans 8:31-39

Gospel – Luke 12:35-40

January 10<sup>th</sup> Scriptures:

Old Testament – Isaiah 60:1-6

Epistle – Ephesians 3:1-12

Gospel – Matthew 2:1-12

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.

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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



Set Up Recurring

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

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 \$5,544

Weekly Needed \$4,651

Attendance Christmas Eve- 113 Sunday 39

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## Please Consider Signing Up for Fellowship

Planning on having in person Fellowship starting January 10<sup>th</sup>

We need one family to volunteer for serving and clean up. Some snack will be provided by the church and will be individually wrapped. (Donations Welcome) 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!

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If you are interested in the  
Youth Group Leadership  
Please contact the office  
or Pastor David.

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## January NOISY OFFERING!

We will be taking up our noisy offering on **Sunday, January 17<sup>th</sup>**, for the **Pregnancy Resource Center**. Thank you for your support and your generous donations!

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Portals of Prayer are available on  
the Narthex counter.

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Rice Area Quilters delivered 1800 Quilts during 2020. Thanks to all who participated in that Ministry!

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## Thread & Towel Recycling!

Ardelle is looking for New or Partially used spools & cones of thread. She is also looking for towels in any condition. Good



towels will go the shelters as is. Towels with fraying or helix stains get made into wash cloths. Leave items on the table in the sewing room. We appreciate your generosity!

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

### **Sunday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> (Music- Heather Statz)**

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

### **Monday, January 4<sup>th</sup>**

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

### **Tuesday, January 5<sup>th</sup>**

6:00 PM                      Al-Anon Meeting (1<sup>st</sup> Grade Classroom)

### **Wednesday, January 6<sup>th</sup>**

6:30 PM                      Confirmation

### **Thursday, January, 7<sup>th</sup>**

6:30 PM                      Elder's Meeting

### **Sunday, January 10<sup>th</sup> (Music- Bethany Mears)**

9:00 AM                      Worship with Holy Communion  
10:00 AM                    Fellowship  
10:15 AM                    Sunday School  
                                    Online Services  
6:00 PM                      Bridge Church

SOTP Worship Team Serving, December 27<sup>th</sup>

**9:00am Worship:**

Projectionist:	Sarah Anderson
Reader:	Jeff Ramey
Greeters:	Keith & Kathy Craft

**Worship Leader:** Dennis Arntson

**Worship Service Shepherd:** Colleen Woods

SOTP Worship Team Serving, January 3<sup>rd</sup>

**9:00am Worship:**

Projectionist:	Isabelle cairns
Reader:	Jerry Nelson
Greeters:	Ron & Barb McKeever

**Worship Leader:** Pastor David

**Worship Service Shepherd:** Joan Ramey