

**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

Vera Autumn Berg Colter Wayne Rogge 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

### **Date of Baptism**

April 4, 2021 June 13, 2021 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

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

#### February Altar Guild: Deb Erdmann & Joanny Ramey

February Counters: Dennis Arntson, Scott Manea, & Laurie Madoll

February 13th

Scriptures: Jeremiah 17:5-8 1 Corinthians 15:12-20 Luke 6:17-26

February 20<sup>th</sup>

Scriptures: Genesis 45:3-15 1 Corinthians 15:21-26, 30-42 Luke 6:27-38



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



# Interested in Volunteering?? Opportunities for Adult and Kids. Please sign up on the Narthex counter.



## FEBRUARY NOISY OFFERING!

We will be taking up our noisy offering on **Sunday, February 20**<sup>th</sup>, for **Lutheran Island Camp**. Thank you for your support and your generous donations!



please send them to the church office email. <u>Office@sotpministries.com</u> by February 10<sup>th</sup> at 2:30pm

## The Youth Invite You To the



Sunday February 13th 10am Fellowship Hall Freewill offering to support the Youth High school students are welcome to join us for Bible Study in the youth room on Sunday mornings at 10:15am. We would love to have you join us for a video study and conversation.

The Sweetheart Breakfast will be put on by SOTP youth on February 13<sup>th</sup> following worship service. There is a sign-up sheet on the church narthex counter.



## **UPDATE TO FELLOWSHIP!!**



Here is the schedule for this winter 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!

February 13<sup>th</sup> Sweetheart's Breakfast February 20<sup>th</sup> J. Amundson, M. Popp, B. Statz February 27<sup>th</sup> J. Ramey, M. Kiraly, J. Alstrup March 6<sup>th</sup> B Jasmer, R. Woods, T. Ollman March 13<sup>th</sup> A. Gerads, S. Manea, M. Hinderscheid March 20<sup>th</sup> D. Erdmann, J. Brenny, D. Mickelson March 27<sup>th</sup> Ke. Hackett, Ky. Hacektt, J. Hackett

## Keep Eyes open for upcoming events!

- Woman's Wednesday morning adult Bible Study 9:30AM-11:00AM
- Sweetheart breakfast TODAY after Service please join us!!
- Men's Bible Study will resume today February 6<sup>th</sup> at 7pm any questions reach out to Garry Loidolt.
- Family Movie Night February 18th 6:30pm "Luca"
- New Member Class Postponed to April 2<sup>nd</sup> 9-Noon with Lunch afterwards
- Lenten Services March 16th April 6th
- Holy Week Services April 14th April 17th
- Easter Egg Hunt April 16<sup>th</sup> 10:00am



There are 3 bible studies currently meeting in addition to Pastor's Sunday morning study the book of James. Powerful things happen as we gather to study God's word. If you are interested in starting another study or joining one in progress contact Colleen Woods 320-

685-4389.Or pick up a copy of small group samples on the Narthex counter.

Another powerful way to connect with others is through triadschoosing 2 others to meet regularly preferable each week to lift each other up in prayers. For more information on triads contact Jeff Ramey.

Women have begun to study "The Power of Your Adult Children" Praying for on from Wednesday mornings 9:30-11am. There is a small group meeting in homes on Monday evenings, and another



group meets to study "Raising Your Children with Love and Logic".



Men's Bible Study will resume on February 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday evenings at 7:00pm.

## THRIVENT CHOICE DOLLARS

Apply for Thrivent Choice Dollars during February by phone at 1-800-847-4836 or online at Thrivent.com. Fill out the form in the Church entrance to indicate how you would like your choice dollars designated, and give the form to Curt or Church Secretary Julie. Members should apply for their Choice Dollars before March 31st, 2022.





Movie Night @ SOTP! Join us on February 18<sup>th</sup> for Luca. Come in Pis, bring a blanket, and snacks if you would like. Some snack available to share as well.

## Lenten Worship Schedule \*We will have our Ash Wednesday Service on March 16<sup>th</sup> see times below for Services at near by churches March 2<sup>nd</sup>

Lenten Services – 6:30pm March 16<sup>th</sup> - April 6<sup>th</sup>

Maundy Thursday Service April 14<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm

> **Good Friday Service** April 15<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm

**Easter Sunday Services** April 17<sup>th</sup>, 7:00am & 9:30am

\*\*\*Easter Egg Hunt Saturday, April 16th at 10am \*\*\* Easter Fellowship Breakfast 8am-915am

Ash Wednesday Services for nearby Churches.

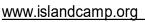
March 2<sup>nd</sup>

Love Of Christ Messiah Trinity

Service @ 7PM Service @ 6:30 Services @ 4pm & 6Pm

# Summer is coming! Register Today!









# Members Class Join us on April 2nd 9-Noon with Lunch to follow

Topics will include

- \* what we believe about: the Bible as the Word of God
- \* the person and work of Jesus
- \* the means of Grace and the work of the Holy Spirit
- \* prayer
- \* God as our Creator
- \* living a life of faith.

This class is for is for those interested in

becoming a member at SOTP & Current Members

Please let Julie at SOTP know if you plan on attending.

## This Week at Shepherd of the Pines

<b>Sunday, February 13<sup>th</sup></b> 9:00 AM	<b>(Music- Bethany)</b> Worship with Holy Communion	
10:00 AM	Sweetheart Breakfast	
7:00 PM	Men's Bible Study	
Monday, February 14 <sup>th</sup>		
7:30 PM	Praise Team	
7:30 PM	Bible Study – in homes	
Tuesday, February 15 <sup>th</sup>		
9:00 AM	Quilters	
6:00 PM	Al-Anon Meeting	
Wednesday, February 16 <sup>th</sup>		
9:30 AM	Woman's Bible Study	
6:30 PM	Confirmation	
Thursday, February 17 <sup>th</sup>		
9:00 AM	Quilters	
Friday, January 18 <sup>th</sup>		
6:30 PM	Movie Night Luca	
Sunday, February 20 <sup>th</sup>	(Music- Praise Team) Noisy Offering	
9:00 AM	Worship	
10:00 AM	Fellowship	
10:15 AM	Sunday School/Youth Group	
10:25 AM	Adult Bible Study	
7:00 PM	Men's Bible Study	
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## SOTP Worship Team Serving, This Sunday February 13<sup>th</sup>

#### 9:00am Worship:

Projectionist: Reader: Greeters:

Denise Leahy Jane Nelson Kevin & Janet Maleska

Worship Leader:

Jane Nelson

**Worship Service Shepherd:** 

Kyle Hackett

**Fellowship:** 

Sweetheart Breakfast

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#### 9:00am Worship:

Projectionist: Reader: Greeters: Cal Ollman Janet Maleska Milt & Marlene Popp

Worship Leader:

Steve Ree

Worship Service Shepherd:

Deb Erdmann

**Fellowship:** 

J. Amundson, M. Popp, B Statz