

# WELCOME!



## Upcoming Events

**June 18 - Preschool Summer School Begins**

**June 19 - 7:00 pm Church Council**

**June 24 - 12 noon, Bible & Lunch Bunch, CFM,**  
Lesson 12, Acts 13. Guests and visitors are  
welcome. Bring a lunch. Contact - Janine Crowe.  
This is last meeting before the summer break.  
We will resume our study of Acts in September.

**June 30 - 4:00 pm Art Exhibition Gregersen Hall**



At the Congregation Council meeting on May 15th, Lisa Verley was granted a period of extended personal leave. Lisa's break will begin on June 11th and conclude on August 10th. In light of this, Pastor John and Lisa have been able to secure summer coverage in the front office with a local Orinda resident, Lisbeth Kvale. Office hours during this period of time will be Monday through Thursday, 9:00 am to 1:00 pm. Lisbeth brings extensive administrative experience as well of private business experience with her to the front office. If you are in the area, please stop by the front office to introduce yourself and provide a warm welcome to Lisbeth! Lisbeth can be reached at [HSLCfrontoffice@gmail.com](mailto:HSLCfrontoffice@gmail.com).

May 13

Dear Holy Shepherd Lutheran,

Your steady support for the mission of IHP is helping the building to continue. Thank you. The interior work has begun in the labor and delivery building; the ceilings start going up next week. The walls are going up on the OR-NICU building.

The outpatient unit continues to serve patients daily despite our weeks of tropical rains flooding roads, ditches, and fields.

Five-year old Hashim was playing with friends at a neighbor's because his folks were away. The bank on a ditch gave way, Hashim fell in and did not resurface. His terrified playmates ran to the neighbor for help and that fellow ran to the rescue, plunged into the muddy water and pulled Hashim out and started squeezing water out of him, but the child was barely conscious.

That good guy ran again, sopping wet with the boy in his arms, to the highway and flagged a small



### Sunday, June 3

**9:30 am** Combined Worship Service

**10:30 am** Coffee Fellowship hosted by  
Dennie Ho

**11:00 am** KCCL Bible Study

**12:15 pm** KCCL Worship

### Monday, June 4

**10:30 am** AA Meeting

### Tuesday, June 5



**11:00 am** LARC

**11:00 am** Caregiver Coffee

### Wednesday, June 6

**11:00 am** Preschool Graduation

**11:00 am** LARC

### Thursday, June 7

**Last Day of Preschool**

**11:00 am** LARC

**7:00 pm** Shepherd's Bells

### Friday, June 8

**11:00 am** LARC

**7:30 pm** KCCL Taize

### Saturday, June 9

**Sunday, June 10**

**9:30 am** Combined Worship Service

**10:30 am** Coffee Fellowship

**10:45 am** 10:45 am Semi-Annual  
Congregational Meeting

Agenda: Election of new council  
members & report from Strategic  
Planning Committee

**11:00 am** KCCL Bible Study

**12:15 pm** KCCL Worship

motorcycle. The two men with the limp child between them raced at top speed for 20 minutes to get here. Dr. Bon and Dr. Kitundu administered oxygen and steroids and initiated a five-day regimen of IV antibiotics for aspiration pneumonia. Everyone was mightily relieved when Hashim cried loudly with the first shot. After 3 weeks he's fully recovered and his parents are very happy.

Angels on duty. Prayers answered.

Blessings & gratitude,  
Paula and Denny

### Sign ups:

A new coffee chart for the summer months is in CFM. Please add your name, if possible.

There is a new Flower Chart in CFM for July through December. Pick your date(s) early! Cost to provide flowers is \$50.00. Thank you.



Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church will be holding an artist exhibition on Saturday, June 30,

from 4:00 to 7:30 p.m. in Gregersen Hall. This exhibit is raising funds for Habitat for Humanity who is building a group house for six veterans in Dixon, CA. Artists are invited to bring up to 5 paintings to be exhibited with 25% of the sales going to Solano-Napa Habitat for Humanity's Dixon Veterans Build. If artists prefer to use their own booth, they will be allowed to set up outside the building entrance and bring unlimited artwork. There will also be a silent auction held that day. If you would like to donate artwork for the auction, you are encouraged to do so.

To be part of this opportunity to show your work and help our vets, please return the request form which can be located in the entry to CFM to: Bob Schwab, c/o Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church, 433 Moraga Way, Orinda 94563.

If you know an artist who would like to be a part of the exhibition please have them contact Bob Schwab, 925-254-6869 or Diana Yorgan, [dyorgan@comcast.net](mailto:dyorgan@comcast.net).



June 4 **Jim & Norma Jean Bunker**  
June 6 **Steve & Ellin Swanback**  
June 8 Alexander McManamon  
June 9 Cristi Chow



SEMI-ANNUAL  
CONGREGATIONAL  
MEETING

June 10  
10:45 a.m.  
Gregersen Hall

Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church  
June 3, 2018  
Phone 925-254-3422  
[www.holyshepherd.org](http://www.holyshepherd.org)  
Office Hours 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.  
Monday - Thursday

# SUMMER FUN!

**Preschool Summer Registration** is open. Please see Miss Susie for more information.

- #1 - Cooking Week 6/18-22
- #2 - Water Week 6/25-29
- #3 - 4th of July Week 7/2-6  
VBS Week 7/9-13
- #4 - Planting week 7/16-20
- #5 - Mixed-up Crazy Week 7/23-27
- #6 - Pet Week 7/30-8/3

Cost of summer school 9:00 a.m. -12 noon:  
2 days \$60 week 3 days \$80 week  
4 days \$100 week 5 days \$125 week

Session 1-4 will be billed on 6/4. Session 5-7 will be billed on 7/16. Extended Day is offered Monday - Friday from 12 noon - 2:00 p.m. VBS is a separate registration. Contact Cristi Chow at [chcristi@msn.com](mailto:chcristi@msn.com).



### HEALING

<i>Carol Kramer</i>	<i>Dona Lawrentz</i>
<i>Marlys Howard</i>	<i>Sharon Tissue</i>
<i>Howard Hansen</i>	<i>Tony Sanchez</i>
<i>Diana Neujahr</i>	<i>Gloria Enstrom</i>
<i>Harry Howe</i>	<i>DeLane Riveness</i>
<i>Kathy McCarty Schwab</i>	
<i>Dinah Washington</i>	

### WELLNESS

<i>Grace Adams</i>	<i>Rolf Benseler</i>
<i>Pat Tveitmoie</i>	<i>Dottie Russell</i>
<i>Cathy Johnson</i>	<i>Pastor Richard Brewer</i>

### PEACE / COMFORT

*Kitti Colucci*

### MILITARY

*Keep our armed forces safe and give them courage, hope and strength.*  
*Brian Henson Megan Howard*

### THOSE WHO GRIEVE

*The Swanback Family in the passing of Steve's mother, Elaine.*

*The Quint Family in the passing of Robyn Quint, husband, father and grandfather.*

**ADULT DAY PROGRAM**  
for those with Alzheimer's or other related dementias

• STIMULATING ACTIVITIES	• GAMES
• LIVE MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT	• CRAFTS
	• EXERCISE
	• FRIENDSHIP

LARC

LAMORINDA ADULT RESPITE CENTER  
**925-254-3465**  
433 Moraga Way Orinda [lamorindarespite.org](http://lamorindarespite.org)



tells us  
"Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective." Asking for God's help through prayer is one way we as Christians can connect with heaven and heaven can connect with us. At Holy Shepherd there are many ways in which we share prayer concerns and celebrations. Most of you already are aware of the Prayer List that is part of the weekly bulletin. Requests for prayers to the printed list can be made by contacting Linda Hudak, [lhudak@holyshepherd.org](mailto:lhudak@holyshepherd.org), or by calling the church office.

In addition to this written list, prayer concerns are also shared via a Prayer Chain. Prayer concerns/celebrations to be included on the Prayer Chain are communicated to the office, and then posted by email to a list of those individuals who wish to be part of this prayer group. If you would like to be a "link" on the chain, please contact the office: [HSLCfrontoffice@gmail.com](mailto:HSLCfrontoffice@gmail.com), or 254-3422. Likewise, if you have a prayer concern, would like to share a prayer celebration, or be removed from the prayer list, please call the office.



The altar flowers this morning have been given by Nina Berchtold.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

July 9 - 13

Join us at our annual Vacation Bible School where we experience God's love through songs, skits, and stories. Kids have a blast with games and crafts and getting to know their teenage counselors. VBS is July 9-13 from 9 am -12 noon and is open to all. Registration forms are available in the church office.

Free EFO Summer Youth Symphony  
Friday, June 15, 7:00 pm  
Conductor Greg Mazmanian

HSLC Sanctuary  
Followed by Root Beer Floats outside



Once every three years, youth members of ELCA congregations from across the nation gather for a week-long event that combines learning and service, fellowship and fun. It's called the "ELCA National Youth Convention" and it's happening at the end of this month in Houston, Texas! We gather with our eyes on the cross, in the realization that 'This Changes Everything'.

Pastor John will be joining three of our high-school youth (Henry, Marissa and Deborah), as well as youth and adult leaders from our sister-congregations in Lafayette and Pleasant Hill. Together, they'll travel to

Houston for an exciting (and exhausting) week that includes:

- mass gathering worship events with 25,000 other Lutherans,
- learning events at the Johnson Space Center and downtown Houston,
- service events aiding in Hurricane Harvey recovery efforts,
- and much MUCH more!

Want to help our kids and help make this happen? Stop by our table at Coffee Fellowship this Sunday and support our Buy-a-Square Fund Raiser. You'll be given opportunity to buy a square (or more than one!) and help us achieve our fund-raising goal of \$5500. All proceeds will be used to support our youth participants and to help provide books to rebuild school libraries devastated by last year's hurricane. Together we can make this happen! And thanks in advance for your support of our kids and the kids of the Houston area.

### Attendance

May 27 9:30 a.m. 75

The weekly news inserts are available on the church's website every week - go to [www.holyshepherd.org](http://www.holyshepherd.org) and click on Weekly News.