

Alleluia

CHRIST IS RISEN!

We Celebrate the 50 Days of Easter



May 13 - Mother's Day

May 15 - 7:00 pm Church Council

May 17 - 9:00 am Final Women's Bible Study of the school year; Lesson 15, Acts 16:11-40. Contact is Janine Crowe.

May 20 - 12:15 pm Bible & Lunch Bunch CFM. Lesson 11. Acts 11:19-12:25. Guests and visitors are welcome. Contact is Janine Crowe.

May 27 - Move to one Worship Service at 9:30 am

May 28 - Memorial Day - Office, LARC, Preschool Closed

Loaves & Fishes:

May 10, Martinez

May 23, Pittsburg



We offer our sincere condolences to the family and friends of Mary Moore who passed away April 26. Mary is survived by her children Bob and Katie (Michael Wunder), her granddaughter Elizabeth (Mimi) Swanson, and Mimi's step-brothers, Christian

and Brandon Wunder. She was preceded in death by her spouse, John Moore, in 2013.

Mary was a long-time member of Holy Shepherd (Shepherd of the Valley Lutheran Church). Among her many responsibilities and contributions to the church were serving on the Church Council both as a member and officer, serving as a member of the Social Ministry Committee and the Steering Committee of Valley Adult Day Care Center (LARC). She also was the chairperson for the LARC Board for a number of years. She shared her musical talents with the Canticle Choir, Shepherd's Bells and Spirit Borne. She will be greatly missed by all.

There will be a celebration of Mary's life May 19, at 1:00 p.m. followed by a light reception in CFM.

Please keep Mary's family in your prayers as they go through this difficult time.



HEALING

Donna Zelinski
Carol Kramer
Marlys Howard
Howard Hansen
Diana Neujahr
John Heidt

Dottie Russell
Dona Lawrentz
Sharon Tissue
Tony Sanchez
Gloria Enstrom
Harry Howe

WELLNESS

Grace Adams
Rolf Benseler
Cathy Johnson

Pearl Gregersen
Pat Tveitmoe
Pastor Richard Brewer

PEACE / COMFORT

Laura Lyman
Rosemarie Routson

Kitti Colucci

MILITARY

Keep our armed forces safe and give them courage, hope and strength.

Ryan Bingham
Megan Howard
Brian Henson

THOSE WHO GRIEVE

The Howard Rodean family on the passing of Lavonne.

The Chow Family on the passing of Cristi's aunt, Gloria Ray. Gloria is a sister to Dorothy Lee, Cristi's mother.

Please remember in your prayers the family and friends of Lucille Madsen who passed away April 28 at the age of 103. Lucille, a long-time member of Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church, will be remembered as the shining light who gave inspiration to the establishment of Valley Adult Day Care Center (LARC). She brought the idea to then Pastor Brian Hughes who set up a committee to pursue her dream. Her husband, Chris, was the first participant in the program.



Lucille is survived by her daughter, Lois Moore. She was preceded in death by her spouse, Chris Madsen, in 1999.

There will be a memorial service for Lucille May 17 at 11:00 a.m. followed by a catered luncheon in CFM.



Bible Reading for the

For the Week of May 7-13, 2018

Read: "The Christ Hymn" (*Philippians 2:1-13*)

Recite: "He humbled himself and became obedient to the point of death—even death on a cross." — *Philippians 2:8*

Reflect: At the heart of this week's reading is an early hymn of the Christian community – a piece traditionally known as "the Christ Hymn" – *Philippians 2:6-11*. It celebrates the humility of Jesus, and invites us to share in that same value. (In fact, 'humility' was the overarching value by which the early Christians strove to define their lives!) What does 'humility' look like in our world today? Have you ever met someone who is truly numbered among the humble? What might a dose of humility look like in your own life?

Pray: God, you are the Master Potter. Make us and mold us to continue to hold on to our faith, even when people come against us and when things look impossible. Amen.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

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| May 6 | Carol Gamble |
| May 7 | Pete Johnson
Erin Schoenfeld |
| May 8 | Richard & Fran Gabie |
| May 10 | Victor Gess
Terry Olson |
| May 11 | Betsy Swanback |
| May 12 | Lauren Finnell |
| May 13 | Carol Sueoka |



The flowers this morning have been given by Joan Kiekhaefer.

Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church
May 6, 2018
www.holyshepherd.org
Office Hours 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Monday - Thursday
Phone 925-254-3422



Contra Costa Food Bank

If you have canned meat, vegetables, fruit, pasta, rice, beans, etc. that you would like to contribute to the Food Bank, please bring to HSLC and leave in the shopping cart in the narthex. The

Food Bank comes by to pick up donated items. Please no glass, refrigerated items or out-dated food items. There is a continuous need for food items. Many Thanks.



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.



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.

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



The preschool is pleased to announce that they made a profit of \$10K+ from the fall fundraiser. Thanks to everyone who made this possible - those who attended, bought raffle tickets, gave donations and helped put the event together. Thank you!



Picture compliments of Dr. Bob: "Soon be ready for KidTalk." Gretchen Stenson with Alta Noel and Carol Schaaf with Gabriella.

Volunteers:

Coffee hosts are needed after both services. Please see the sign-up sheets and volunteer, if possible. There are also new coffee charts for May and for the summer months. Please add your name, if possible.

Lisa is beginning to put together lay server lists for the summer months - if you have travel plans and will not be available, please let her know as soon as possible.



(Parent's Night Out) May 11 5:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Kids meet in Gregersen Hall for games, singing and, dinner.

Parents meet in CFM for an evening of Board Games and dinner!

\$5.00 goodwill offering for each child
\$5.00 goodwill offering for each adult

See you there!
Call the church office to sign up:
925-254-3422

Questions: Cristi Chow



Sunday, May 6

- 8:30 am Traditions Worship Service
- 9:30 am Coffee Fellowship hosted by Yvonne & Otto Tschudi
- 9:45 am Adult Education with Dinah Washington
- 10:45 am Celebrations Worship Service
- 11:45 am Coffee Fellowship in CFM
- 11:00 am KCCL Bible Study
- 12:15 pm KCCL Worship

Monday, May 7

- 10:30 am AA Meeting
- 11:00 am LARC
- 3:30 pm Orinda Mandarin Program
- 6:30 pm Cub Scouts

Tuesday, May 8

- 11:00 am LARC
- 11:00 am Caregiver Coffee

Wednesday, May 9

- 11:00 am LARC
- 3:30 pm Orinda Mandarin Program

Thursday, May 10

- 10:30 am Preschool Chapel
- 11:00 am LARC
- 6:30 pm GS Team Meeting
- 7:00 pm Shepherd's Bells

Friday, May 11

- 11:00 am LARC
- 5:30 pm Fun Friday Nites for the kids (Parent's Night Out) and Adult Game Night for the parents
- 7:30 pm KCCL Taize

Saturday, May 12

Sunday, May 13

Happy Mother's Day!

- 8:30 am Traditions Worship Service
- 9:30 am Coffee Fellowship hosted by Belle Lindskoog
- 9:45 am Adult Education with Dinah Washington
- 10:45 am Celebrations Worship Service
- 11:45 am Coffee Fellowship in CFM
- 11:00 am KCCL Bible Study
- 12:15 pm KCCL Worship

Attendance

April 29

8:30 am 50 10:45 am 42

The weekly news inserts are available on the church's website every week - go to www.holyshepherd.org and click on Weekly News.

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