

Welcome



All Saints' Sunday



**For Next Week – Sunday,
November 11**

Read: “Micah” (*Micah 1:3-5, 5:2-4, 6:6-8*)

Recite: “God has told you, O mortal, what is good; and what does the LORD require of you but to do justice, and to love kindness, and to walk humbly with your God?” — *Micah 6:8*

Reflect:

- Part of Micah’s message is an assurance to tiny Bethlehem, King David’s hometown, that though the town is small, a great leader will come from there. Can you think of small things that are unexpectedly important? Or small things that produce large results? (For example, an acorn.)
- Think about Micah’s message to Bethlehem above. Can you think of how many ways it connects with the Christmas story we’ll hear in a few weeks? What is ‘small’ and ‘unexpected’ in the Christmas story?
- In Micah 6:6-8, the prophet speaks of doing justice and loving kindness. In the Bible, ‘justice’ seems to be less about doing what is ‘fair’ and more about lifting up those who are lowly. Can you think of a concrete way in which you might lift up the lowly this week?

Pray: Help us to hear the prophets as they call us to have our worship connected with the real needs of this world. Help us, then, to do justice; to love

This morning we remember in our prayers:

Bill & Marlys Howard
 Thurid Petrone
 Robert Desimone
 Mary Moore
 Lucille Madsen
 LaVonne Rodean
 Beth Johnson
 Peggy Peterson
 Gil Marr



Steve Meagher
 Lois Fleischmann
 Robyn Quint
 Katherine Ruff

We also remember:

Art Collins
 Kimberly Huish
 Elaine Swanback
 Arthur Peterson
 Lillian Aanastad
 John Pomidor’s Father

Carolyn Henry
 Tom Koeper
 Gloria Ray
 Glenn Stenson
 Jeanette Pomidor



November 4 All Saints Sunday

Receiving of New Members
 12:15 p.m. Bible & Lunch Bunch, CFM, Acts, chapters 16 & 17; bring your own lunch. Contact Janine Crowe
 Share the Warmth Collection

Daylight Saving Time Ends - Fall back an hour

November 6 Election Day - HSLC is a polling site

November 8 Thursday, Loaves & Fishes Martinez

November 11 Veterans Day

New Life Band Sunday

November 12 Veterans Day Observed - Preschool Closed

November 15 9:00 a.m. Women’s Bible Study CFM Library, Lesson 20, Acts 21:1-22:29. Contact is Janine Crowe.

November 22 Thanksgiving Day

November 25 **Go to one service (9:30 a.m.) through January 6, 2019**

November 28 **Wednesday, Loaves & Fishes Pittsburg**



New Life Band Sunday

Sunday, November 11 the NLB - a music ministry team from Tanzania and one of our congregation’s primary ministry partners will be joining us for both worship services. For almost two decades, we have been helping them to share the Good News in word, in song and in deed. They have been traveling throughout California for the past two months, and ours is their last stop before they return home to Africa. They will be providing special music at the 8:30 service that morning and our 10:45 worship time will be a celebratory concert offered up by the NLB. Bring your dancing shoes - and bring a friend!



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| November 4 | Catherine Demos |
| November 5 | Caroline Schmalz |
| November 6 | Joshua Chen |
| November 7 | Judy Butler |
| November 10 | Susie Koeper |
| November 11 | Tom Gilbertson |
| | Catherine Klingman |
| | Donna Zelinski |

THIS WEEK AT HOLY SHEPHERD

Sunday, November 4

Daylight Savings Time Ends

- 8:30 am** Traditions Worship Service
- 9:30 am** Coffee Fellowship / CFM hosted by Yvonne & Otto Tschudi
- 9:35 am** Children’s Sunday School
- 9:45 am** Letter Writing to the Troops CFM
- 10:45 am** Celebrations Worship
- 11:45 am** Coffee Fellowship in CFM hosted by Steve & Nina Berchtold
- 11:00 am** KCCL Bible Study
- 12:15 pm** KCCL Worship
- 12:15 pm** Bible & Lunch Bunch CFM

Monday, November 5

- 10:30 am** AA Meeting
- 11:00 am** LARC
- 3:20 pm** Orinda Mandarin Program

Tuesday, November 6

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



Wednesday, November 7

- 10:30 am** Preschool Chapel
- 11:00 am** LARC
- 3:20 pm** Orinda Mandarin Program

Thursday, November 8

- 11:00 am** LARC
- 6:30 pm** GS Leader Meeting
- 7:00 pm** Bell Choir
- 7:00 pm** Europa Men’s Bible Study

Friday, November 9

- 11:00 am** LARC
- 7:30 pm** KCCL Taize

Saturday, November 10

Sunday, November 11 with NLB



- 8:30 am** Traditions Worship Service w/NLB
- 9:30 am** Coffee Fellowship CFM
- 9:35 am** Children’s Sunday School
- 9:45 am** Conversations with NLB
- 10:45 am** NLB Concert
- 11:45 am** Coffee Fellowship in CFM hosted by Susan & Chuck Patterson
- 11:00 am** KCCL Bible Study
- 12:15 pm** KCCL Worship



Bible & Lunch Bunch Christmas Lunch will be Sunday, December 9, at 12 noon at La Finestra in Moraga. Guests and visitors are welcome. Please RSVP to Janine Crowe by November 25 so she can make reservations before the holiday rush. During lunch we will talk about Acts Chapter 18. Thank you.

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 November 4, 2018
 Phone 925-254-3422 www.holyshepherd.org
 Office Hours 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
 Monday - Thursday

LET'S GET TOGETHER FOR A LITTLE

Jingle AND mingle

Please join your friends and fellow members of Holy Shepherd Saturday, December 8, for our annual Christmas get together. Bring a heavy appetizer and a bottle of wine to share. We will meet at the Merlin's home from 5 to 7 p.m. Please RSVP to Lisa Merlin 510-506-2061 or merlinfinly@aol.com.



Reformation and Oberammergau Trip September 2020

Pastor John will be leading a group to Germany in September 2020. The trip will focus on significant sites relating to Martin Luther. There is an additional stop in Oberammergau to see the "Passion Play." This play is held only every 10 years and tickets can be hard to buy unless you book far in advance. In order to make definite plans we need to know if you would be interested in joining this very special trip.

Please note your name and contact information on the sign-up sheet in Gregersen Hall or contact Diana Yorgan 925-788-2957 or dyorgan@comcast.net.



HEALING

Cristi Chow	Dona Lawrentz
Kathy Williams	Howard Hansen
Tony Sanchez	Dinah Washington
Mary Herchert	Gloria Enstrom
Harry Howe	DeLane Riveness
Laura Zellmer	Mallory Weiss
Henry Kramer	Mary Ann McCauley
Kathy McCarty Schwab	

WELLNESS

Grace Adams	Rolf Benseler
Pat Tveitmoe	Dottie Russell
Cathy Johnson	Del Hock
Kellen Derrough	Carol Kramer

PEACE / COMFORT

Kitti Colucci

MILITARY

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



Tracey Blanchard
Steve Berchtold
Lyndel & Marilyn Melton

SAVE THE DATES FOR CHAPLAINS WINGS!

GEAR UP for the Christmas mailing to our brave men and women in Afstan Combat Zones - by considering / participating in one or all of the following events:

Nov. 11, Sun. Special CW stationery will be available from the ushers

Nov. 14, Wed. Deadline for turning in all letters / drawings

Nov. 15, Thurs. 9:30 a.m. to 12 noon Mailing Party in CFM

Nov. 16, Fri. 10:00 a.m. Packing Party - a strong back and / or SUV helpful

DONATE your inventory of hotel size / sample soaps, shampoo and lotions. Medium size toothpaste or brushes would also be appreciated by our Troops! Please deliver to baskets provided in CFM by **Thursday, November 15.**

There is a link at holyshepherd.org to download stationery. Go to the website and click on Ministries/Services/Chaplain's Wings.

EXCITING TIMES AT LARC!



We are excited to announce that LARC will be expanding our services in 2019! A major renovation on the left side of Gregersen Hall during the summer of 2019 will allow us to do MORE of what we do BEST! The renovation will include the former church offices, restrooms, and meeting room. The LARC Fall Fundraising letter was mailed! We appreciate ALL contributions whether large or small, and every donor will receive a thank you letter for tax purposes.

How can you help us beyond your donation? If you have friends or family members whom you think might want to contribute to our fundraiser please help yourself to the stamped mailing packets in Gregersen Hall and the CFM - simply address and drop it in the mailbox! Thanks for all your support of LARC and the families we serve!

Thank you ladies and all who donated!
LtoR: Tracey, Elaine, Juanita, Diana Joy, Joan

CARE PACKAGES



Happy Halloween from LARC:
Cookie, Beth, Mary & Chris

Our annual "Share the Warmth" drive is being held today! See Karen Rose Kalvass for details, 925.284.8130 or email krkvolunteer@gmail.com

Notice to first service coffee hosts: Please be sure to turn off the coffee pots after coffee fellowship. Thank you.

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

Attendance

October 21 8:30 a.m. 59 10:45 a.m. 50

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