Holy Shepherd Lutheran Church May 12, 2019 www.holyshepherd.org Office Hours 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Monday - Thursday Phone 925-254-3422



the righteous will live by faith

Romans 1:17



For Next Week – Sunday, May 26, 2019

Read: "God's Love Poured Out" (Romans 5:1-11)

Recite: The apostle Paul

wrote, "God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us." — Romans 5:8

Reflect:

- Can you recall a time in your life when you experienced inordinate suffering? How did things like endurance, character, hope, and love reveal themselves to you amid that experience?
- Have you ever been in a position to do something nice, kind, or helpful for someone you didn't like or for someone who had previously done you wrong? What might have been some good reasons for doing that positive thing for that someone? What might have held you back from doing such? What does Paul say about God's love for us in *Romans* 5:8?

Pray: Merciful Father, it really is amazing grace: you didn't wait for humanity to get its act together. Instead, even while we continue to be in bondage to sin, you revealed your love to us in Jesus. Use this love to transform our hearts. We ask this in Jesus' name. A men



Altar flowers this morning have been given by Pastor John in celebration of Bethany's birthday. Happy Birthday!

The Linnen family is looking to hire a local pet sitter to watch their 2 guinea pigs 6/23 - 7/5. Guinea pigs are friendly, chubby, and like veggies! Please contact Karin Linnen, if you are available and willing - cell: 925-395-3172 or Karin linnen@gmail.com.



Preschool Summer Registration is

open. Please see Miss Susie for registration forms.

3 Weeks of Fun:

#1 - Cooking Week 6/10 - 14

#2 - Water Week 6/17 - 21

#3 - Planting week 6/24 - 28

Cost of summer school 9:00 a.m. -12 noon:

2 days \$60 week 3 days \$85 week

4 days \$110 week 5 days \$125 week

School Closed 7/1 - 5

Vacation Bible School 7/8 - 7/12

Visit holyshepherd.org to sign up!



Today - Last day of Sunday School

May 21 - Tuesday, 7:00 p.m. Congregational Council Meeting

May 22 - Wednesday, Loaves & Fishes, Pittsburg Last Day of Orinda Mandarin Program

May 27 - Memorial Day - Office, Preschool and LARC closed

May 31 - Friday 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. Parents' Night

June 13 - Thursday, Loaves & Fishes, Martinez June 15 - Saturday, 10:00 a.m. CFM, Women's Book Club Contact is Alison Kling

June 23 - 12 noon in CFM the Bible & Lunch Bunch will meet and conclude the study of 1 Thessalonians, reading chapters 3 to 5. Contact is Janine Crowe

July 13 - Saturday, 9:30 - 3:00 p.m., San Damiano Prayer Retreat. Contact is Pastor Pam.



Let's grow some wheat!

Stewardship through the Seasons

...the Winter months...

...then Sowing....then.....Growing!

.... the Summer Months...

...then Living...then...Giving!



Sunday, May 19 9:00 am Coffee Bar

(in CFM) **9:30 am** Congrega-

9:30 am Congregational Worship

10:00 am Sunday School (PreK-5th Gr.) 10:30 am Coffee Fellowship (in CFM)

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hosted by Marci & Bob Bauer

10:45 am KidMin Sunday School Ends

11:00 am Adult Sunday School

11:00 am KCCL Bible Study

11:30 am Adult Sunday School Ends

12:15 pm KCCL Worship

Monday, May 20

9:00 am Preschool

11:00 am LARC

10:30 am AA Meeting

3:30 pm Orinda Mandarin Program

Tuesday, May 21

9:00 am Preschool

11:00 am LARC

11:00 am Caregiver Coffee

3:30 pm GS Leader Meeting

7:00 pm Congregation Council Meeting

Wednesday, May 22

Loaves & Fishes Pittsburg

9:00 am Preschool

10:30 am Preschool Chapel

11:00 am LARC

3:30 pm Orinda Mandarin Program

Thursday, May 23

9:00 am Preschool

10:30 am Preschool Chapel

11:00 am LARC

6:00 pm Canticle Choir

Friday, May 24

9:00 am Preschool

11:00 am LARC

7:30 pm KCCL Taize in Chapel

Saturday, May 25

Sunday, May 26

9:00 am Coffee Bar (in CFM)

9:30 am Congregational Worship

10:30 am Coffee Fellowship (in CFM)

hosted by Donna Gamel

11:00 am KCCL Bible Study

12:15 pm KCCL Worship

Attendance May 12, 2019

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Holy Shepherd is offering a One-day Prayer Retreat, Saturday, July 13 9:30 - 3:00 p.m.

San Damiano Retreat in Danville

\$40/person includes program & lunch

Pastor Pam will guide participants in meditation, discussions about prayer, and experiences of prayer.

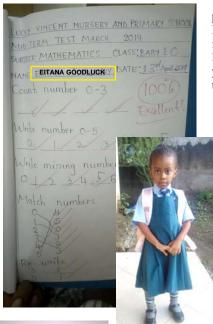
For more information, contact Pastor Pam. Sign-up sheet in entry to CFM.

DANVILLE . CALIFORNIA

Friday, May 31 5:30 - 8:30 pm IN NEED OF A NIGHT OUT?

Need a date or shopping night? Let the kids play while you're away. Drop off your kids for a night of fun at Gregersen Hall. We will provide crafts, snacks and dinner. Let us know ahead of any food allergies or dietary restrictions. Email Cristi Chow chcristi@msn.com.

\$5/kid or \$10/family. Sorry NO diapers!







Heavenlight has been doing well in her class. She was number one and because of her brightness she was selected a leader in her Kindergarten class. She is Eliud/Alex's daughter.

GIVING BEYOND OURSELVES!

Do you ever wonder where your offering dollars go? Here at Holy Shepherd, ten cents out of every dollar are earmarked to "Giving Beyond Ourselves." That means we've made a commitment to sharing God's abundant goodness with others both near and far. That means every time you make a gift to your church, you're making a difference in the lives of people around the world!

One of our ministry partners is the New Life Band -that well-traveled music mission team based in Arusha,
Tanzania. We support the New Life Band by stepping up
to fund private school tuitions for band-member
children, knowing that meager missionary salaries can't
afford them to offer that opportunity to their own kids.

That means every time you put a dollar into the offering plate, you're helping to send little Eitana Goodluck Matingisa to Kindergarten at the Lucky Vincent School in Arusha, Tanzania. And Eitana and her family would like you to know that they are VERY appreciative of your support! Following are a few pictures of the kids that you help to educate!



David Deo 10th Grade



Yvonne Godson, Pre Primary, and Alvin Godson, Baby Class



Prince, son of James Kiphize in his pharmaceutical course.





Wome n's Book Group will meet at 10:00 a.m. in Gregersen Hall on

Saturday, June 15 (please note this is a date change).

All are welcome. Please contact Alison Kling for any further information.

The book selection for June is "Beneath a Scarlet Sky" by Mark T. Sullivan. This is a story of a young Italian during World War II who joins an underground movement to help Jewish people escape after his home in Milan is destroyed. Forced to enlist as a German soldier, he becomes the driver of an important German general. This gives him the opportunity to spy for the allies. His love for the Jewish widow he met in the underground movement bolsters his courage and hopes for the future.

The next meeting will be July 27 and more information will be forthcoming.



HEALING

Kathy Williams Chris Immesoete Gloria Enstrom Marilyn Lyndahl Laura Zellmer June Howe Cecily Bartsch Marilyn Norleen

Dona Lawrentz Dinah Washington Kramer Collins Kathy Dowell Mallory Weiss Zachary Henry Kathy McCarty Schwab

WELLNESS

Rolf Benseler June Gould DeLane Riveness Carol Kramer Howard Hansen Pat Tveitmoe Ann Brohm Henry Kramer

PEACE / COMFORT

Kitti Colucci Grace Adams Dottie Russell

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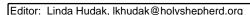
Keep our armed forces safe and give them courage, hope and strength.

Brian Henson Megan Howard

Peter & Melanie Kler



May 19	Alison Kling
May 22	Courtney Sheldon
May 24	Janice Kjell
	Bethany Valentine
May 25	Rachael Oczkus
-	Gabriel & Mara Jay
May 26	David Lausch



Dennis Deo 4th Grade