

Those Serving today and  
next week Sept. 8th & 15th

9/8

**Music:** Beth Steuck  
**Acolyte:** John Mark Stefanic  
**Elder:** Darwin Leek  
**Ushers:** Darwin Leek & Mark Henkelman  
**Counters:** Kathy Dahl  
**Servers:** Rally lunch

9/15

**Music:** Beth Steuck  
**Acolyte:** Kaden Peterson  
**Elder:**  
**Ushers:** Darwin Leek & Mark Henkelman  
**Counters:** David Sturrock  
**Servers:** NA

**Sunday September 1, 2024**  
**Attendance: 73**  
**Communicants: 41**

This Week at Good Shepherd  
9/8/24 – 9/15/24

Sunday– Kick Off Sunday

9am – Divine Service  
10:30am – Education Hour  
11:45 – Kickoff Lunch & Games

Monday

5:30am – BJJ Club  
8:30am – Matins/Coop  
11am – YAH @ Pizza Ranch

Tuesday

6pm – Bd. Of Evangelism  
7pm – AA Meeting  
7:30pm – BJJ Club

Wednesday

7am – Men’s Bible Study @ McDonald’s  
5:30pm – Confirmation  
5:45pm – BOE  
6pm – Praise Band

Thursday

Pastor’s Day Off/Office Closed

Friday

5:30am – BJJ Club

Sunday

9am – Divine Service  
10:30am – Education Hour  
2pm – Rev. Borchardt Installation @ Zion,  
Hardwick

**The Congregation at Prayer**

**How to use this bulletin for daily prayer all week long.**

*Reading God’s Word and offering up our prayers to God should be part of our daily routine.*

*Below is an outline for a simple daily devotion.*

*Also included is a portion of the Small Catechism for the week and the prayers of our parish.*

Invocation: **In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. Amen.**

Introit: **Bulletin Insert**

Learn by Heart: Bible Verses: **Ecclesiastes 3:17; Revelation 20:13**

Catechism: **Daily Prayers: Table of Duties – To Husbands**

Daily Readings:

Sunday: **2 Kings 5:9-27; Phil. 1:1-20**  
Monday: **2 Kings 6:1-23; Phil. 1:21-2:11**  
Tuesday: **2 Kings 9:1-13; 10:18-29; Phil. 2:12-30**  
Wednesday: **2 Chron. 29:1-24; Phil. 3:1-21**  
Thursday: **2 Chron. 31:1-21; Phil. 4:1-23**  
Friday: **2 Chron. 32:1-22; Col. 1:1-23**  
Saturday: **2 Chron. 33:1-25; Col. 1:24-2:7**

Readings for next Sunday: **1 Kings 17:17-24; Ephesians 3:13-21; Luke 7:11-17**

IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK:

- **Birthdays:** Kara Stauffer 9/9; Carl Berner 9/10; Maisey Brockberg 9/16
- **Anniversaries:** Dan & Kelli Radel 9/14
- **Sickness/Illness/Recovery (members):** Judson Brockberg; Carolyn Bayerkohler; Charles Holland; Barb Werner; Rev. Carl Berner; Carol Nienkirk; Joanne Christoffer; Jon Gullickson; David Sturrock; Ruth Timm; Jon Gerken; Jean Peirce; Esther Schrunck; Larry Pratt; Karen Klatt
- **Sickness/Illness/Recovery (friends and family):** Hewie Mau, brother of Nancy Pratt; Cindy Bingham, sister-in-law of Michelle Bingham; Brandon Athens, friend of Denny and Kathy Brockberg; Alan and Sherry Park, friends of Carrie Davis; Don Casey, father of Carrie Davis; Sasheen, daughter of Gay Brockberg; Myrna Rokeh, grandmother of Ashley Peterson; David and Kim St. John, friends of Monique Konrad; Sarah Johnson, friend of Lisa Haen; Karen Geske; Carole Rudig, caretaker of Esther Schrunck; Laura Kero, aunt of Gwen Sturrock; Lena Peterson, mother of Travis Peterson; Anita Johnson, sister of Kathy Brockberg; Diane, Aunt of Lisa Haen; Floyd Brecheisen, brother of Gay Brockberg; Hester, sister of David Sturrock; Tobias Haugen, grandson of Mavis Ochsendorf; Bonnie, mother of Lisa Haen
- **Accepted Calls:** Rev. Ed Borchardt to Zion, Hardwick
- **Family of:** Lorraine Gullickson
- **With Child:** Sarah Stefanic

HYMN OF THE MONTH: **LSB #713 “From God Can Nothing Move Me”**

COLLECT (**Bulletin Insert**)

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LORD’S PRAYER

BLESSING: **The almighty and most merciful God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit, bless and preserve us. Amen.**

**Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity**

Divine Service III: **pp. 184 - 202**

Hymn of Invocation: **LSB #754**

Confession and Absolution: **pp. 184-185**

Introit: **Bulletin Insert**

Kyrie: **p. 186**

Gloria in Excelsis: **pp. 187-189**

Salutation-Collect: **p. 189**

Old Testament Reading: **1 Kings 17:8-16**

Gradual

Epistle Reading: **Galatians 5:25-6:10**

Alleluia: **p. 190**

Holy Gospel: **Matthew 6:24-34**

Nicene Creed: **p. 192**

Hymn of the Day: **LSB #760**

Sermon

Offering

Offertory **p. 192**

Installation of Sunday School Teachers

Prayer of the Church

Service of the Sacrament: **pp. 194-199**

Distribution Hymns: **LSB #730, #732, #745**

Post-Communion Liturgy: **pp. 199-202**

Closing Hymn: **LSB #709**

Announcements

To our visitors and guests:

The Lord's Supper is celebrated at Good Shepherd in the confession and glad confidence that our Lord, as He says, gives not only bread and wine, but His very body and blood to eat and drink for the forgiveness of sin. In joyful obedience to the clear teaching of our Lord Jesus those are invited to His table who trust His words, repent of all sin, and set aside any refusal to forgive and love as He forgives and loves us. They show forth His death until He comes. Because Holy Communion is a confession of the faith which is confessed at this altar, any who are not yet instructed, in doubt, or who hold a confession differing from that of The Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod and so are unable to receive the Sacrament are invited to meditate on God's Word in the distribution hymns and pray for the day when divisions will have ceased. You may also come up to the rail and receive a baptismal blessing. Signify this by crossing your hands over your chest. If you have any questions, please feel free to talk to Pastor.

**The Preparation\***  
**The Confession of Sins**

**31. What is the purpose of the preparatory Confession?**

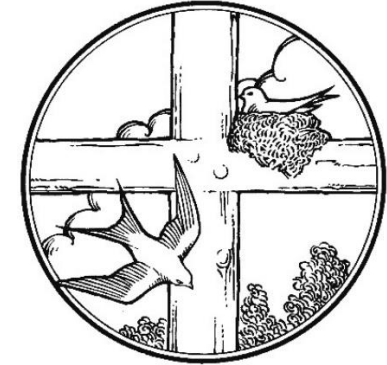
It prepares the hearts of both Minister and congregation for communion with God. Without the sincere confession of sin God does not bestow His grace upon us; nor does He accept our sacrifices of prayer, praise and thanksgiving.

**32. Name the several parts of the Preparation.**

- I. The Exhortation.
- II. The Versicle
- III. The Confession of Sins
- IV. The Prayer for Grace
- V. The Declaration of Grace

*An Explanation of the Common Service: Order of The Service or The Communion, pg. 21: #31-32.*

\*When The Service is immediately preceded by the Service of Confession and Absolution, it should begin with the Introit, the Preparation being omitted.



*Good Shepherd Lutheran Church*

*A Member of the Lutheran Church – Missouri Synod*

**Worship Schedule: Sunday 9:00am**

**Education Hour: Sunday @ 10:30am**

**Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday from 8am-12:00am  
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*Pastor: James J. Stefanie*

We, the members of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, believing the Bible to be God's inspired and inerrant Word, acknowledging that Jesus Christ is Lord, and affirming that we are saved by Grace through faith in Him alone, offer the following as our statement of mission:

Empowered by the Holy Spirit and loving our neighbors as ourselves, we, as ambassadors for Christ, must strive to make disciples of all nations; Using the gifts the Lord has given to each of us, we must help the saints to grow in unity of faith through regular worship attendance, the partaking of the Sacraments, the study of God's Word, and by ministering to the spiritual needs of others; we will persevere in prayer and thanksgiving for all the opportunities and blessings which God places before us.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Around the church building, you will see little figurines of Jesus. These are for the children and the congregation to take and enjoy. Please don't take them all, just a few per person. Take one for yourself and if you like, take one for a friend or even a stranger. We want to share Jesus with others! They are to help us remember that Jesus is always with us and He loves us!**

**Rally Day is TODAY, Sep. 8<sup>th</sup>.** Sunday School followed by lunch and games. In addition to our traditional kick ball game, we will have crafts and other lawn games. Everyone is welcome, so please join us!

**Homeschool co-op begins tomorrow, September 9<sup>th</sup>. Join us for Matins and Bible history!**

**Spiritual Discipline for September:** Attend Divine Service and education hour every week.

**Join us for Bible Study as we begin to work through the Book of Proverbs.**

**Our next men's book study will be on Saturday, September 21 at 7:30.** We will begin a study of *Extreme Ownership* by Jocko Willink and Leif Babin. See Pastor for a copy.

**Rev. Ed Borhardt will be installed as pastor of Zion in Hardwick next Sunday at 2pm.** All are welcome to attend.

**Screenitfirst.com** is a website dedicated to helping parents find good literature for their children and root out the bad. This site helps parents find the right book at the right time to build healthy minds. Check out their resources and become a part of this community.

**New Adult and Kids Devotionals** on the resource table.

**Bookmarks can be found on the resource table** that include dates of both testaments, reminders of how to distinguish between law and gospel, and more.

**Wittenberg Academy is an online, Lutheran, classical school serving K-12 grades.** For a free K-5 curriculum, enroll your child online or check out the 6-12<sup>th</sup> grade course offerings at [wittenbergacademy.org](http://wittenbergacademy.org).

**Unapologetically Lutheran in liturgy, theology, and culture.** For a classical conservative Lutheran college check out [www.lutherclassical.org](http://www.lutherclassical.org).

**CONTENDING FOR TRUTH IN AN AGE OF ANTI-TRUTH...Issues, Etc.** is a radio talk show and podcast produced by Lutheran Public Radio in Collinsville, IL and hosted by LCMS Pastor Todd Wilken. This week's subjects include: Vice President Kamala Harris on Abortion, A Parents' Guide to Navigating Cultural Chaos, The Confusion Over Female Identity, Responding to Alternative Theories for Jesus' Resurrection and more. You can listen at your convenience at [issuesetc.org](http://issuesetc.org), Amazon Alexa, Google Home, Apple HomePod, TuneIn, the LPR mobile app and a podcast provider.

*If you missed being here last Sunday and would like a bulletin, they are available in the foyer on the free materials table.*

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