

CALENDAR

Sunday, January 19th
8:30am Worship/communion
8:30am Sunday School
10:30am Worship/communion
4:30pm Boy Scouts Troop 22
6:30pm GS Men's Group

Monday, January 20th
5pm Finance Meeting
6pm Membership Meeting

Tuesday, January 21st
7pm Church Council Meeting

Wednesday, January 22nd
6:30pm Confirmation

Thursday, January 23rd
3pm Grief Support

Friday, January 24th

Saturday, January 25th

Sunday, January 26th
8:30am Worship
8:30am Sunday School
10:30am Worship
2:30pm Cub Scouts Pack 17
4:30pm Boy Scouts Troop 22
6:30pm GS Men's Group

Today at Good Shepherd

Preaching: Pr. John Stennes-Spidahl
Music: Randy Lyden & Karl Greenfield
Readings: Isaiah 62:1-5
Psalm 36:5-10
1 Corinthians 12:1-11

Gospel: John 2:1-11
Communion will be served this Sunday.

Next Sunday

Preaching: Pr. Harald Bringsjord
Music: Randy Lyden & Karl Greenfield
Readings: Nehemiah 8:1-3, 5-6, 8-10
Psalm 19
1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

Gospel: Luke 4:14-21
Communion will not be served this Sunday.

Staff Connections

PASTORS

Rev. Harald Bringsjord *Senior Pastor*
Rev. John Stennes-Spidahl *Assistant Pastor*

OFFICE COMMUNICATIONS

Rick Laufenberg *Office Manager*
Kathy Johnson *Office Assistant*

OPERATIONS

Bill Klein *Custodian*

LEARNING

Brea Ellison *Children's Ministry Coordinator*
Karina Bronson *Youth Ministry Coordinator*

MUSIC

Randy Lyden *Music Director/Organist*
Karl & Jaime Greenfield *Sanctuary Choir Directors*
Linda Jerome *Bell Choirs Director*
Darlene Lassig *Sunday School Choir Director*

HEALTH

Cody Nedegaard *Parish Nurse*
Kerstin Nedegaard *Parish Nurse*

CHURCH LEADER

Jim Bugge *Congregation President*

Please visit GSlacrosse.org/staff for staff directory.
The church office e-mail is office@gslacrosse.org.
Staff e-mail addresses are firstname@gslacrosse.org
Office hours 8:00AM-1:00PM Monday-Friday

Mission Statement of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

We are dedicated as disciples of Christ, to work together, through worship, education, fellowship and community service, to gather all creation to God's love and grace.



Good Shepherd
Lutheran Church

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IN WORSHIP

Pastor

John Stennes-Spidahl

Ushers

8:30am— Alyssa & Barrett Zube
10:30am—

Readers

8:30am— Kathy Boarman
10:30am— Karina Bronson

Music

Randy Lyden, Karl Greenfield

Altar Guild

Kathy & Al Johnson & Jane Strangstalien

GRATITUDE

SPONSORSHIPS

Bulletins

Not Sponsored.

Chancel Flowers

Not Sponsored.

Pulpit Flowers

Not Sponsored.



GOOD SHEPHERD Lutheran Church

Welcome to Worship

January 19, 2025 Second Sunday after Epiphany
Now the Feast and Celebration (NTF—Now the Feast Liturgy Booklet.)

Welcome & Announcements

Confession & Forgiveness

Gathering Hymn *ELW #641 All Are Welcome*

Greeting

Kyrie *NTF p.3*

Hymn of Praise *NTF p.4*

Salutation

Prayer of the Day

Children's Time

Special Music *Sanctuary Choir "The Twenty-Third Psalm"*

First Reading *Isaiah 62:1-5*

Psalm *Psalm 36:5-10*

Second Reading *1 Corinthians 12:1-11*

Gospel Acclamation *NTF p.8*

Gospel *John 2:1-11*

Sermon

Hymn of the Day *ELW #310 Songs of Thankfulness and Praise*

Apostles Creed

Prayers of Intercession

Sharing of the Peace

Offering & Hymn *ELW #465 As the Grains of Wheat*

Offering Prayer

The Great Thanksgiving *NTF p.11*

The Lord's Prayer

Communion *Lamb of God NTF p.14*

Communion Hymn *ELW #798 Will You Come and Follow Me*

Table Blessing

Benediction

Sending Hymn *ELW #576 We All Are One in Mission*

Dismissal

GIVE & SERVE

Welcome! It is so nice to see you today!

Keeping the ministry of this church available to our members and those discovering Good Shepherd Lutheran Church is important so a diverse worship offering has been created. These worship times and styles offer options for you and your family to attend in the way that feels comfortable for you.

Sunday Morning In Church Worship 8:30am Worship Service / Live Streamed
10:30am Worship Service

Sunday School runs concurrently with our 8:30am service

Grief Support

Grief support meets in the choir room at Good Shepherd twice a month on the 2nd & 4th Thursday at 3pm. Our next meeting will be January 23rd. All are welcome.

Quilting

Please join us in making quilts for LWR. We will meet on the 2nd and 4th Monday of the month, 9am to 3pm in the quilting room. If you are only able to stay for part of the day, come when you can and leave when you need to. If you wish to sew at home, you can look at the LWR web site for specifications for quilts. Hope to see you on January 27th!

Burrito Breakfast

Join us for a Burrito breakfast February 2nd between services, while supplies last, in the Mattes Center. Enjoy burritos with all the fixings, or just have it on a plate. A free will offering will be accepted. Come join us!

Lydia Circle

Lydia Circle meets on the 1st Tuesday of the month. Join us February 4th at 1pm in the Quilting Room. All women are Welcome.

Good Shepherd Women-WELCA

WELCA welcomes all women from our congregation to be part of this committee. Our next meeting is Thursday, February 6th at 6pm on Zoom and in person. This meeting will include the Election of Officers.

Game Night

Game Night for all ages is Friday, February 14th from 6-9pm. in the Mattes Center. Bring your favorite game, or learn a new one. Games vary, but include a variety of board, card, and other games. Contact Randy at grimmcaf@hotmail.com with any questions.

commune using a communion kit available on the table as you enter church, just ask an usher for one.

FAITH RESOURCES: The library, on your right from the Birch Street entrance, provides wonderful resources for growing your faith. Books, DVD's, and CD's are available to enjoy. Check them out.

MEMBERSHIP: A one-session Membership Class is offered twice a year for those interested in exploring what membership at Good Shepherd involves. If you are interested, please contact Pastor Harald Bringsjord, 608-788-0450, prharald@gslacrosse.org.

NEW TO GOOD SHEPHERD?

SUNDAY MORNING FELLOWSHIP: Please join others for coffee and conversation in the gathering areas in the welcome area.

NURSERY: We believe children belong in worship. But if your child needs a break, please assist other worshippers and seek out our nursery down the hallway slightly past the church offices. Audio of worship can be heard in the Nursery.

CHILDREN: Children's messages are a part of our 8:30 services on Sundays before the children are released for Sunday School.

COMMUNION: We have communion on the 1st and 3rd Sunday of each month. The Lord's Table is open to believers of all Christian traditions. Please come forward for communion, and the bread and wine will be given by the pastor and ushers. Place your cup in the tray afterwards and return to your pew using the outer aisles. If you are unable to come forward, let an usher know and communion will be brought to you, or you can

LEAD & CONNECT



General Fund

Support the ministries of Good Shepherd

Scan the QR code to the left to easily make a donation to our General Fund which covers all of our operating expenses and church activities.

Scan the QR code to the right to donate to this month's featured fund, the Food For Schools Project which helps stock area school food banks.



Food 4 Schools

Cancer Center Support Group

Cancer Support Group gives adult cancer patients and their caregivers a safe, confidential place to share feelings and experiences with others whose lives are affected by cancer. Meetings are the 3rd Tuesday of each month **except January** at 5pm in the Mattes Center. Next meeting is February 18th. Questions, call Janette 608-775-1197

Bunco Night

Our next Bunco night will be on Friday, February 21st at 6pm. Please bring a \$5.00 wrapped gift. The February theme is "Valentines". Bunco takes place in the Mattes Center and is for ages 18 years and older. Contact Judy Christopherson @ 788-4335 or 769-3656

Good Shepherd Men's Group

Our men's group meets Sundays at 6:30pm in the Mattes Center. Simply show up if you would like to join us, or contact Randy Page at grimmcaf@hotmail.com for more info.

Invitation from Lutheran Campus Ministry

Join us Sunday, January 26 at 3:00pm for Celebration Worship with the installation of Pastor Kathryn Thompson. The service will be at English Lutheran Church and a reception with cookies will follow.

Support Good Shepherd's Youth Group

Stop by our scrip card table in the welcome area, or get an order form from our website or the church office. Contact Bridget Skolos at bridget_ammann@yahoo.com

The office also has Kwik Trip cards available for immediate purchase Mon. -Fri. from 8am - 1pm

Help Feed Area Children

Please continue to support the Food For Schools Project with your donations. Make your checks payable to church, but indicate Food For Schools Project in the memo line.

Vanco Mobile App!

Give electronically on your cell phone using the **Vanco Mobile Faith Engagement** app.

Set up is easy and only takes a few minutes! We encourage everyone to download the app for free at the Apple App Store or Google Play. Once downloaded, simply open the app and search for Good Shepherd Lutheran Church then select the one in La Crosse. Please call Rick at 788-0450 if you have any questions.

Our Media Team Needs You!

If you'd like a fun way to help enhance our worship services, consider joining our Media Team! We take care of running the PowerPoint for Sunday services, and the cameras for our live stream service. You don't need to be a computer genius, we will be happy to teach you how! Our hope is to have enough members that it would be a no more than a once a month commitment for anyone. Contact Rick if you are interested by email at Rick@gslacrosse.org

Thrivent Choice Dollars

To all our Thrivent members, please consider Good Shepherd Lutheran Church when you direct your Thrivent Choice Dollars. Thank you to all who choose to direct their Choice Dollars to Good Shepherd!

The Annual Meeting of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church is February 9th at Noon

Please plan to attend the annual meeting on February 9th at noon in person in the Mattes Center. We will be electing new Church Council members, approving the 2025 budget and discussing plans for the upcoming year.