

CALENDAR

Sunday, April 27th

8:30am Worship
8:30am Sunday School
10:30am Worship
2pm Confirmation
4:30pm Boy Scouts Troop 22
6:30pm GS Men’s Group

Monday, April 28th

9am Quilting

Tuesday, April 29th

Wednesday, April 30th

Thursday, May 1st

6pm WELCA Meeting

Friday, May 2nd

Saturday, May 3rd

Sunday, May 4th

8:30am Worship/communion
8:30am Sunday School
9:30am Burrito Breakfast
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4:30pm Boy Scouts Troop 22
6:30pm GS Men’s Group

Today at Good Shepherd

Preaching: Pr. Harald Bringsjord
Music: Randy Lyden, Karl Greenfield
Readings: Acts 5:27-32
Psalm 118:14-29
Revelation 1:4-8
Gospel: John 20:19-31
Communion will not be served this Sunday.

Next Sunday

Preaching: Pr. John Stennes-Spidahl
Music: Randy Lyden, Karl Greenfield
Readings: Acts 9:1-6
Psalm 30
Revelation 5:11-14
Gospel: John 21:1-19
Communion will 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	
Open Position	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@gsiacrosse.org.
Staff e-mail addresses are firstname@gsiacrosse.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

4141 Mormon Coulee Rd.
La Crosse, WI 54601
608.788.0450
www.gsiacrosse.org

IN WORSHIP

Pastor
Harald Bringsjord

Ushers

8:30am— Jon & Deanna Lindahl

10:30am— Candie Luehne & Barb Smyth

Readers

8:30am— Naomi Stennes-Spidahl

10:30am— Andrea Bringsjord

Music
Randy Lyden, Karl Greenfield

GRATITUDE

SPONSORSHIPS

Bulletins
Not Sponsored.

Chancel Flowers
Not Sponsored.

Pulpit Flowers
Not Sponsored.



GOOD SHEPHERD
Lutheran Church
Welcome to Worship

April 27, 2025 Second Sunday of Easter
ELW Setting Ten (ELW-- Evangelical Lutheran Worship Hymnal)

Welcome and Announcements

Confession & Forgiveness ELW p.94

Gathering Hymn ELW #361 *The Day of Resurrection!*

Greeting & Kyrie ELW p.203

Hymn of Praise ELW p.204

Prayer of the Day

Children’s Time

Special Music Adult Bell Choir “Ain’t-a That Good News”

First Reading Acts 5:27-32

Psalm Psalm 118:14-29

Second Reading Revelation 1:4-8

Gospel Acclamation ELW p.205

Gospel John 20:19-31

Sermon

Hymn of the Day ACS #939 *Touch That Soothes and Heals*

Apostles Creed ELW p.105

Prayers ELW #388 *Be Not Afraid*

Sharing of the Peace

Offering and Hymn ELW #860 *I’m So Glad Jesus Lifted Me*

Offering Prayer

The Lord’s Prayer ELW p.112

Benediction

Sending Hymn ELW #646 *The Peace of the Lord*

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

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 website for specifications for quilts. Hope to see you on Monday, April 28th!

Good Shepherd Women-WELCA

WELCA welcomes all women from our congregation to be part of this committee. Our next meeting is Thursday, May 1st at 6pm on Zoom and in person in the Welcome Area.

Burrito Breakfast

Join us for a Burrito breakfast Sunday, May 4th between services in the Mattes Center while supplies last. Enjoy burritos with all the fixings, or just have it on a plate. A free will offering will be accepted.

Lydia Circle

Lydia Circle Potluck will meet again on Tuesday, May 6th at NOON in the Quilt Room. All ladies are welcome. Any questions please call LeeAnn Lyden at (608)788-7651. We hope you will join us for some good chats and desserts & coffee.

Grief Support

Our group meets twice a month on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 3pm. Our next meeting is May 8th. If you are interested in attending please contact the church office at 788-0450 with questions. All are welcome.

Game Night

Game Night for all ages is Friday, May 9th 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.

used is non-alcoholic. Please hold onto your communion kit until the appropriate time in the service when you will be prompted to open it and we will all take communion together.

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.

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 months featured fund, the Food For Schools Project which helps stock area school food banks.



Food 4 Schools

Bunco Night

Our next Bunco night will be on Friday, May 16th at 6pm. Please bring a \$5 wrapped gift. The May theme is “Spring”. Bunco will be in the Mattes Center and is for ages 18 years and older. Contact person is Judy Christopherson @ 788-4335 or 769-9656.

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 at 5pm in the Mattes Center. Our next meeting is May 20th. Questions, call Janette 608-775-1197

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.

New Good Shepherd Picture Directory!

Please schedule your photo secession for the directory online using the information you received in our mailing. Kathy will be available Sundays after both services if you need assistance, or call her in the church office at (608)788-0450 Monday-Wednesday between 8am and 11am. The dates the photographers will be here are Tuesday, May 27th to Thursday, May 29th, 1 to 8pm and again on Friday, May 30th from 11am to 6pm.

La Crosse Area Synod Scam Alert

We regret to inform you that a new series of SCAM emails are being sent out impersonating Bishop Malpica.

The Synod is not in financial trouble. Please do not respond to these email requests with the following email address:

bishop.lacrosseareasynodoffice@gmail.com

This is not the Bishop’s email.

Sincerely, The La Crosse Area Synod Office

We are Hiring!

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church is seeking a person for our Office Assistant position. This is a very diverse part-time position (15-20 hours per week) assisting The Pastor and Office Manager as needed, as well as completing their own responsibilities in a timely and professional manner.

Pay is commensurate with experience. A full job description and application form is available in the church office, or on our website at gslacrosse.org/we-are-hiring/. Applications are due in the office by May 5th. They can be dropped off in person, or emailed to office@gslacrosse.org

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



Congratulations to our 2025 Confirmands who will be confirmed this afternoon at 2:00pm. If you see them in church, congratulate them and pray their faith continues to grow and shine.

**Mason Peterson
Brennen Locknane
Alejandro Flores
Nathaniel May
Evie Lowell
Ellie Apaun**

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 worshipers 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. Communion is distributed before service in a “kit” containing the wafer and cup containing the wine. The wine