

Weekly

# NEWS

## Shepherd of the Hills Evangelical Lutheran Church

February 18, 2018

### The Coming Week at Shepherd of the Hills

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	<b>6:30 am</b> Men's Bible Study- <i>Ezekiel: Then They Will Know</i>  <b>5:30 pm</b> Board of Ed <b>6:30 pm</b> Council	<b>8:00 am</b> Property Board  <b>4:00 pm</b> Lent Service <b>5:15 pm</b> Supper <b>6:30 pm</b> Lent Service <b>7:30 pm</b> Choir	<b>9:00 am</b> Bible Study- <i>End Times</i>  <b>6:30 pm</b> Bible Information Class- <i>New Life in Christ</i>	<b>1:15 pm</b> The Truth Project- <i>Unio Mystica: Am I Alone?</i>	

#### Next Sunday, Feb.25 ...

**8:00 am** Traditional Worship Service  
**9:15 am** Sunday School & Youth Group  
**9:15 am** Adult Bible Study- *Reformation*

**10:30 am** Contemporary Worship Service  
**12:00 pm** Confirmation

### Keep In Prayers

**Family & Friends of Dewey Carter**— called home to heaven on February 8.

**Karen Johnson**— rehab facility.

**Grace- Benson & Vail** and their next call meeting. Pastor Matt Westra from Living Promise in Morristown, TN returned their call.

### *Upcoming Events*

- Feb 21 — Lent Services 4 & 6:30 pm, Soup & Sandwich Supper 5:15 pm
- Feb 28 — Lent Services 4 & 6:30 pm, Soup & Sandwich Supper 5:15 pm
- Mar 4 — Koine Concert, Redeemer, 6:00 pm
- Mar 9 — 5th-7th Grade Event, 6:00-8:00 pm
- Mar 16 — Praise & Proclaim, 5:00 pm
- Mar 17 — Praise & Proclaim, 10:00 am
- Mar 25 — 5th-7th Grade Event, after 10:30 am service

# WEEKLY INFORMATION

## Keeping God's people connected...

### NEW Online Giving

Please see the insert with information regarding online giving for Shepherd of the Hills. To create an account for online giving or to give with no login required, please visit: [easytithe.com/sothgiving](http://easytithe.com/sothgiving) More information will be emailed next week. If you have any questions, please see Peter Kosanke.



### Lent Services & Supper

**Our Lent services are at 4 pm and 6:30 pm with a soup & sandwich supper at 5:15 pm.** We are looking for volunteers to help with set-up & serving, clean-up, and to provide dessert! **Please note that if you sign-up for set-up & serving, we request that you arrive by 4:15pm. Sign-up sheets are posted on the bulletin board. Thank you!**

### VOLUNTEER COORDINATOR CHANGE

Michelle Durazo has stepped down from the Volunteer Coordinator position to pursue another job opportunity. We are very grateful to Michelle for her work here and pray for God's blessings in her new endeavors! Please send any questions regarding volunteering at Shepherd of the Hills to Lorisa in the church office. Thank you!



### Say Cheese!

If you would like an updated picture for our directory and picture board, please see one of the following members: Peter Kosanke, Scott Terrell, or Joel Rhoads. Thank you for your assistance!



### 5th-7th Graders- Come Help!!

**On Friday night, March 9th from 6:00-8:00 pm,** the 5th-7th graders are invited to come have dinner and help stuff Easter eggs that will be used for the Easter morning egg hunt. We will also be preparing some special bags to hand out to the residents at 3 assisted living group homes where some of our members currently have family. **We will be delivering the bags and singing to the residents after the late service on Sunday, March 25th.** A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board.



### Women's Bible Study

The Women's Bible Study has recessed until after Lent. **We will be starting up again on Monday, April 9 and Wednesday, April 11.** The class will be meeting for 7 weeks continuing our study of "Having a Mary Heart in a Martha World" by Joanna Weaver. **If you are interested in attending the class, and didn't make it to the first 5 weeks of the study, please sign-up on the bulletin board to assist in planning and preparing material.** Books will be provided. The same material will be offered on **Monday night at 6:30pm and again on Wednesday morning at 9:00am.**

### Holy Cross Sewing Circle- Donations Needed!

This year Holy Cross is collecting: **caps and scarves, flannel blankets, afghans, white socks, skull caps for our military men and women in active duty and skull caps for those who are going through cancer treatment.** **\*There is a box in the church entryway for donations. Items can be handmade or purchased.** Contact Karen Manning at 520-241-0909 if you have any questions.



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### Thrivent Choice

Thrivent Choice is a way Thrivent allows its members to decide where a portion of its profits go. Many Thrivent members have Choice dollars in their account, but need simply to log in and designate them. These dollars are able to be given to Shepherd of the Hills. If you have a Thrivent account please go to [www.thrivent.com](http://www.thrivent.com) and log in. Then on the home page scroll down and click on Thrivent Choice. Or you can call 888-422-5737 and when prompted say "Thrivent Choice" to have someone help you give your Choice dollars.



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## *Keeping God's people connected...*



### WELS Tucson Campus Ministry

All college students and others of approximately college age are invited to join WELS Tucson Campus Ministry at Grace-Tucson near the UofA campus. They have Sunday evening Bible studies as well as other fun activities. Bible studies are at 7pm unless otherwise noted. Upcoming schedule...

- 2/18 **Jesus' Most Famous Sermon**
- 2/25 **What's the Deal with Miracles?**
- 3/11 **Pizza & a Prophet: Isaiah**

3/18 **How Do I Understand Parables?**

3/25 **Judas Iscariot: Betrayer of Christ**

### Scandinavia & St. Petersburg, Russia Cruise Tour

Pastor James Humann, retired WELS pastor, invites you to join him on a new travel adventure. Instead of the usual land/bus tours he has hosted in the past, he is offering a **thirteen day Scandinavia & St. Petersburg, Russia cruise tour. The tour dates are September 12-24, 2018.** The ship is the luxurious Norwegian Breakaway, a five star Grand Class superliner of the Norwegian Cruise

Line. The ports of call include St. Petersburg, Russia, home of the world famous Hermitage Museum; Warnemunde, Germany, the gateway to the historic capital city of Berlin; Tallinn, Estonia, medieval city with its cobblestone streets and watchtowers; Helsinki, Finland with its ultra-modern architecture; Stockholm, Sweden with its intricate waterways; Copenhagen, Denmark, home of Hans Christian Anderson.

**15 SPOTS AVAILABLE!!**

**Brochures on the table in the church entryway.**

Pastor Humann's email address: **JHumann383@aol.com.**

## *Those serving the Lord— Wed, Feb. 21 & Sun, Feb. 25*

### 4:00 pm Lent Service

Ushers: ..... **Ralph Seefeldt  
Doug Dalby**

### 6:30 pm Lent Service

Ushers: ..... **Ryan Christianson**



### 8:00 am Traditional

Greeters: ..... **Chuck & Pat  
Weber**

Ushers: ..... **Doug Dalby  
Jim Ekstrand**

Sunday Clean-up..... **Dick Dobias**

### 10:30 am Contemporary

Ushers: ..... **Mike Orlando  
Steve Wilson**

Nursery: ..... **Anna Rhoads  
Krista Sedgeman**

## *Upcoming Anniversaries: 2/18-2/24*

### Anniversaries this week:

Donato & Susan Valdivia as they celebrate 42 years of marriage.

Oscar & Michelle Durazo as they celebrate 16 years of marriage.



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## ***WELS Resources...***

### **WELS Christian Aid and Relief**

We often hear about WELS Christian Aid and Relief (CAR) during times of major natural disasters, like the recent hurricanes in Texas, Florida, and Puerto Rico. But CAR also provides financial assistance, food, medicine, and supplies to people suffering from natural disasters and extreme medical and financial difficulties by assisting the local efforts of congregations and missions as they reach out to those among them in need. Find out more about how WELS Christian Aid and Relief assists people in time of disaster and need at [wels.net/relief](http://wels.net/relief).

### **What's happening in WELS?**

Subscribe to the WELS Together e-newsletter to stay connected with your synod and its ministry. Also, don't miss the twice-monthly videos, expanding on important and interesting synod news.

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