

Weekly

NEWS

Shepherd of the Hills Evangelical Lutheran Church

June 9, 2019

The Coming Week at Shepherd of the Hills

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	6:00 pm Elders	8:00 am Property Board	6:30 pm Bible Information Class		

Next Sunday, June 16

8:00 am Traditional Worship Service

9:15 am Summer Sunday School & Youth Group

9:15 am Adult Bible Study— *Genesis*

10:30 am Contemporary Worship Service

5th-7th Grade Food Drive— Interfaith

Keep In Prayers

Family of Bob Huber— Bob was called home to heaven on June 2.

Glenda Hugo— Went to the emergency room last Tuesday because of severe neck pain.

Anna Garrison— Recovering from many skin cancer surgeries.

Angela Sleeper, niece of Mike & Karen Orlando— Brain tumors are an aggressive stage 4 cancer.

Upcoming Events

June 16,23,30 — 5th-7th Grade Service— Interfaith Food Drive

June 24-28 — “Set Sail” VBS, Grace-Tucson

July 1 — Deadline for Mission to the Children School Supply Drive

Aug 11 — Christian Education Sunday

Aug 12 — First day of School, Redeemer & ALA

WELS App available

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WEEKLY INFORMATION

Keeping God's people connected...

Weekly Bible Study Class

Our weekly Bible Study Classes have recessed for the summer! Classes will resume in September.

Summer Sunday School— Teachers

Thank you to everyone who signed up to teach Summer Sunday School and to the LYFE members who are helping in our PreK3-1st grade classroom!



5th-7th Graders Service Project: ics (Interfaith Community Services) Food Bank Drive

Starting NEXT SUNDAY,
June 16th!!

We are collecting food for the Interfaith Community Service Food Bank on June 16, 23, and 30!!

Food donations can be brought to church and placed in the boxes which will be located in the church entryway. The number one requested item by the food bank is **peanut butter**. Other top 5 requested items are cans of the following: **spaghetti sauce, chili, ravioli or spaghettiOs, meat, tuna, and fruit**. Soups, vegetables, tomatoes, and beans are appreciated. Also needed are granola bars, cereal, rice and pasta. If you would prefer to give a financial donation it can be placed in the offering plate in a yellow special offering envelope indicating it is for the Interfaith Community Food Bank. Please make checks payable to Shepherd of the Hills.

Sunday Adult Bible Study— Fall

Starting in the Fall, Pastor Schmidt's Sunday morning Adult Bible Class will be studying Apologetics. The book "Prepared To Answer" will be used with the study. If you would like a copy of the book, please see the sign-up sheet posted on the bulletin board. As with the Prayer Book that was recently ordered, the more books we order the greater the discount. The regular price of the book is \$17.99. If you have any questions about the study, please see Pastor Schmidt. Thank you!

Rides for Members

We are looking for additional people who are willing to provide rides to and from church for members who may need them.

Recently we have had an increase in requests. You only need to volunteer one Sunday at a time. If you want to help, please see the sign-up sheet on the bulletin board. **Your help is greatly appreciated!!!**

Kids Summer Activities

Please see the handout on the table in the entryway with a listing of opportunities for kids this summer! Included on the sheet: information about activities at Redeemer and Grace along with a WELS camping trip in California and volleyball camp at a local high school! **Registration and information for each activity is also on the table.**



Mission to the Children School Supply Drive

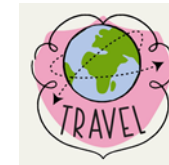
Mission to the Children is again requesting school supplies for children. They donate supplies to children up through high school. Last year they packed 1,400 school bags. **Items requested: pencils, colored pencils, crayons, scissors, glue sticks, small bottles of Elmer's glue, College-ruled note-**

books, rulers, and school backpacks. (Walmart and Target gift cards are also appreciated.) There is a box in the church entryway for donations.

The deadline to donate is July 1st.

Thank you for participating in this event that the teachers, students and parents eagerly wait for every year!!!!

Traveling this Summer?



While traveling this summer, please take the time to fill your spiritual needs by visiting other WELS churches. You can go to the WELS website, www.wels.net or use the WELS app to locate WELS and ELS churches and worship times. Please contact the congregation to determine actual worship times since many congregations change their worship times over summer. If you still need assistance in locating WELS churches along your itinerary, please contact Loris in the church office 297-5710. Stay current with what is happening at Shepherd of the Hills during the summer by visiting our website:

www.LutheranChurchTucson.com and getting editions of *The Shepherd's Voice* by email if you have internet access while away from home. You can also view our services online. From the homepage, click on the slider box with the title "Please click here for the latest video recording of our 8am service." Also, while you are away, please remember you can continue to give your offerings to Shepherd of the Hills by using our online system. You can access the EasyTithe site from our website by clicking on the slider box titled "We now have online giving." You can also visit: easytithe.com/sothgiving

We wish you God's blessings during your summer travels. Thank you!



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Keeping God's people connected...

Connecting WELS members

The Wisconsin Evangelical Lutheran Synod offers many ways to connect members through social media. Join the WELS online community at [facebook.com/welslutherans](https://www.facebook.com/welslutherans), twitter.com/welstweets, [instagram.com/welslutherans](https://www.instagram.com/welslutherans), and [vimeo.com/wels](https://www.vimeo.com/wels).

Thank You!!!

The offering money for the 2018-2019 Sunday School was designated for the kids c.a.r.e- Kids Summer Bible Camps. **Our Sunday School collected \$337 for this mission. Thank you for your offerings!**



Summer Sunday School Classes, Teachers, Lessons: Sunday, June 16

Pre K 3- 1st

Teacher/Helper: E & J Pepin/Aaron Pepin

Lesson: Forgive us our Debts

Grades 2-4

Teacher: Jason & Lindsey Richardson

Lesson: The Miracles of Jesus

Grades 5-7

Teacher: Judy Eckert **Lesson:** How Can I get Along Better with those who are more gifted or less gifted than I?

LYFE Group

Teacher: Scott Terrell **Lesson:** What could churches do to help youth better appreciate worship?

Those serving the Lord— June 16

8:00 am Traditional

Greeters: Kathy Smith & Chris Eddy

Ushers: Jim Zook & Steve Gunn

10:30 am Contemporary

Ushers: Adam Sedgeman

Nursery: Heather Alcala &

Sunday Clean-up:..... Marie Lingham

Upcoming Anniversaries: 6/9-6/15

Anniversaries this week:

Scott & Lorisa Terrell
as they celebrate
19 years of marriage.

Chris & Connie McCotter
as they celebrate
25 years of marriage.

HAPPY

anniversary



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WELS Resources...

Prayer– School Mission Trips

Jesus, we thank you for giving us young people who desire to prepare for the public ministry. We ask you to grant safety to those students at our WELS preparatory schools who will be going on mission trips this summer. Use this experience to deepen their desire to serve you as pastors, teachers, and staff ministers in our synod. Bless their proclamation of your Word to others. Help them see that the fields are ripe for the harvest of souls. Amen.

Information. Inspiration. Forward in Christ.

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