

~ Staying in Touch ~

SUBMISSION DEADLINES:

Sunday Bulletin, Ext. 369; Email: INFO@sothfamily.org; Deadline is Wed., Noon.

Weekly eNews, Ext. 369; Email: INFO@sothfamily.org; Deadline is Tues., Noon.

VOICE Newsletter; Email: VOICE@sothfamily.org; Next deadline: MAY 21.

Hear Our Prayers

HEALING, PEACE & COMFORT: (rotating list)

Dave Denniston, Jean Olson, Jim Monroe, Judi Smith, Jack Haines, Marilyn Brockman, Derrick, Noma Reiser, Bill Bryant;

SHUT-INS: (rotating list)

Beverly McKee, Ilse Oliver

SPECIAL NEEDS:

- For our school, for growth in numbers, families and faith;
- For teachers and staff, for their families and sufficient energy;
- For Stephen Ministers, for His guidance and wisdom as they care for those going through difficult times;
- For John, that his relationship with God, the church and with others will be strengthened and for relief of his stress;
- For Jason, that homes are found for his cats, even if temporary;

THANKSGIVING:

- For the wonderful gift of moisture, we thank you Lord;
- For all graduating from grade school, high school and college;
- For the safe arrival of Asher David, son of Chad & Anna Huber;

SERVING IN THE MILITARY: (rotating list)

Beth Freyling, Art Pack, William Thomas, James Mayhew, Jacob Mann, Luke Gray, Kit Backhus, Matt Almquist, Jonathan Barstad, Brandon Euhus, Caleb Golter

MISSIONARIES: (rotating list)

Betty Adams-Kyrgystan; Shuhrat-India & Afghanistan; Bill and Marcie Hoover-Zambia; Bethesda Lutheran Communities-Littleton; Scott & Cecilia Ryall-Hungary;

COLLEGE STUDENTS

Nathan Bremmer, Megan Knippenberg, Corrine Vogel, Ashley Devers

TRAINING FOR CHURCH WORK:

Carl Frank, Josiah Scheck, Jennifer Roettjer

This Week

May 20 ~ Seventh Sunday of Easter, Armed Forces Sunday

8:00 am

Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary

9:00 am

Wrapped in Prayer

9:15 am

Coffee & Fellowship

Join us for coffee and refreshments before attending Sunday School and Bible Study

9:30 am

Christian Education Hour

- *Gospel of John Bible Study*, Room 111

Pastor Fingerlin

- *Pastor's Bible Study*, Sanctuary

Pastor Stoltenow

- *Parables of Jesus*, Room LL-7

Jack Lipski

- *FACES (Bethesda Community)*, Parish Hall

Becky Gambardella

- *Women's Bible Study*, Portico

Carol Otte

- *Sunday School*, various rooms

10:45 am

Traditional Worship, Sanctuary

Contemporary Worship Service, Gym (HC)

12:00 pm

Congregational Meeting

4:00 pm

Family Movie Night

6:00 pm

SHYP/Family BBQ

Monday, May 21

6:00 pm AA

6:00 pm School Board Meeting

Tuesday, May 22

Wednesday, May 23

6:00 pm TIC~TAC

6:15 pm AA

7:00 pm SHYP

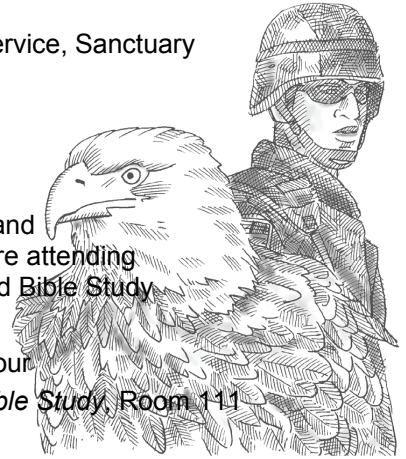
Thursday, May 24

7:00 pm 8th Grade Graduation Service

Friday, May 25

11:30 am Summer dismissal for Day School

Saturday, May 26



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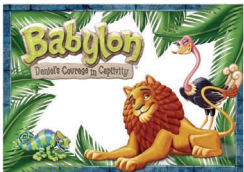
Get Involved... Make A Connection... Ways To Help...

NEW FLAGS The new American and Christian flags in the Sanctuary are donated by Ruth Altar Circle in loving memory of Reuben Reiser. Noma is a member of the circle.

SUMMER SUNDAY SCHOOL During the summer months, parents are encouraged to come with their children (from age 2 through 8th grade) and learn about the Bible together. Class will be held in the Colonnades from June 3 to September 2. Sunday School will focus on the major parts of the Bible and include songs, games, and questions to discuss as a family.

MAKE A LIFE-CHANGING DIFFERENCE Alternatives Pregnancy Center invites you to explore how you can make a life-giving difference to those struggling with the decisions in unintended pregnancy. Become a volunteer client advocate at one of our seven Denver-area centers, including our Mobile Testing Clinic. Bi-lingual volunteers especially needed. Training classes begin May 31. Please contact Elisabeth Buchholz for more information: 303.298.8815 or volunteer@YouhaveAlternatives.org.

WOMEN'S MONDAY EVENING BIBLE STUDY A new Monday night women's Bible study will begin June 4 and run for five consecutive Monday nights, concluding on July 2. Learn some techniques to equip you to study God's word, and then use those tools as we study the book of Ruth. If you would like to attend, please contact Sue Feldmann, by phone, 720-379-7919, or email, sfeldmann@comcast.net, to let her know you will be coming. If you're unable to attend all five weeks, come as often as you can!!



VBS VOLUNTEERS Thank you for all of you who have signed up to help with VBS. We already have over 100 people committed to helping out in some way!!! However, we are still in need of a couple more volunteers. We need:

1 person in the nursery, a hospitality person to help supply food for the volunteers each morning, 1 person to run the store at the beginning and end of each day, 2 more tribe leaders for the preschool, 3 more tribe leaders for grades K-4, 1 more shopkeeper, and lots of assistants to help the tribe leaders. If you are interested please contact Jodie Stoltenow or Jen Roettjer.

VBS REGISTRATION IS OPEN! All registrations will be done online. You can find the link on the church website. VBS kicks off on Sunday, June 10, starting at 9:00 am with sign-in, worship in the contemporary service, and then enjoy a BBQ meal and celebration activities. VBS continues from 8:45 am-12:00 pm each day June 11-14. Opportunities are also available to volunteer, donate supplies, and sponsor a child. Come and experience the life of Daniel in ancient Babylon!

ROCKIES TICKET OPPORTUNITIES Monday, July 16, 6:40 pm is Thrivent Night at the Rockies as they take on the Pittsburgh Pirates. The seats, located in Section 345, are normally \$13 each. For this event they are \$5 for Thrivent members; \$7 for non-Thrivent members. Quantity of tickets is limited and must be purchased prior to June 15. Contact

George or Ardis Gordon, phone 303-759-4394 or email TeDeum365@aol.com.

FAITH DAY AT THE ROCKIES Sunday, August 19

The baseball season is officially underway, and tickets for the 8th Annual Colorado Rockies Faith Day will be available in the office the beginning of June. Following the game, the Rockies will once again have a post-game event featuring Rockies players and this year's musical guest, Third Day. A van will be going from Shepherd to Coors Field. For more information or to sign up to ride in the van, please contact Pastor Zillinger.

2012 CATECHISM RETREAT

- Ages: 5th - 12th Grade
- Monday, June 25th – Thursday, June 28th. Leave from Shepherd at 12:30 pm on Monday and return to Shepherd 5:00 pm-ish Thursday.
- 2011-2012 Catechism Class (about 13 students) will be attending. All other youth welcome. \$100 scholarships available but are limited.
- Cost: \$175 per student, \$85 per adult chaperone.



PERSONHOOD AMENDMENT As previously announced, we will have petitions for the Personhood Amendment available for signatures during June. The petitions will be available in the Narthex and in the Great Hall. We will need volunteers to sit at the petition table in the Great Hall (the petitions may not be left unattended.) If this sounds like your type of volunteer task, please contact Mary Backhus in the office.

LOVING MEALS MINISTRY When someone in our Shepherd family has surgery or becomes ill, help with preparing meals may be needed. If you or someone you know could use this kind of help of small meals on a short-term basis, please contact the church office and you will be contacted by one of our meal coordinators.

NURSERY NEEDS VOLUNTEERS! Shepherd of the Hills is pleased to offer worshipers a staffed nursery every week. We need volunteers for all shifts – 8:00 am service, Sunday School hour, and 10:45 am service. Please consider joining our volunteer roster – you can volunteer once a month, once every two months, or once a quarter. Please contact Joanna Monahan, 303.355.7771.

PRISON MINISTRY Consider becoming involved in Prison Ministry. There are many ways to serve: In-Prison Volunteer, Mentor an ex-prisoner, Reentry team member, Angel Tree church coordinator, Prayer Partner, Justice Reform, or by donation. Learn how you can serve today at www.PrisonFellowship.org, or talk with Milo Samson, 303-978-9787.



MEN'S SERVANT RETREAT Friday-Sunday, September 14-16, at Lutheran Valley Retreat. Constructing permanent firewood shelters for the numerous fire rings as well as possibly building the facility director's house. This event is

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Sunday, May 27 ~ Pentecost

- 8:00 am **Worship Service (HC)**
- 9:15 am Coffee & Fellowship
- 9:30 am Christian Education Hour
- 10:45 am **Worship Service (HC)**
- 10:45 am **Cont. Worship Service**

All Bible Studies are listed in the Christian Education box to the right.

COUNSELING MINISTRIES:

Jack Lipski, ext. 372

Are you seeking a Biblical perspective on family or individual struggles? Would you like to talk to someone who can help you turn problems into opportunities? Do you want prayer and Scripture to be an integral part of confidential, Christian counseling? Drop by or give Jack a call.



Stephen Ministry:

"Why, God!"

Every Christian struggles at times with questions about faith. This can be very painful. If you are going through a rough time in your spiritual life right now, a Stephen Minister would like to care for you. To receive the Christian care and listening ear of a Stephen Minister, Ron Manuella (303-979-7776), Judy Hillman (303-798-2366), Megan Luft (303-798-4614), or Gary Stephenson (303-858-1973).

Our Stephen Ministers are ready to care for you!



targeting men in the congregation but it is also open to boys to come grow with their fathers/grandfathers as they serve and work together. Friday evening we will gather at LVR and have an opening Bible study/devotion. Saturday we will be working all day and LVR always encourages people to bring their own tools if they have them. There will be a Bible Study/devotion Saturday evening. Sunday there will be a closing Bible Study/Worship before we leave. Room and meals are provided and the cost is \$50.

StreetSmarts Results... WOW!! Thank you very much to all of you who shopped Streets of SouthGlenn August 15, 2011-April 30, 2012 and turned in your receipts. The first two years of the StreetSmarts program Shepherd was awarded \$350 each year. This year, with your wonderful help, we were given a \$500 SouthGlenn gift card! Though the program is finished for the summer please shop and turn in your receipts starting August 15, 2012! Let's make our goal for next year \$750!



StreetSmarts
SOUTHGLENN

Christian Education

SUNDAY

Pastor's Bible Study;

Sanctuary; 9:30 am, Pastor Stoltenow

Catechesis-Core Bible Teachings;

Colonnades, 9:30 am, Pastor Zillinger

Summer Break

Gospel of John Bible Study;

Room 111, 9:30 am, Pastor Fingerlin

FACES (Bethesda Community Catechesis);

Parish Hall, 9:30 am, Becky Gambardella

Women's Ministry Bible Study;

Portico, 9:30 am, Carol Otte

Parables Bible Study;

Rm. LL-7, 9:30 am, Jack Lipski

SHYP (High School);

6:00 pm, Pstr Z./Chad Huber

MONDAY

Women's Evening Bible Study;

Atrium, 7:00 pm, Sue Feldmann

TUESDAY

Women's Ministry Bible Study;

Atrium, 12:30 pm, Barb Yonkers

WEDNESDAY

Men's Bible Breakfast;

Parish Hall, 6:30 am, Bob Toney

TIC~TAC (5th-8th Gr.);

Youth Room, 6:00 pm, Pastor Z.

SHYP (High School);

Youth Rm, 7:00 pm, Pastor Z./Jennifer Roettjer

THURSDAY

Lifelight Bible Study;

Portico, 9:00 am, Pastor Goldhammer

Women's Ministry Bible Study;

Library, 7:00 pm, Audrey Monson

SATURDAY

Men's Bible Study;

Atrium, 8:00 am, Jim Mulford/Rich Riley

MONTHLY

Wrapped in Prayer;

Atrium, 9:00 am, 3rd Sunday, Leslie Riley

Genesis;

LL-21, 5:00 pm (3rd Sundays), Pastor Z.

Women's Bible Study

Atrium, 2:00 pm, 1st Monday,

FACES Bible Study (Bethesda Community);

5:00 pm, 3rd Wednesday

KICKS (families up to 4th Gr.) Family Movie Matinee;

4:00 pm, 4th Sunday, Pastor Zillinger

Parents must attend!

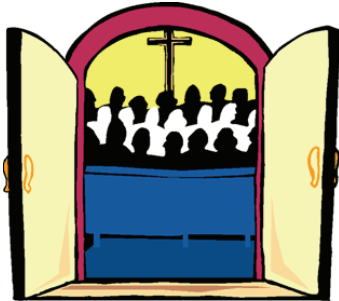
If you have a Bible Study that is not listed, please contact the office so it can be included!

Time, Talents, Treasures

Altar Flowers

~ from Maynard and Sandy Buck, celebrating their 40th wedding anniversary

~ In memory of Rueben Reiser



Congregational MEETING

	May 20	May 27
ACOLYTES:		
8:00	Jessica Sweeney	Ryan Thompson
10:45T	Jacob Schwankl	Kelsey Tabor
10:45C	Alyssa Quick	Mollee Chenoweth
GREETERS:		
8:00	Steve & Sue Berscheid Roy & Lillian Bittlingmaier	Margaret Bender Roger & Sandy Garberding
10:45T	Flo Jepsen	Flo Lipski
10:45C	Larry & Deb Lallement Dave & Jacquie Albertsen Donna Buehner	Ron & Carol Manuello Rich & Leslie Riley Jack & Sue Lipski
ELDERS:		
8:00	Jack Lipski	Eric Schallennmuller Roy Bittlingmaier
10:45T	Eric Rosel	Larry Lallement
10:45C	Ron Aukamp Larry Lallement Charley Powers	Jim Mulford Sam Scheck John Misegadis
USHERS:		
8:00	Mike Cropper Gary Deering Eric Kufeldt Laird McNeiley Stephen Berscheid Charles Place Brad Eckhoff Bill Griffis Dave Menges Chris Skirde Herb Weissenfels	Mike Cropper Gary Deering Eric Kufeldt Laird McNeiley Stephen Berscheid Charles Place Alfred Euhus Dayne Penney Manny Olmos Herb Weissenfels
10:45T		
10:45C		
NURSERY:		
8:00	Joanna Monahan Nicole Robbins	Becky Davis Deenie Fingerlin Becky Barstad
9:30	Joanna Monahan	
10:45	Sylvia Jewell Jenny Sweeney	
COUNTERS:		
Mondays	Lisa Esola Lee Vanis	Deb Lallement Barb Zimbrick



- ✠ *Worshiping*
- ✠ *Shepherding*
- ✠ *Educating*
- ✠ *Reaching Out...*

...In the Name of Jesus!

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TODAY
after worship services

OFFERINGS	Our Gifts 5/13/12	Weekly Budget Goal	Our Gifts YTD	Budget Goals YTD	Ahead/ Behind Goal	Total 2011-12
General	\$17,266	\$18,390	\$887,621	\$901,660	(\$14,039)	\$1,012,000
Designated Missions	135	950	59,744	46,480	13,264	52,180
School	625	270	13,154	13,380	(226)	15,000
Budgeted Subtotals	\$18,026	\$19,610	\$960,519	\$961,520	(\$1,001)	\$1,079,180
All Other Contributions	681		82,837			
Totals	\$18,707		\$1,043,356			

ATTENDANCE	May 8, 2011	May 13, 2012
8:00 am	252	212
10:45 am-Trad.	68	84
10:45 am-Cont.	<u>162</u>	<u>144</u>
TOTAL Worship	482	440
Mortgage Balance	\$651,667	
Endowment Fund Balance	\$149,073	