

# ANNOUNCEMENTS | APRIL 26, 2026

*We are called, gathered and blessed to be a community and instrument of grace for all sheep of the Good Shepherd.*

<p><b>Last Week's Attendance</b> <b>8:30 AM - 75</b></p> <p><b>10:45 AM - 93</b></p> <p><b>Online - 24</b></p>	<p>Today's altar flowers are given to the Glory of God from <b>Kathleen Farlow</b> in memory of her aunt Helen Simone and her loved ones who have joined our Lord and Savior. <i>There are spots still available on our flower chart. To help with this ministry, sign up using a form in the Administration Hallway. The cost is \$40.</i></p>	<p>Thank you to <b>Arnie and Beth Ludvigsen</b> for contributing the donuts/snacks for fellowship this morning. <i>Would you like to help the donut/snack ministry? Sign up using a form in the Administration Hallway. The cost is \$30.</i></p>
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## VISITORS and GUESTS

Please join us in Fellowship Hall following each service for coffee and refreshments.

### Sunday School- 9:45 AM

Youth

**PreK/Elementary:** Room 111

**Middle/High School/ Confirmation:** Youth Room Downstairs-April 26th: Stewardship of creation, money, time and talents.

Adults (Pick a study that interests you.)

**Faith Stories:** Current study using book, "The Essential Jesus" by Whitney Kuniholm, Rm. 117. We are studying Jesus' parables.

**Men in Mission:** Men's study group and more, Rm. 116.

**Coffee and Conversation:** Current study on Romans. Led by Ben Setzer, Rm. 118.

## VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

Registration opens tomorrow! We need a village to minister to 80 - 100 children in the morning of the week of June 8 - 12th. See the sign-up sheet in Fellowship Hall, and mark the spot where you can help serve the youth in our community. Keep in mind, sometimes, this is the only Christian instruction these kids experience.

## A few more ways to get involved at Good Shepherd this month:

- Pray for peace in our world & for our world leaders.
- Do your part to care for God's kingdom here on earth.
- Attend a Bible Study or join a committee.
- Give a 5 star review on Google!
- Wear your name tag and introduce yourself to someone you don't know.

More details are in our Sheep Buzz. Find the most recent "Sheep Buzz Newsletter" under our "Home tab" at [gslutheran.org](http://gslutheran.org).

## YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY'S ANNUAL ENVELOPE FUND RAISER

In Fellowship Hall you will see a display of envelopes with dollar amounts on the front – please take one (or more) as you are able and place that amount in the envelope and then either put it in the offering plate or the gold slot outside the office. All funds collected will be used to help pay for participation in youth events.



Do you love Good Shepherd? Consider giving us a 5 star Google Review! Help spread the love!

# THIS WEEK

Sun	Apr 26	<b>8:30/10:45</b>	<b>Caring for Creation Worship Services</b>
		9:30 AM	Outreach Mtg.   Mtg. Rm.
		9:45 AM	Sunday School   Confirmation
Mon	Apr 27		Vacation Bible School Registration Begins
Tues	Apr 28	4:30 PM	Mutual Ministry   Pastor's office
		7:00 PM	Chancel Choir   Sanctuary
Wed	Apr 29	10:00 AM	Word on Wednesday   F. Hall
		11:30 AM	Lunch & Learn   Mtg. Room
		1:30 PM	Staff Mtg.   Pastor's Office
		6:30 PM	Theology on Tap   Hickory Flat Kitchen
		7:00 PM	Bells Good Shepherd   Sanctuary
Thurs	Apr 30	10:00 AM	Thursday Bible Study   F. Hall
Sat	May 2	9:00 AM	Praise Team Rehearsal   Sanctuary
Sun	May 3		Two Can Sunday   Hefty ReNew Recycle
		<b>8:30/10:45</b>	<b>Worship Services</b>
		9:45 AM	Sunday School

## Mid-Week Bible Studies

**Word on Wednesday:** "Wholehearted Faith" by Jeff Chu and Rachel Held-Evans. We meet Wednesdays at 10 AM. Led by Lori Peters. Teams option also available. If you need the link, e-mail [media@gslutheran.org](mailto:media@gslutheran.org).

**Lunch & Learn:** Wednesdays from 1-2:30 PM. We are involved in a study titled, "One in a Million: Journey to Your Promised Land" by Priscilla Shirer. We love to see new faces. Come and be a part of our group.

**Thursday Bible Study:** Class will resume April 23rd, in Fellowship Hall on Thursdays, at 10 AM. Led by Pastor Karen, this is a class that focuses on the Revised Common Lectionary readings for the upcoming Sunday. This format allows for the opportunity to drop in the class on any given week. Come and study with us.

**Theology on Tap:** We will meet again at Hickory Flat Kitchen in Canton, on April 29th. This is a casual study over dinner of many current topics or questions you never thought to ask. Come on out and spend the evening with us.