

ANNOUNCEMENTS | SEPTEMBER 13, 2026

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

Last Week's Attendance

8:30 AM - 68

10:45 AM - 76

Online Viewers - 126

*We are now using a different method
for tracking viewership, which results in
higher online attendance than previously
recorded.*

Today's altar flowers are given to
the Glory of God from **Rob and
Tracey Homer** in celebration of
their 30th wedding anniversary.
*To help with this ministry, sign up
using a form in the Administration
Hallway. The cost is \$40.*

Thank you to **Kris Damiani** for
contributing the snacks/donuts
for fellowship this morning.
*Would you like to help the donut/
snack ministry? Sign up using
a form in the Administration
Hallway. The cost is \$30.*

VISITORS, MEMBERS and GUESTS

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

TODAY is "GOD's WORK. OUR HANDS." SUNDAY

This day is set aside each year to celebrate who we
are as the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
one church, freed in Christ to serve and love our
neighbor. Following the service, we will have a
short **Special Congregational Meeting** to vote on
spending the money for our drainage issues on our
property and to vote for candidates to a Nominating
Committee. Meeting materials were e-mailed to
voting members in a "Special Sheep Buzz". A few
copies are on the welcome desk.

Following the meeting we will have a lunch before
engaging in activities here at Good Shepherd and
around our community to help, serve and love
others, doing God's work with our hands.

New Member Class

Are you interested in joining us in membership at
Good Shepherd? We will be hosting a class over
two Sundays, Sept. 20 and 27 at 9:45 AM in room
115. Come learn more about us and share with us a
little bit about you! Let Pastor Karen know if you are
interested at pastor@gslutheran.org.

More ways to get involved at Good Shepherd:

- Missing someone in your pew? Reach out to
them via phone or e-mail or maybe send them a
card from our card ministry area.
- Care for our world and recycle at Good
Shepherd. See our bins in Fellowship Hall.

More details in our Sheep Buzz. Find the most recent
"Sheep Buzz Newsletter" under our "Home tab" at
gslutheran.org.

Celebration of the Arts

On Sunday, October 4th, we will be showcasing all
the wonderful talent of our members here at Good
Shepherd. In addition to services filled with special
musical talents, help us get to know you and your
special interests by bringing something to showcase
for our "Art Show" to be held in Fellowship Hall on
that day. Set up will take place on Saturday, Oct.
3rd from 10-12, or Sunday morning, Oct. 4th during
the early service. We are looking for all types and
all ages of talent: sewing, painting, woodworking,
knitting, card-making, scrap booking, sculpting, and
pottery to name a few. Reach out to Kay Abramson
at kayabramson@bellsouth.net if you would like a
space reserved for your talent at the show.

Blessing of the Animals

Save the date for our annual Blessing of the Animals
service: October 10th, at 10 AM. All leashed or
crated pets are welcome to bring their humans!

THIS WEEK

Sun	Sept 13	10:00 AM	Worship Sanctuary
		Follows Service	Special Congregation Meeting
		Follows Mtg.	Lunch Fellowship Hall
		Follows lunch	God's Work. Our Hands activities Various locations
Mon	Sept 14	7:00 PM	Men in Mission Marlow's Dinner
		7:00 PM	Caring for Creation Mtg Teams
Tues	Sept 15	7:00 PM	Choir Sanctuary
		7:00 PM	Ladies Night Out El Ranchero
Wed	Sept 16	1:30 PM	Staff Mtg Pastor's Office
		6:30 PM	Theology on Tap Game Day
		6:30 PM	Bells of Good Shepherd Sanctuary
		7:00 PM	Finance Mtg Meeting Rm
Thurs	Sept 17	10:00 AM	Thursday Bible Study F. Hall
		6:30 PM	Stewardship Mtg F. Hall
Sat.	Sept 19	9:00 AM	Praise Team Rehearsal Sanctuary
Sun	Sept 20	8:30/10:45 AM	Worship Sanctuary
		9:45 AM	Sunday School/Confirmation Various Rms.
		9:45 AM	ELCA Social Statement Study "Civic Life" F. Hall
		9:45 AM	New Member Class Rm. 115

Additional Mid-Week Bible Studies

Men in Mission: We will gather for our monthly outing at Marlow's Tavern this month on Sept. 14th in Woodstock at 7 PM.

Theology Tap: Come on out and spend the evening with us. In September, we will meet at Game Day, in Woodstock. Our next meeting is **Wednesday, September 16th, at 6:30 PM**. This is a casual study over dinner of many current topics or questions you never thought to ask.

Thursday Bible Study: This class meets at **10 AM in Fellowship Hall** and is led by Pastor Karen. We focus on the lessons that are coming up for the next Sunday. Feel free to drop in at any time. Bring your Bible.