

HEARTBEAT Divine Shepherd Lutheran Church

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For the Week of February 16, 2020



IN THE SPOTLIGHT

Envelope Wall Please stop by our display in the Atrium today and grab an envelope from our display. Each envelope has a dollar amount for a suggested donation, so place a check or cash with that amount in the envelope and turn it into the table. Money raised will go towards our Belize Mission Trip leaving March 16th. Back by popular demand - this is a fun and simple way to chip away at the cost of the trip. Email Tia with questions at tia@dsomaha.org

New York Mission Trip Informational Meeting on Feb. 23rd at noon in the Chapel. We are planning a trip to our partner church Immanuel Lutheran Church in Whitestone, Queens, New York (Pastor Sean's new church home). This group will help host a few community focused VBS kids camps, experience multicultural church plants, as well as help film outreach ministries to help share and connect their stories to others. It will be a dynamic trip that is sure to be a blessing to several neighborhoods. We will also be touring Manhattan and other areas of New York. Questions—please email Tia at a tia@dsomaha.org

Lent is Coming The Lenten season begins with Ash Wednesday services on February 26 at 4:00 and 7:15pm. This year's focus: The innocent Son of God had no sins of his own for which he deserved to die, yet his enemies falsely accused him of violating every commandment of God. In each service in this series we will see that it was our sin, our disobedience, that Jesus bore in his body on the cross. The Lord laid on him "the iniquity of us all." Jesus suffered the penalty of death in our place, and "by his wounds we are healed." Make plans to join us each Wednesday this Lenten season.

Next Sunday's Sermon



From One Mountain to the Next
Exodus 24:8-18



Adult Bible Studies

**Sunday Mornings Bible Study—
Ephesians--9:15am** (Commons Room)

Have you ever wondered how who you are in Christ can have a dramatic effect on your everyday life? Then come join us for a verse-by-verse study of Paul's letter to the Ephesians. Bring your Bibles, any questions you may have, a curious mind, a willingness to have your mind stretched and challenged, and a desire to dig deep into the Word of God. This class, taught by Pastor Morton, will run from January to the end of March. God's Word has the power to change your life in ways you never dreamed possible.

Tuesday Morning Bible Study—10-11:15am
Our study is entitled, "A Thankful Spirit," a study of the book of Philippians, led by Pastor Hannemann.

Wednesday Evenings Bible Study--6:15-7:30
Join Pastor Jim Wednesday nights from 6:15 to 7:30 in the Shepherd's Room to study *Romans: Saved for a Transformed Life*.

Men's Bible Studies

Book of Proverbs - Thursdays, 6:00am at Vidlak's Café—156th & West Center Road.

Romans - Fridays, 6:15am, Shepherd's Room, led by Paul Koehler and Harry Mathis.

Women's Bible Studies

Listening to God, Sundays at 9:15am, Shepherd's Room. Led by Dena Nigh

Coffee with the Savior - Mondays, 10-11:15am, Room 15. Led by Trish Reinbold.

It's Not Supposed to be This Way, Wednesdays, 9-11:00am, Trinity Room. Led by Kristin Herrera—childcare provided.



DSL is looking for volunteers to join the following teams:

- **Communications Team:** graphic design, website maintenance, social media communications
- **Facilities Team:** project management, maintenance and repair, preventative maintenance planning and organization
- **Security Team:** Facility and grounds security evaluation, training and planning

Contact jennie@dsomaha.org or call her at 402-630-3344 for more details.

WebMaster Needed

Divine Shepherd is in need of an individual willing to volunteer their time to assist in the management of our website. Ideally, this individual would have experience in website development and administration. If interested, please contact Jennie Smith at 402-895-1500 or jennie@dsomaha.org.



Prayer Shawl Ministry - If you know of someone who is ill, grieving or lonely, a prayer shawl could be very comforting to them. Simply fill out a card on the Information Counter in the Atrium or call Betty Buller at 402-333-8188, with requests or questions. Our stitchers are happy to donate their time and there is no charge for the shawls we make. If you would like to volunteer to knit or crochet, we meet every Monday from 1:00-2:30pm in the Shepherd's

Room, or you can work on your own from home. Patterns are available.



Confirmation Classes

6:15- 7:30pm Wednesdays

6th & 7th--Trinity Room (Downstairs)
8th- Chapel (Upstairs)

High School/Middle School Sunday Study
9:15am in the Youth Room

High School Youth Group

7:30-9:00pm Wednesdays (Youth Room)



Wednesdays 6:15-7:30pm--**Midweek Classes** are available for 3 year olds through 5th grade

Sundays 9:15-10:15am--**Sunday School**--meet and pick up in the Trinity Center

News & Notes



Altar flowers are given by Don and Mary Tietjen in memory of their son, David, by Pat and Deb Ganyo in celebration of their 17th anniversary Feb. 14.



Midweek Meal

Wednesday, February 19--Spaghetti
Serving 4:45-6pm.

12 years and up--\$6.00.

Kids 5-11--\$3.50. Under 5--free



Little Lamb Preschool & Childcare are now accepting applications for full and part time staff members to work with infants, toddlers & preschool age children. Lead teacher and assistant

teacher positions are available. Please contact Tonya for more information or an application at tonya@dsomaha.org or 402-895-1500.



Nursery Help Needed This is a part-time, paid position, weekdays and/or weekends. If you love little ones and can help us out, please contact Kristina Blythe at 402-612-0067.

Celebrate Christian education with Concordia Schools at the 14th Annual Concordia Gala on Friday, March 6th. Highlights will include silent auction, dinner, live auction and featured entertainment from **Joe Cole's Comedy Magic**. The 2020 Gala will be held at the Embassy Suites in La Vista beginning with silent auction & cocktails at 5:30pm and dinner following at 7:00pm. Tickets are on sale now at Concordia Gala website. **RSVP deadline is February 15th**. Sponsorship & donation opportunities are also available. If you have any questions, please contact Cristine Minneman at 402-660-1034. This year's theme is "Perfect Vision" based on Psalm 16:11.

Tickets are on sale for *Les Miserables*, the Concordia High School spring musical. Performances are Thursday, March 12 - Saturday, March 14 at 7:00pm and Sunday, March 15 at 2:00pm. Adult ticket price \$15; Student ticket price (ages 5-18) \$10. Go to concordialesmiserables.brownpapertickets.com/ and order tickets online. For questions, please contact Peter Klemp at Concordia (402-445-4000).



Join us after the Saturday evening service on February 29. It will be a great time to stop by the Atrium for some meet-n-greets, fellowship and good treats with your Divine Shepherd family.



Womens Canasta Card Group will meet the last Tuesday of each month at 1:00pm in the Chapel. Everyone is welcome. You do not need to know how to play--we will teach you! Call Jan Tieken for more details--402-895-3262. Next date--February 25.



Divine Shepherd Book Club
Meets the 4th Wednesday of each month.
For questions or book titles, call Pat

Boozikee: 210-240-6200. Next date is February 26th.

Important Dates for your Calendar

Feb. 21 Bridge Group
Feb. 23 Blood Pressure Screening
Feb. 23 New York Trip planning meeting
Feb. 25 Canasta Group
Feb. 26 Book Club
Feb. 29 Snacks after 5:00pm service
Mar. 1 New Member/Transfers Welcome
Mar. 6 Concordia Schools Gala
Mar. 12-15 *Les Miserables* at Concordia High
July 13-17 Vacation Bible School

Church Staff

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This Week's Calendar

Monday, February 17

PRESIDENTS' DAY

LLPS/Childcare closed

- 10:00am **Women's Bible Study** *Coffee With The Savior* (Room 15)
12:30pm **Prayer Shawl Group** (Shepherd's Room)

Tuesday, February 18

- 10-11:15am **Adult Bible Study** *A Thankful Spirit—a Study of Philippians* (Chapel)

Wednesday, February 19

- 9-11:00am **Women's Bible Study** *It's Not Supposed to be This Way* (Trinity Center)
4:45-6:00pm **Midweek Meal** (CLC) Spaghetti
5:00pm **HOPE Choir** (Sanctuary)
6:15-7:30pm **Midweek Classes/Confirmation Bible Study** *Romans: Saved for a Transformed Life* (Shepherd's Room)
6:15pm **Chancel Choir** (Choir Room)
NQ Men's Chorus
7:30-9:00pm **High School Youth Group**

Thursday, February 20

- 6:00am **Men's Bible Study** (Vidlak's)
9:00am **Mission Belle Singers**
7:30pm **AI-Anon** (Commons Room)

Friday, February 21

- 6:15am **Men's Bible Study** *Romans* (Shepherd's Room)
9-11:30am **MOMSnexT** (Lower Level)
1:00pm **Bridge** (Chapel)

Saturday, February 22

- 5:00pm **Evening Praise Worship** (Sanctuary)

Sunday, February 23

- 8:00am **Traditional Worship** (Sanctuary)
8:45-11:00 **Fellowship Time with Coffee & Donuts** (Chapel)
9-11:00am **Blood Pressure Screening** (Atrium hallway)
9:15-10:15 **Sunday School** (Lower Level)
9:15am **Bible Study** *Ephesians* (Commons Room)
9:15am **Women's Bible Study** *Listening to God* (Shepherd's Room)
9:15am **Modern Worship** (Sanctuary) with Holy Communion
10:45am **Modern Worship** (Sanctuary) with Holy Communion
10:45am **Baptism Class** (Shepherd's Room)
12:00pm **NY Trip Planning Meeting** (Chapel)