Shepherd's *Voice*

Monthly Newsletter of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church-LCMS June 2026

June Church Events

6.1-6.11 Pastor Lanning Vacation	6.12-6.14 LWML District Convention Cape Girardeau
6.2 Elder – 7 pm	6.13 AA 6 pm
6.3 Adult Bible Study – 10 am **CANCELLED**	6.16 Worship Committee 4:30 pm
AA – 6 pm	6.17 Adult Bible Study 10 am
ZOOM Prayer Group 8 pm	AA 6 pm
6.6 AA 6 pm	ZOOM Prayer Group 8 pm
6.8 LWML Meeting 1 pm	6.20 AA 6 pm
6.9 Heritage Hall 10 am	6.24 Adult Bible Study 10 am
Ministerial Alliance 12 pm at First Baptist	AA 6 pm
6.10 Adult Bible Study 10 am **CANCELLED**	ZOOM Prayer Group 8 pm
AA 6 pm	6.27 AA 6 pm
ZOOM Prayer Group 8 pm	**6.29-7.8 Pastor Lanning Vacation**

Sunday Events

Sunday School: 9:00 a.m.
Adult Bible Study: 9:00 a.m. led by Pastor Lanning
Worship: 10:00 a.m.

June Birthdays

Tracy Jaeger	**06.08**
James Lanning	**06.14**
Bonnie Pemberton	**06.22**
Kathryn Dickey	**06.22**
Justin Ferris	**06.28**

June Anniversaries

Kathryn & Kevin Dickey 06.22

Serving The Lord

Officiant: Pastor James Lanning

Board of Elders

Gary Seider	**(573) 489-6629**
Mark Nygren	**(763) 274-4308**
Russell Stelzer	**(573) 682-7230**

Board of Trustees

Henry Rainey	**(573) 823-9777**
Matt Rojas	**(573) 999-9051**
Randy Simmons	**(573) 808-1497**

Church ballfield maintenance & scheduling
Catherine Simmons (573) 819-1272

churchupdates

Be sure to check "Church Updates" for the latest church news and prayer requests, as well as serving and giving opportunities at Good Shepherd. Sign up and register at www.churchupdates.org

June 7: Second Sunday after Pentecost
Text: Matthew 9:9-13

June 14: Third Sunday after Pentecost
Text: Matthew 9:35-10:8 (9-20)

June 21 : Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
Text: Matthew 10:5a, 21-33

June 28: Fifth Sunday after Pentecost
Text: Matthew 10:34-42

PET PROJECT

Pick up will be arranged by calling when we have items ready. At this time, they will no longer be accepting pill bottles. Please bring in your clean empty cans and **clean dry** plastic milk jugs or other plastic jugs that have handles.
Please make sure your jugs are clean and dry inside.

Shepherd Supply

Offering free household supplies to those in need.
call church office 573-682-3941

SEEKING VOLUNTEERS

Good Shepherd Lutheran is volunteering to provide free lunches at the City Square. Our week to serve lunch from **11:30 am to 1:00 pm** is **June 29th through July 3rd**.
We could really use several volunteers to sign up for a day or two to come to church to prepare food and help serve it at the Square.
Please **contact Ann 573-478-2816** or **sign up** on the Narthex bulletin board. Indicate if you'd like to help plan the menu.

LUTHERAN HOUR MINISTRIES
www.lhm.org

June 7
"Peter's Restoration–and Ours"
Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Chad Lakies
Jesus forgives and restores us, and He sends us out to offer this restoration to others, in His name. John 21:1-19

June 14, 2026
"Journey Through Anxiety"
Lutheran Hour Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
Anxiety is like a "Check Engine" light for the soul that leads us to take all our concerns to the Lord in prayer. Matthew 6:25

June 21, 2026
"Journey Through Depression"
Guest Speaker: Rev. Dr. Michael Zeigler
Depression can feel like being "stuck," but we are never truly alone. God meets us with His care and provision. 1 Kings 19:7

June 28, 2026
"Journey Through Ambition"
Guest Speaker: Pastor Ryan Tinetti
You don't have to worry about making a name for yourself. In Christ, God has already given you His. Matthew 25:21

Broadcasting

Columbia, MO
KMCV 100.9 FM Sunday Mornings at 8:00am

Moberly, MO
KWIX 92.5 FM Sunday Afternoons at 1:30pm

Members of the Men's Group working on their prayer desks. Prayer desk are kneelers that will be utilized by the members for their home devotions.

FINANCIAL & ATTENDANCE

April 26
Attendance 48
Current $ 1,680.00
Building $ 280.00
Total $ 1,960.00

May 3
Attendance 55
Current $ 2,967.00
Building $100.00
Total $ 3,067.00

May 10
Attendance 53
Current $ 1,595.00
Building $465.00
Total $ 2,060.00

May 17
Attendance 28
Current $ 1,070.00
Building $315.00
Total $ 1,385.00

May 24
Attendance 46
Current $ information available in July
Building $
Total $

May 31
Attendance information available in July
Current $
Building $
Total $

Current
10% of our current offerings are sent to Missouri District for missions. The remaining 90% is used for GSLC budget expenses.
Building
100% of money designated for building stays in our congregation for budget expenses.

Other April/May Deposits

4.26 Parking Lot	**$ 800.00**
5.03 Fellowship Hall Rental	**$ 200.00**
5.10 Volleyball Hall Rental	**$ 200.00**
5.10 MA for Summer Lunch	**$ 196.50**
5.10 Directory	**$ 30.00**
5.10 Campus Shared Ministry	**$1,250.00**
5.17 Lenten Offering	**$ 110.00**

Offering envelopes - ***please use your envelopes for your church giving as much as possible. It makes things much easier for our financial secretary when counting and recording member information. If you need envelopes just let Jacki know and she can get you some. Thank you.***

A fun Easter Egg Hunt was one of the activities enjoyed by the younger church members.

Thank you Sunday School students and teachers for the cute, and YUMMY cookies for Mother's Day. They were a "sweet" surprise!

VBS is Sunday through Tuesday evening Aug. 9 – 11, 2026. 6 pm to 8 pm.—
Supper for participants and workers begins at 6:00 before the activities beginning at 6:30.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED for the evening activities are: Fixing a light meal in the kitchen to be served out of the kitchen at 6 pm
Hannah will lead Music.
Need Storyteller leaders, Bible Exploration leaders and someone to plan a Craft (or we can substitute a Game instead of the craft).
If someone would like to take the age 4 and under for one hour after the Music time, that would be great.
Ann has the Leader Guides and supplies for all the stations.

CONGRATULATIONS
to Christina Gronefeld
on her graduation from Concordia University May 9, 2026.
Christina is completing her internship for DCE.

CONGRATULATIONS
to Kelsey Jaeger for earning her Master of Science
in Genetic Counseling.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please help **Lutheran Family Children Services** by contributing to the **Baby Bottle Boomerang** through **June 30th.** Just drop your donation in the large baby bottle at the usher's stand OR take a small bottle home to fill.

We need **volunteers** to help sell ice cream at the **Centralia Fair**. Contact Ann Seider or sign up on the sheet on the narthex bulletin board. Thursday evening June 18 Horse Show; Friday morning June 19 Sheep/Goat Show; Friday evening June 19 Swine Show Saturday evening June 20 Beef Show; Friday evening June 26 Tractor Pull

PRAYERS OF THE CHURCH

For Lost and wandering Christians; Audie Pemberton – born 5/11 at 33 weeks, in NICU; **Jennifer Huecker –** recovering from hip fracture; **Bruce Mills –** kidney and bladder weakness; **Anna Gildehaus, Faye Fairchild, Carol Latham –** cancer (friends of Glenda Drier); **Pastor Spotts –** severe migraines; **Jim Gesling–**recovering; The **Garrett Family-**Barn Fire; **Patti Martinez–**breast cancer; **prayers for caretakers; Rev. Dr. Lee Hagan–**recovering; **Reverend Tim and Erin Schulte; Mike Hyde–**recovering; **Tammy Morgan–**(Sherry Morse's daughter) – health issues; **Christina DeJesus–**health issues; **Brenda Belt (**Henry Rainey's sister) –Stage IV Cancer; **Grace–**health issues (friend of Hannah Lanning); **Steve Buckert–**recovering; **Jenni Murray**-Margaret Parker's daughter-recovering; **Ron Borgman; Dick St**. **John**–Brenda Moss's father–health issues; **Kim & Terry Decker**–health issues; **Ed & Ernestine Ramsey**; **Judy Mahieu**; **Kyle Lutz**–recovering from kidney/pancreas transplant; **Bonnie Berthelsen**; **Mark Ramsey**; **Calvin Stemme**–treatment for cancer; **Julia Rainey; Jane St. John**; **Dennis & Jackie Nadler; Susan Harris**; **Wayne Nolan**–stepfather of Jeff Jaeger; **Michelle Smith**–daughter of Jane St John; **Arla Benskin**–daughter of Mary Brechler.

Missionaries - MOST Ministries (Mission Opportunities Short Term)

Community Prayers: **Father Mike Coleman**; **Jeff Bransteder** – cancer; **Susan Sturgeon** – breast cancer; **Jeff Canzoneri –** brain cancer.

ARMED FORCES: **Veterans of Armed Services –** especially those suffering from PTSD and anxiety; **Christopher Thompson,** U. S. Navy – cousin of Hannah Lanning; **Brandon Lowery**, U.S. Navy–brother of Rachel Rojas; **Donevin Leonard**, U.S. Marine Corps–grandson of Russell & Jacki Stelzer; **Chris Chism**, U.S. Navy–son of Vickie & Eric Chism; grandson of Barbara Fischer; **Brittany Macklin**–great-niece of Ernestine Ramsey.

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