



THE GOOD SHEPHERD

THE SUNDAY EDITION

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD
CHANGING LIVES, SHARING CHRIST



Sunday Schedule

8:00 a.m. Traditional Eucharist (Rite I)
8:45 a.m. No Breakfast Fellowship
9:30 a.m. No Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Family Eucharist (Rite II)
11:45 a.m. Coffee Fellowship *in the Courtyard*
5:30 p.m. "Come As You Are" Eucharist

Nursery For Little Ones

0 - 2 Yrs. in the Nursery
9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Children's Chapel

Children's Chapel has concluded for the school year. Please join us in the chapel when we resume in September.

Sunday School

Sunday School will not formally meet over the summer months. Adults are invited to join us for an informal gathering for discussion on the weekly Lectionary Readings in the Parlor at 9:30 a.m. The Nursery and Kid's Zone will be open and available for all children during this time.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL - THIS WEEK

MONDAY, JUNE 4 - FRIDAY, JUNE 8 FROM 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 NOON

VBS begins tomorrow! There will be games, crafts, songs, dancing, movies, Bible stories, snacks, and much more! If you have already registered, please get here early tomorrow morning to check in and receive your group assignment. (Check-In is from 8:15 - 9:00 a.m. in the Courtyard.) Registration is full. We will not be able to take any last minute campers. All counselor's need to be at the Church by 8:00 a.m. Please come to Dobbins Hall Adult Classroom (next to Munds Hall).

NEWCOMER'S COFFEE

SUNDAY, JUNE 24 AT 9:30 A.M. IN THE PARLOR

All newcomers to Good Shepherd are invited to join us in the Parlor for a special welcome coffee hosted by the Evangelism Committee.

INFORMAL LECTIONARY DISCUSSION FOR ADULTS

SUNDAYS AT 9:30 A.M. IN THE PARLOR

The Revs. Milton Black and Frank Fuller will lead an Informal Bible Discussion at 9:30 a.m. throughout the summer based on our weekly Lectionary Readings. Please join us!

USHERS NEEDED

SUNDAYS AT 10:30 A.M. SERVICE

We need new ushers to help on Sunday mornings at the 10:30 a.m. service. This is an easy, fun job and a great way to meet new people in the church. It is also a vital ministry in our church. Please contact Susan Linnane in the Church Office if you are interested or want more information at 361-882-1735.

GIVE BEFORE YOU GO

If you are planning to be gone off and on this summer, please consider "giving before you go." The church is dependent upon a consistent inflow of your pledge payments, including the summer months. You may make your payments in the offertory plate, in the Church Office, or online at cotgs.org. Payments can also be mailed to the Church at 700 S. Upper Broadway (78401). Thanks!



Summer Sunday Information

Adult Informal
Lectionary Discussion
9:30 a.m in the Parlor

No Children/Youth
Sunday School

No Children's Chapel

Nursery is Available
9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Infants - 2 year olds

Kid's Zone
9:30 - 10:30 a.m.
3 year olds - 1st Grade



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SABBATICAL PRAYER - WEEK 9

Heavenly Father, let the mind of Christ be strong in Philip. Send the spirit of prayer upon him. Let nothing hinder his time with you and let him rise up to seek you. Give him the time, the desire and the place to pray. In Jesus' name we pray. Amen

Mark 1:35 "Very early in the morning, while it was still dark, Jesus got up, left the house and went off to a solitary place, where he prayed."

EGG LADIES NEED RED MILK CAPS

The Egg Ladies are already busy working on next year's Easter egg creations! They are in need of the flat, red caps that are found on 2% jugs of milk. If you use 2% milk, please rinse and save the caps and then bring them to the church office. Thank you!



ABIDE IN ME

Saturday, June 9 from 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
at TMI in San Antonio

The Diocese of West Texas will hold our 10th Annual Abide in Me Conference on Saturday, June 9 at TMI in San Antonio. Each year, this conference brings together hundreds of clergy and laity from around our diocese. It is a source of renewal and learning. The hope is that everyone who attends will return to their local churches with fresh ideas. This year's conference theme is *Living Stewardship*. The keynote speaker is Bishop Greg Rickel of the Diocese of Olympia. There will be a wide array of workshops offered. For details or to register go to www.dwtx.org/abideinme.

SOMETHING FOR EVERYONE AT GOOD SHEPHERD

FOR CHILDREN

Sunday School: (9:30 a.m.)
Resumes in September.
Sunday Children's Chapel: (10:30 a.m.)
Children ages 3 - 2nd Grade
(Concluded for this year.)

FOR YOUTH

Youth Sunday School (7th-12th grade):
in the Youth House
Youth Group: (7th-12th grade)
Be on the look-out for our summer schedule coming soon!
Youth Bible Study: Sundays 8-8:30 p.m.
Bible Doodles: Immediately following Youth Group in the Youth House

MISSION AND OUTREACH

Salvation Army Mobile Canteen:
The Mobile Canteen feeds the homeless on the streets of our city. Join us **Monday, June 25 at 5:30 p.m.** in Munds Hall Auditorium as we prepare and deliver food.

Good Shepherd's Corner:
Come volunteer at the Corner! They have new summer volunteer opportunities. Call Julie at 883-028. And come by to do some shopping! There are some fabulous items! Please use the back entrance. *The front entrance on Alameda is currently blocked by road construction.*

Wheel Chair Ramp Ministry:
Come help build wheelchair ramps. In June and July, the ramp builds will take place the fourth Saturday of the month.

FOR ADULTS

Sunday School Classes: (9:30 a.m.)
Informal Lectionary Discussion in the Parlor with Rev. Milton Black and Rev. Frank Fuller for the summer

Wednesday Evening Classes:
Classes will resume in September. The Rev. Philip May will begin an informal gathering and discussion at the Executive Surf Club on Wednesday evenings beginning July 11 at 6:30 p.m.

Trinity Towers Bible Study:
Thursdays at 10:00 a.m.

Adult Choir Rehearsal:
Thursdays, 7:00 p.m.
in the Choir Room

Handbell Choir Rehearsal:
Mondays, 6:30 p.m.
in the Choir Room

Men's Life Fellowship:
Tuesdays 7-8 a.m. in the Parlor
Join us for fellowship, meaningful discussion and encouragement.

Men's Book Study Group:
Tuesdays at noon in the Munds Hall Library; Bring your lunch.

WEEKLY WORSHIP SERVICES

Sundays: 8:00 a.m. (*Rite I*)
10:30 a.m. (*Rite II*)
5:30 p.m. "Come As You Are"
Tuesdays: 12:15 p.m.
Wednesdays: 5:30 p.m. w/*Healing Service*

Please Make Your Pledge for 2018

In the pew racks you will find pledge cards for 2018. We would appreciate you making a commitment, no matter the amount, to help us plan our budget for this year. It takes all of us as members of Good Shepherd to run our facility and grounds, our programs, as well as help our community through mission and outreach.

Pledge cards can be placed in the offertory plate or brought/mailed to the Church Office. You can also go onto our website at cotgs.org and make a pledge or payment.

Thank you so much for your commitment to our church!