

Shepherd of the Lakes Lutheran Church
A Congregation of the Evangelical
Lutheran Church in America

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WELCOME GUESTS

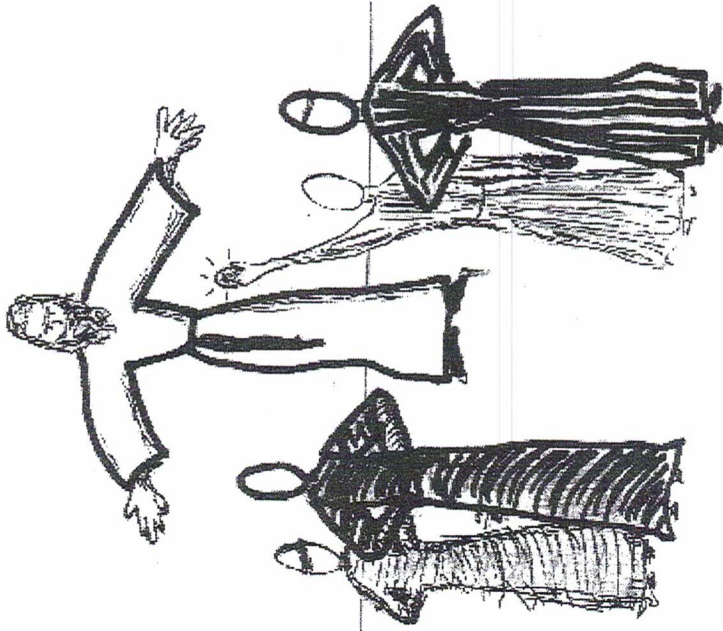
We invite you to sign our guest book and/or complete a visitor card to help us remember you. Please let us know if we can serve you in any way. Everyone is welcome to Holy Communion at Shepherd of the Lakes. Come forward as ushers direct, receive the wafer in your hand and move to the wine which is served in individual portions. We offer grape juice as an alternative to wine. Gluten-free wafers are also available at your request from communion servers when you partake.

Church Services:

**Church services are temporarily cancelled.
The Saturday evening service will be recorded
and available for viewing on YouTube
for Sunday morning worship.**

*Teacher, tell us, What is your
opinion?*

But Jesus replied:



*Why are you trying
to trap me?*

Matthew 22:16-18

20th Sunday After Pentecost
Saturday October 17, 2020
Sunday October 18, 2020

OUR MISSION STATEMENT


Empowered by the power of the Holy Spirit and rooted in the Good News of Jesus Christ, we are a loving community that follows Jesus & seeks to hear the Word of God and practice it in our daily lives.

Giving Report October 11, 2020	Attendance 46
General Funds	1290.00
AL.WM	20.00
Food Pantry	27.00
Frederick House	10.00
Weekend Backpack	45.00
World Hunger	200.00
Memorials	150.00
Total	\$1,742.00

Next Council Meeting: postponed

All church activities postponed due to Covid-19

2021 Budget meeting postponed until November

Recorded Services: All Saturday services at Shepherd of the Lakes are recorded and put on YouTube, usually by 9 AM Sunday morning.
Go to the Church website at shepherdofthelakeschurch.org and look for the  symbol. Click on this symbol to take you to the Church's YouTube site.

PRAYER REQUESTS



(Please note: "Current issue" listings remain in the bulletin for three weeks and then are removed unless instructions are received to move that listing to the "ongoing health issues" list.)

Pray for those dealing with current issues:

Continue to pray for those in the world affected by the COVID-19 pandemic. Pray for our world leaders, church leaders, and Shepherd of the Lakes leaders so that they may help to meet the needs of those they serve as we move forward in these everchanging times.

Pray for those with ongoing health issues:

Jim & Teresa Luebke, Brian Repenshek, Larry & Joannie Stephenson, Arlene Dreyfus, Tim Bowman, Michael Sosa (Joan Ebert's nephew), Rich Kysiak, and Tom & Carol Miles.

Pray for those serving in the Armed Forces: Jeff Hammer, Brian Kriek, Adam & Brittany Recob, Brooks Maines, Will Schmidt, Sgt. Keara Kangas, Alex Bauer, Jared Mann, Noah Storaasli, and Zachary Raatz.

Pray for those in nursing homes or homebound:

Ramona Schaeffel, Mel & Barb Harvey, and Elisabeth Jacobsen.

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Please email Bill Wendorf at pastor@SOTLsayner.com or Jean Maines at secretary@SOTLsayner.com if you would like to be included on the prayer chain list. Prayer requests are sent out via email.

If anyone is interested in being the contact person for the prayer chain, please contact Bill Wendorf or Sharon Geist

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The Pharisees approach Jesus in a thinly veiled attempt to trap him on issues of financial obligations to the Roman government. Their question of Jesus, simplified to the extreme, is "who gets your wallet?" If Jesus answered one way, he would be guilty of treason. If he answered the other way, he would have been considered guilty of heresy in the eyes of the religious leaders. Jesus responds by issuing a challenge of his own—give to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and give to God what belongs to God. This statement challenges us to ponder: if God created the world and everything in it, what doesn't belong to God?

Readings for October 24 & 25, 2020

First Reading: Leviticus 19:1-2, 15-18
Psalm 1
Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 2:1-8
Gospel: Matthew 22:34-46