

## SHEPHERD HAPPENINGS

**HOLY COMMUNION:** We extend our Lord's invitation to the Table; "All who wish to feel the touch of my love and grace, come, eat and drink with me and my community of faith." We invite you to come to the altar rail from the side aisles and return to your pew by the center aisle. If you find it difficult to kneel, please feel free to remain standing. (Grape juice is available in the center of the serving tray and a rice alternative is available for those with wheat allergies.)

**PLEASE PASS THE FELLOWSHIP REGISTER:** We welcome all those who are worshipping with us today. Please sign the fellowship register and pass it down the pew. Please indicate if you are visiting, any prayer concerns or opportunities for which you are interested. In an attempt to cut down on paper, we are now placing inserts in the Fellowship Register Folder. Please help yourself to the inserts that interest you.

### **CHILDREN ARE WELCOME**

- ♥ In worship every Sunday but, should you need it, nursery care is provided for children birth through age 5. The nursery is located on the south side of the building in the office hallway.
- ♥ At Sunday School which takes place in Ranum and Good Shepherd Halls during the Education Hour.
- ♥ At Wednesday Night Programs which offer additional opportunities for children K-5<sup>th</sup> Grade to see and know God.

**ALTAR FLOWERS** this morning are in celebration of the marriage of Anna Stevens and Jerome Bergquist on July 3.

**CONFIRMATION PICTURE DISPLAY:** Many thanks to June Swart and Kathy Boucher for their work locating and displaying pictures of past confirmation classes. The artwork is beautiful; they have created a lasting memory of the confirmation history of Shepherd of the Hills. If you haven't seen the display, it is located in the first floor hallway near the elevator entrance.

The next step is to identify the confirmands in each year's picture. We'll need help from parents of past confirmands. Look for future information about how you can help.

**SUMMER OFFICE HOURS:** The church office will be closed on Friday afternoons this summer. The office will be open on Fridays from 9:00 am to 2:00 pm.

**GOOD COMPANY BREAKFAST A Group for All Ages** Good Company Breakfast will be on Friday, July 16 at 9:15 a.m. Won't you join our group at Woody's (6399 City West Parkway, Eden Prairie — southeast corner of Hwy. 62 and Shady Oak Road). This is where we had our December Christmas party. Good place. Good food. Good fun. Join your friends and make new ones. We are Good Company.  
*Ruth Rand, Coordinator (952) 931-9151*

### **WEDNESDAY MORNING BIBLE STUDY JULY 21**

During the summer months, the Wednesday Bible Study meets on the third Wednesday of the month. Our next meeting will be on July 21. Everyone is welcome. Come for Bible study, food, and fellowship! The group meets at 9:30 am for coffee, treats and fellowship before they begin Bible study. The Bible study begins at 10:00 am and is based on the following Sunday's sermon text.

**SHEPHERD CAMPING ADVENTURE TO VOYAGER BAY:** Singles, couples, and families! You are all invited and all are welcome to bring friends. Plan to join us up at the lake from August 19-21. The weekend fee of \$10 (\$20 for families) will include your camp site, 4 meals, worship, and access to over 90 acres of wildlife, swimming beach, canoes, hiking trails, lots of fellowship and more. The church property is located near Outing, MN. It is about a 2 1/2 hour drive from our church. Registration brochures will be available on the bulletin board by the nursery and in the church office. To allow time for meal planning and grocery shopping, registrations are due by August 7th. Please see Caroline Rinker or Kristen Urbina if you have questions.

### **3rd ANNUAL REDEEMER LUTHERAN BLOCK CLUB QUILT AUCTION: July 24, 2010 at Spirit of Life Lutheran Church**

Mark your calendars for the 3rd Annual Redeemer Lutheran Church Block Club Quilt Auction which will be held July 24, 2010 from 10:00 AM - 12:00PM. Coffee and a light Brunch will be served starting at 9:00 AM. A donation of school supplies is requested, (excluding crayons). Preview of the Quilts to be auctioned will begin at 9:00 AM. In addition to the Quilt Auction there will be a Silent Auction, Boutique and Bakery items for sale. **Please note: due to repairs and construction at Redeemer Lutheran Church the 2010 Quilt Auction is being held at Spirit of Christ Lutheran Church, 5801 Minnetonka Boulevard St. Louis Park, MN 55416.** Additional information regarding the Redeemer Block Club Auction can be obtained from Redeemer Lutheran Church @ 612-374-4139 or Spirit of Christ Lutheran Church @ 952-929-6465. Money raised from the Auction will be given by the Redeemer Block Club to missions in: Kenya, Mexico, Togo and Uganda. In addition money will be given to Redeemer Lutheran Church for roof repairs. Hope to see many from Shepherd of the Hills at the Quilt Auction.

### **NEWS FROM LUTHER PARK**

**Summer Open House and Volunteer Recognition, July 17.** Join us **July 17<sup>th</sup>** for the Summer Open House and Volunteer Recognition Day. This festive, free appreciation day is for all friends of Luther Park. There will be fun and activities for all ages, so bring your friends and family. You can learn more at [www.lutherpark.com](http://www.lutherpark.com). Overnight accommodations are available on a first-come basis. For more information, please call 715-656-7244, or via e-mail at [camp@lutherpark.com](mailto:camp@lutherpark.com)

## CHILDREN, YOUTH & FAMILY HAPPENINGS

**VBS 2010!** Get ready for VBS happening July 12-16, 2010! Shepherd will be turned into a High Seas Expedition where kids will explore the mighty love of God! All kids 3 years of age through 5<sup>th</sup> grade will have opportunity of a lifetime as they dive into God's word! Mark your calendars and tell all your friends and neighbors about this amazing adventure coming this summer!

**VBS:** Do you love God and enjoy working with kids? Come on board the High Seas Adventures this July 12-16. There are many opportunities for you to share your God-given gifts up front or behind the scenes. See Pastor Kimberly today!

**KIDS' CLUB:** This is a great time for kids to play together and have a snack after worship... and for adults to spend time together. Summer Sundays, 10:30-11:15 am.  
**July 11: fun with balls; August 8: water day** (we will get wet... wear a suit if you want!)

### This Week at Shepherd

Sunday (7/4)	9:30 a.m.	Worship
Monday (7/5)		Church Office Closed for Holiday
Tuesday (7/6)	9:30 a.m.	Staff Meeting
Thursday (7/8)	9:00 a.m.	Summer Stretch
	7:00 p.m.	AA Meeting
Friday (7/9)	9:00-2:00 p.m.	Church Office Open
Sunday (7/11)	9:30 a.m.	Worship
	10:30 a.m.	Kids Club