

The *Voice*

From the Pastor
Natacha Kemp

of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church

November 2010

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COURAGE in the face of Danger...HONOR in times of turmoil...

SACRIFICE in the name of freedom...

Our COLORS shine bright...Our SPIRITS soar free...

Our NATION stands strong...

THANKS to the COURAGEOUS FAITH of brave men and women like you!

The youth of Good Shepherd, Cross of Glory, Lord of Life, Resurrection, and St. Paul's Lutheran Churches, along with Pastor Natacha Kemp cordially invite **ALL Veterans** and their families to a Recognition Banquet.

When: Sunday, November 7th, 2010

Where: Good Shepherd Lutheran Church (**Church is Handicap Assessable**)

1451 E. 47th St. South, Wichita, KS, 67216

Church Phone: 316-524-3401

Church e-mail: goodsheplutheran@sbcglobal.net

Time: 5:00pm

Keynote Speaker: Chaplain (1Lt.) Quentin M. Genke, McConnell AFB

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND!!!

Curtis Waltermire will have a fun-filled and unique presentation of the Gospel using his talents of magic and music!

The Cost is FREE!!! So come for fun, delicious food, cool prizes, special surprises, fellowship, celebration, and encouraging words!

RSVP by November 1st, 2010 (Please call or e-mail the church office)

FREE ADMISSION!



It's time for our annual
FALL ARTS, CRAFTS & BAKE SALE

*on Saturday, November 6, 2010 from
9:00am to 4:00pm.*

Coffee, drinks and food will be served all day.

The proceeds will benefit church projects.

Please come and ENJOY!!!

**GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
1451 E. 47th Street South
316.524.3401**

Building & Church Property Usage

If you use the church facilities please make sure you turn off all the lights and lock all doors when you leave. Even though we do not charge for the usage by a congregational member, a monetary donation would be appreciated in light of the treasury deficit. If you wish to use tables and chairs please check with the council vice-president Brent Albright prior to taking them from the church. It needs to be approved first.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Camp Tomah Shinga

(Kaw Indian phrase meaning "shining water")

Are you up for the Challenge?

The challenge to build a lake at Camp Tomah Shinga is still on. They are short by about \$10,000. All churches and individuals who would like to contribute may put their offerings in the Sunday offering earmarked for this cause. The Earl Bane foundation of Salina will donate \$20,000 if \$30,000 can be met by all volunteer donations. So far \$20,000 has been donated. Let's help out to reach the goal and build the lake. It is a really neat camp and everyone who has gone enjoyed the experience.

Lutheran World Relief

With the help of several people in the congregation we were able to send 55 Health Kits and 23 lbs of soap to Lutheran World Relief.

Thank you for your help!

Treasurer's Report

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| Actual Income | 7840.50 |
| Actual Expenses | 9070.98 |
| Difference | -1230.48 |

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| Actual Income | 82551.00 |
| Actual Expenses | 94967.07 |
| Difference | -12416.07 |

Angel Food

Angel food **Order forms for November** will be in the Church
October 31st, 2010

I will need your order and payment by Thursday November 4,

Distribution will be Saturday November 20th at Good Shepherd
between 9:00 –9:30am

If you have any questions
Call 260-1277 or email me at dmoran27@cox.net

Thanks Doris Moran



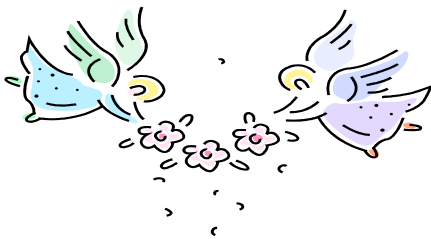
Birthdays in November

- 8 Hermie Medlock
- 21 Shelby Haugh
- 21 David Standrich
- 21 Nikki Hansen
- 23 Anthony Cloud
- 29 Brittani Cook



NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

- 11/02/54 Charles & Mary Bryant
- 11/07/55 Bill & Eleanore Johnson



Please remember these individuals in daily prayer:

- Irene Henschel (Nursing Home)
- Louis Plummer (Nursing Home)
- Edna Mae Wickland (Rehab for stroke)
- Mike Howard
- Loretta Niedens
- Felisha Brackhahn
- Viola Brozek
- Hermie Medlock

Prayer Support Available

If you have a concern for which you would like much timely prayer support, please call the church office (524-3401). Your concern will be communicated promptly through our prayer chain.

"Pray for one another, so that you may be healed. The prayer of the righteous is powerful and effective." James 5:16

**REMEMBER TO:
Help with the Newsletter!!
Please send articles, notes of
interest, happenings,
anything to share.**

Many thanks for all the kind and loiving support shown to me recently when I had my heart attack, especially the quick response of the prayer chain.

Curtis Haugh

Don't forget to bring baked items to the Arts & Craft Fair on Saturday, November 6th. We need your help.

So far, 18 (8' tables) have been spoken for and 4 (6' round)

Everything from dog treats to jams & jelly make up the tables.

It's a sell out!!!

We are collecting for Youthville.

Leave items on designated table.

Items needed Wichita Office



Diapers Baby formula Baby wipes
Baby monitor Baby bottles Body wash
Baby shampoo Baby powder Lotion
Diaper bags New car seats Female personal hygiene
Disposable razors Toothbrushes Toothpaste
Shaving Cream Shampoo Powder Lotion
Sheets sets (twin/full) Bath towels Washcloths
New Suitcases Batteries AA, AAA, C & D Pants 32/30 up
T-shirts XL-XXXL Dish sets 4-8 place setting Laundry bags
Silverware Cleaning supplies household/laundry
Trash bags Brooms Kitchen towels/dishcloths
Mixing Bowls Game Boards Rubbermaid tubs
\$25. Walmart gift cards Personal hygiene products
New underwear (all sizes *large sizes) Socks (all sizes)
African-American hair care products
pink oil and hair grease for females
Hair "wave" grease for males
Wave caps (all sizes) for males

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Columbus Day Hockey Clergy Appreciation Day October Pumpkins

Fall Canadian Thanksgiving National Day of Prayer Sweater

Maple Syrup Leaf Color Bird feeder Opal Football

Daylight Saving Time Ends Calendula Scarecrow Harvest

World Series Apples

Happy Halloween!!!

(NOT IN PUZZLE)

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GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH
COUNCIL MINUTES
October 4, 2010

The Good Shepherd Lutheran Church Council met on October 4, 2010. Those in attendance: Eleanor Spencer, Nelson Haugh, Brent Albright, Pastor Natacha Kemp, and Kerri Kuhlman.

Eleanor Spencer called the meeting to order. The minutes of the previous meeting were reviewed. Wording was changed on the paragraph about the Ministry Team. It should now read,

“Bob Hansen, a member of Good Shepherd’s Ministry Team, along with Pastor Kemp, gave a report concerning the meetings that had been held with Pastor Fulton. The proposed mission statement for Good Shepherd was presented. Bob Hansen and Pastor Kemp spoke about Pastor Fulton’s point of view regarding the financial situation at Good Shepherd and how the proposed mission statement would help the congregation. Len Dale stated the emphasis has to come from within. How do we come alive? Health Realization and Deep Listening were discussed. Hours to set up a Health Realization Workshop could be 9:00-4:00 on Saturday or 1:00-4:00 on Sunday. Bob left the meeting after the report.”

One other change was made. The person Pastor is going to ask to speak at the potluck on October 17 is Pastor Len Dale not Pastor Dave. A motion was made by Nelson and seconded by Brent to accept the minutes with these corrections. Motion passed.

Pastor led us in a devotion from the book Don’t Sweat the Small Stuff—and it’s all Small Stuff. The devotion was about making peace with perfection.

Nelson presented the Treasurer’s Report. The Church Insurance line includes the renewal of our policy and two months premium. The price went up a little but not much. Under Building Maintenance, The Gene Hensley Company checked the office air conditioner. Candle fuel and wine were the charges under Altar Supplies. For the month, we were a little over \$1,200 short. Eleanor made a motion to accept the Treasurer’s Report as presented. Pastor seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Nelson reported that he has met with Doug Eckert and Mary Bryant on the Budget Committee. Nelson presented the group with information and past history on the budget. Each member will give their input at the next meeting on what they think the budget should look like. After this discussion, a final budget will be presented. Pastor asked whether Nelson had the 2011 guidelines. Nelson said he did have those.

A member of the Fleet Reserve group approached Nelson asking for a key to the church. The Council decided to not give out a key at this time.

Pastor announced that Larry Frank will be covering for her while she is gone on vacation. The Pastors’ group will be meeting tomorrow so she may have additional contact information for us.

Pastor handed out a flyer that was prepared by Monica Ellis regarding Area 5 Youth activities. The Fallween Party is coming up soon. The Good Shepherd Youth will be attending as their outreach project. The Veteran’s Recognition Banquet will be held in November. The youth are working hard on that. An announcement will be made on this soon. Judy Epperson spoke with Pastor about a Wish List for the VA Hospital. Mary Bryant and Lynn Stan-drich would like to use this for our “Christmas Tree Project” instead of the Angel Tree.

Pastor announced the Confirmation is going well. Other unchurched youth our wanting to come to Confirmation, too. There is an Area 5 Talent Show coming up in November. The confirmation students are working on a puppet show.

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The Nominating Committee has met with Pastor Kemp. The members on this Committee include Devon Kuhlman, Joan Eberhardt, and Doris Moran along with Pastor. The positions open for election are: President, Secretary, and Mission Coordinator. The Elder position is also open since it was not filled last year. That position will have a one-year term. Pastor wants to talk about the possibility of having a youth person on the Council.

Pastor is working on updating the Record Book for the church. She is transferring information from her record book to the church book.

Pastor and Eleanor will meet this week to review the Mission Statement.

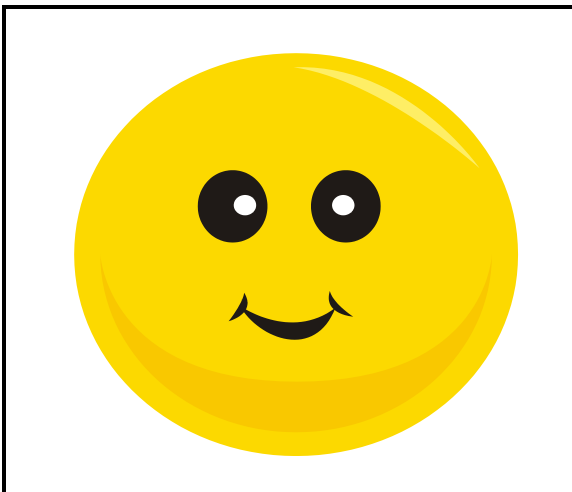
Pastor will speak with Len Dale about giving the sermon on October 17. A question was asked about whether "Estimate of Giving Cards" would be handed out. A discussion followed regarding this subject. Pastor will check with Len Dale on his plans.

The Area 5 group will be meeting on November 14 at 3 p.m. The Council set Good Shepherd's Annual Meeting date for November 21. This is also Women's Thankoffering Sunday.

The meeting adjourned at 8:00.

Respectfully submitted,

Kerri Kuhlman



Cluster meeting

Pastor Kemp, Willie Cooper, Joan Eberhardt, Dorothy Rickords, Jeanne Leidheiser, Lynn Standrich & Dolores Haugh from Good Shepherd attended the Cluster meeting at St. Paul's on Saturday, October 16th. Gloria Dei will host the spring event April 16th.

Women's Thankoffering Service
Annual Meeting with Elections
Pot Luck Following
November 21st

LOCK-IN

Destiny & Vanessa Haugh, Doug Reed & Paul Eberhardt all from Good Shepherd attended the lock-in at St. Paul's on Saturday, October 16th.

FALLOWEEN PARTY

Brittani & Kaylan Cook, Dakota Rotramel & Zackary Haugh all attended the Fall-oween Party at St. Paul's on October 16th.

Thrivent Choice

If you are a thrivent insurance policy holder, you may have recently received notification that a certain amount of fraternal dollars are available for you to designate to the qualified recipients of your choice. Good Shepherd is one of those that you may designate as a recipient of your Thrivent Choice dollars. A word of appreciation to all those who have already named Good Shepherd as their choice for Thrivent Choice dollars.

November 2010

| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 <i>Pastor Returns from Vacation</i> | 5 | 6 <i>Arts/Craft Fair & Bake Sale 9-4 at GSLC</i> |
| 7 <i>9:00 Sunday School 10:15 Worship 5p GBF Veterans Banquet @GSLC</i> | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 <i>9:30a Women of the ELCA</i> |
| 14 <i>9:00 Sunday School 10:15 Worship</i> | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 21 <i>9:00 Sunday School 10:15 Women's Thanksgiving Service Annual Meeting Pot Luck</i> | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 <i>Thanksgiving Office Closed</i> | 26 | 27 |
| 28 <i>9:00 Sunday School 10:15 Worship</i> | 29 | 30 | | | | |

Men's Fellowship

President: Don Leidheiser
Secretary: Roger Brubakken
Treasurer: Earl McCain

Women of ELCA

President: Dolores Haugh
Vice President: Mary Bryant
Secretary: Willie Cooper
Treasurer: Lorraine Delzer

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Council Members

President: Eleanor Spencer
Vice President: Brent Albright
Secretary: Kerri Kuhlman
Deacon: Tara Brubakken
Elder: Vacant
Mission Coordinator: Anita
Brubakken
Treasurer: Nelson Haugh

*I am the
good
shepherd.
I know
my own
and my
own know
me, just as the Father knows me and I know
the Father. And I lay down my life for the sheep.
I have other sheep that do not belong to this fold. I
must bring
them also,
and they
will listen
to my voice.
So there
will be one
flock, one
SHEPHERD.
John 10:14-16*

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