



## ***Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church***

*Northglenn, Colorado*

*Service of the Lord's Day*

*August 16, 2015 – 9:00 a.m.*

### ***Gathering Around the Word***

#### **Prelude and Tolling of the Hour**

#### **Welcome and Announcements**

Visitors, we are glad you are worshiping with us today and appreciate your filling out the visitor's card found in the pew rack. Please place it in the offering plate. Prayer request cards are in the pew racks if you wish to use them and bring them to the Communion Table during the Passing the Peace.

#### **Moment for Mission**

*Mission BBQ*

Mary McCarron

#### **\*Call to Worship**

One: Something awakened us this morning – perhaps day's dawning, the smell of brewing coffee, the sound of alarms on the shelf or a newspaper thudding at the door.

**All: And now we gather with awakened spirits to worship with others the Creator of this day.**

One: Something moved us this morning – we left behind a sufficiency of sleep or a restless night, we engaged in feeding and dressing, we left our homes for here.

**All: And now we gather in this place to worship the Christ who moves among us and to follow the Spirit which leads us into deeds of love.**

One: May ours be a faith that is both awake and moving as we serve and worship our God together.

**\*Opening Hymn #276** Great is Thy Faithfulness

**\*Call to Confession**

**\*Prayer of Confession**

*Silent Prayer*

One: O God,

**All: forgive us when we fill up every minute with something to do, complain or boast about how busy we are, waste other people’s time by making them wait for us. God, forgive us when we forget how sacred every minute is, waste our own time in unimportant details or watch the clock in our daily prayer. Hear us in the name of Jesus of Nazareth who always had time for work and rest and called his disciples to be attentive to every day. Amen.**

**\*Assurance of Pardon**

**\*Gloria Patri #579**

**\*Passing of the Peace**

One: As a forgiven and reconciled people, let us share with one another signs of peace. The peace of Christ be with you.

**All: And also with you.**

*Hearing the Word*

**Prayer of Illumination Hymn #322** Spirit of the Living God

**Old Testament Reading** Exodus 1:8-22

One: For the Word of God in scripture,  
For the Word of God among us,  
For the Word of God within us,

**All: Thanks be to God.**

**Time With the Children**

*(Children ages 5-13 may now go downstairs for Junior Church)*

Pastor Bill

**Anthem**

**Sermon**

*Back to the Brickyard*

Rev. Bill Davis

*Responding to the Word*

**\*Hymn #419** How Clear is Our Vocation, Lord

**\*Affirmation of Faith** Apostles’ Creed (Traditional) Top of p. 14 in hymnal

**Prayers of the People and the Lord’s Prayer**

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors; and lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory, forever. Amen.

**Offering**

Invitation to Give

Offertory

\*Doxology (Hymn #592)

\*Prayer of Thanksgiving

**\*Closing Hymn #536** Lord, Make Us More Holy

**\*Charge and Benediction**

**\*Benediction Response** Go, My Children, with My Blessing (verse 1)

Text: Jaroslave J. Vajda Tune: Welsh melody (All Through the Night)

“Go, my children, with my blessing, never alone.

Waking, sleeping, I am with you, you are my own.

In my love’s baptismal river I have made you mine forever.

Go, my children, with my blessing, you are my own.”

**Postlude**

\*Those who are able please stand

*Please join us downstairs following worship for coffee/punch, light refreshments and fellowship.*

Visit us on on-line to learn more about upcoming worship and fellowship events at [thegoodshepherd.org](http://thegoodshepherd.org).

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**PASTOR:** Rev. Bill Davis

**DIRECTOR OF MUSIC:** Becky Carlisle

**LAY READER:** Norm Rasmussen

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## CALENDAR

**NOTE:** Barb Mitchell will be out of the office thru Wed., Aug. 19.

<b>TODAY</b>	Adult Class (downstairs)	10:15 a.m.
<b>MONDAY</b>	Bell Choir Organizational Meeting (Sanctuary)	7:00 p.m.
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>Food Bank Closed – Office Closed 10:00 a.m. - noon</b> Graveside Service for Dick Schwartz at Crown Hill Luncheon to follow at VFW (10217 Quivas)	11:00 a.m.
<b>SATURDAY</b>	Summer Sabbath Worship (SH) (Bring picnic dinner for your family)	Dinner – 5:00 p.m. Worship – 6:00 p.m.
<b>NEXT SUNDAY</b>	<b>NO Worship</b> Adult Sunday School Class (downstairs)	10:15 a.m.

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

B<sup>3</sup> at Perry's Pizza (100 E. 120<sup>th</sup> Ave) – Mon., Aug. 24 – 5:46 p.m.  
Regular Worship Hour of 10 a.m. returns on Sunday, Sept. 6  
Mission BBQ (SH) – Saturday, Sept. 12 – 5:00 p.m.

**Bill can be reached on the church office phone at 303-452-5478 or on his church cell phone at 720-626-6428. His e-mail is bill@thegoodshepherd.org.**

## ***THE WEEKLY NEWS***

*August 16, 2015*



**WELCOME** friends, new and old! May God's presence bring warmth, enlightenment and joy as we worship together.

A nursery is available downstairs for children ages birth to age 5.

The flowers this morning are in celebration of **Jillian Hammack's** 12<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**LARGE PRINT BULLETINS** are available in the Narthex. Bulletins and newsletters are also available on the website.

**THE AUGUST ISSUE OF THE SHEPHERD'S CROOK** is available on your e-mail and on the website (thegoodshepherd.org). For those without internet access, copies are available in the Narthex.

**FROM LOUISE SCHWARTZ:** A graveside service will be held on Friday, August 21 at 11:00 a.m. (meet in the parking lot on the west side of the mortuary at 10:35 a.m.), at Olinger Crown Hill Cemetery, W. 29<sup>th</sup> & Wadsworth, in celebration of Dick's life. Please wear Broncos colors. The family wishes to extend an invitation to you all for a luncheon at the V.F.W., 10217 Quivas, following the service. Please RSVP for the luncheon to Louise at 303-466-3043.

*I wish to extend my appreciation to all of my friends at the time of my loss. Your sympathy, prayers and cards have been a great help to me. All of your kindness will always be remembered. God Bless you all. Love, Louise.*

**YOU WANNA BE A DING-A-LING?** Now is your chance! GSPC is going to start up the Bell Choir again with plans to play in church on Nov. 22. There will be an organizational meeting for all those interested in being an active member and for those who would like to be a substitute ding-a-linger. The meeting is on Monday, August 17 at 7:00 p.m. in our sanctuary. If you are interested in being a ringer or a substitute ringer, but cannot attend this meeting, please contact Dee Warner (303-349-2309) or Harley Brown (303-452-4743) to let us know of your interest. The Bell Choir will meet for rehearsals on Monday evenings, beginning September 14, at 7:00 p.m.

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**FROM THE MISSION WORKGROUP:**

- We have received a thank you from **Zimbabwe Mission Partnership** for full payment of our 2015 budgeted amount of \$1,000 and also for the monies raised by our 2 riders in the Elephant Rock Bike Ride in June.
- The Mission Work Group is recruiting volunteers to spend Sat., Sept 19 at Highlands Camp helping with the annual **Fall Work Day**. Hopefully, we can form a car pool of several folks from Good Shepherd. Please contact Pastor Bill or Mary McCarron if you have questions or want to volunteer.
- **The Annual Mission BBQ** will take place on Sat., Sept. 12 from 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. in Shepherds' Hall. Tickets for the BBQ dinner, \$12.00 per adult and \$5.00 per child (ages 6-12), will be available before worship on Sat., Aug. 22 and Sundays Aug. 30 and Sept. 6. There will be Western music provided by Marsha and Fred and both a Silent and Live Auction! Proceeds will be divided equally between our Food Bank, Highlands Camp and the ZMP. Bake sale items are welcome. To donate items for the auctions or to discuss possible creative "experience" ideas, please contact Jan Myers. Please plan to attend this fun evening of good food, good music and lots of fellowship!!

**A HUGE THANK YOU GOES OUT TO BOB & BARBARA SWANSON** for their help in securing a new freezer for the Food Bank and for their time and effort in defrosting and cleaning all four of the smaller freezers in the Food Bank. You are appreciated!!

**THE 2015-2016 HORIZONS BIBLE STUDY** books for the Sometime Circle members are available now from Marion Hubner for \$8/each. All women of Good Shepherd are invited to come to the Sometime Circle meetings on the third Thursday of each month (September thru May) at 1 pm in Fellowship Hall.

**FROM DENVER PRESBYTERY** The words “local” and “global” are too easily separated. But in weeks to come the Presbytery of Denver will show that they belong together. What is here and now is infused with the sounds, sights, tastes and learnings of sisters and brothers around the globe. The commitments of churches here touch needs in other countries and then bring us the gift of joy. On August 30 at 1:30 p.m. all who “have a heart for Zimbabwe” are invited to come together for a picnic at Shepherd of the Hills Church to mark the Tenth Anniversary of our Presbyteries partnership with Zimbabwe Presbytery. “Salsa for the Soul” on September 12 from 10:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. will share theology from a Latino perspective, hear the teaching of Dr. Miguel De La Torre of Iliff School of Theology and allow all to learn how to make perfect salsa and tacquitos. It, too, takes place at Shepherd of the Hills Church. You can register for both of these events at [www.denpres.org/events](http://www.denpres.org/events). Of course, mission commitments of more than half of Presbytery congregations reach out to people across Africa, in Ghana, Malawi as well as Zimbabwe through five mission partnerships. In Guatemala the needs for clean water and new life have shaped the work of the Guatemala Mission Partnership. You can learn more about these mission partnerships at [www.denverpres.org/peopleandteams/missionandministry](http://www.denverpres.org/peopleandteams/missionandministry). In weeks to come there

also will be a chance to visit an art park dedicated to Zimbabwean sculpture, a book study of **Zenzele** by a Zimbabwean author (September 29) and an event on human trafficking sponsored by the Presbytery’s Mission and Ministry Work Group (October 3). Watch for these and more ways *local and global* become one experience for us.

**“In Christ there is East or West, North or South .... But one great fellowship!”**

**ITEMS NEEDED FOR THE FOOD BANK FOR AUGUST:** Peanut butter, canned tuna, mac & cheese and bar soap. Please place items in the bench in the Narthex or bring to the Food Bank. Thank you! During July the Food Bank gave out 159 orders to 122 households serving 406 people, including 148 children. Thank you for your continued support for this important mission.

**IF YOU WOULD LIKE A COPY OF YOUR CHURCH GIVING STATEMENT THROUGH JULY,** please contact Noel or Joyce Matthews.

**WOMEN ARE INVITED TO THE YEARLY PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN BIBLE STUDY SEMINAR** on Saturday, August 22, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. to learn more about the 2015-2016 HORIZONS Bible Study. This year's study is *Come to the Waters*, a look at the role that water plays in the Bible from creation to the parting of the Red Sea to baptism. Pastor Bill Sanders will present the workshop at Arvada Presbyterian Church, 5592 Independence St. Cost for the program and lunch is \$10. RSVP to Starr Hildebrand, 303-420-4186 or Linda Newman, 303-469-4637 by Wednesday, August 19, 5 p.m.

**Flock Notes**

**Birthdays August 17 to August 29**

Aug. 17	Robert Kountz	Aug. 28	Pat McCune
Aug. 20	Jillian Hammack	Aug. 29	Bill Keck
	Erick Hartman		Maureen Vail
Aug. 23	Louise Schwartz		

**Here’s What’s Happening**---Please keep in your thoughts and prayers---**Barbara Swanson and Family** on the recent death of her father, **John Boardman**---**Tom McConnell’s mother**, recovering from a fall---Bob Mitchell’s mother, **Margree**, in hospice care in Ft. Worth, Texas---**Jerry & Jacque Noland**, as Jerry continues his struggle with health issues---All those fighting cancer: **Arden Cronn, Carrie Boardman, Daniel Leieritz, Lori Boesl, Sue Coleman, Tom McConnell, Betty Casady, Donna Cadwallader**---Each week we include a request for prayers for one of our church’s mission projects: This week pray for clients & volunteers of our **Food Bank**---Let us know what’s happening....drop off your news in the Church Office or call/e-mail it to us.

**GINGERSNAP** A hug is a gift---one size fits all.