

- *Closing Hymn 422 God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending
- *Charge and Benediction
- *Benediction Response

Send Me, Jesus 746
Thuma mina

Leader All

Thu - ma mi - na. Thu - ma mi - na, thu - ma mi - na. Thu - ma
Send me, Lord. 1 Send me, Je - sus; send me, Je - sus; send me,
(2 Lead me,) Je - sus; lead me, Je - sus; lead me,
(3 Fill me,) Je - sus; fill me, Je - sus; fill me,

Repeat ad lib. End

2 Lead me, Lord.
3 Fill me, Lord.

mi - na, So - man - dla.
Je - sus; send me, Lord. 2 Lead me,
Je - sus; lead me, Lord. 3 Fill me,
Je - sus; fill me, Lord.

Because such a sending song has a place in many Christian traditions, several versions of both this text (based on Isaiah 6:8) and tune can be found throughout South Africa. When desired, additional English stanzas can be improvised in alternation with the original Zulu text.

TEXT: South African; English trans. *Freedom Is Coming*, 1984
MUSIC: South African; arr. *Freedom Is Coming*, 1984
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4.4.4.3

***Postlude**

Please join us downstairs in Fellowship Hall for coffee, light refreshments and fellowship following worship.

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LAY READER: Becki McConnell

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC: Becky Carlisle



Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church
Northglenn, Colorado
A Service of Word
October 23, 2016 10:00 a.m.

Gathering Music

Chiming 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; bring them to the Communion Table during the Passing the Peace.

Moment for Stewardship

Gathering Around the Word

Prelude

***Lighting of the Christ Candle and Morning Prayer**

***Call to Worship**

- One: Let us gather in God's house, as God's people.
- All: Your house is not made with hands, O Lord, but of your faithful children.**
- One: Let us gather in God's house, as God's people.
- All: God's house is a second home, where we come to know and be known by the One who loves us.**
- One: Let us gather in God's house, as God's people.
- All: For in this house we worship and wonder together at God's grace and mercy.**
- One: Let us worship God together.

***Opening Hymn 476 O Worship the King**

***Call to Prayer**

***Prayer of Adoration and Praise (Unison)**

- One: Living God,
- All: in days gone by stories were created and shared that told of your journeying with a chosen people -- a people who for generations walked**

a troubled path and longed for something different. You were a presence in this story, recognized as the source of all that was good and the focal point of hope in times of trouble. Your people trusted you. Today we recognize that you are the God who should not and cannot be limited to just a building. You are not a God who has interest in, and only compassion for, a particular people. Rather, you have enough love and mercy for all of us, so we give you thanks and praise. As we pray in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Brother. Amen.

*Passing of the Peace

Hearing the Word

Prayer of Illumination (sung)

*Listen to the word that God has spoken,
listen to the One who is close at hand;
listen to the voice that began creation;
listen even if you don't understand.*

Scripture Reading

2 Samuel 7:1-17

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

Pastor Bill

*(Following Children's Time, children are invited to come to the craft table for the sermon time,
returning to their families during the hymn following the sermon.)*

Anthem

Choir

Sermon

Rev. Bill Davis

Responding to the Word

*Hymn 319 Spirit

*Affirmation of Faith from the Iona Community

One: Let us affirm our faith together –

**All: We believe that God is present
In the darkness before dawn;
In the waiting and uncertainty**

Where fear and courage join hands,
Conflict and caring link arms,
And the sun rises over barbed wire.
We believe in a with-us God
Who sits down in our midst
To share our humanity.
We affirm a faith
That takes us beyond the safe place:
Into action, into vulnerability
And into the streets.
We commit ourselves to work for change
And put ourselves on the line;
To bear responsibility, take risks,
Live powerfully and face humiliation;
To stand with those on the edge;
To choose life
And be used by the spirit
For God's new community of hope.
Amen.

Welcoming of New Members

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

Call for the Offering

Offertory

*Sung Response 592 Doxology

*Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.*

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

CALENDAR

TODAY	Special Session Meeting Pumpkin Party (SH) – see insert for details Shepherds’ Hall Rental Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall Rental NO Evening Youth Group	9:30 a.m. 3:30 p.m. 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
TUESDAY	Church Women United (FH) Outreach Committee (Pastor’s Office)	9:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. 10:30 a.m.
WEDNESDAY	Bible Study	3:30 p.m.
THURSDAY	Children’s Worship Planning (Pastor’s Office)	10:30 a.m.
FRIDAY	Highland Camp Development Committee (FH) Fellowship Hall Rental Shepherds’ Hall Rental	10:00 a.m. - noon 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. 7:00 – 9:00 p.m.
SATURDAY	Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall Rental (Presbytery) Shepherds’ Hall Rental (SDA) Growing Home (Hosted by Youth Group) Youth go to Corn Maze (after Growing Home dinner)	9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. 5:00 p.m.
NEXT SUNDAY	Choir Rehearsal Worship & Music Workgroup (Library) Shepherds’ Hall Rental (Tice) Sanctuary and Fellowship Hall Rental NO Youth Group	8:30 a.m. 11:15 a.m. 8:30 – 11:30 a.m. 1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Pledge Dedication Sunday – Nov. 6
- Daylight Savings Time Ends – Sun., Nov. 6
- 1st Community Dinner (sponsored by Outreach) – Wed., Nov. 9 – 6:00 p.m.
- Youth Sunday – Nov. 20
- “Hanging of the Greens” & Chili Lunch – Sun., Nov. 20 – after worship

Visit us on on-line at thegoodshepherd.org for more information on upcoming events.
Bill can be reached on the church office phone at 303-452-5478 or on his cell phone at 720-378-2025. His e-mail is bill@thegoodshepherd.org.

THE WEEKLY NEWS
October 23, 2016



***WELCOME** friends, new and old! May God’s presence bring warmth, enlightenment and joy as we worship together. We invite everyone to join us downstairs following worship for coffee/punch, light refreshments and a time of fellowship.*

A nursery is provided downstairs for children ages birth to 5 years.

*The flowers this morning are in celebration of **Wendy Tyburczy’s** birthday.*

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS are available in the Narthex.

AT A SPECIAL CALLED MEETING OF THE CONGREGATION ON OCTOBER 16TH, Good Shepherd voted unanimously to call Rev. Bill Davis as its next installed pastor. This came as a recommendation of the Discernment Team. There are two final steps that will make the installation official - a vote by Presbytery on Tuesday evening, and then a special installation service. Stay tuned for the date of this service as we celebrate the important change in relationship from temporary to installed pastor between Bill and the congregation.

THE SHEPHERD’S CROOK will be published quarterly instead of monthly beginning in November. The publication dates will now be November 15, February 15, May 15 and August 15. Deadlines for information to be included will be the 5th day of each of those months. The website is updated weekly with all upcoming events and information. Pastor Bill’s “Good Stuff at Good Shepherd” weekly e-mail also includes all current event information. And for those without e-mail or internet access, the Weekly News in the bulletin will keep you informed.

FROM THE MISSION WORKGROUP GSPC had 7 Walkers in the CROP Hunger Walk on Sat., Oct. 8: Dan Duncan, Mary Kennedy, Carissa Mendez, Melina Mendez, Bob Mitchell, Lisa Morrow and Mary McCarron. These walkers raised over \$700! Thanks to everyone who supported them with donations! The CENTS-ABILITY offering on Oct. 2 was \$79.50. This offering, taken the first Sunday each month, supports the Presbyterian Hunger Program and our own food bank. If you forgot to contribute to the church-wide Peace and Global Witness offering on Oct. 2 you may still do so anytime this month. "At God's table peace is possible", the theme for this year's offering, reminds us that God continues to care for His people and desires peace for them. Please remember that 25% of this offering stays with each congregation for local peacemaking efforts. This year that

portion will be given to the Outreach Committee for their work with the schools across the street. Thank you for your ongoing support and prayers for peace!

ADVENT DEVOTIONAL BOOK Thank you for sharing a Christmas Carol for the Advent Devotional Book! Our hymnal has information on some of the carols which could help you in writing your 200 words. Please tell us why you chose this carol and/or how it makes you feel. In addition, please include a Bible verse for the carol and a short prayer. One Internet site with histories of carols is: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List_of_Christmas_carols Twelve more carols are needed to finish the book. To share your favorite carol, please email me to choose one; then all of you may email your devotional to me at dancingjoan@comcast.net or bring it to me on Sunday, Oct 23rd. Good luck. ---Joan Moore

CHURCH INFORMATION SHEET If you have not filled out a Church Information Sheet in the past few weeks, there are some on the shelf in the Narthex. Please fill one out so that we can update our records. Thank you!

THE OUTREACH COMMITTEE We are planning quarterly Community dinners, “Dinner for a Dollar”, with the first one (a spaghetti dinner) planned for November 9, 6:00 p.m. in Shepherds’ Hall. **In the Narthex are flyers for the Community Dinner---feel free to take a few and pass them out to your neighbors! We would appreciate RSVPs from church members if you are planning on coming to the dinner. Please call the Church Office to RSVP.**

ITEMS NEEDED FOR THE FOOD BANK FOR OCTOBER: toilet paper, canned soups, and peanut butter. Please place items in the bench in the Narthex or bring to the Food Bank. During September the Food Bank gave out 164 orders to 130 households, serving 471 clients, including 203 children.

DENVER PRESBYTERY ASSEMBLY meets Tuesday, October 25th. Creative worship that grounds us again in the greatness of our faith tradition, decisions that affect the whole church, the election of a new treasurer, new insights about the growth in the Presbytery, a celebration of our dynamic diversity, an open conversation about the future of the Presbytery property, and new directions in the preparation of candidates for the ministry are all part of the next Assembly. Join, too, the pre-assembly conversation at 3:00 p.m. around “Mental Health First Aid.” Dinner will be served at 5:00 p.m. and the meeting will convene at 6:00 p.m. All are welcome to attend any or all of this great gathering of Presbyterians at the Green Mountain Presbyterian Church in Lakewood.

A BIG THANK YOU goes out to Jerry Wetsel and her daughter Cathy for the beautiful GSPC History books in celebration of our upcoming 50th anniversary! Get your copy in the Narthex!

FROM PRESBYTERIAN DISASTER ASSISTANCE Hurricane Matthew has caused death and destruction across the Caribbean and southeastern United States, including more than 800 dead,

thousands injured, and the destruction of communities and crops, especially in Haiti. In Haiti, PDA is leveraging long-standing church partnerships to assess damage and to develop long-term disaster recovery and rebuilding strategies. Throughout the southeastern United States, PDA has reached out to pastors and presbytery leaders in areas impacted by the storm. Extensive flooding and storm surges throughout the region have damaged many homes and churches. National Response Team members are mobilizing to visit affected presbyteries and to support local development of disaster response and recovery plans. In the coming weeks, PDA will begin deploying teams into as many as seven presbyteries and providing assistance to congregations mucking out as the waters recede. **The needs for the response are great. God’s people are once again called on to stand in the “GAP”—Give. Act. Pray.** Financial support for relief efforts can be designated for Hurricane Matthew by giving to DR000193. Gifts can be made online, by phone at (800) 872-3283, or by check, which can be mailed to: **Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), P.O. Box 643700, Pittsburgh, PA 15264-3700.**

Flock Notes

Birthdays October 23 to November 1

Oct. 23	Norm Rasmussen	Oct. 28	Patty Steward
	Wendy Tyburczy	Oct. 29	Bill Hoffman
Oct. 27	Emily Brizzolara-Dove	Nov. 1	Mary Cooksey

Here’s What’s Happening---Please keep in your thoughts and prayers---**Jimmy Martinez**, on the death last week of his sister **Carolyn**---**Paul Coleman**, recovering from eye surgery---**Myrna Criswell**, recovering after a long hospitalization---**Austin Mander**, 2-month old grandson of Marsha Morton, having concerning medical problems---**Sidney Schneider**, recovering from recent surgery and facing another procedure in the near future---**Jerry & Jacque Noland**, as Jerry continues his struggle with health issues---All those fighting cancer: **Becky Carlisle, Sue Coleman, Clifford Edler, Conerd F., Dorothy Novack, Tom McConnell, Christopher Utterback**---Continue to pray for our **military men & women and our first responders**---Each week we include a request for prayers for one of our church’s mission projects: This week pray for clients and volunteers of **Growing Home**---As a member of Denver Presbytery, let us pray for **Green Mountain Presbyterian Church; Mkoba Presbyterian Church in Zimbabwe; and the Presbytery Assembly, meeting at Green Mountain Presbyterian Church on Tues., Oct. 25**---Let us know what’s happening....drop off your news in the Church Office or call/e-mail it to us.

GINGERSNAP: Simple pleasures are life’s greatest treasures.