

One: He was lashed with tongues and scourged with thongs,
All: by his wounds, we are healed.
One: He was nailed to the cross by human hands,
All: bone of our bone, flesh of our flesh.

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** Take, O Take Me As I Am

Ostinato Refrain

Take, O take me as I am; sum - mon out what I shall

be; set your seal up-on my heart and live in me.

*Prayer of Dedication

***Hymn 446** Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

*Charge and Benediction

***Benediction Response** Come! Live in the Light! (chorus)

We are called to act with justice; we are called to love tenderly;

We are called to serve one another, to walk humbly with God.

*Postlude

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Please join us downstairs following worship for refreshments and fellowship.

PASTOR: Rev. Bill Davis

CENTUS COUNSELOR: Georgia Angelo

GUEST PIANIST: Ivy Lee

LAY READER: Joan Moore



Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church

Northglenn, Colorado

A Service of Word and Prayer

February 25, 2018 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 Mission

School Fees for Children in Zimbabwe

Gathering Around the Word

Prelude

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

***Call to Worship**

O come, let us worship and bow down;
let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker.
The hour is coming and is now here.
In spirit and truth, let us worship God.

***Opening Hymn 2025** All Who Hunger

***Call to Prayer**

***Prayer of Adoration and Confession**

Holy Living Water,
we gather and we chatter;
we gather and we share;
we gather and we drink together.

Today as we gather
we are amazed that you thirsted
just as we thirst;
you needed companions,
just as we need companions.

Help us not to be amazed at these simple things:
water and words.
For water and words
are what brought holiness to life.

**Living Water.
Living Word.
Jesus: the carpenter and the Messiah
all rolled into One.**

**We are awed by Water and Word
and yet, even as we are awed,
we also find we need to seek
forgiveness and wholeness.
For we take them for granted.**

**Forgive us, when we are careless with our words.
Forgive us, when we squander the water.
Forgive us, when we forget
that it was though God's unlimited love
that the Word joined us
and the Water brought us life.
Forgive us for forgetting
that it is through the Water and Word
that we have everything good.**

**Living Word,
Living Water,
we bring ourselves to you
with gratitude and hope. Amen.**

***Sung Response He Came Down**

He came down that we may have love; he
came down that we may have love; he came down that we may
have love; hal-le-lu-jah for-ev-er-more.

Leader: Why did he come?

***Passing of the Peace**

Hearing the Word

Prayer of Illumination

Scripture Reading John 4:1-42 (pp. 864-865)

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.

Anthem

Time with the Children

Bill Davis

Sung Response I Love to Tell the Story (refrain)

Refrain
I love to tell the sto-ry; 'twill be my theme in glo-ry, to
tell the old, old sto-ry of Je-sus and his love.

Sermon

Rev. Bill Davis

Responding to the Word

***Hymn** For All the Faithful Women (on insert)

***Affirmation of Faith** from the Iona Community

One: When the world could wait no longer,
Women: the carpenters took up their tools;
Men: God's son was made a cross,
Women: fashioned from wood and skill of human hands,
Men: fashioned from hate and will of human minds.

One: He was a man of sorrows and acquainted with grief;
All: for us he grieved.
One: He was summoned to the judgment hall;
an enemy of the state, a danger to religion.
All: For us he was judged.

CALENDAR

TODAY	2nd Sunday in Lent Youth Group	6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
MONDAY	Scouts	6:00 – 7:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	NO Bible Study Choir	7:00 p.m.
THURSDAY	Children in Worship Meeting	10:30 a.m.
FRIDAY	Highlands Camp Meeting (Sanctuary)	10:00 a.m.
SATURDAY	Jan Myers' Pastel Workshop (Fellowship Hall)	9:00 a.m. - noon
NEXT SUNDAY	NO Youth Group	

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Daylight saving time begins – Sunday, March 11
 Pub Theology – Old Chicago (102nd & Grant) – Monday, March 12 – 5:30 p.m.

Visit us on on-line at thegoodshepherd.org for more information on upcoming events.

Pastor 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 CHURCH

324 For All the Faithful Women

Capo 3: (C) (Am7) (F) (G) (C)
 E^b Cm7 A^b B^b E^b

1 For all the faith - ful wom - en who served in
 2 We praise your name for Mir - iam, who sang tri -
 3 We sing of bus - y Mar - tha, who toiled with
 4 Lord, hear our praise of Dor - cas, who served the

(G) (C) (Am7) (Dm) (G)
 B^b E^b Cm7 Fm B^b

days of old, to you shall thanks be giv - en; to
 um - phant - ly while Pha - raoh's vaunt - ed ar - my lay
 pot and pan while Mar - y sat in si - lence to
 sick and poor. Her hands were cups of kind - ness, her

(C) (G7) (C) (Am)
 E^b B^b7 E^b Cm

all, their sto - ry told. They served with strength and
 drowned be - neath the sea; for Ruth, who left her
 hear the word a - gain. We praise the oth - er
 heart an o - pen door. O God, for saints and

(D) (G) (F) (G) (C)
 F B^b A^b B^b E^b

glad - ness in tasks your wis - dom gave. To you their
 home - land and ven - tured forth in faith, who pledged to
 Mar - y, who has - tened to the tomb and found her
 ser - vants, our fer - vent prayer we raise, that, faith - ful

(Am7) (F) (G) (C) (Dm) (G) (C)
 Cm7 A^b B^b E^b Fm B^b E^b

lives bore wit - ness, pro - claimed your power to save.
 serve and wor - ship Na - o - mi's God till death.
 Lord a - ris - en, dis - pel - ling doubt and gloom.
 in your ser - vice, our lives may sing your praise.

Guitar chords do not correspond with keyboard harmony.

Created to honor the tenth anniversary of the first ordination of a woman in the Lutheran Church in America, this text celebrates representative women of the Bible: Miriam and Ruth from Hebrew Scripture, Mary, Martha, and Mary Magdalene from the gospels, and Dorcas from Acts.

THE WEEKLY NEWS

February 25, 2018



WELCOME friends, new and old! May God's presence bring warmth, enlightenment and joy as we worship together. Please join us downstairs following worship for refreshments and fellowship.

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

The flowers this morning are given by **Sue Holland** in memory of **Bobbi McIntosh and Leola Holmes**.

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS are available in the Narthex.

OFFERING ENVELOPES are available in the Narthex for those who indicated they would like to have them. Contact Joyce Matthews or Barb in the Church Office if you have changed your mind and would like to have them as there are extras available.

THE FEBRUARY-MARCH ISSUE OF THE SHEPHERD'S CROOK is available on your email and on the web site. For those without internet access, there are hard copies of the newsletter in the Narthex.

THE FLOWER CHART FOR 2018 is now up in the Narthex. Sign up for your Sunday to commemorate a special day, a special person, etc. There are lots of open dates available! Arrangements are \$20.00 each.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR THE FOOD BANK FOR FEBRUARY: Canned soup or chili, bar soap, and toilet paper. Please place items in the bench in the Narthex or bring to the Food Bank. During January the Food Bank gave out 116 orders to 89 households, serving 300 clients, including 114 children.



BLESSING BAGS Please join GSPC Youth Group to collect socks, toothbrushes, toothpaste, mini bars of soap, mini shampoo and mini lotion bottles, chapstick, small packages of Kleenex, gallon size zip loc bags for our Blessing Bags located in the Narthex. Youth Group will be collecting these items from now thru May to assemble Blessing Bags (gallon size zip loc bags) for adults & children who need our help from our GSPC Food Bank. Please help us fill up our Blessing Bags to assist those in need. Please place your donated items in the bins below!

Tip: Make a *Blessing Bag* at home and keep it in your car to hand out to someone in need that you see!

SCHOOL FEES FOR CHILDREN IN ZIMBABWE Please see the insert in today's bulletin regarding our annual fundraiser for children at the HCOC. The budget provided by the Zimbabwe Mission Partnership now covers 2 meals per day for over 900 orphans/vulnerable children. But it does not cover the required school fees. Thank you for considering to help with this deficit again this year. Copies of the ZMP Annual Report for 2017 are available on the table in the Narthex. Please help yourself.

LOOKING TO BE INVOLVED IN HIGHLANDS SUMMER CAMPS THIS SUMMER? Here's how you can help: Serve as a Volunteer Director or Nurse, send a child to camp on a scholarship, support your Youth Group as they participate in Mission Work Camp, or donate supplies for mission projects and crafts! Let Summer Camp Director know how you would like to be involved at registrar@highlandscamp.org.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY DINNER Strasburg Presbyterian Church is holding their annual St. Patrick's Day Dinner on Saturday, March 17, 2018 from 5:30 – 7:00 p.m. Their address is 56635 Iowa St in Strasburg. Enjoy delicious corned beef and cabbage, homemade soda bread, a baked potato bar and dessert, all for \$10 for adults and \$5 for children. All proceeds benefit the Zimbabwe Mission Project. For reservations and tickets, call Strasburg Presbyterian Church at 303-622-4325.

WOMEN'S RETREAT MAY 4-6 "What NOT to Wear", A Make-Over Retreat for your Spirit, will be held at the Franciscan Retreat Center in Colorado Springs. Do you have clothes in your closet you haven't worn in years, but just can't let go? Do you have outfits that make you feel spectacular and others that make you feel dumpy? It's the same way with life. The attitude you choose to "wear" every day will affect how you feel, how you interact with others, and how well your day goes. We are going to get busy and clean some closets together with the goal of fully engaging in and appreciating every day. Join us for this wonderful women's weekend led by Rev. Barb Lefevre Lyons. Register early! More information is available at denpres.org/events or Sharon Blackstock at dwrightandsharon@msn.com. You deserve a weekend for you!

THE CITY OF NORTHGLENN IS ORGANIZING THE FARMERS HIGHLINE CANAL AND GREENWAY TRAIL CLEAN UP on Saturday, March 17, and we are looking for volunteers. Many volunteers of all ages are needed. Registration is through the Northglenn Recreation Center, 303-450-8800, Code #10118001-01. This is definitely a great way to get involved and help care for our environment. We are also soliciting volunteers for crew leaders that would be willing to lead a group of 8-10 volunteers. Crew leaders will receive training at 8:00 a.m. on March 17 at City Hall, Council Chambers. Thank you in advance for your support. We hope to see you on March 17.

Flock Notes

Birthdays: February 28 to March 2

Feb. 28	Art Myers	Mar. 2	Marion Hubner
Mar. 1	Dora Lee Shay		

Here's What's Happening----Please keep in your thoughts and prayers----**Carol Topp, Sue Coleman** and **Bill Anderson**, recovering from recent surgeries----**Wally Hill**, recovering from a stroke----David Blount's mother, **Dorothy**----**Gunnar West**, nephew of Diana Croissant, hospitalized and facing many challenges----All those fighting cancer: **David Blount, Becky Carlisle, Sue Coleman, Colleen Eastman, Conerd F., Debby Ghittini, Linda Kopp, Tom McConnell, Marsha Morton, Norman McCormick, 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 the **volunteers and clients of our Food Bank** ----As a member of Denver Presbytery, let us pray for: **Providence Presbyterian Church; Mutoko Presbyterian Church in Zimbabwe; and the Committee on Preparation for Ministry** --Let us know what's happening....drop off your news in the Church Office or call/e-mail it to us.

GINGERSNAP: May the hand of a friend always be near you.