

...Hear us as we now declare the mystery that is our faith:

**Christ has died,
Christ is risen,
Christ will come again.**

...we are bold to pray the prayer taught to us by Jesus.

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.

**Breaking of the Bread
Distribution of Elements
Prayer After Communion**

Offering

Our Shared Life in the Community and the World
Minute for Mission Peace & Global Witness Offering

Call for the Offering

Offertory

***Sung Response 692** Spirit, Open My Heart

*Spirit, open my heart to the joy and pain of living.
As you love may I love, in receiving and in giving.
Spirit, open my heart.*

***Prayer of Dedication**

***Closing Hymn 547** Go, My Children, with My Blessing

***Charge and Benediction**

***Benediction Response 748** Go With Us, Lord

*Go with us, Lord, and guide the way Through this and every coming day,
That in Your Spirit strong and true Our lives may be our gift to You.*

***Postlude**

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Please join us downstairs following worship for refreshments and fellowship.*

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Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church
Northglenn, Colorado
A Service of Word and Table
October 7, 2018 10:00 a.m.

Gathering Music

Welcome and Prayer Sharing

We are glad you are worshiping with us today! If you are visiting, we would appreciate you filling out the information card found in the pew rack. Please place it in the offering plate. Parts in **bold** are for everyone to speak in unison.

Gathering Around the Word

Prelude

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

***Call to Worship**

We have come together to praise God from whom all blessings flow.

The firmament, the covering of earth and seas, is the roof of our sanctuary.

And so, we dwell in the house of God all the days of our lives as one people.

We will sing songs of praise and give thanks for God's steadfast hope in us.

Who today will bless God for God's surpassing greatness?

Let everything that breathes worship and praise God!

***Opening Hymn 630**

Fairest Lord Jesus

Dedication of Glory to God Hymnals

On Insert

***Sung Response 582**

Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me

Musical score for 'Glory to God, Whose Goodness Shines on Me' with guitar chords and lyrics. The score is in 12/8 time and includes lyrics such as '1 Glo - ry to God, whose good - ness shines on me, 2 World with - out end, with - out end. A - men.' and 'and to the Son, whose grace has par - doned me, World with - out end, with - out end. A - men.' and 'and to the Spir - it, whose love has set me free. World with - out end, with - out end. A - men.' and 'As it was in the be - gin - ning, is now and ev - er shall be. A - men.'

***Passing of the Peace**

The peace of Christ be with you.
And also with you.

Hearing the Word

Prayer of Illumination

Sung Response

The Word of God is Like a Lamp vs. 1

*The word of God is like a lamp which scatters light around,
revealing truth, rekindling youth, defining holy ground.*

Old Testament Reading

Genesis 2:18-24 (p. 2)

For the Word of God in scripture,
For the Word of God among us,
For the Word of God within us,
Thanks be to God.

Anthem

“Cornerstone” (Arr. Heather Sorensen)

Choir

Time With the Children

Bill Davis

*Children in grades K thru 5 are invited to go downstairs for
Sunday School following the Time with the Children.*

Sung Response

The Word of God is Like a Lamp vs. 4

*So let us praise our gracious God who gave the world this word;
and let our minds be sealed and signed by Jesus Christ, our Lord.*

Gospel Reading

Mark 10:2-16 (p. 822)

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon

Singing and Celebrating a Global Kingdom and the Global Church

Rev. Bill Davis

Responding to the Word

***Hymn 761**

Called as Partners in Christ’s Service

***Affirmation of Faith** The Immigrants’ Creed

**I believe in Almighty God, who guided the people in exile and in exodus,
the God of Joseph in Egypt and Daniel in Babylon,
the God of foreigners and immigrants.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ, a displaced Galilean,
who was born away from his people and his home,
who fled his country with his parents when his life was in danger,
and returning to his own country suffered the oppression
of the tyrant Pontius Pilate, the servant of a foreign power,
who then was persecuted, beaten, and finally tortured,
accused and condemned to death unjustly.
But on the third day, this scorned Jesus rose from the dead,
not as a foreigner but to offer us citizenship in heaven.**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, the eternal immigrant from God’s kingdom among us,
who speaks all languages, lives in all countries, and reunites all races.**

**I believe that the church is the secure home for the foreigner and for all believers who
constitute it, who speak the same language and have the same purpose.
I believe that the communion of the saints begins when we accept
the diversity of the saints.**

**I believe in the forgiveness of sin, which makes us all equal, and in reconciliation,
which identifies us more than does race, language, or nationality.**

**I believe that in the resurrection God will unite us as one people
in which all are distinct and all are alike at the same time.**

**Beyond this world, I believe in life eternal in which no one will be an immigrant
but all will be citizens of God’s kingdom, which will never end. Amen.**

Communion

Invitation

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

One: The Lord be with you!

All: And also with you!

One: Lift up your hearts.

All: We lift them to the Lord.

One: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give our thanks and praise.

...With the ancestors, on this World Communion Sunday your people cry out:

**Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of
your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is the one who comes in the name
of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.**

CALENDAR

TODAY	World Communion Sunday – Peace & Global Witness Offering Received Fellowship Hall Rental	1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
MONDAY	Outreach/Mission Workgroup Pub Theology (Old Chicago – 102 nd & Grant) Scouts (FH)	10:30 a.m. 5:30 p.m. 6:00 – 7:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY	Bible Study (Fellowship Hall) Choir	3:00 p.m. 7:00 p.m.
FRIDAY	Food Bank Board Meeting (FH)	1:00 p.m.
SATURDAY	CROP Walk (FH)	Registration at 8:30 a.m.
NEXT SUNDAY	Adult Sunday School Fellowship Hall Rental Youth Group	8:30 a.m. 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. 6:30 – 8:00 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Session – Tues., Oct. 16 – 6:30 p.m.
Sometime Circle – Thurs., Oct. 18 – 12:40 p.m. – IHOP
Daylight Savings Time Ends – Sunday, Nov. 4 – turn clocks back an hour on Sat. night
Election Day – Tuesday, Nov. 6
Highlands Leadership Retreat – Friday & Saturday, Nov. 9 & 10

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

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Network: GSPC – Guest
Password: JesusWeptLent18

Dedication of Glory to God Hymnals

Responsive Litany:

O sing to the Lord a new song, for God has done marvelous things.

**Let the heavens rejoice, let the earth be glad;
let the sea resound, and all that is in it.**

Let the fields be jubilant, let the rivers clap their hands,
let the forests and the mountains sing for joy.

Make music to the Lord with the harp, with the harp and the sound of singing.

With trumpets and the blast of the ram's horn, shout for joy before the Lord who reigns.

O sing to the Lord a new song; sing to the Lord, all the earth.

Prayer of Dedication

To you, O God,

we offer our thanks and praise.

We know that your creative power is the source of every good gift.

Today, we take delight in the special gift of these hymnals.

Thank you for members of this congregation whose vision, energy,
and resources have helped to make this new hymnal available for our use.

Thank you for all those who worked to create this song collection for your wider church: composers, poets, and artists; editors, publishers, and committee members.

Thank you for the guidance of your Spirit in the many decisions required through long years of dedicated service.

Thank you for the gift of music that stirs our hearts,

Instructs our minds,

strengthens our spirits,

and sets our bodies in motion.

Thank you for old songs that keep us connected with saints and traditions from our past,

and for new songs that create a legacy for future generations.

Thank you for songs from our culture that express our heritage in familiar melodies and rhythms,

and for songs from other cultures that open us to the variety of ways in which your people offer praise around the world.

We thank you for the gifts of music and song through which creation has offered you praise and thanksgiving, confession and lament, prayers and petitions.

May this new hymnal inspire our own songs in times of joy and sorrow.

Enable us to sing in one voice as your gathered people,

and to join in harmony with all who worship you.

By your grace, may the words and melodies shape our faith for years to come,
and in ways that forever give glory to you, the Triune God. **Amen.**

THE WEEKLY NEWS

October 7, 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.

Serving as Ushers and Communion Servers this morning are **Joyce Matthews, Pat McCune**

LARGE PRINT BULLETINS are available in the Narthex.

THE OCTOBER/NOVEMBER 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.

IF YOU STILL WOULD LIKE TO DEDICATE A NEW HYMNAL in honor of or in memory of a loved one, there are forms for you to fill out in the Narthex. Dedications are \$10/each.

JUST SOME FACTS World Communion Sunday and The Peace & Global Witness Offering October 7, 2018

- Since 1940, World Communion Sunday is an ecumenical celebration of our oneness in the Spirit and the Gospel of Jesus Christ, bringing churches together in Christian unity.
- The Peace & Global Witness Offering builds on the Presbyterian Commitment to Peacemaking established in 1980.
- World Communion Sunday, October 7, Good Shepherd will recognize the PCUSA Peace & Global Witness ministry.
- 25% of the Peace & Global Witness ministry offering stays with Good Shepherd, 25% with the Presbytery of Denver, to support peacemaking in our church and the Denver area.
- 50% of the Peace & Global Witness ministry offering supports the work for peace and reconciliation being done by Presbyterians across the globe.

Now may the Lord of peace... give you grace at all times in all ways. 2 Thes. 3

THE FLOWER CHART FOR 2018 HAS GONE MISSING! If you signed up for flowers in **October, November, or December**, please confirm the date with Barb so that your flowers can be ordered for your Sunday. Thanks!

ON THE SHELF IN THE NARTHEX IS A "CHURCH INFORMATION SHEET". We would appreciate each family unit filling out one of these sheets. Please place it in the offering

plate or bring/mail it to the church office. We are trying to update our records and thank you in advance for helping us with this.

CROP WALK – Sat., Oct. 13 Did you know that this was the ORIGINAL fund-raising Walk in the U.S.?? Started in the 1960's, CROP Walks have been raising money to fight hunger around the world for over 50 years! In 2017 \$9,000,000 was raised by 107,000 walkers in communities all across the U.S. To date, we have 3 members of GSPC registered to walk – Mary Kennedy, Mary McCarron and Lisa Morrow. Please see Lisa if you'd like to join them (1 mile – 10 K, you choose). Or, they would welcome your sponsorship if you'd rather not walk. Donations can be made on-line or in person by contacting any of the above walkers. A big THANK YOU to everyone who has already donated!!

JUST A REMINDER: If you use a key to open any of the church doors, you need to use the key to lock it when you leave. This is especially important on Sunday mornings. The upper north door has been found unlocked several times lately on Monday mornings.

ITEMS NEEDED FOR THE FOOD BANK FOR OCTOBER: Soups, bar soap and toilet paper. Please place items in the bench in the Narthex or bring to the Food Bank. During September the Food Bank gave out 100 orders to 82 households, serving 248 clients, including 93 children.

FOOD BANK NEEDS A ONCE-A-MONTH VOLUNTEER to drive to the Commodities Warehouse and pick up fresh milk for the Food Bank clients. Our first date is October 17 and we will be receiving about 24 gallons of milk. The warehouse is located at 2900 Nome St, Unit T, Denver 80239 (basically Peoria & I-70). If you are interested or want more information, please call Barb in the Church Office or talk to Julie Klahn.

Flock Notes

Birthdays: October 7 to October 11

Oct. 7	Bob Swanson	Oct. 11	Rita Le Doux
Oct. 9	Becky McGillin		Mary Hull
Oct. 11	Dawn Diehl		

Here's What's Happening---Please keep in your thoughts and prayers--- **Angellé Myers**, recuperating at home---**Nancy Miller**, in Northridge Rehab Center at 122nd & Pecos, Room 342, recuperating after breaking her hip---**Gloria Robinson**, now in a care center in Greeley. She would love cards – please no calls or visits. Send cards in care of her daughter: Leah Williams, 1105 E. 7th Ave Circle, Broomfield CO 80020---**Judy Mesnard**, recuperating at home---**Billy Keck**, Bill Keck's son in Texas, having serious health problems---All those fighting cancer: **David Blount, Sue Coleman, Colleen Eastman, Conerd F., Christopher Utterback**---Continue to pray for our **military men & women and our first responders**---As a member of Denver Presbytery, let us pray for: **True Light Community Church; Ecumenical Relations Committee of the Presbytery of Zimbabwe; and the Partnership of Zimbabwe and Denver Presbyteries Committee**---Let us know what's happening....drop off your news in the Church Office or call/e-mail it to us at office.barb@thegoodshepherd.org

GINGERSNAP: Strive for progress, not perfection.