



The Shepherd's News

132 East Valley Forge Road · King of Prussia · Pennsylvania 19406 · 610.265.4545
June 2017 · July 2017 · August 2017

Summer 2017

I am writing this pastoral letter on the morning after our 60th Anniversary celebration. It was a grand occasion indeed! As the years go by and people reflect on our ministry up here on the hill, I have no doubt that this day will stand out as one of the highlights of our life together. How wonderful it was to welcome back Pastor Greg Wenhold and Idalynn along with so many other saints who have been part of Good Shepherd's past. And it was good to have our newer members with us as well, as they learned about our past and help us to stay focused on where we are headed.

As many of you know, when I was officially called to be your pastor, I was granted a 3 month, summer sabbatical after five years of service. Well, the time was not right for me to go after 5 or 6 years, but now, after 7 years of serving as your pastor, the time is right.

The word "Sabbatical" comes from the word "Sabbath," a time for holy rest. This August I will have completed 26 years of ordained ministry and have never had a sabbatical. I love ministry and hope to serve for many years to come. I have no doubt that this 3 month sabbatical will be just the thing to reenergize me!

While you may have other questions, here is a FAQ for my sabbatical.

When will Pastor Julie be gone on Sabbatical? May 24 - August 19.

What will Pastor Julie be doing while on Sabbatical?

In addition to time at home, I will be doing quite a bit of traveling. I will go to Medellin, Columbia; Red Oak, Iowa; Paradise Falls, Cresco, Pennsylvania; The Chautauqua Institution, Chautauqua, New York; Seattle, Washington; Holden Village, Washington; and Long Beach Island, New Jersey. I hope to spend time reconnecting with friends and family in addition to time resting, reading, laughing, playing, and praying. Those of you who are on Facebook can keep up with my adventures there.

What is the plan for coverage?

There are a wide range of pastors who are coming to preach while I am away. Some of them you know and some of them will be new to you. Please come as often as you can to support the ongoing ministry and mission of the church and be sure to welcome our visitors with the warmth and hospitality for which Good Shepherd is known.

Vicar Rachel Scheible along with Pastor John Kerr and Janice Rackovan, our Parish Nurse and head of Lydia visitors, will be providing pastoral care. Rest assured, you are in very good hands.

What if I have an emergency?

Contact the church office at 610-265-4545 or if it is after office hours call Vicar Rachel at 215-880-4444.

Baptisms, Weddings and Funerals?

Vicar Rachel and Pastor Kerr will be conducting funerals while I am away. If you would like to schedule a baptism or a wedding, please contact me when I return in August. I will not be doing any scheduling while on sabbatical.

Contacting Pastor Julie

I will not be answering email while I'm away and ask that you wait to email me until I return. I would prefer not to come back to a "full email box." Vicar Rachel or the Church Council President, Bill Loane, will be able to contact me if there is an emergency.

I pray that you will all have a restful and rejuvenating summer. I will miss you all and I look forward to catching up when I return.

Yours in Christ,

Pastor Julie DeWerth

SPECIAL WORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES THIS SUMMER

Beginning May 28th our Sunday Worship Service of Holy Communion will be held at 9:30 A.M.
 May 28th—The Ascension of Our Lord
 June 4th—Pentecost and Recognition of Graduates
 June 11th—Holy Trinity

A special blessing will be offered each Sunday at the conclusion of the worship service for those who will be traveling in the coming week.

Our summer schedule concludes on Labor Day Weekend, September 3rd.



**Worship
Schedule
for the
Summer**



8:30AM Service



Sunday, April 23rd was an exciting day at Good Shepherd as Claire Kendig, Anja Montich, Tommy Santini and Dylan Smith received their First Communion.



11:00AM Service

God's blessing to all as they continue on their faith journeys!



BAPTISM
 April 30
Remy Kenneth
 son of
 Rebecca
 and Michael
 Cangiano



SYNOD ASSEMBLY
 May 5—6
 Good Shepherd
 Attendees
 Lisa Hand
 Vicar Rachel Scheible
 Brett Montich
 Pastor Julie
 Karen Reimet
 Pastor John Kerr



**THANK YOU TO OUR
SUNDAY SCHOOL
TEACHERS**

THANK YOU TO OUR SUNDAY SCHOOL STAFF

Superintendents—Sue Groff and Karen Lehman
Preschool & Elementary—Beth Bullwinkle, Karen Lehman and Kim Smith
YEAH! (Grades 5-12)—Jen Lehman and Erin Rackovan
Adult Education—Barbara Petroske and Stella Lyons
Additional Support—Barbara Bielgaski, Amanda Fleischer, Peter Fleischer, John Kendig, Donna Montich, Liz Smith, Hele Vondra, Mia Weygand & Helga Yang

God's blessings for an enjoyable, restful summer!

MESSAGE FROM VICAR RACHEL

Music is the art of the prophets and the gift of God. — Martin Luther, reformer and theologian

Dear Friends,

I have the delight of five beautiful daughters. We have lots of laughs and good times together. But like any family, we have some “migraine” moments too. Quite honestly, one of my “migraine” moments is due to music. I tend to be pretty easy going with the girls, when we are in route by car the radio is always playing their music. For the most part I can enjoy their music, and that is mainly due to the philosophy of “sharing” the radio. Each of the girls have their favorite songs and music genre. My eldest daughter prefers classical chorus numbers, the 15yr old and 12 yr. old are taken with the current new releases, the youngest two prefer Disney hits. In an attempt to keep peace, we alternate between styles. The other day I overheard the nine year old ask her sister if the song she had picked was her song. “Yeah” she replied, “that’s my song”. As I listened closer to the lyrics, I learned more about my daughter and of her feelings.

I listen to her songs, each of the girl’s songs, because I love them. A “loved” song tells us some things about the person, what they are experiencing, or of their memories past. As brothers and sisters in Christ, on Sunday mornings, we gather with singing. Hopefully we are singing a variety of music, because God has made us all unique creations. I imagine each of us have a “favorite” song. Each of us has a song we hold close to our heart, one that we never tire of singing. Maybe “your song” is an old traditional, such as *O God, Our Help In Ages Past*, or *Amazing Grace*. Perhaps it is a newer composition such as *Breathe*, or a praise song from a different culture, such as *Siyahamba*. Whatever it may be, we give thanks to God for giving us a variety of music.



Keep your eyes open to upcoming dates of the musical programs we host here. On Sunday August 6th at 4:00PM is the annual Community Hymn Festival and on September 9th we will have a “Broadway Revue” dinner experience.

Vicar Rachel

SATURDAY—September 9th—Founders Hall

Good Shepherd’s musical stars will present a Broadway Revue and benefit dinner, featuring famous and not so famous show tunes. The meal will be held at 6pm with the show curtain ascending at 7pm! All proceeds from the evening will be for the Nibakure Community Village and Rwamagana Lutheran School. During July 2018 a team from Good Shepherd Lutheran Church will visit both places for service and mission work.

The stage is looking for singers of all ages to participate in duets, trios etc. Do you have a favorite Broadway tune to sing and join in the fun? Please let Vicar Rachel know at 215-880-4444 or Rachel.scheible-yost@comcast.net.



CALLING ALL MEMBERS of the CLASS of 2017!

We will be honoring our 2017 high school, technical school, college and graduate school graduates on Sunday, June 4th at Good Shepherd. Graduates will be invited to come forward for a special prayer during worship. If there is someone in your household who you would like to have recognized, please contact the office with their name, where they are graduating from, the college they will be attending, or what their future plans are. Thank you!





ROMANS 12:2A SUMMER 2017 @ BEAR CREEK CAMP

Registration is now open! VBS (Bear Creek Camp Day Camp!) will be held **July 10-14, 2017**.

Please complete one Bear Creek Camp form per child and one Good Shepherd form per family. These are available on our website: <http://www.gskop.org/participate/vacation-bible-school>. Once complete, please mail your forms with the appropriate payment amount to:

Good Shepherd Lutheran Church
Attention: VBS
132 E. Valley Forge Road
King of Prussia, PA 19406

Feel free to share with your friends and neighbors! We do have limited enrollment, so please get your forms in early to secure your spot. We are requesting that your forms be completed and payment received no later than **Friday, June 16th**.

Important items to note:

- The program will run daily from 9am – 3pm.
- Children entering Kindergarten through entering 6th grade are eligible to attend.
- The cost will be \$50 per child with a family maximum of \$125.
- Campers are to pack a lunch daily, and we will be providing morning and afternoon snacks.
- We have an enrollment limit of 48 participants.



We still need volunteer support to pull off a safe and successful VBS!

The Day Camp counselors from Bear Creek will be arriving on Sunday, July 9, 2017, to set-up and prepare for the week. They clean-up each day and will depart on Friday, July 14th.

WHAT WE NEED:

- Evening meal hosts for the four Bear Creek counselors on Sunday 7/9, Monday 7/10, Wednesday 7/12, and Thursday 7/13
- Adults and high school students to support our safe space requirements and “crowd control” (please note: those over 18 **must** have clearances on file)
- Morning snack and staff lunch kitchen support
- Host families for the counselors to provide a bed, shower, and breakfast daily, from Sunday 7/9 through Friday 7/14

As in the past, we will be posting a wish list for snacks, food, and supplies once we are closer to the big week. Please watch the bulletin and email blasts for additional information!

If you are able to support this important outreach, even if for just one day, please send an email with your confirmed availability to Amanda Fleischer at amanda_fleischer@verizon.net as soon as possible.

Summer Music Ministry



We've had another exciting year of music here at Good Shepherd, and it's going to be equally as exciting this summer.

We will again continue the tradition of the "Summer Singers". We will meet at **8:30am** on **July 16th** and **August 27th** to learn an easy anthem and offer it *that Sunday* in worship. If you've not sung with us this past year, **NOW'S THE TIME!**—we'll have music and a seat just for you!

Another special music offering this summer will be the **Bell Choir** ringing on **July 2nd**. The rest of the summer will feature many instrumental solos, along with a handbell duet, a vocal duet and a quartet.

There are also a few dates still open if you are interested in offering special music. Please come and speak with me, and let's get you involved.

Good Shepherd will also host the 6th Annual Community Hymn Festival "**It's All About Grace**" on **Sunday, August 6th at 4PM**. Singers from many local churches will join together to form a festival choir that will lead all in attendance in song. Last year, the festival choir had over 50 singers and was well attended by Good Shepherd members along with people from the community. So, I hope that you will consider attending again this year. The festival will be focus on God's Grace being with us all the way back to the Garden of Eden and then through the life, death and resurrection of Jesus. Favorite hymns will include, "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing", "Jesus Christ is Risen Today", "Crown Him with Many Crowns", and of course, "Amazing Grace." Our guest organist this year will be Laurie Mueller. More information on the Hymn Festival can be found at www.MontCoHymnFest.com.

There are opportunities to get *involved* over the summer, and I hope that you will either participate or simply attend worship this summer as you are able - I'm sure you will find our summer musical offerings to be meaningful, exciting and uplifting.

In Song,

Ross



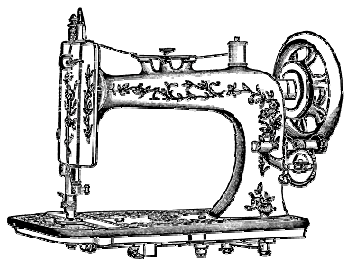
FLEA MARKET & BAKE SALE

Tentatively Scheduled—Saturday, September 16th—9AM-2PM

Mark your calendars for this year's flea market. There will be tables to rent (\$20) for anyone who chooses to display and sell his/her own crafts or wares. Space is available inside and out. Set up will be Friday, September 15th 10:00 AM to 8:00 PM. This year we will **NOT** be accepting any donations from the congregation. Please call the church office to reserve your table today!



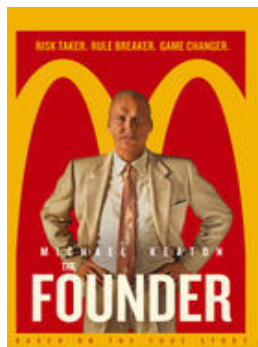
MARK YOUR CALENDAR! Saturday, September 30th



We will be hosting a morning of sewing fellowship in Founders Hall. We will be looking for all of those who can sew, press or pin. Save the date! Pillowcases will be our focus but there will be other projects available. If you would like to bring your own fabric please look for fabric for children (no glitter, please). Three yards of fabric will make four pillowcases and one-and-a-third of a coordinating fabric will be enough for four cuffs for the pillowcases. If you are not able to bring fabric—no worries—there will be fabric available for you to sew. The pillowcases will be given to "A Case for Smiles", an outreach that benefits children who are hospitalized.

SUMMER MOVIE NIGHTS AT GOOD SHEPHERD

Each movie night begins at 6:30pm with pizza. The movie will begin promptly at 7:00PM and conclude with a short discussion. Please reserve your spot with a \$5.00 donation to defray the cost of the pizza. Call the church office to make your reservation. Popcorn will be supplied! Stay tuned ... the number of reservations will determine exactly where we will show the movie at church.

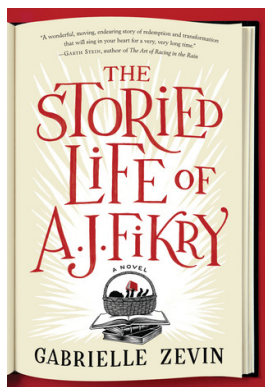


Showing Monday, June 19th — *The Founder* (2016) PG-13 (running time 1 hour 55 minutes) The true story of how Ray Kroc (Michael Keaton), a struggling salesman from Illinois, met Mac and Dick McDonald, who were running a burger operation in 1950s Southern California. Kroc was impressed by the brothers' speedy system of making the food and saw franchise potential. Kroc soon maneuvers himself into a position to be able to pull the company from the brothers and create a multi-billion dollar empire.



Showing Monday, July 24th — *Florence Foster Jenkins* (2016) PG-13 (running time 1 hour 51 minutes) In the 1940s, New York socialite Florence Foster Jenkins (Meryl Streep) dreams of becoming a great opera singer. Unfortunately, her ambition far exceeds her talent. The voice Florence hears in her head is beautiful, but to everyone else it is quite lousy. Her husband St. Clair goes to extreme lengths to make sure his wife never finds out how awful she truly is. When Florence announces her plans for a concert at Carnegie Hall, St. Clair soon realizes that he's facing his greatest challenge yet.

SUMMER BOOK CLUBS at GOOD SHEPHERD (7:00PM in the church library)

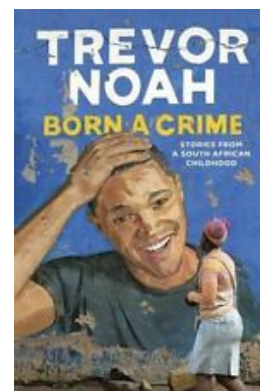


Monday, June 26th—*The Storied Life of A.J. Fikry* — by Gabrielle Zevin

A.J. Fikry's life is not at all what he expected it to be. His wife has died, his bookstore is experiencing the worst sales in its history, and now his prized possession, a rare collection of Poe poems, has been stolen. Slowly but surely, he is isolating himself from all the people of Alice Island—from Lambiase, the well-intentioned police officer who's always felt kindly toward Fikry; from Ismay, his sister-in-law who is hell-bent on saving him from his dreary self; from Amelia, the lovely and idealistic (if eccentric) Knightley Press sales rep who keeps on taking the ferry over to Alice Island, refusing to be deterred by A.J.'s bad attitude. Even the books in his store have stopped holding pleasure for him. These days, A.J. can only see them as a sign of a world that is changing too rapidly. A small package arrives at the bookstore and the plot thickens. This tale is as surprising as it is moving, *The Storied Life of A. J. Fikry* is an unforgettable tale of transformation and second chances, an irresistible affirmation of why we read, and why we love.

Wednesday, August 2nd—*Born a Crime* — by Trevor Noah

Trevor Noah's unlikely path from apartheid South Africa to the desk of *The Daily Show* began with a criminal act: his birth. Trevor was born to a white Swiss father and a black Xhosa mother at a time when such a union was punishable by five years in prison. Living proof of his parents' indiscretion, Trevor was kept mostly indoors for the earliest years of his life, bound by the extreme and often absurd measures his mother took to hide him from a government that could, at any moment, steal him away. Finally liberated by the end of South Africa's tyrannical white rule, Trevor and his mother set forth on a grand adventure, living openly and freely and embracing the opportunities won by a centuries-long struggle.





JUNE OUTREACH—FACE TO FACE

We cook casseroles and provide bag lunches to Face to Face in Germantown six times per year. However, they are more than just a soup kitchen. They offer dignity, compassion and a sense of community to more than 2,500 low income and homeless individuals each year. In addition to the Dining Room they offer a nurse managed Health Center, a Social Services Center, a Legal Center, a Neighborhood Arts Studio and a Summer Camp program.

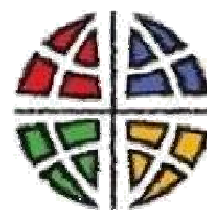
Checks may be made payable to Good Shepherd and placed in a pew envelope marked "Outreach."

JULY & AUGUST OUTREACH

A CAMPAIGN for the SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA SYNOD

I am confident of this, that the one who began a good work among you will bring it to completion by the day of Jesus Christ. —Philippians 1:6

This promise of Scripture affirms the good work that is being done by the church in Southeastern Pennsylvania. It also encourages us to accept the challenge of adapting to the ways in which **God is working today**. The Synod has listened intentionally to a wide range of congregation leaders to discern the dreams for the Synod of the future. Through the resources raised by this campaign they will reshape the Synod as an **interactive network** that **equips** the saints, **innovates** ways of being church, and **communicates** what God is doing through us. The *Forward Together in Faith Campaign*, seeks to raise \$2.5 million by 2018 to help all of us live into this new vision.

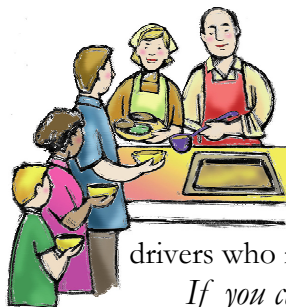


SEPA Synod

**Good Shepherd has pledged \$6,000 over 3 years to this campaign.
We met our goal of \$2,000 in 2016. Help us to meet it again in 2017.**

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CASSEROLE DAY—Saturday, July 22nd— Help Needed to Feed the Hungry



Please join us for an hour or two of fellowship and service (beginning at 8:00 A.M. in Founders Hall) as we make casseroles and bag lunches to feed 200 homeless people who come to the Germantown Soup Kitchen for nourishment of body, mind and spirit. The soup kitchen is just one part of St. Vincent DePaul's ministry to the poor, which they call "Face to Face." Consider bringing your whole family (children as young as elementary age are welcome) as there is something for everyone to do. We also need drivers who meet at the church at 9:30 A.M. to deliver the meals.

If you can drive, please contact Joan Jenaway (610-304-4645 or jjjenaway@comcast.net)

MEN'S PRAYER BREAKFAST and FELLOWSHIP

Saturdays — June 10th * July 8th * August 12th

Join us for the Men's Fellowship Breakfast in Founders Hall at 9:00 A.M. for some food and a time of fellowship with your Christian brothers.



Whenever you read a good book, somewhere in the world a door opens to allow in more light.—Vera Nazarian

We all love good books! Before you head off somewhere this summer pick up a book in the church library.

During the first quarter of 2017 we received gifts in memory of Elsie Quam, mother of Linda Quam and in memory of Tom Dorman, father of Deb Brady as well as gifts in memory of "Loved Ones." We also received gifts in honor of the marriage of Daniel & FC Pirani and in honor of the First Holy Communion of Tommy Santini.

memorials
& gifts

- * The Pat Hand memorial funds were used to purchase a new stove for the kitchen.
- * In memory of Ed Reilly a large print hymnal has been purchased and a bench for the children's playground has been ordered.
- * Memorial funds also were used for wall decor for the Youth Room.
- * Jenn Lyons has designated funds to be used for the Sunday School and children's activities.
- * The Tom Dorman memorial funds will be used for special music and operations. All money received by this committee will be used in the best manner possible to enrich and support our ministry at Good Shepherd as well as enhance our property.

We are grateful for the families who designated Good Shepherd to receive the memorial gifts in memory of their loved ones. On special occasions we encourage everyone to consider honoring family and friends with a gift to Good Shepherd. We are thankful for the generosity of our members and friends for their gifts for these discretionary funds help provide services and items that are not included in the annual budget.

FROM THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee is pleased to announce that we have refinanced our mortgage. This gave the Church the funds it needs to replace the roof on Founders Hall and other upgrades to our Church property. We were also able to reduce the interest rate on the mortgage. Please prayerfully consider donating to help reduce our debt by using a pew envelope and marking it DEBT REDUCTION.

Thank you.

C. Brett Montich—Finance Committee Chairperson



REMEMBER GOOD SHEPHERD THIS SUMMER!

Although travel plans and visits with friends and family are highlights of the summertime, please know that bills continue to arrive monthly at Good Shepherd...and they need to be paid!

And so, although you may be on vacation, we need to continue to meet our financial obligations. Please consider having your donation automatically drafted from your account so that we can continue to count on your support, even while you are away!

\$415 has been received by Good Shepherd this year through April on behalf of the Thrivent Financial



Thrivent Financial for Lutherans*

for Lutherans Thrivent Choice program to help further the work of our ministry at Good Shepherd. Thank you to the folks at Good Shepherd who have designated this church as the recipient of their outreach grant dollars from Thrivent. If you are a Thrivent member and would like more information on designating your outreach dollars, contact Barbara Petroske at 610.631.9392 or bpetroske99@gmail.com.



CHURCH CALENDAR

Please visit the church website www.gskop.org to view the up-to-date calendar.

ONGOING FOOD DRIVE

We continue to collect non-perishable foods in the shopping cart located in the Narthex of the church. In these economic times there are many who need the help of local food banks and the response from the people of Good Shepherd is always phenomenal. If you are able, please continue to help fill the grocery cart. Donations are accepted year round.



DO YOU GIVE TO GOOD SHEPHERD ELECTRONICALLY?

Today I made my offering electronically.



More and more of us are giving to Good Shepherd electronically. Thank you! We know that while you would like to be here every Sunday, sometimes you can't. So electronic giving is a great option. It is easy to have your bank account debited monthly or even weekly. You can set it up to be recurring so you don't even have to think about it. If you are giving electronically, before services please pick up a laminated card in the Narthex. The cards read, "Today I made my offering electronically." They are in the Narthex on an easel to the right, before you enter the sanctuary. When the offering plate passes by you, place the card in the plate as an act of worship and stewardship.

FALL EVENTS...



PUB THEOLOGY RESUMES on Monday evening October 2nd. We gather at Taphouse 23 in Bridgeport, PA. Dinners are ordered at 6:30 PM and the evening's discussion begins at 7:15 PM. Join us for stimulating conversation and fellowship. Pub Theology is scheduled for:
 October 2nd—November 6th—December 4th (Carol Sing)
 February 5th—March 5th—April 2nd—May 7th



MANNA MONDAY RESUMES on Monday September 25th. Join us in Founders Hall from 6—8PM for dinner and a program. The event will be held: September 25th—October 23rd—January 22nd—and April 23rd.

RECYCLING OPPORTUNITIES



Please continue to bring your old toner and ink jet cartridges. There is a bin that is marked on the coat rack area of the Narthex where you can deposit your used cartridges. Good Shepherd receives \$2 for each cartridge and we are able to help offset the cost of our office supplies.

WORSHIP ASSISTANTS and OTHER SUNDAY MORNING HELP NEEDED

If you would like to help during our church service, there are many positions available including acolyte, lector, communion assistant, usher, greeter, nursery staff and altar guild. Please contact the office if you have an interest in serving. No prior experience necessary.



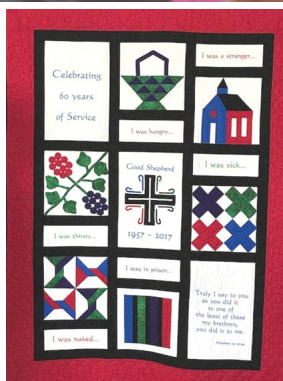
GOOD SHEPHERD PRESCHOOL PROGRAM

Morning classes are still available for children ages 2-5 for the 2017-2018 school year.

Please contact Diane Smith at 610-265-0733 for more information.



Good Shepherd - 1957-2017 - Celebrating 60 Years of Service



THANKS TO ALL!

The anniversary committee would like to thank everyone who attended our "EXTRAVAGANZA". Despite a little rain, the spirit of the day was not dampened. It was a wonderful day as visitors, members, former members and friends came from far and wide to celebrate our 60 years of serving. It was an honor to recognize our Charter Members who had a vision and laid the foundation for the first sixty years. It was a joy to see all of you enjoying the fellowship, catching up on those years past and looking forward to a bright future. It made the all the planning, hard work, and effort worthwhile. It was indeed our pleasure to make the 60th Anniversary "EXTRAVAGANZA" a huge success.

THANK YOU, *Ed Price*—Anniversary Committee Chair



A Note from Pastor Howells

May 8, 2017

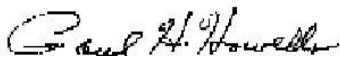
Dear Pastor DeWerth:

I would like to express my thanks to you and the Church Council for your invitation to be present at the 60th Anniversary Celebration of the Church of the Good Shepherd. I also want to thank all concerned who provided us with a beautiful centerpiece and stained glass Good Shepherd Cross. They are wonderful mementos of a very special event.

I pray that Good Shepherd will have many more years in fulfilling its mission in the community and in the global mission of the Church. These are difficult years for the Church. It will take hard work to carry out its mission. When Good Shepherd was found, the Board of American Missions was organizing congregations on the average of one new congregation a week across the country. Now it is a struggle to survive for some congregations. It will take a lot of prayerful effort to share the Good News as it maintains its mission.

I pray that God will be with you all and that Good Shepherd will be a mobilizing force for Christ in the years ahead.

Yours in Christ,



The Rev. Paul H. Howells



60th ANNIVERSARY REMEMBRANCES

As preparations began to recognize Good Shepherd's sixty years, it was suggested that we have commemorative bricks placed in our outdoor sanctuary. If you would like to remember or honor someone, or have a reminder of a special occasion 'etched in stone', consider ordering a brick that will be placed in the outdoor sanctuary. Order forms are available on the credenza in the Narthex or you may contact the church office (610-265-4545). The text can be as long as three lines with 18 characters (including spaces) on each line. Both upper and lower case letters can be used. There will be a dedication of the redesigned outdoor sanctuary on Rally Day, September 10th. All bricks ordered by August 1st will be included in the dedication.

In addition, Good Shepherd crosses were custom made. There were over sixty requests for these stained glass crosses. If you would like to be added to the 'request' list, please contact the church office (gskopstaff@verizon.net or 610-265-4545).



\$60—per brick



\$25—stained glass Shepherd's Cross



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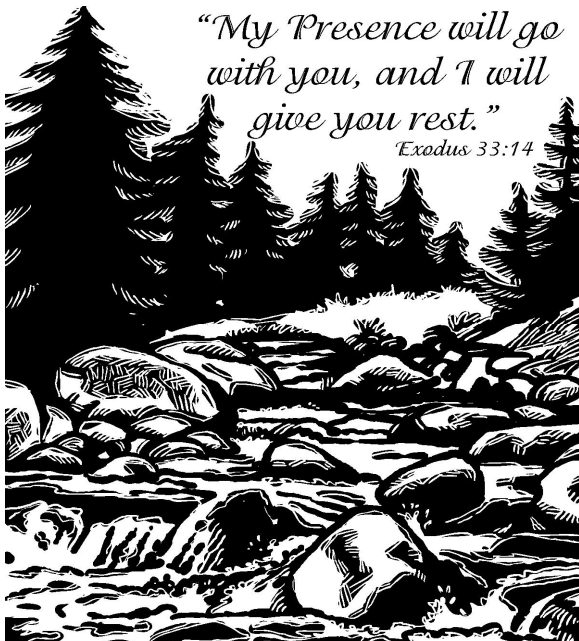
Please submit your articles to the Church Office via email or by using a pink form found in "forms" slot in front of mail cart. Place forms in "Office" mailbox slot.

SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

Monday—Thursday 9:00 A.M. – Noon

SUNDAY SCHEDULE

Summer Schedule —Service of Holy Communion at 9:30 A.M.
(through September 3rd, 2017)



*"My Presence will go
with you, and I will
give you rest."
Exodus 33:14*

THE SHEPHERD'S STAFF

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Vicar—Rachel Scheible 215-880-4444
Director of Music Ministries—Ross Boerner 610-272-0410
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