

Those Serving the Lord Sunday, January 12, 2025

Pastor Steve Bagnall

Acolyte: Max Kubacki
Elder: Rich Witherspoon
Com. Assist.: Scott Shrader
Ser. Assist.: Kian Hoppe
Ushers: Frank Horning, Blayk Santos,
Ron Rockwell, Russ Biefer
Hosts: Chris & Anna Irwin
Finance: Shannon Horning, George Lapp
Altar Care: Diane Lowe, Lynette Witherspoon

<u>Attendance</u>	
<u>Last Sunday</u>	
Service	86
Com.	69
<u>N.Y.E.</u>	26
<u>Last Year</u>	
Service	76

<u>November 2024 Financial Report</u>	
November	
Current	\$11,347.00
Expenses	<u>\$14,598.49</u>
Difference	-\$3,251.49
Year To Date	
Current	\$129,873.81
Expenses	<u>\$137,467.32</u>
	-\$7,593.51

We Pray For -

- For Rev. Daniel Conrad, Missionary
- For Vicar Ian Habicht and Seminarian Matthew Sauer
- For Rev. Gerald Paul, our Adopted Missionary
- For Audrey Leslie, who is unable to join us for worship
- For Bill Roemer, Jenae, Harley, Lynn Irwin, Randy Boldt, Gerald Groce, Jerry Lamoureux, Barb Koepf, John Jameson, Ann Irwin, Joanne O'Dell, Deb, Bruce Hecht, and all those who are dealing with health issues.

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Prayer
Needs**

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Nurturing Christians With Word And Sacrament

Those Serving the Lord this Morning

Pastor Steve Bagnall

Acolyte: Brad Horning

Elder: Jason Reinke

Com. Assist.: Adam Kubacki

Ser. Assist.: Garrett Reinke

Book Bearer: Brady Halabis

Organist: Stephanie Melton

Ushers: Ron Pawloski, Pete Martin, Sue Pawloski
Mike Melton, Kian Hoppe

Hosts: Ron & Sue Pawloski

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Concerning Holy Communion: Based on our Lord's own words, we believe that His body and blood are truly present in the bread and wine and are truly eaten and drunk by those who commune. Based on God's Word in 1 Corinthians 11:23-32 we also believe that anyone who eats and drinks without believing the Body and Blood are present eats and drinks judgment on himself, and further, that receiving the Sacrament at an altar is a public statement of agreement with everything confessed by that congregation. For these reasons we ask **guests** who desire to commune to speak with the pastor before the service.

Diluted wine is provided in the center ring of individual cups for those who need or prefer less alcohol.

If you need Pastor to commune you at your seat talk with an Elder before the service.

PLEASE sign the Record of Fellowship books found in the pew during the offering.

What is Happening Today:

Epiphany (*transferred*)

Worship with Holy Communion 9:30 am

Installation of Officers

Put away Christmas decorations 11:00 am

Sunday School/Youth/Bible Study 11:00 am

This Week:

Thursday: Evangelism Meeting 2:00 pm

Saturday: Women's Bible Study 10:00 am

Sunday, January 12, 2024

The Baptism of Our Lord

Elders' Meeting 8:15 am

Worship with Holy Communion 9:30 am

Sunday School/Youth/Bible Study 11:00 am

Flowers: Sign up on the bulletin board in the hallway to place an arrangement on the altar or a bouquet on the stand in honor of a special occasion or just because.

January/February Newsletter: The current issue of Shepherd's Staff is available on the narthex table. If you would like a copy emailed to you, speak with Amy.

Sunday School Snacks: Sign up on the bulletin board in the hallway to provide our children with snacks during their Sunday school hour.

This Morning: Stay after this morning's service to help take down the Christmas decorations. Your help is much appreciated.

Alternate Delegate Sought: Dan Balzer has volunteered to represent Good Shepherd as a lay delegate at the Michigan District Convention to be held June 22nd through June 24th in Ann Arbor, but we need an alternate delegate. If this is a way that you can serve please speak with Pastor Bagnall.

WORSHIP NOTES

Divine Service Setting 1, p.151

Opening Hymn: **#397**

As with Gladness Men of Old

Confession & Absolution: p. 151

Introit: tan insert

Kyrie: p. 152

Gloria: p. 154

Salutation & Collect of the Day: p. 156

Scripture Readings: tan insert

Old Testament: Isaiah 60:1-6

Response p. 156

Gradual

Epistle: Ephesians 3:1-12

Response p. 156

Gospel Hymn: **#395** verses 1-4

O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12

Responses p. 157

Hymn of the Day: **#395** verses 5-6

O Morning Star, How Fair and Bright

Catechism: tan insert

Sermon

Nicene Creed: p. 158

Installation of Officers

Prayer of the Church: p. 159

Offering

Please sign "record of fellowship"

Offertory: p. 159

Service of the Sacrament: p. 160 ff

Distribution Hymn:

#400 - *Brightest and Best of the Stars
of the Morning*

#396 - *Arise and Shine in Splendor*

#399 - *The Star Proclaims the King Is Here*

Post Communion Liturgy: p. 164-166

Canticle: p. 164 *"Thank the Lord"*

Closing Hymn: **#412**

The People That in Darkness Sat