



GOOD SHEPHERD
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

“Proclaiming Christ Crucified”

Presbyterian Church in America

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Sunday School – 9:20 AM

(No Sunday School in Summer)

Morning Worship – 10:30 AM

By discipling God’s people through the word, prayer, and sacraments, we seek to see the Church redeemed, individual lives transformed, families strengthened, our people equipped for service, our community growing strong in their faith in Jesus Christ, and that Christ would be known among the nations.

ABOUT OUR CHURCH

Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church's vision is to glorify God in proclaiming the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the church and to the world so that the light of Christ will shine brighter and brighter in our lives, in our family's lives, in the lives of our local community and to the ends of the Earth, all to the glory of God.

TO OUR VISITORS

We are thankful for your visit and warmly welcome you to the worship service today. Please don't hesitate to stick around after the service to meet us or get more information.

Please scan this QR Code to help us connect with you or fill out the blue form at the welcome desk.



CHILDREN IN WORSHIP

Children of all ages are welcome in worship! The following activities are also available for the children:

Children's worksheets are available on the windowsill in the back of the sanctuary.

Nursery is available during the worship service for infants.

Church's Wi-Fi:

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Church's Hashtag:

#gspcvalpo

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This is the day that the LORD has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it.
Psalm 118:24

Prelude *To God Be the Glory* No. 236

Welcome and Announcements

Introit *Jesus Shall Reign* No. 417

***Call to Worship** Ps. 105:1-5

Oh give thanks to the Lord; call upon his name;
make known his deeds among the peoples!
Sing to him, sing praises to him;
tell of all his wondrous works!
Glory in his holy name;
let the hearts of those who seek the Lord rejoice!
Seek the Lord and his strength;
seek his presence continually!
Remember the wondrous works that he has done,
his miracles, and the judgments he uttered,

***Hymn of Praise** *All Hail the Power of Jesus Name!* No. 375

***Prayer of Invocation & Adoration**

Reading of the Law Exodus 20:4-6 (Pew pg. 61/LP pg. 76)

Prayer of Confession

Our God in heaven, if you should mark iniquities, who could stand? We know that if we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us. None of us does good, no, not one. We have stiffened our necks against your will, hardened our hearts to your word, refused to hear your voice, despised correction, and forgotten you in our thoughts. Yes, we have sinned against you. Father, we repent! We come to Christ, who has promised that in him we shall find rest for our souls. We take his yoke upon us. We desire to learn from you. Grant that we may bring forth the fruits of repentance from sincere hearts, which are precious in your sight. In Jesus mighty name we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Pardoning Grace

Heb. 8:12

For I will be merciful toward their iniquities,
and I will remember their sins no more.

***Hymn of Thanksgiving**

Psalm 20 B

Scripture Reading

1 Sam 25:1-22

(Pew pg. 247/LP pg. 311)

Westminster Shorter Catechism

pg. 970

Q. 45. Which is the first commandment?

A. The first commandment is, Thou shalt have no other gods before me.

Prayer of Intercession

Offering

Psalm 23 C

***Doxology**

No. 567

Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow;

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise Him above, ye heav'nly host;

Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Amen.

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***Prayer of Thanksgiving**

***Hymn of Preparation**

O Christ, Our Hope, Our Heart's Desire No. 267

Hymn of the Month

Sermon

Acts 14:21-28

(Pew pg. 923/LP pg. 1152)

1. The Mission of the Church

2. The Structure of the Church

3. Open Doors

Questions:

1. “What is the Church’s mission?” seems to be one of those questions that arises every couple of years in our circles. a. What does the frequency of this question being asked reveal about the state of the modern church? and, b. What can/should we do about it as the church?
2. Why is the office of elder essential in the church? What happens to churches when the elders fail to act in God-glorifying ways (especially in cases of church discipline)?
3. The word “disciples” appears a lot in this text. List some of the key features of someone who is a “disciple” of Jesus Christ. How can the local church do a better job at making disciples? Explain.
4. There are a lot of people who are suffering from some pretty deep wounds received in churches. How would you comfort somebody who has experienced this type of pain? What Bible verses would you direct them to?

*Hymn of Response

Be Thou My Vision

No. 446

*Benediction

*Gloria Patri

No. 572

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen, amen.

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Postlude

O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing

No. 291

* **Congregation:** Please stand as able.

Musician AM

Intercessory Prayer

Chris Erickson

Andrew Gretzinger

Weekly Calendar

SUN 6/8	10:30 AM	Worship AM Service
		NO Worship PM Service
		Shepherding Groups Meet
WED 6/11	1 PM	PM Group
	6 PM	Family Night
SUN 6/15	10:30 AM	Worship AM Service - LORD'S Supper
	5 PM	Worship PM Service

Songs for Next Week

<i>Psalm 104 A</i>	
<i>In Christ Alone</i>	No. 265
<i>O Christ, Our Hope, Our Heart's Desire</i>	No. 267

Serving the Lord

	6/8/25	6/15/25	6/22/25
Nursery During Sunday School	N/A	N/A	N/A
Nursery During AM Service	Beth Siderius & Cordie Armstrong	Nora Jones & Karen Carleton	Kathleen Gretzinger & Cordie Armstrong
Nursery During PM Service	N/A	Kathleen Gretzinger	Kathleen Gretzinger
Greeters	Martha Lietchy	Jane Erspamer	Lash Family
Treats/ Clean	Sign up at welcome desk	Sign up at welcome desk	Sign up at welcome desk
Audio	Elijah Tummond	Joel Tummond	Ed Ross
Elder	Andrew Gretzinger	Yon Lindborg	Andrew Gretzinger
Deacon	Ken Erickson	Jason Lash	Ben Armstrong
Communion Prep	N/A	N/A	N/A

Announcements

***Family Night Rescheduled:** Family night is moved from June 4th to June 11th. Please join us on the second Wednesday of the month for our regular prayer and meal.

*** Missions Summer Reading Program:** On Sunday, June 8, we will begin our summer reading program of missionary and prominent Christians' biographies. Books will be on the cart in the sanctuary and include reading at three levels: (1) elementary, (2) middle school, and (3) young adult/adult. Also available will be a booklet in which to record your book title/name of missionary, and something that you learned from the book. We will aim to have the ice cream social before school starts in August to share what we have read. Questions? - Please see Holly Savage.

*** Shepherd Groups:**

Gretzinger Shepherding Group will meet at Andrew & Jenni's house after church this Sunday.

Erickson Group will meet at Chris and Cassy's home @ 4 pm this Sunday.

Lindborg Group talk to Yon for details.

Martin Group not meeting in June, but will meet again in July.