

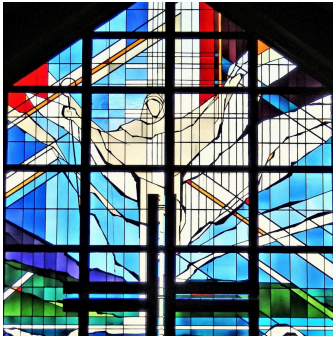


THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Shepherd's Staff

October 17, 2024

Celebrating Community and Serving Others!



Sunday Schedule for October 20

Stewardship 1

8:00a Holy Eucharist Worship Service (Sanctuary)

9:00a Children's Formation (Rooms 2,4)

9:00a Parenting in the Pews (Shepherd's Nook)

9:00a SAF: Bridging Difference Through Love (Big Room)

9:15a Senior Choir Rehearsal (Sheads Hall, Sanctuary)

10:15a Holy Eucharist Worship Service (Sanctuary & [Livestream](#))

11:30a KidsJAM (Atrium)

12:00p Daughters of the King (Parlor, Zoom)

12:00p Youth Choir Rehearsal (Sheads Hal, Sanctuary)

2:00p Good Shepherd Goes to Greenspring Eucharist (Greenspring Village Chapel)

3:30p FACETS Hot Meals (Kitchen)

Weekday Worship Wednesdays at 5:30p ~ Contemplative Service (Sanctuary)



Bridging Differences

Bridging Difference Through Love

Begins this Sunday! October 20 through November 17, 9:00a (Big Room)

Bridging the Difference Through Love is a five-part adult formation series starting October 20. Using short videos and key Gospel passages, this series will explore how Christ's radical teaching and ministry offer guidance today in a world of pervasive and often profound disagreement. Led by [Fred Gibson](#) and [Rich Leland](#), each session is designed to be stand-alone, so if you are unable to attend all sessions, you will still be able to participate. Because we will be using pre-school space, feel free to bring coffee but we ask you to refrain from bringing any food.



Good Shepherd Goes to Greenspring

This Sunday! October 20. 2:00p (Greenspring Village Chapel)

Join us as we resume our monthly Eucharist worship service at Greenspring Senior Living Community. We gather in the Chapel to praise God as we enjoy fellowship with our Greenspring neighbors. All are welcome!



Fall Grounds Clean Up

Saturday, October 26, 9:00a-12:00p (Gardens, Grounds)

The Church of the Good Shepherd Fall Cleanup will be held on Saturday, October 26 from 9:00a – 12:00p. We invite you to help us beautify our campus! This is your opportunity to help put our garden beds in shape and clean up the grounds as we go into the fall and winter seasons. Come for however long you can, pitch in, and enjoy the fellowship. We will have gardening tools on site but feel free to bring any tools you like to use for gardening, digging, raking, and trimming.

Thank you in advance for your assistance – and we hope to see you for this important ministry! Contact [Claire Palmer](#) with any questions.



Requiem Eucharists for the Feast of All Souls

Sunday, October 27, at 8:00a & 10:15a

We will hold a special Requiem Eucharist in observance of the Feast of All Souls at both services on Sunday, October 27. In these services, we will recall all those we have loved and lost in the past year with a reading of the Necrology. The 10:15a service will have music for the Requiem Mass by our Good Shepherd Senior Choir and orchestra.

If you would like to add a name to the necrology to be read during the service, please email [Darlene Lane](mailto:Darlene.Lane@gsps.org) no later than Monday, October 21.



Youth Parents Meeting

Sunday, October 27, 9:00a (LL Conference Room)

Associate Rector Redmond Self will host a parent's meeting in the LL Conference Room at 9:00a on Sunday, October 27 to discuss future plans regarding youth ministry programming. **All parents and youth are invited to attend!** If you have any questions, please reach out to [Redmond.](mailto:Redmond.Self@gsps.org)



Vocal Arts of Fairfax Spooktacular Launch Party!

Sunday, October 27, 5:00p (Parish Hall)

Vocal Arts of Fairfax is performing a special Spooktacular Launch Party at Good Shepherd and everyone is invited! Dress code is Halloween casual for this free event of fun and mischief! See the [VAF website](http://www.vofairfax.org) for more information.



GS Players Present "Lucky Stiff"

November 8, 9, 15, & 16 at 7:30p; November 10 & 17 at 2:00p

Tickets are on sale now for our fall production of *Lucky Stiff*. Join us for this murderous musical farce about mistaken identities, millions in diamonds, and a corpse in a wheelchair. Seating is cabaret-style, so [get your tickets HERE](http://www.gsps.org/tickets) now and reserve a table for six.



Good Shepherd Preschool Fall Fundraiser

The preschool is once again selling ButterBraid Pastries for their Fall fundraiser. If you would like to support the preschool, please use the link below to order. The pastries will be delivered (to the church) in time for Thanksgiving and are wonderful to have in the freezer for the holidays. [Click here](http://www.gsps.org/butterbraid) to order and thank you in advance for your support!



Good Shepherd Preschool Enrolling for 2024-25!

Welcoming kids almost 3 - 5 years old.

Good Shepherd Preschool has provided quality, play-based learning for over 50 years! One step inside our school will tell you that it's a special place - a place known for its nurturing environment and broad, enriching curriculum. Call 703-323-6120 or [email](mailto:enrollment@gsps.org) to schedule a tour.



Parish Ministry Calendar

Thursday, October 17

11:00a Stronger Memory Program (Parlor)
11:50a GS Preschool Chapel (Big Room)
2:00p Luke Bible Study (Parish Hall)

Friday, October 18

Office closed
9:00a AA (Room 6)
7:00p AA (Room 6)

Saturday, October 19

7:30a Men's Fellowship (Zoom)
8:30a Flower Guild (Kitchen)

9:00a GS Players Rehearsal (Sheads Hall)\
11:00a Altar Guild (Sanctuary)

Sunday, October 20 - Stewardship 1
See Sunday Schedule at top of email

Monday, October 21

Office closed
9:00a AA (Room 6)
2:00p Knit and Purl for Love (Parlor)
7:00p Ring and Rejoice Rehearsal (Sheads Hall)
7:00p GS Players Run-Through (Parish Hall)

Tuesday, October 22

1:00p Flower Ministry (Kitchen)
6:30p Dulcimer Gathering (Sheads Hall)
7:30p Finance Committee Meeting (LL Conference Room, Zoom)

Wednesday, October 23

10:00a Staff Meeting (Sheads Hall, Zoom)
4:30p Ames Performing Arts (Sheads Hall)
5:30p Contemplative Evening Prayer (Sanctuary)
7:00p Al-Anon Meeting (Room 6)
7:00p GS Players Run-Through (Parish Hall)
7:30p Senior Choir Rehearsal (Sheads Hall)

Be the Prayers of the People

For the special concerns of: Steve Foerster, Jerry Fial, Charlie Kemp, Dick Jansson, Judy Snook, the Smith family, the Wulff family, Don Brown, Liz Martin, Calvin Kraft, Jewell Gould, Nancy Biele, Dick Nugent, Ray and Judy Caddell, Maureen Murray, Pat Patterson, Kathy Straight, Bob Owens, Ivan, Carolyn, Joseph Nolan and family, Linda W., Joseph Kemp, Chepi and Bob DiCalogero, Terry, Max Dube and family, Jim Mroz, Carol and George Brock, Barton Fox, Mary Beth Wafer, Elizabeth Ames, David Jones, Marcia Rhodes, Frank Vincent, Carol, Bill, Manuel Vega, Sharon Jones, Eileen Miller, Ransom Scott Bergner, Betty Laine, Monique Lynch, Marion & Donald Cooney, Joe Herzog, Larry Packard, Ted Stevens, Keith Cronyn, Jackie Brittain, Vic Saltsman, Josh R., Steve Goldman, Scott Gorham, Mark, Rich Allen, Evan, Rod McFadden, Elva Crawford, Roy Jones, Barbara Schneble, Elizabeth Helman, Monte Montgomery, Betty Martin, Ann Johnston, Joe St. Germain, Catherine Mitchell, Jana Allen, Warren Phillips, Christine Jouannet, Heather, Michael, Stacey Jolly, Rita Farris, Toddy Fox, Scott Allen, Shannon Allen, Emily Leanne Bucur.



For the repose of the soul of: Ron Smith, Lila Wulff..

For the Diocesan Cycle of Prayer: Christ Church, Winchester.

For the Anglican Communion Cycle of Prayer: Eglise Anglicane du Rwanda,

For our service men and women serving their country both at home and abroad, especially Brad Nye, William Edward Gabriel Cassell, Scott Brock, Adam, Brendan Cantwell, Luke Scruby, Kyle Hamrock, Mark Thomas Bartee, Grace Hall Vlach, Mhairi Terra, Matthew Allen, Michelle Miller, Kristine and Matt Hime, John Wildt, Christian Peter Grey, Connor Miller..

Email [Darlene Lane](#) to add a name or request a change to the parish prayer list.
Prayer requests will remain on the Prayer List for four Sundays, unless specifically requested as a long-term need.

The flowers in the Sanctuary this Sunday are given to the Glory of God.

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Our Parish Mission and Vision

The Church of the Good Shepherd is a Christ-centered Episcopal community sharing God's love. We strive to Strengthen Faith, Build Community, and



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