

#### COVID PROTOCOL UPDATE:

**Beginning this Sunday, August 8,** we are asking that everyone **WEAR MASKS** and SOCIALLY DISTANCE in the building, regardless of your vaccination status.



This request comes from the Office of the Bishop, due to rising numbers of cases from the COVID Delta variant.

**CLICK BELOW** to read the Bishop's update.

Message from Bishop Kym Lucas

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENTS THIS WEEK ABOUT OUR NEW FALL SCHEDULE! If you have not seen Fr. Gary's Midweek Moment, you may click below to watch it.



**OUR NEW FALL SCHEDULE WILL BEGIN ON SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 12.** 

Click the buttons below to see the Midweek Moment video or to view / print out the actual schedule.

Fr. Gary's Midweek Moment Video

View or download new service schedule

**CURRENT SCHEDULE AT GOOD SHEPHERD** 

#### THROUGH SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2021

Zoom Worship at 8 am
In-Person Eucharist at 10 am in the Sanctuary
Please sign in at the door.
Wear your mask and socially distance!

Sunday School at 9:15 am via Zoom
Godly Play in person in the Parish Hall at 10 am.
Godly Play will continue on Zoom at 12:30 pm
through Sunday, August 29.

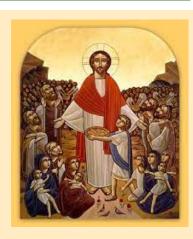
Masks are required for all who work with children.

Nursery care is available Sundays during the 10 am service. Volunteers are needed to help, and masks required.

Coffee hour may take place outside. Volunteers are needed for this ministry. Call the parish office if you can help.

# READINGS FOR THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST August 8, 2021

1 Kings 19:4-8
Psalm 34:1-8
Ephesians 4:25 - 5:2
John 6:35, 41-51





## THE SUMMER CHOIR SINGS EACH SUNDAY, SO COME ONE, COME ALL, EACH AND EVERY SUNDAY!

We will continue to lead worship singing each Sunday, at the 10 am, service. It is so great to be back together. Please come any

Sunday, and invite anyone, any age, any ability, to come and join us.

Come for a short rehearsal on the hymns at 9:15 am, to prepare for the 10 a.m. in-person worship service.

NOTE: We will not meet early to rehearse THIS Sunday, August 8. Just come at 10 am. We will resume 9:15 am rehearsals next Sunday.

Your voice is needed to lead the singing of the hymns. Masks are now optional for those who are vaccinated. Families, and children of any age that can read, are invited to join us, too. We are enjoying being together again to sing for worship!

#### PICK-A-SERMON!

You may continue to vote on what passage you would like Fr. Gary to address in his sermon for the following Sunday.

There are always three passages from Scripture (plus the psalm) appointed for each

Sunday. On most Sundays, we're only using two (at least until we start back up with regular Eucharistic services).

So, which should we use? Which contains material you find most troubling, most interesting? If you're interested in the Collect of the Day, you could choose that instead!

During the announcement time (or "check in/check out" of the in-person service), you'll have a chance to state your preference. Your scripture choice for this Sunday is: Ephesians 4:25-5:2

We'll vote this Sunday!

Here is the link to the passages for August 15, so that you can choose:

**Scripture Choices for 08/15/21** 

#### **WEEKLY ZOOM MEETING LINKS**

Click below to access Zoom meeting links for the coming week's Sunday Worship at 8 am, Coffee Hour (after 8 am Worship), Sunday School (at 9:15 am), Godly Play (at 12:30 pm), Morning Sheep Count, Gospel & Grub, and Night Prayers (Compline).



Sermon Writing

Tips

PLEASE KEEP YOUR ZOOM PROGRAM UPDATES CURRENT.

**Zoom Meeting Links** 



### OUR CELEBRATION OF NEW MINISTRY has been confirmed.

The Good Shepherd Parish will celebrate Fr. Gary Brower, who will now officially be our new Rector, after three years as our Priest-in-Charge.

Please mark your calendar now for <u>Thursday</u>, <u>August 26</u>, at 5 pm Bishop Kym Lucas will lead us in this service, and there will be a

reception following. This will likely be held outside.

Details will follow as soon as plans are complete.



#### **NEW ADVOCACY OPPORTUNITY**

The Advocacy Team and Outreach Committee invite you to a showing of:

"Revolution of the Heart: The Dorothy Day Story" (a documentary by Martin Doblemeier).

Through Dorothy Day's journey from young, communist journalist, to her awakening as co-founder of The Catholic Worker

newspaper and "houses of hospitality," sheltering and feeding New York City's homeless during the Great Depression, emerges a portrait of a selfless woman who followed her heart to better the lives of those less fortunate.

Through our viewing of the film and discussion afterwards, we hope to strengthen our understanding of the differences and intersection of outreach and advocacy, and consider ways that Good Shepherd may continue and enhance efforts in both areas.

We look forward to seeing you on August 18 at 7pm in the Parish Hall.

## PAINT RECYCLING ROUNDUP Get rid of your old, unwanted paint.

Saturday, August 14, 2021 8:30 am to 1:30 pm Good Shepherd Episcopal Church 8545 E. Dry Creek Rd., Centennial



Clean up your garage and basement, and keep paint products out of the landfill. Recycle for free. Cash contributions are greatly appreciated to fund scholarships for women.

### **Products accepted:**

Paints -- acrylic, latex, oil (all interior and exterior architectural paints, textured coatings, deck coatings, floor paints, primers, stains, shellacs, lacquers, varnishes, urethanes (single components), sealers, under coaters, waterproofing sealers and repellents (not tar or bitumen based), metal coatings, rust preventatives, field and lawn paints).

5-gallon cans or smaller, sample sizes OK, unlimited amounts accepted.

We do NOT accept paint thinners, turpentine, solvents,

other flammable items, etc.

#### **PLEASE:**

Stay in your car, turn off your engine, and pop your trunk.
Volunteers will collect your donations.

Contact Cathy Conley for other locations @ cconley2225@comcast.net.

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Send an email to the Parish Office

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