## Good Shepherd's News Feb. 24, 2019

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**Worship** 10:00

Welcome to Good Shepherd Lutheran Church! May your soul be nourished, your faith be

Please welcome Pr. Sarah Mayer Flatt to Good Shepherd.

Pastor Sarah Mayer-Flatt grew up in this synod, living in St. Clair Shores. She is a graduate of Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary in Columbia, SC. Pastor Sarah has served congregations in Capac, MI and Omaha, NE. She has also served the national ELCA Youth Gathering in a variety of leadership roles since she was in high school. She and her husband Randy have a dog and two cats: Penny, Ella and Oscar.

Office hours for Pr. Sarah will be on Wed.'s beginning at 12:00

NEXT SUNDAY is Penny Sunday: Please be sure to bring your change in to support our Compassion International Child; Leidy. Monika Sipe is our new Compassion International Representative as Pat Miller has transferred. Thank You Monika for taking this on.

Did your know? Good Shepherd's "Webmaster" extraordinaire is Sylvia Detty. Please contact Sylvia at Syldet@gmail.com for questions, concerns, input on the website. Thank You Sylvia for all your help!

Ash Wednesday Service 3/6 at Good Shepherd 7:00 pm.

Lenten Services will be in partnership With Trinity Lutheran Clawson 749 W. 14 Mile Rd Clawson MI and Prince of Glory 1357 W. 14 Mile Madison Hts., Alternating beginning with POG on 3/13 Soup Suppers 6:00pm with Service following 7:00. Please be sure to use your Good Shepherd offering envelopes and/or turn it to Good Shepherd on Sunday 's worship (to receive credit)

Wed. Morning Bible Study continues the study of Daniel each week beginning at 10:00 See Mary Coburn 248-544-6396 for further questions.

Sunday Morning Bible Study update:

This morning Morey Anderson will introduce us to a new Bible Study using materials by James W. Moore whose work includes: <u>Jesus' Parables of Grace</u>, <u>When All Else Fails</u>, <u>Read the Instructions</u>, <u>Attitude is Your Paintbrush It Colors Every Situation</u> and so much more.

We invite you to join us as we 'dig in' to our study in the library off the front porch right after this service. Feel free to grab a snack from the lounge and bring it with you. Looking forward to seeing you!

Claudia will be on vacation the Week of March 4–7. If you are available to come in and answer phones on any of those days it will be greatly appreciated. Call the office with availability

We often forget that beneath cold winter ground, new life already stirs. Remind us, Lord, that you are tending new dreams, plans, growth and faith deep within our souls.



Welcome Frank Gottberg to Good Shepherd's Council as Property Chair. Frank's vast knowledge and kind heart are greatly appreciated. Frank is looking to form a team, if you would like to be on that team please sign the lavender sheet or let Frank know.

Many hands and talents needed to keep our church up to date!

Council Meetings have moved .. They are the 3rd Wednesday AFTERNOON. Beginning at 1:00.pm. Open to members; (however permission to speak must be approved ahead of time through our acting President Jeanette Bateman.)

Quilters: NEEDED. Quilters meet the 1st and 3rd Thursday of every month. Bring a sack lunch and join in the fellowship and ministry. Don't sew? No worries in desperate need of "cutters and pinners" contact Carol Gilbert 248-549-5634 with any other questions Hope to see you Thursday!!

New Addresses for our friends! Geri Lindell 2300 Grand Haven Dr. #316 Troy MI., 48083

Barb Lash Brookdale Senior Living 4850 Northfield Prkwy #3 Troy MI., 48098 Sharon Yordy
The Villa City Center
11700 E. 10 Mile Rd. Rm# 135
Warren MI
586-759-5960



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Everyday objects can serve as simple lessons about biblical truth. To illustrate the profound concept of the Trinity, for example, some teachers use an apple, an egg or a three-leaf clover. During winter, you can point to a kid-friendly snowman to describe how God is Three in One.

The ball of snow on the base represents God the Father, our Creator and strong foundation. The middle ball, with stick arms reaching to the side, reminds us of Jesus, who died on the cross. And the snowman's head stands for the Holy Spirit, our ever-present Counselor who helps us and speaks God's truth to us.