

Good Shepherd's News

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Worship 10:00

Grace and peace to all in the name of the Risen One, Jesus Christ our Lord. Welcome to this time of worship, Christian education and fellowship.

Coffee Hour Hosts Needed.

Please sign up to host a Sunday or two this summer. Grab a friend and host together makes it so much more fun and easier too!

Lunch and A Movie...**"Breakthrough"** is based on the inspirational true story of one mother's unfaltering love in the face of impossible odds. BREAKTHROUGH is an enthralling reminder that faith and love can create a mountain of hope, and sometimes even a miracle. Please sign up on the Fellowship board or on the lavender sheet if you are interested in hearing more and having an afternoon out! Must have at least 20 people and no more than 22 to keep costs down. Thursday! **May 16, 10:00 am show Emagine Theatre Royal Oak**

Came to church and realized it was a friends birthday or maybe they just need a little pick me up? Cards are now available for purchase in the library. 2 for \$1... There is an envelope there to put your money in please (Many Thanks to Karen Browzowski for the many cards she has donated)

Floating on faith

As a man and his young daughter were boating one day, their vessel sprang a leak. The father knew he'd have to swim to shore but couldn't with the child in tow. She hadn't gotten far in swimming lessons but could float on her back, so he told her to do so and promised to return.

Coast Guard personnel were skeptical that a child could survive so long in the water. But hours later, as the sun set and they considered halting the search, someone spied a red dress amid the waves. The girl, still floating, was singing a hymn. Astounded, rescuers asked how she held on so long. "My daddy said he'd come back for me," she said, "and he never breaks his promises."

Prayer rests on just such trust. We can't know when God will answer or act, but we know he promises never to abandon us and that God keeps his promises. So we can lie back and float — on faith.

A key ingredient

In family life, love is the oil that eases friction, the cement that binds closer together and the music that brings harmony.

—Eva Burrows

God of life and love, thank you for the mothers who gave us birth and for all women with mothering hearts.

Bible Studies: We invite you to join us....

- ◆ Today (Sunday's) 10:00 am in the library off the front porch. The Book of Luke
- ◆ 1st Monday evenings 7:00 pm Revelations at the home of Jeanette Bateman 1023 N Blair Royal Oak
- ◆ Wednesday Monrings 10:00 am in the Lounge (Good Shepherd) Beginning the Book of Romans

Questions? See Morey Anderson, Jeanette Bateman, Mary Coburn, Sandy Mazurek; or... Check the box on one of those lilac sheets you receive with your bulletin today and we will contact you. We look forward to you joining us!

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!!

We have been offered a very unique opportunity beginning in April a certified Yoga instructor would like to hold **Chair** Yoga classes geared just for you. No experience necessary Saturdays 9:00 am-10:00 am (No Charge) Starts back up on May 18th!

Car for Sale: 2004 Buick Park Avenue Super low miles 30,000 LOADED
Excellent Condition asking \$3,500.00 Call Rick Bade 734-904-7073

Lunch Bunch (women in Fun, Food and Fellowship) are at it again!! **At 1:00 pm.** Let Joan Shemansky know ahead of time so she can make sure she gets a table for all the attendees.
586-755-6834 Mark your Calendars for upcoming May 9th Jo-Vans 15 Mile Rd & Dodge Park
June 13th Beef Carver Woodward Ave Royal Oak

Please be so kind as to check in the office if entering the building during office hours!

Much appreciated

The flowerbeds are cleaned and ready for your flowers. If you would like to have your flowers planted and enjoy watching them grow please bring in at anytime and Jim Reed has offered to plant them for you at Good Shepherd.!