ORDER OF WORSHIP SERVICE SUNDAY - MARCH 29, 2015 "Open for me the gates of the righteous; I will enter and give thanks to the LORD. This is the gate of the LORD through which the righteous may enter." Psalm 118:19-20 ~ NIV

Out of respect for God's House and in courtesy to others, please silence all cell phones and pagers.

Musical Prelude	Don Gibson
Worship Leaders	Dolphus Williamson
Opening Prayer	Barbara Williamson
Songs of Praise (standing)	All Hail the power Of Jesus Name
	For The Lord Is Good
Announcements	Ana Mebane
Intercessory Prayer	Associate Pastor Jesse Bellamy
Church Life	Significance of Holy Season Worship
Special Music	Shepherd's Adult Choir
	It Remains to be Seen
Scripture	Psalm 118:19 - 29
Scripture Reader	Ula Hicks
Message	"Jesus King of Righteousness."
Sermon Speaker	Pastor Willard High
Read in Unison	Shepherd's Mission Statement
The Giving of Our Offering	Offertory Team
Offertory Prayer	
Songs of Praise (standing)	Every Praise
Benediction	



Wedding Anniversaries

There are no known wedding anniversaries to announce at this time.

TODAY'S SERMON

Today's sermon by Pastor Willard High is entitled, "Jesus: King of Righteousness."

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERMON

Next Sunday's sermon will be given by Pastor High is entitled; "Like Jesus, We Shall Rise!" The key scripture is 1 Corinthians 15:1-11.

FUTURE ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDARS

• Easter Service – April 5th

BLACK HISTORY TOILETRY DRIVE

On behalf of the Counseling Department and students at Charles Henderson Academy, I would like to thank every member who contributed to the Black History Month toiletry drive. It was truly a success showing that many kind acts can produce wonderful blessings. The members of this church have showed me that they abide by their mission to "serve humanity" and for that the students, counseling department, and myself are grateful. Once again, thank you Shepherd's Community Church for all of your generosity and kindness.

HOSPITALITY WORKSHOP

The Hospitality workshop will be held today at 12:15 in the Annex - be prompt!

EASTER MEAL MENU

Baked Chicken, Fish, Lamb, Rice Pilaf, Pasta Sorrento, Mostacholi, Green Beans, Mixed Vegetables, Pasta Salad, Pie, Ice Cream. Cost is \$10.00 for ages 13 and up and \$5.00 for ages 5-12. Payable at the door. The meal will be served between 12:45 and 1:00 pm. We are nearing seating capacity. If interested in attending, contact Mrs. High by 3/30.

PALM SUNDAY

Today is Palm Sunday. This day celebrates Jesus' entry into Jerusalem through the Victory Gate. The Father set this up so that Jesus might be proclaimed King and enters the Holy City as a Victorious Savior. Following his entry that gate was sealed never again to enter until the Savior returns victorious again.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTIAN EDUCATION!

On this rare 5th Sunday of the month, all children are scheduled to attend special Christian Education Classes to read all about the Easter Story. Afterward, there will be some rehearsal time. You may go to class immediately after Special Music. Mr. Bolden's class will remain in the Sanctuary for today's sermon. ~ Christian Education Teachers

MAUNDY THURSDAY SERVICE - THIS THURSDAY EVENING

Maundy Thursday which recalls Jesus' Last Supper with his disciples is this Thursday evening, April 2nd. Our evening service begins at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary. It was at this gathering that Jesus instituted the first Communion Service. During that meal, he washed the apostles' feet and commanded them to do the same as a sign of humble service to others. We will follow Jesus' command and wash one another's feet at this service. In preparation, remember to bring a wash basin and towel. If you have questions about this service, address them to any elder or deacon in the congregation.

MINISTRY LEADERS – LIST OF VOLUNTEERS

We would like to acknowledge all volunteers at an upcoming event in their honor. If you are a Ministry Leader – please provide the names of all who volunteer with you using the form available at the Information Table TODAY. Place your form in the box provided.

SNACK DONATION SCHEDULE

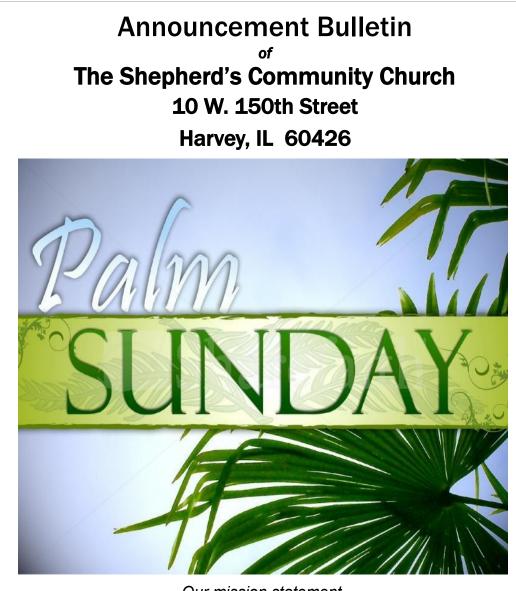
Easter Meal; 2nd Sunday (G-L); 3rd Sunday (M-R); 4th Sunday (S-Z); Please help lessen the burden on a few by contributing as you are able. Deserts (homemade or otherwise) and drinks are always welcome.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR OFFERINGS

We will update you on giving during future town hall meetings.

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Our mission statement -"We strive to be a spiritually sound, friendly and nurturing fellowship; using our gifts to serve our neighbor, proclaim the gospel and promote reconciliation."

Sunday March 29, 2015

10:30AM

Bulletin Items

Andrea Saunders alsize12@yahoo.com (The deadline for submitting bulletin items is Monday)