

### **EASTER MEAL FOLLOWING WORSHIP**

We will share a catered meal following worship today in the Fellowship Hall. The menu includes: 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. Please enter the hall and be seated then await instructions from the Hospitality Staff for meal service.

### **CHURCH-WIDE PRAYER VIGIL**

A Prayer Vigil for the Church will be held on Saturday, April 18th, 2015 from 10 am to 4:00 pm. This is a great opportunity to draw close to God through prayer, fasting and worship. Please join us if you are able in the Antioch Room located in the Church Annex. If you cannot come to the Church Building, plan to participate by using the prayer vigil guide we will provide to keep it with your family, combined church households or alone.

### **SNACK DONATION SCHEDULE**

1<sup>st</sup> Sunday (A-F); 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday (G-L); 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday (M-R); 4<sup>th</sup> 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.

### **YOUR CHURCH ELDERS ARE HERE TO SERVE YOU...**

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#### South Suburbs & NW Indiana

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#### Bulletin Items

Andrea Saunders alsiz12@yahoo.com (The deadline for submitting bulletin items is Monday)



**Announcement Bulletin**  
*of*  
**The Shepherd's Community Church**  
**10 W. 150th Street**  
**Harvey, IL 60426**

*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."*

**Easter Sunday**  
**April 5, 2015 10:30 am**

## ORDER OF WORSHIP SERVICE

SUNDAY - APRIL 5, 2015

“For what I received I passed on to you as of first importance: that Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that He was buried, that He was raised on the third day according to the scriptures and that he appeared to Cephas, and then to the Twelve.” I Cor. 15:3 - 5 ~ 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 Leader	Carissa Mebane
Opening Prayer	Barbara Williamson
Songs of Praise (standing)	Because He Lives Lamb of God
Announcements	Yolanda Sanders
Intercessory Prayer	Associate Pastor Jesse Bellamy
Youth Presentation	(See Bulletin)
Special Music	Shepherd's Adult Choir <i>Marvelous Jesus is Lord!</i>
Scripture	: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11
Scripture Reader	Barbara Croom
Message	“Like Jesus; We Rise!”
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)	Praise the Name of Jesus
Benediction	



## Wedding Anniversaries

Douglass & Delores Bragg - 12 years - April 6th

### **TODAY'S SERMON**

Today's sermon given by Pastor Willard High is entitled, "Like Jesus; We Rise!"

### **NEXT SUNDAY'S SERMON**

Next Sunday's sermon will be given by Associate Pastor Dolphus Williamson and is entitled; "All for Christ and Christ for All." The key scripture is Acts 4:32-35.

### **FUTURE ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDARS**

- Church Bible Study - Next Sunday at 12:30
- Church Board Meeting - April 19th
- Town Hall Meeting - April 26th

### **HELPS MINISTRY**

Our Helps Ministry now provides job search help. Next week there will be forms on the info table. See Wanda Vazquez for questions.

### **SUNDAY SCHOOL CHRISTIAN EDUCATION**

Christian Education Classes are held every 1st & 3rd Sunday of the month (except on Holidays). All children & teen visitors are always welcome!

~ Christian Education Teachers

### **YOUTH EASTER PRESENTATION**

- The True Symbols of Christ's Crucifixion and Resurrection
- Joy (rap song)

### **HOSPITALITY WORKSHOP PARTICIPANTS**

Thank you for your participation in last Sunday's workshop. With your help our Hospitality Ministry will be in compliance with accepted health and safety regulations.

### **MINISTRY LEADERS – LIST OF VOLUNTEERS**

We plan to acknowledge the service of all Shepherds' Ministry volunteers at an upcoming event. All ministry Leaders – please provide the names of all ministry volunteers using the form available at the Information Table. Place your completed forms in the basket provided.