



Welcome Guests! Thanks for worshipping with us. Please drop your communication card in the offering basket or at the guest services table.

# Immediately following services

Please feel free to join us for refreshments and fellowship.

If you would like to know more about Shepherd's Community Church, check out our website at scchurch.us, let us know on your communication card or call 708.566.5722.



Congratulations to newly wed: *Mr. & Mrs. Marcus and Tegan Hawkins* Saturday, January 7, 2017

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## NEXT SUNDAY'S SERMON

Next Sunday's sermon will be given by Associate Pastor Dolphus Williamson and Carissa Mebane.

## PRAYER PARTNERS

If you have a prayer need, please see one of the prayer partners or call 773-995-1217. Also, an elder is always available after worship services for prayer, anointing and counsel.

## WOMEN''S MINISTRY MEETING

The Women's Ministry invite you to Soup and Sandwich Sunday, January 29, immediately following services. For details please see Vanessa Burtin or Marion Kaes.

## **SNACK DONATIONS**

We are going to restart the alphabetical snack



## **FUTURE ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS**

Wednesday in the Word

- January 11th @ 7pm • Community Prayer Walk January 21st @ 9am
- Soup and Sandwich Day January 29th
- Adult Sunday School February 5th @ 9:30am

donation process. You can determine which week you are to donate by the first letter of your last name. It will go as follows:

A-F— donate for 1st Sunday G-L—donate for 2nd Sunday M-R—donate for 3rd Sunday S-Z—donate for 4th Sunday ALL—potluck on 5th Sunday (5th Sundays are in: Jan., April, July, Oct. Dec.)

If you have any questions, please see Britannica Reed or Vanessa Burtin.

#### **YOUTH CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES!**

All Young People will meet in the Church Annex for Today's Christian Education Classes' - immediately after Special Music. Children will begin their work with a new unit entitled: "God's Incredible Rescue Plan". Teens will focus on their next class which is entitled: Apologetics! (That is, can we give a reason for the HOPE that we have?) ~Christian Education Teachers~

## **Order of Worship**

**Prelude** Don Gibson

Opening Prayer James Somy

Worship through Music Praise Team

**Church Life** 

Intercessory Prayer Barbara Williamson

Worship through Music Allen Carlson "Blessed Assurance"

Mission Statement: Vanessa Burtin

Scripture Reading: Barbara Croom

Sermon: Who is God Jen Gregory Pastor Kenneth Barker

Worship through Giving: Vanessa Burtin

Song of Praise

## DAILY PRAYER FOCUS

Please add the following to your daily prayers: Pray and ask God to give you the desire, love and passion for Him.

### **NEW OFFERING ENVELOPES**

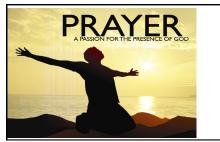
In the coming weeks we will be introducing a special offering envelope. These envelopes allow you to indicate where and how you are giving more easier. If you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to talk to the ushering team.

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### Here to Serve!

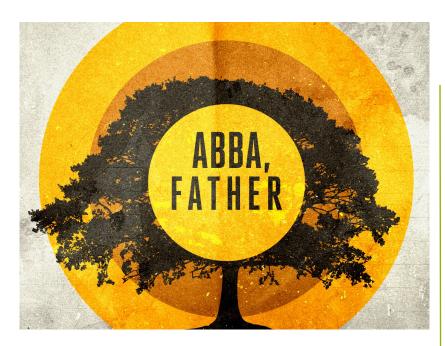
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Lost and Found: Ula Hicks, (219) 938-5671 Bulletin Items: Andrea Saunders, alsize12@yahoo.com (The submission deadline is Monday)



# Have a spiritual breakfast!

30430 Prayer Line Monday—Friday: 6:00am —6:15am 605-475-3215; passcode: 590150



## Romans 8:14-17

<sup>14</sup> For those who are led by the Spirit of God are the children of God. <sup>15</sup> The Spirit you received does not make you slaves, so that you live in fear again; rather, the Spirit you received brought about your adoption to sonship.<sup>[a]</sup> And by him we cry, "Abba,<sup>[b]</sup> Father." <sup>16</sup> The Spirit himself testifies with our spirit that we are God's children. <sup>17</sup> Now if we are children, then we are heirs—heirs of God and co-heirs with Christ, if indeed we share in his sufferings in order that we may also share in his glory.

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> FOR TODAY January 8, 2016

SERMON Jen Gregory Pastor Kenneth Barker Romans 8:14-17

**ELDER ON DUTY** Barbara Williamson

WORSHIP LEADER Lisa Barker

#### **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."