

Good Morning!



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 schurch.us, let us know on your communication card or call 708.566.5722.

Next Week's Sermon
Christian Worldview

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEXT WEEK SNACK DONATION

A - F Donate for 1st Sunday

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Christian Education Classes next Sunday!

30430 FASTING AND PRAYER

As we prepare to celebrate Resurrection Sunday, let's band together for the next 30 days in praying for God's leading in our lives, our churches, our movement, our mission fields and our vision? Jesus has commissioned us to reach the world with the gospel of Jesus. Guidelines are on the information table. Prepare to pray at minimum of 30 minutes a day during this time. Pray with expectant that God will display his power and faithfulness.

You can choose from several fasting options. **We are NOT asking anyone to do a full fast for 30 days. This time of prayer and fasting is about spending more time with God,** not going hungry. If you have health issues, it is imperative you attend to those.



ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

- **Transformation Tuesday**
February 27th
- **Wednesday in the Word**
February 28th
- **Women's Conference**
March 10th @ 9am
- **30 Day Fast**
March 2—March 31
- **Quarterly Worship Meeting**
March 3—POSTPONED
- **Christian Education Classes**
March 4
- **Resurrection Sunday**
April 1

QUARTERLY WORSHIP MEETING

The March 3rd meeting has been postponed until March 17th.

PRAY FOR OUR SHUT INS & THOSE EXPERIENCING OR RECOVERING FROM HEALTH CHALLENGES

Call or send an encouraging card

Queen Esther Adams • Claude Graham • Selena Dorsey • Laura Horne • Albert Hill • Alice Howard • Ernest Howard • Carrie Jones • Johnnie Mae Kirklin • Ruth Lamar • Ephphatha Malden • Ana Mebane • James Murphy • Annie Nichols • Lottie Tyler • Tony Yelacic

Order of Worship

Prelude

Don Gibson

Opening Prayer

Wanda Hayes

Welcome & Announcements

Nodee McNeal

Worship through Music

Church Life

Intercessory Prayer

Jen Gregory

Worship through Music

Shepherd's Adult Choir

Mission Statement

Zelma Hodge

Scripture Reading

Michael Barker

Sermon

Spiritual discipline: Fasting

Walter Burtin

Kenneth Barker

Holy Communion

Worship Through Giving

Zelma Hodge

Song of Praise/Benediction

Event Sponsored by
the Woman of Shepherd's Community Church and GCI affiliated churches
Shepherd's Community Church, 10 West 150th St., Harvey, IL

Women Empowerment Conference
Unstoppable
God is within her, she will not fall

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 2018 - 9 AM

WORKSHOPS
Financial Fitness Health & Wellness Stress Management
Floral Design Essential Oils Spiritual Fitness

Guest Speaker
Linda Robinson

Jen GREGORY Linda HOLMES Marian KAES Nodee McNEAL Billie MONCURE Carissa MEBANE Lisa W-BARKER

Here to Serve!

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Have a spiritual breakfast!
 30430 Prayer Line
 Monday—Friday: 6:00am —6:15am
 605-475-3215; passcode: 590150



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March 2 - 31, 2018



**Jesus Questioned
 About Fasting**

*33 They said to him, "John's disciples often fast and pray, and so do the disciples of the Pharisees, but yours go on eating and drinking."
 34 Jesus answered, "Can you make the friends of the bridegroom fast while he is with them? 35 But the time will come when the bridegroom will be taken from them; in those days they will fast."*

Luke 5:33-35

**Shepherd's
 Community Church
 Bulletin**

FOR TODAY
 February 25, 2018
 10:30am

**SERMON
 Fasting:**

Walter Burtin
 Kenneth Barker

ELDER ON DUTY
 Jen Gregory

WORSHIP LEADER
 Carol Reed

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."