

ORDER OF WORSHIP SERVICE

SUNDAY - OCTOBER 18, 2015

“Jesus entered the temple courts and began driving out those who were buying and selling there. He overturned the tables of the money changers.....And as he taught them, he said, is it not written: My house will be called a house of prayer for all nations?” Mark 11:15 - 17 ~ 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	Shared Leadership
Opening Prayer	Tony Gregory
Songs of Praise (standing)	<i>I'm so Glad Jesus Lifted Me</i> <i>I Give Myself Away</i>
Announcements	Ana Mebane
Intercessory Prayer	Associate Pastor Dolphus Williamson
Special Music	21 st Century Singers
Selection	<i>"The Lord Be Magnified"</i>
Scripture	Mark 11:12-26
Scripture Reader	Sterling Bolden
Message	"God's House of Prayer"
Sermon Speaker	Pastor Willard High
Church Life	Blessings Service
Read in Unison	Shepherd's Mission Statement
The Giving of Our Offering	Offertory Team
Offertory Prayer	
Songs of Praise (standing)	<i>Somebody Prayed for Me</i>
Benediction	



Wedding Anniversaries

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

TODAY'S SERMON

Today's sermon given by Pastor Willard High is entitled, "God's House of Prayer."

NEXT SUNDAY'S SERMON

Next Sunday's sermon given by Associate Pastor Dolphus Williamson is entitled, "Fruits of the Spirit: Self-Control." The key scripture is Titus 2:1-5.

FUTURE ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS - MARK YOUR CALENDARS

- Christian Education Teachers Meeting - Today at 12:15pm
- Holy Communion - Next Sunday during Church Life
- Pastor's Appreciation Day—Sunday, November 1st

YOUTH CHRISTIAN EDUCATION CLASSES TODAY!

Christian Education Classes for all young people will not be held today because of the Blessings Service. We will resume classes on our regular first and third Sunday schedule hereafter. ~ Christian Education Teachers

ANGEL TREE

Angel Tree is where we purchase Christmas gifts for underprivileged kids. If interested, please sign the list on the information table. We need to know how many kids to assign. Questions? See Wanda Vazquez.

BLESSINGS SERVICE TODAY

Today during Church Life we will honor requests of prayers for health problems, life transitions, and any other concerns that you want to bring before God's throne. When directed to do so, you may go to the nearest minister or if you are unable to go, raise your hand and a minister will come to you for prayer.

LEADERSHIP SKILLS EXPLORATORY – NEXT BOOK

Our next book for discussion is, Overcoming the Dark Side of Leadership: The Paradox of Personal Dysfunction by Gary I. McIntosh & Samuel D. Rima, Sr. Unless you have a discount source, Amazon is probably your best bet. I was able to get my copy for \$12.99. Please try to obtain your copy by November 8th.

~ Pastor High

PASTOR APPRECIATION DAY!

Pastor Appreciation will be on Sunday November 1, 2015 at 1:00 P.M. in the Fellowship Hall. The meal will be catered with the exception of a few items. All donations should be made payable to "Shepherd's Community Church" and placed inside of the special envelopes marked "Pastor's Appreciation." The deadline for donations is October 25, 2015. Sealed your envelope and place them into the offering plate along with the regular offering. If your donation is cash—indicate the amount of your donation on the outside corner of the envelope. Please sign-up at the Information Table to help us with meal attendance numbers.

USE OF ADA RESTROOM

ADA stands for Americans with Disabilities Act. The restroom in the Causeway between the Annex and the Sanctuary is reserved for members and visitors who have physical challenges that would not allow them to use the regular restrooms. If you do not have difficulties, please refrain from using this restroom so that those who have true need may have access. Thank you for your consideration.

SNACK DONATION SCHEDULE

- 1st Sunday Donations by families last names beginning (A-L)
 - 2nd Sunday anyone may donate cookies and drinks
 - 3rd Sunday Donations by families last names beginning (M-Z)
 - 4th Sunday anyone may donate cookies and drinks
- "If many will give just a little, we will have more than enough."*

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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Bulletin Items

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

Announcement Bulletin

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The Shepherd's Community Church

10 W. 150th Street

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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 October 18, 2015

10:30AM