#### ORDER OF WORSHIP SERVICE SUNDAY - OCTOBER 25, 2015

"Teach the older men to be temperate, worthy of respect, self-controlled, and sound in faith, in love and in endurance." Titus 2:1 ~ 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	Carol Reed & Carissa Mebane
Opening Prayer	Ephphatha Malden
Songs of Praise (standing)	The Presence of the Lord
	Holy Ground
Announcements	: Loretta English
Intercessory Prayer	Associate Pastor Eugene Dumas
Church Life	Holy Communion
Special Music	Allen Carlson
	Now Thank We All Our God
Scripture	Titus 2:1-5
Scripture Reader	Antoinette Jackson
Message	"Fruits of the Spirit: Self-Control"
Sermon Speaker	Associate Pastor Dolphus Williamson
Read in Unison	Shepherd's Mission Statement
The Giving of Our Offering	Offertory Team
Offertory Prayer	
Songs of Praise (standing)	Jesus is Mine
Benediction	



## Wedding Anniversaries

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

#### **TODAY'S SERMON**

Today's sermon given by Associate Pastor Dolphus Williamson is entitled, "Fruits of the Spirit: Self-Control."

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

Next Sunday's sermon, given by Pastor Willard High is entitled, "Jesus Made Me Clean." The key scripture is Hebrews 9:11-15.

#### **HOLY COMMUNION**

Today during Church Life we will honor Jesus' request that we remember him as we partake of Communion. You are invited to share the bread and wine as part of the Body of Christ today.

#### **PASTOR APPRECIATION DAY!**

Pastor Appreciation will be next 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 Appreciation." Today is the deadline for donations. Seal your envelope and place it in the offering plate along with the regular offerings. If your donation is cash—indicate the amount of your donation on the outside corner of the envelope.

#### YOUTH CHRISTIAN EDUCATION!

Christian Education Classes will be postponed until the 3rd Sunday. Our young people will participate in church services on next Sunday. Today, in preparation for next week, all young people are asked to meet with Ms. Linda Robinson for Praise Dance Rehearsal. Please meet by 12:30pm in the Sanctuary! Thanks.

~ Christian Education Teachers / Ms Linda Robinson

### USE OF ADA RESTROOM

Please do not use the ADA restroom in the causeway between the Church and Annex unless you have a disability that requires this accommodation. This bathroom was specially designed and fitted for members and guests with disabilities. Thank you for your consideration.

#### SPACE MARKINGS - CHURCH PARKING LOT

The Parking Lot has been marked making it easier to park and making the best use of the parking spaces we have. Please use the markings as a guide. The blue spaces are for disabled members and visitors who need to park close to the church and must unload from those spaces. If you are dropping off someone but can park in another space please do so to keep these spaces open for use.

#### 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. I purchased my copy from Amazon.com for \$12.99. Please try to obtain your copy by November 8<sup>th</sup>. ~ Pastor High

#### **SNACK DONATION SCHEDULE**

- 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday Donations by families last names beginning (A-L)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday anyone may donate cookies and drinks
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Donations by families last names beginning (M-Z)
- 4<sup>th</sup> 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.

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#### Bulletin Items

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

# **Announcement Bulletin The Shepherd's Community Church** 10 W. 150th Street



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 25, 2015

10:30AM