



Friday Bulletin

Good Shepherd E-News
28 January 2022

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Good Shepherd in Athens, Ohio

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This Upcoming Sunday

Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany
January 30, 2022

Inside service, please wear a mask and
follow Order of Worship guidelines.

10:30 a.m. Service ([Order of Worship](#))

Holy Eucharist Rite II-A

Celebrant: Rev. Deborah Woolsey

Lector: Alex Buckley

Prayer Leader: David Burton

Eucharistic Minister: Sharon Huge

Altar Guild: Sharon Huge

LESSONS for the Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany: Jeremiah 1: 4-10; Psalm 71-1-6; I
Corinthians 13: 1-13; Luke 4: 21:30.

<https://www.lectionarypage.net>

CHANGE OF TIME

for Annual Meeting

**2:00 pm Sunday, January 30, 2022
is now the time for the All Parish
Annual Meeting via Zoom.**

Motivated by an intention that makes Mother Deborah feel like she is back in Wisconsin, the Wardens were concerned the AFC Championship game at the time originally scheduled for the meeting would take precedence. Especially because it features The Plains native son Joe Burrow who now plays professional football for the Bengals and used his new found celebrity to promote the Athens Food pantry. We recognize it is important to support our neighbors and celebrate with them. So we decided to move the meeting up one hour. That way, even if you aren't a football fan, you can still watch a man from our neighborhood who has achieved his dream and uses his success to draw attention to the needs of the people who raised and supported him.

We are looking forward to zooming you at 2:00 pm Sunday, January 30, 2022.

If you still are not familiar or comfortable with video conferencing, we suggest participating at a friend's house who is familiar. Now you can watch the Bengals game together after the meeting and see Joe in action.

Here is the information you need to join the parish annual meeting. At meeting time **[CLICK HERE to join ZOOM Meeting](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6626993063?pwd=WUFCQVFBTFcyN0JQYmN6WUo2TERHUT09)**. You may want to copy and save this link **below** and paste into your browser at meeting time.

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Other information if needed: Meeting ID: 662 699 3063 Passcode: 2BKpGK

Coming up on the Calendar

Sunday, January 30, 10:30 a.m. - - Holy Eucharist

Sunday, January 30, 2:00 p.m. - - All Parish Annual Meeting, ZOOM

Sunday, February 6, 10:30 a.m. - - Holy Eucharist

Wednesday, February 10, 9:30 a.m. - - Prayer Shawl Meeting

Sunday, February 13, 10:30 a.m. - - Holy Eucharist

Thursday, February 17, 7:00 p.m. - - Vestry Meeting, ZOOM

Sunday, February 20, 10:30 a.m. - - Holy Eucharist

Wednesday, February 24, 9:30 a.m. - - Prayer Shawl Meeting

Sunday, February 27, 10:30 a.m. - - Holy Eucharist

CrossRoads Café is open on Sundays after church.

Parish Annual Meeting Information



Annual Meeting of Church of the Good Shepherd Sunday, January 30, 2022 Zoom video conference at 2:00 p.m.

Every year every parish in the Episcopal Church meets to elect leadership for the year, approve the budget for the year, and receive reports of the active ministries in the parish.

In light of the high number of new Covid cases in our county and the most recent communication from Bishop Smith about meetings should be done via video conferencing due the surge in Covid across the state and with consultation with the Senior and Junior Wardens, we decided to change the Annual Meeting of Church of the Good Shepherd to a Zoom video conference. This change might be disappointing to some of you. The intention is not to punish anyone. The intention is to make the meeting as accessible as possible for everyone.

If you are still unfamiliar with zoom or video conferencing technology, we suggest you go to a friend in the parish who is familiar with it and attend the meeting that way.

The Annual Meeting of Church of the Good Shepherd will be Sunday, January 30, 2022 at 2:00 pm on Zoom video conferencing. At meeting time [CLICK HERE to join ZOOM Meeting](#). You may want to copy and save this link below and paste into your browser at meeting time.

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Thank you for your continued patience and understanding as we continue to navigate this unique time in our lives together.

**Please look over the Parish Annual Reports meeting packet
before the zoom conference on Sunday afternoon.**

[CLICK HERE TO VIEW THE ENTIRE MEETING PACKET](#)

**Printed copies will not be distributed but
will be available at the church office next week.**

Nominating Committee Report 2022

Senior Warden - Alexandra Buckley

(1 year term, able to serve for 3 consecutive years)

Junior Warden - Dana Carlson

(1 year term, able to serve for 3 consecutive years)

Treasurer - Allyn Reilly

Secretary - David Burton

Vestry - David Burton and Gregory Proctor

(2 people, 3 year term)

Student Rep Vestry - none for 2022

(1 year term)

Delegates to Convention - Alex Buckley and Dana Carlson and Jack Flemming and Allyn Reilly

Alternates to Convention - Norm Fox and Anne Walker

Respectfully submitted by the Rev. Deborah Woolsey, chair,
Anne Walker, Preston Denton, Mike Wootton, Alex Buckley committee members.

Annual Parish Meeting Agenda January 30, 2022

1. Opening Prayer
2. Approval Vote for Video Conference Meeting
3. Acceptance of Minutes from January 31, 2021 Annual Meeting
4. Opening Remarks from Senior Warden
5. Nominating Committee Report
6. Rector's Remarks
7. Presentation of 2022 Parish Budget
8. Closing Remarks
9. Closing Prayer

All items and reports needed for the Zoom meeting is included in the *Parish Annual Reports 2021 (30 January 2022 meeting)* packet on line.

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Volunteers Needed to Help with Sunday Services

Counter

We need your help counting the financial gifts given during the church service. All you have to do is stay a few minutes after the church service on Sundays and count the money collected during the service, fill out a form stating what you counted, then put the money in a pouch and put the pouch in the closet in the church office. **Time:** it will take approximately 15 minutes to accomplish. How often you are asked to do it depends on how many people volunteer. Volunteers will be put on a schedule. If you are interested, please contact Mother Deborah at revdebwoolsey@gmail.com

Greeter

We need your help greeting people when they enter the church for the service. All you have to do is arrive 10 minutes before the church service starts, stand or sit by the door or on the porch, warmly greet people as they enter, remind them to put their mask on if they forgot or offer them one of our free masks, and answer any questions like where the bathrooms are if they ask. Once everyone has arrived, you have no other duties. How often you are asked to do this depends on how many people step up to volunteer, all volunteers will be put on a schedule. If you are interested, please contact Mother Deborah at revdebwoolsey@gmail.com

Thank you for your help, it is by working together that we can offer in-person Sunday morning church services.

Contacts, Information

Contact Information

For pastoral needs, please contact The Rev. Deborah Woolsey at 937-689-8895 (cell) or 740-593-6877 (church), or by e-mail at revdebwoolsey@gmail.com.

To find out more about Good Shepherd and other matters, please contact Alex Buckley, Senior Warden, at 740-593-5513 or by e-mail at macbuck@yahoo.com.

For maintenance matters, please leave a note at

DONATE to Good Shepherd

This takes you to the Parish Home page where you can donate on line via PayPal. If you have a preference, please indicate on the the "Add special instructions to the seller" section the purpose of the donation —e.g. organ fund, plate collection, etc.

the office or contact Ted Foster, Junior Warden, at 740-593-8615 or by e-mail at foster.theodore@gmail.com.

For emergencies, please call The Rev. Deborah Woolsey at 937-689-8895.

NON-emergency messages can be left on the church's answering machine (740-593-6877). The parish office administrator is Barbara Martin (740-593-6877) or barbara@chogs.org.

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Pandemic Note:

**Office Hours: 10:00
a.m.– 2:00 p.m.,
Monday through
Thursday.**

**The Diocese COVID
Guidelines request
all persons wear masks
inside the church
building regardless of
vaccination status.**
