



# Friday Bulletin

**Good Shepherd E-News**

9 June 2023

The Episcopal Church of the  
Good Shepherd in Athens, Ohio

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## Participants for this upcoming Sunday

### Trinity Sunday

First Sunday after Pentecost

11 June 2023, 10:30 a.m.

**Service:** Holy Eucharist C

**Celebrant:** The Rev. Canon Michael  
Spencer

**Lector:** Michael Wootton

**Eucharistic Minister/Acolyte:** Lynn  
Graham

**Eucharistic Minister/Prayer Leader:**  
Gregory Proctor

**Altar Guild:** Lynn Graham

**Coffee Hour Host:** Luncheon

**Guest Organist:** David Burton

## Materials for the upcoming 10:30 Service

**LESSONS** for the Second Sunday after  
Pentecost

Old Testament – Hosea 5: 15-6:6

Psalm – Psalm 50: 7-15 (SAID)

Epistle – Romans 4: 13-18



<https://www.lectionarypage.net>

## **PLEASE INCLUDE IN YOUR PRAYERS**

**IN OUR WORLD:** we pray for Justin, Archbishop of Canterbury, and for Michael, our Presiding Bishop; we pray for peace with justice throughout the Middle East. We pray for all families and law enforcement affected by gun violence. We pray for the victims of the coronavirus. We pray for all people affected by natural and environmental disasters. We pray for the people who are suffering from war, especially the people of Ukraine, and we pray for all asylum seekers, immigrants and refugees. We pray for Joe our President, Kamala our Vice-President, Mike, our Governor, the Supreme Court and the members of Congress.

**IN OUR DIOCESE:** we pray for our Provisional Bishop Wayne, the search process for a new bishop, and for Kenneth, Nedi, and Wendell our assisting bishops. We pray for the Rev. Canon Michael Spencer.

**IN OUR PARISH:** we pray for Good Shepherd's continued growth, for our Associate Priests, Rev. Leslie Flemming, and Rev. David McCoy, for our ministry to students, the university, and the community.

**THOSE WHOM OUR PRAYERS ARE REQUESTED:** Al S., Bud and Carol, Chris L., Jean R., Lia, Miriam, Sharon, R.C., Chuck Brient, Douglas and Gwynne Campbell, Zelma Coleman, Lee Kembell-Cook, Phyllis and Dick Dean, Richard DeNune, Norm Fox, Honor Haddox, Debbie Hunsberger, John Jefferson, Peter Kachenko and family, Christine McGinn, Jeff Maiden, Rev. Ed Payne, Dan and Nancy Reedy, Virginia Richards, Jack Roach, Bonnie Savage, Katyana Sayrs, Annette Secoy, Elizabeth, Marshall and Robert Shelly, Michael Vaughn, Joanne Worstall and we pray for all who care for them. \*\*

**BIRTHDAY:** Curt Sherman (6/12), Martha Hansgen (6/16)

**DECEASED:** Ann Shelly

\*\* Full names are normally not published online. However for the Sunday 10:30 service we will publish full names unless requested otherwise. If you have a name to be added

to the prayer list, Lynn Graham maintains this information. Lynn may be reached at 740-593-5098 or [grahammowery@aol.com](mailto:grahammowery@aol.com).

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## THE COLLECT

O GOD, from whom all good proceeds: Grant that by your inspiration we may think those things that are right, and by your merciful guiding may do them; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## THE GOSPEL Matthew 9:9-13, 18-26

AS JESUS WAS WALKING along, he saw a man called Matthew sitting at the tax booth; and he said to him, "Follow me."

And he got up and followed him. And as he sat at dinner in the house, many tax collectors and sinners came and were sitting with him and his disciples. When the Pharisees saw this, they said to his disciples, "Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and sinners?" But when he heard this, he said, "Those who are well have no need of a physician, but those who are sick. Go and learn what this means, 'I desire mercy, not sacrifice.' For I have come to call not the righteous but sinners."

While he was saying these things to them, suddenly a leader of the synagogue came in and knelt before him, saying, "My daughter has just died; but come and lay your hand on her, and she will live." And Jesus got up and followed him, with his disciples. Then suddenly a woman who had been suffering from hemorrhages for twelve years came up behind him and touched the fringe of his cloak, for she said to herself, "If I only touch his cloak, I will be made well." Jesus turned, and seeing her he said, "Take heart, daughter; your faith has made you well." And instantly the woman was made well. When Jesus came to the leader's house and saw the flute players and the crowd making a commotion, he said, "Go away; for the girl is not dead but sleeping." And they laughed at him. But when the crowd had been put outside, he went in and took her by the hand, and the girl got up. And the report of this spread throughout that district.

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TO THE **ORDER OF WORSHIP (Printed Bulletin)** FOR THIS SUNDAY

(Formatted for printing in case you want to use it to follow along if you plan to view the Sunday service on-line.)

The 10:30 Sunday service is streamed live on the Church of Good Shepherd's Facebook page and also retained there for later viewing. [FIND IT HERE](#). (In light of privacy concerns the streaming does not show the individuals taking communion.)

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## Coming up on the Calendar

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Sunday, June 11, 10:30 a.m. - - Holy Eucharist (Rev. Canon Michael Spencer, officiating)

Tuesday, June 13, 9:30 a.m. - - Prayer Shawl in Nehls Hall

Thursday, June 15, 7:00 p.m. - - Vestry Meeting

Sunday, June 18, 10:30 a.m. - - Morning Prayer (Discretionary Sunday)

Sunday, June 25, 10:30 a.m. - - Holy Eucharist (Rev. Michael Ralph, officiating)

Tuesday, June 27, 9:30 a.m. - - Prayer Shawl in Nehls Hall

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## Looking Ahead

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Sunday, June 11, 10:30 a.m. - - Holy Eucharist (Rev. Canon Michael Spencer, officiating)

Sunday, June 25, 10:30 a.m. - - Holy Eucharist (Rev. Michael Ralph, officiating)

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## Schedules

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### Coffee Hour Schedule

June 11      Luncheon  
June 18      Lois Wagner

### Open Dates for Altar Flowers

in June: 18th, 25th

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## Notes & Announcements

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### What Happens This Sunday

The Rev. Can. Michael Spencer, the Canon for Transitional Ministry will be at Church of the Good Shepherd this Sunday, June 11. He will celebrate the Eucharist and preach at 10:30 am. Canon Spencer oversees the process of helping parishes find their next rector. He will be available after the service to answer questions and he will meet with the vestry.

Remember, if you can't be there in person, you can watch the service on the church's Facebook page.

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### Coffee Hour Lunch on Sunday

**Following the service this Sunday (June 11th), we'll have another luncheon (repeat menu with leftovers) from last Sunday) in Nehls Hall with Canon Spencer.**

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### Mother Deborah and Michael's New Address:

Starting in mid-June 2023

The Rev. Deborah Woolsey and Michael Luelloff  
11197 Tonya Drive  
Woodruff, WI 54568

**Please Pray for Mother Deborah and Michael during their move: they hope for an uneventful move.**

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### Timeline for Mother Deborah and Michael

**June 4** Mother Deborah's last Sunday at Church of the Good Shepherd.

**June 6-8** Mother Deborah and Michael will pack up her church office.

**June 12** Movers will load Mother Deborah and Michael's belongings into the moving truck to transport them to Wisconsin.

**June 15-20** Mother Deborah and Michael's stuff will be delivered to their new house in Woodruff, Wisconsin.

**July 2** Mother Deborah's first Sunday at St. Matthias Episcopal Church, Minocqua, Wisconsin.

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## Sunday E-News

I (Ted Foster) imagine by now you have noticed some changes in today's E-News Bulletin. One of my ministries has been to manage the Church's 'virtual' presence since the dawn of the digital age. Katharin and I moved to Marietta over a year ago and are becoming active with Trinity Episcopal in Parkersburg, but I have continued this ministry with Good Shepherd remotely.

As you know Benjamin South is now the 'Digital Communications' staff member and is getting this ministry organized, updated, and operating which will allow me, incrementally, to retire. Thanks to Benjamin's work, and the generous donation of new equipment, Good Shepherd's Sunday service is now easily viewed in its entirety on-line as it progresses or later at any time. Beginning with this interim period I will add some material used for the Sunday Service (prayer list, participants, lessons, etc.) to the Friday E-News and not publish the Sunday E-News.

Benjamin I will be getting together to get him acquainted with the workings of the newsletter platform and he will also be designing a new website environment for the church he can work with.

Ted Foster

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**One on the many things that these folks have blessed us the with the past eight years are the smiles.**





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## Repeats & More

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If you want to help the folks who have been negatively impacted by environmental disaster and war anywhere in the world please consider contributing to **Episcopal Relief and Development (ERD)** which is the official ministry of the Episcopal Church. You can select which fund, such as Ukraine Crisis Response.



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## Contacts & Information

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## Contact Information

**For pastoral needs**, please contact Lynn Graham at 740-593-5098 or by e-mail at [grahammowery@aol.com](mailto:grahammowery@aol.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](mailto:macbuck@yahoo.com).

**For maintenance matters**, please leave a note at the office or contact Dana Carlson, Junior Warden, at 740-664-2022 or by e-mail at [carlsondana@hotmail.com](mailto:carlsondana@hotmail.com).

**For emergencies**, please call Alex Buckley, Senior Warden, at 740-593-5513

**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](mailto:barbara@chogs.org).

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

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