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## The Church of the Good Shepherd

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In Person Worship this Sunday at 10:00 a.m. and

Broadcast Live at 10:00 a.m. to Facebook/CGSUM and to CGSUM.ORG

Please join us for ONLINE Sunday Worship Services (church website or Facebook Group Page)

### **This Sunday, June 27, 2021**

**Scripture: Psalm 130 and Mark 5:21-43**

**Sermon: New Sermon Series- Who is Jesus? Jesus the "Healer"**

**The Rev. Eva Thai-Erwin, Preaching**

**Prelude and Postlude: "My Faith Has Found a Resting Place" and**

**"Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing"**

**Introit and Anthems: "A Joyful Alleluia", "Just As I Am" and "The Lord's Prayer"**

**Congregational Hymns from UM Red Hymnal: "Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing #400",  
"There Is a Balm in Gilead #375" and "When Jesus the Healer Passed Through Galilee #263"**

**Children will be asked to sit with their parents and will receive activity packs.**

### Among the Church Family

#### *In Our Prayers:*

Please continue to keep everyone previously mentioned in your prayers.

A memorial service for **Margaret Henkey** will be held at her son's home on Saturday, June 26, 2021 at 5 pm. **Tom Henkey**, 2020 5<sup>th</sup> St. La Verne, CA 91750-4429, (626) 201-5500. Call Tom to RSVP.

Mark your calendars now for a memorial service to celebrate the life of **Cindy Richardson** to be held here at CGS on Saturday, July 17, at 10:30 a.m. Pastor Eva and former Pastor Phil Wood will be participating in the service. Cindy lost her battle with cancer almost a year ago.

#### *Thank You:*

In honor of "Be Kind to Animals" Month, the Children's Center collected several boxes of old towels for a donation to the Pasadena and San Gabriel Humane Societies. Thank you to all who supported this collection both in the past and present. The humane societies were very appreciative. **-The Children's Center**

### Book Drive for Lending Libraries

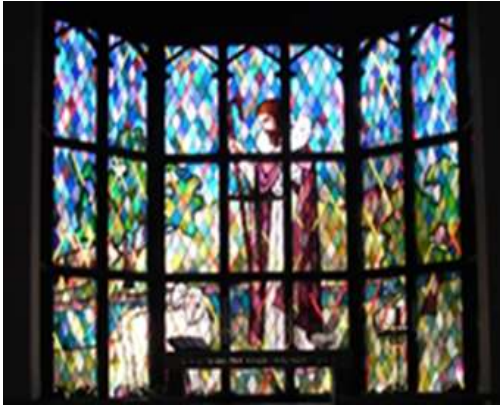
Girl Scouts Cadettes from Troop 9011 are working on their Silver Award Project, and they need your help! These Girls Scouts are building both adult and children's lending libraries for the Church and the community to use. They are running a book drive from now until July 9<sup>th</sup> to collect Christian books for adults and children. They will also accept books with positive messages. The girls will take new or gently used books. Please drop off the books in the bin in front of the main office before July 9<sup>th</sup>.



## **In Person Worship Has Begun!**

Church of the Good Shepherd is excited to begin in person worship again! We are thankful for the staff, ushers, and volunteers who help each Sunday with the check in and seating process. Here are a few things to remember if you are planning to attend the service:

- 1) Please rsvp by email or phone call to the church office by Friday 12noon
- 2) Arrive 15-20 minutes early to allow time for check in
- 3) The Ushers will escort you to your seat of choice
- 4) Sunday School is off for the summer so activity packets will be provided for children who will remain seated with their families
- 5) A stationary Offering Box will be used instead of the passing of offering plates
- 6) Restrooms will be available- one person at a time
- 7) No fellowship gathering following the service
- 8) MASKS must be worn at all times
- 9) Summer Aloha or Hawaiian attire is welcome
- 10) If you are NOT feeling well- please stay home and enjoy the service that will still be available to view online!



## **2021 Graduates**

### **Middle School/Junior High**

**Sophia Rose Hoover** (granddaughter of Mike & Penny Hoover) Richardson Middle School, Torrance, CA.

**Hannah Wilson** (daughter of Steve & Nora Wilson) First Avenue Middle School, Arcadia, CA.

### **High School**

**Sophia Whitaker** (granddaughter of Vern & Lynne Whitaker) Bonita High School, La Verne, CA.

**Abigail Charlotte Nelson** (daughter of Melissa King & D.C. Nelson) (granddaughter of Mary Lou Krulich) Upland High School.

**Ivan Ostry** (son of Cindy & Peter Ostry) Rosemead High School and La Canada High School, CA

**Charles Harrison Waite** (son of Lisa & Randy Waite) (grandson of Lois & Don Bulen) Glendora High School.

**Tyler Schube** (grandson of Duane & Linda Schube) Glendora High School.

**Dylan Malasarn** (son of Maria Sansui & Ruemruk Malasarn) (grandson of Dean & Heidi Sanui) Arcadia High School.

**Tyler Ross** (son of Bill & Jennifer Ross) Arcadia High School.

**Caitlyn Shen** (daughter of Franklyn Shen) Arcadia High School.

### **College/Graduate School**

**Taylor Ruiz** (granddaughter of Jim & Carole Sano) Cal Poly Pomona, BA & going for 5<sup>th</sup> year teaching credential.

**Emily Schube** (granddaughter of Duane & Linda Schube) Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, Major in Animal Science & 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt. in ROTC.

**Erik Olson** (grandson of Jackie Olson) Cal Poly Pomona, Aerospace Engineer.

**James Wilson** (son of Steve & Nora Wilson) Cal Poly Pomona, Major in Psychology, Minor in Philosophy, starts law school in August at Pepperdine University.

# Back to School Drive

Please help us reach our goal of providing 2,000 students of low income families with backpacks and supplies for the upcoming school year.



## SUPPLIES NEEDED

- Brand New Back Packs (no blue or red)
- Calculators - Basic or Scientific
- Colored Pencils and Markers and Crayons (24-pack)
- Composition Books (College and wide ruled)
- Erasers (pencil top and regular)
- Filler Paper (College and wide ruled, 150 sheets)
- Folders (2 Pocket or 3-prong) and Binders
- Glue Bottle (Water soluble) or Glue Sticks
- Highlighters and Post-It Notes
- Pencil Boxes & Pouches
- Pencil (Mechanical, 0.5 mm, bundles of 3)
- Pencils (Standard, bundles) and Sharpeners
- Pens (Black or blue ink, bundles)
- Rulers (12")
- Scissors (5" Blunt and Pointed)
- Spiral Notebook (College or wide)

Drop off at our Monrovia or Pasadena Locations.

For more details or other ways you can help visit:  
[www.tinyurl.com/fuci-bts2021](http://www.tinyurl.com/fuci-bts2021) or scan QR code

Back to School Distribution will take place at our centers: August 9 - 13

Need Help? Call 626.358.3486 to register or to see if you qualify to receive services.

OR DONATE TODAY  
Text **GIVETOKIDS** to **91999**



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## The 37<sup>th</sup> California Pacific Annual Conference

This year's annual conference was a virtual experience from June 17-19. We are thankful for the following members who served as Church Lay Representatives: Margaret Blair, Craig & Diane Lucas, and Lynne Rivera. Rev. Eva Thai-Erwin and Ministry Intern Michael Chesnut also attended. And congratulations to Tyler Ross and Caitlyn Shen who participated as East District Youth Delegates. There were resolutions to approve, budgets to pass, and reports to be heard. But the conference theme "Restoration: Parables of the Pandemic" reminded us to engage our heads and hearts in shared stories even in the midst of these challenging and unique times. Our church and district lay representatives will provide short reflections in upcoming newsletter articles.

**Sunday Service Is “In Person” at 10:00 a.m. in the Sanctuary and  
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open minds,  
open doors*

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