



THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE
GOOD SHEPHERD



The Hill
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THE HOLY EUCHARIST

10:30^A

The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Proper 18

SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

WELCOME

WORSHIP

The Holy Eucharist – readings from and responses to the Bible and the celebration of Holy Communion – is the central act of Sunday worship in the Episcopal Church. This leaflet contains the text and hymns necessary to participate in this service.

HEARING DEVICES

Hearing devices are available at the entrance to the main church on the Windsor campus - please ask an usher for assistance.

RESTROOMS

Public restrooms are available in the narthex and the Parish Life Center (PLC) atrium.

PARKING

In addition to on-campus parking, space is available (*Sunday mornings only*) at Tarrytown Shopping Center across Windsor and Wells Fargo Bank one block east on Windsor. If you park on a street, please be sure that you are not parked in a fire lane or blocking a driveway.

REQUEST PRAYERS

Intercessory prayer is a vital element of our public worship and private devotions. Our parish prays our prayer list during our Sunday services. Additionally, the clergy of the parish regularly remembers by name all those for whom the parish's prayers have been invited, as do members of our Wednesday women's prayer group. We warmly encourage you to invite prayers for yourself and for those you love by scanning the QR code on the right.



CONNECT

If you are new to Good Shepherd or are interested in learning more about our community, please fill out a newcomer card located in the pew racks, narthex, or Parish Life Center atrium and drop it in the offering plate or hand it to an usher or clergy person. You can also fill out a newcomer card online at GSAUSTIN.ORG > **I'M NEW > CONNECT WITH US**, or by scanning this QR code.



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The Holy Eucharist

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PRELUDE *Fantasia in C, BWV 570*

J.S. Bach

ENTRANCE RITE

HYMN 371 *Thou, whose almighty word*

MOSCOW

OPENING ACCLAMATION AND COLLECT FOR PURITY

Celebrant Blessed be God: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

People And blessed be God's kingdom, now and for ever. Amen.

Celebrant Almighty God, to you all hearts are open, all desires known,
and from you no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our
hearts by the inspiration of your Holy Spirit, that we may
perfectly love you, and worthily magnify your holy Name;
through Christ our Lord.

People Amen.

GLORIA *Robert Powell*

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All Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.
Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world: have mercy on us;
you are seated at the right hand of the Father: receive our prayer.
For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

SALUTATION AND COLLECT OF THE DAY

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Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Let us pray.

Grant us, O Lord, to trust in you with all our hearts; for, as you always resist the proud who
confide in their own strength, so you never forsake those who make their boast of your
mercy; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

People Amen.

Lector Say to those who are of a fearful heart,
 'Be strong, do not fear!
 Here is your God.
 He will come with vengeance,
 with terrible recompense.
 He will come and save you.'
 Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened,
 and the ears of the deaf unstopped;
 then the lame shall leap like a deer,
 and the tongue of the speechless sing for joy.
 For waters shall break forth in the wilderness,
 and streams in the desert;
 the burning sand shall become a pool,
 and the thirsty ground springs of water;
 The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

PSALM *Lauda, anima mea*

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Choir 1 Hallelujah!
 Praise the LORD, O my soul! *
 I will praise the LORD as long as I live;
 I will sing praises to my God while I have my being.
 2 Put not your trust in rulers, nor in any child of earth, *
 for there is no help in them.
 3 When they breathe their last, they return to earth, *
 and in that day their thoughts perish.
 4 Happy are they who have the God of Jacob for their help! *
 whose hope is in the LORD their God;
 5 Who made heaven and earth, the seas, and all that is in them; *
 who keeps his promise for ever;
 6 Who gives justice to those who are oppressed, *
 and food to those who hunger.
 7 The LORD sets the prisoners free;
 the LORD opens the eyes of the blind; *
 the LORD lifts up those who are bowed down;
 8 The LORD loves the righteous;
 the LORD cares for the stranger; *
 he sustains the orphan and widow,
 but frustrates the way of the wicked.
 9 The LORD shall reign for ever, *
 your God, O Zion, throughout all generations.
 Hallelujah!

Lector My brothers and sisters, do you with your acts of favoritism really believe in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ? For if a person with gold rings and in fine clothes comes into your assembly, and if a poor person in dirty clothes also comes in, and if you take notice of the one wearing the fine clothes and say, "Have a seat here, please," while to the one who is poor you say, "Stand there," or, "Sit at my feet," have you not made distinctions among yourselves, and become judges with evil thoughts? Listen, my beloved brothers and sisters. Has not God chosen the poor in the world to be rich in faith and to be heirs of the kingdom that he has promised to those who love him? But you have dishonored the poor. Is it not the rich who oppress you? Is it not they who drag you into court? Is it not they who blaspheme the excellent name that was invoked over you? You do well if you really fulfill the royal law according to the scripture, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself." But if you show partiality, you commit sin and are convicted by the law as transgressors. For whoever keeps the whole law but fails in one point has become accountable for all of it. [For the one who said, "You shall not commit adultery," also said, "You shall not murder." Now if you do not commit adultery but if you murder, you have become a transgressor of the law. So speak and so act as those who are to be judged by the law of liberty. For judgment will be without mercy to anyone who has shown no mercy; mercy triumphs over judgment.] What good is it, my brothers and sisters, if you say you have faith but do not have works? Can faith save you? If a brother or sister is naked and lacks daily food, and one of you says to them, "Go in peace; keep warm and eat your fill," and yet you do not supply their bodily needs, what is the good of that? So faith by itself, if it has no works, is dead.

The Word of the Lord.

People Thanks be to God.

THE GOSPEL ACCLAMATION



Cantor Jesus proclaimed the Gospel of the kingdom and cured every disease among the people.

THE GOSPEL

7: 24-37

Gospeller The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Mark.

People Glory to you, Lord Christ.

Gospeller Jesus set out and went away to the region of Tyre. He entered a house and did not want anyone to know he was there. Yet he could not escape notice, but a woman whose little daughter had an unclean spirit immediately heard about him, and she came and bowed down at his feet. Now the woman was a Gentile, of Syrophenician origin. She begged him to cast the demon out of her daughter. He said to her, "Let the children be fed first, for it is not fair to take the children's food and throw it to the dogs." But she answered him, "Sir, even the dogs under the table eat the children's crumbs." Then he said to her, "For saying that, you may go—the demon has left your daughter." So she went home, found the child lying on the bed, and the demon gone.

Then he returned from the region of Tyre, and went by way of Sidon towards the Sea of Galilee, in the region of the Decapolis. They brought to him a deaf man who had an impediment in his speech; and they begged him to lay his hand on him. He took him aside in private, away from the crowd, and put his fingers into his ears, and he spat and touched his tongue. Then looking up to heaven, he sighed and said to him, "Ephphatha," that is, "Be opened." And immediately his ears were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. Then Jesus ordered them to tell no one; but the more he ordered them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. They were astounded beyond measure, saying, "He has done everything well; he even makes the deaf to hear and the mute to speak."

The Gospel of the Lord.

People Praise to you, Lord Christ.

Celebrant Let us profess our faith.

We pray for those...

In need of comfort

Steve
 Val Williams
 Anna McKerrow
 Everett Lees
 Barry Richardson
 Louie
 Keith
 Kodi
 Maryalice Sheets
 Eddie
 Steve
 Geraline Dail
 Sunny Blount
 Del Mixon
 Kathy
 Barbara Trainor
 Mike
 Kallie Harrington
 Ann Bahan
 Stanley
 Michael
 Leslie McMillan
 Will
 Ernie Dean
 Julie Harrington
 Barbara Eckert
 Taylor
 The Fanning family
 The Adcock family
 The Holden family
 The Dunbar family
 The Kline family

All We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty,
 maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.
 We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God,
 eternally begotten of the Father,
 God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God,
 begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father.
 Through him all things were made.
 For us and for our salvation, he came down from heaven:
 by the power of the Holy Spirit
 he became incarnate from the Virgin Mary,
 and was made man.
 For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate;
 he suffered death and was buried.
 On the third day he rose again
 in accordance with the Scriptures;
 he ascended into heaven
 and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
 He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead,
 and his kingdom will have no end.
 We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life,
 who proceeds from the Father and the Son.
 With the Father and the Son he is worshiped and glorified.
 He has spoken through the Prophets.
 We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church.
 We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.
 We look for the resurrection of the dead,
 and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Those in crisis in

Ukraine
 Israel
 Palestine
 The southern border

Celebrant With all our heart and with all our mind, let us pray to the Lord, saying
Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the peace of the world, for the welfare of the Holy Church of God, and for the unity of all peoples, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For Andy, Kai, Hector, and Jeff our Bishops, for Michael our Presiding Bishop and Sean his successor, and for all the clergy and people of the church, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the good earth which God has given us, and for the wisdom and will to conserve it, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For those seeking formation as faithful followers of your son our Savior, Jesus Christ. May their hearts be opened to the knowledge and love that you have for each and every one of your children and may we be reminded that our strength remains in our union with God and one another, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the aged and infirm, for the widowed and orphans, and for the sick and the suffering, especially..... let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For the poor and the oppressed, for the unemployed and the destitute, and for prisoners and captives. For all who remember and care for them and for our hearts to be stirred to do the same, let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Leader For all who have died in the hope of the resurrection and for a renewal of our hope in the same; and for all the departed, especially.....let us pray to the Lord.

People Lord, have mercy.

Celebrant: Gracious and living God, your loving care reaches to the ends of the earth, rescuing those who live in bondage and fear: Open our eyes and ears to your call of compassion, that we may joyfully share in your eternal life in union with you and one another, and bring all humanity into the goodness of your Spirit, through Jesus Christ our Savior.

People: Amen.

CONFESSION AND ABSOLUTION

Celebrant: In faith and humility, let us confess our sins against God and our neighbor.

People: Most merciful God,
we confess that we have sinned against you
in thought, word, and deed,
by what we have done,
and by what we have left undone.
We have not loved you with our whole heart;
we have not loved our neighbors as ourselves.
We are truly sorry and we humbly repent.
For the sake of your Son Jesus Christ,
have mercy on us and forgive us;
that we may delight in your will,
and walk in your ways,
to the glory of your Name. Amen.

Celebrant: Almighty God have mercy upon you, ✠forgive you all your sins through our Lord Jesus Christ, strengthen you in all goodness, and by the power of the Holy Spirit keep you in eternal life.

People: Amen.

THE PEACE

Celebrant The peace of the Lord be always with you.

People And also with you.

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND BIRTHDAY & ANNIVERSARY PRAYERS

Expecting the birth of a child

Layla Harkness
Callie Clemons Burns
Louise McNutt Brazitis
Caroline Hammond
Kate Reilly Richter
Blair Nelson
Courtney Becker
McCall Cunningham Adams
Evelyn Eickenhorst
Kelly Moreland
Laura Hur Betancourt
Natalie Babb Jenkins
Laura Testwuide
Britni McAshan
Nissa Roark
Mary Catherine Jarvis Davis
Annabell Jones McNew
Lorraine Wang
Cameron Covert Tuttle
Danielle Langton
Isabel Walker Gilbert

Births

Mary Margaret Amanda Henderson
Effie Carter Kline

Deaths

Tom Fanning
Rachel Graves Jones
Jim Holden

Serving in the armed forces

Sam Mittelman
Ronald Glenn Dewees
Ruben Hays
Shay Archer
Alexandra Mauro
Nico Barrangan
Jim Lively
Andrew Gray
Claten Bechtol
Zachary Pierce

The Altar Flowers

are given to the glory of God
and in thanksgiving for the Rev
Stanford Adams, Acting Rector

The Holy Communion

THE OFFERTORY

ANTHEM *Cantate Domino*

Giuseppe Pitoni

The Great Thanksgiving

Celebrant The Lord be with you.

People And also with you.

Celebrant Lift up your hearts.

People We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

People It is right to give God thanks and praise.

PREFACE FOR THE LORD'S DAY

SANCTUS *Robert Powell*

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Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly Lord, God of pow - er and
might, hea - ven and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho -
san - na in the high - est. Bless - ed is he who
comes in the name of the Lord. Ho - san - na in the high - est.

EUCCHARISTIC PRAYER B

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MEMORIAL ACCLAMATION

Celebrant ...Therefore, according to his command, O Father,

All We remember his death,
We proclaim his resurrection,
We await his coming in glory;

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Celebrant And now, as our Savior Christ has taught us, we are bold to say,

All Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy Name,
thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory,
for ever and ever. Amen.

Giving to Good Shepherd

Thank you for your support of Good Shepherd. To make an offering online, please scan here:



The Breaking of the Bread

¶ *A period of silence is kept*

FRACTION ANTHEM

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Be known to us, Lord Je - sus, in the break - ing of the bread.

Celebrant The gifts of God for the People of God

THE COMMUNION

ANTHEM *Give Almes of thy Goods*

Christopher Tye

HYMN 429 *I'll praise my maker, while I've breath*

OLD 113TH

SENDING OF LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITORS *(As needed)*

Celebrant In the name of this congregation I send you forth bearing these holy gifts, that those to whom you minister may share with us in the Communion of Christ's body and blood.

People We, who are many, are one body, because we all share one bread, one cup.

THE POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Celebrant Let us pray.

All Eternal God, heavenly Father,
you have graciously accepted us
as living members of your Son our Savior Jesus Christ,
and you have fed us with spiritual food
in the Sacrament of his Body and Blood.
Send us now into the world in peace,
and grant us strength and courage
to love and serve you
with gladness and singleness of heart;
through Christ our Lord. Amen.

About Communion

We are an open and inclusive community, committed to the unity of Christ's Body, the Church, and to welcoming those baptized in any Christian tradition to the Table of the Lord. Gluten free wafers are always available.

If you do not wish to receive Communion but would like to receive a blessing, please come forward and cross your arms against your chest.

BLESSING

¶ *The Celebrant pronounces a blessing.*

People Amen.

HYMN 376 *Joyful, joyful we adore thee*

HYMN TO JOY

DISMISSAL

Priest Let us go forth into the world, rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

People Thanks be to God.

POSTLUDE *Allabreve in D, BWV 589*

J.S. Bach

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

Formation Kick-off

- 8:00a – Holy Eucharist, *Windsor, nave*
- 9:15a – Sunday Bible Study: The Message to the Galatians, *Windsor, media room*
- 9:15a – Early Church, *Windsor, PLC*
- 9:30a – Adult Ed at the Hill, *the Hill, parish hall*
- 9:30a – Children & Family Sunday School, *the Hill*
- 10:00a – Nursery opens, *Windsor, nursery*
- 10:00a-10:30a – Children’s Choir, *Windsor, education center, children’s choir room*
- 10:15a-11:05a – Godly Play, *Windsor, education center, 2nd floor*
- 10:15a-11:05a – Edge Kids Bible Study, *Windsor, edge room*
- 10:30a – Holy Eucharist with Choir, *Windsor, nave (livestreamed)*
- 10:30a – Communion Café: Holy Eucharist with acoustic band, *Windsor, PLC*
- 10:30a – Holy Eucharist with acoustic band, *the Hill*
- 11:30a-12:30p – Welcome Back to Church and Celebration of Ministry, *Windsor, the common*
- 12:00p-1:00p – The Order of the Daughters of the King: Fall Discernment, *Windsor, vestry room*
- 12:00p-2:00p – Youth Group, *Windsor, youth corner*
- 6:00p – Holy Eucharist with Organ, *Windsor, nave*

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

- 8:15a – Morning Prayer at the Hill, *the Hill*
- 9:30a – Mom’s Bible Study, *Windsor, media room*
- 1:30p – Transitions Bible Study, *Windsor, media room*
- 5:00p – Contemplative Prayer Group, *Windsor, reflection room*
- 5:00p – Women’s Book Club, *Windsor, parent lounge*
- 6:30p – Men’s Bible Study, *Windsor, vestry room*

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

- 5:00p – Grief Support Group, *Windsor, reflection room*
- 5:30p-6:00p – Healing Service, *Windsor, nave chapel*
- 6:45p-7:30p – Evensong Choir Rehearsal, *Windsor, choir room*
- 7:30p-9:00p – Good Shepherd Adult Choir Rehearsal, *Windsor, choir room*

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

- 6:30p-9:00p – Education for Ministry (EfM), *Windsor, vestry room*
- 7:00p-8:00p – Diving Deeper Discussion Group, *the Hill, parish hall*

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

- 9:00a – Altar Guild, *Windsor, nave*

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

- 8:00a – Holy Eucharist, *Windsor, nave*
- 9:15a – Sunday Bible Study: The Message to the Galatians, *Windsor, media room*
- 9:15a – Early Church, *Windsor, PLC*
- 9:30a – Adult Ed at the Hill, *the Hill, parish hall*
- 9:30a – Children & Family Sunday School, *the Hill*
- 10:00a – Nursery opens, *Windsor, nursery*
- 10:00a-10:30a – Children’s Choir, *Windsor, education center, children’s choir room*
- 10:15a-11:05a – Godly Play, *Windsor, education center, 2nd floor*
- 10:15a-11:05a – Edge Kids Bible Study, *Windsor, edge room*
- 10:30a – Holy Eucharist with Choir, *Windsor, nave (livestreamed)*
- 10:30a – Communion Café: Holy Eucharist with acoustic band, *Windsor, PLC*
- 10:30a – Holy Eucharist with acoustic band, *the Hill*
- 11:30a-12:30p – Newcomer Welcome Coffee, *Windsor, Allen hall*
- 12:00p-1:00p – The Order of the Daughters of the King: Fall Discernment, *Windsor, vestry room*
- 12:00p-2:00p – Youth Group, *Windsor, youth corner*
- 2:00p-4:00p – Voter Registration Fair, *the Hill*
- 6:00p – Holy Eucharist with Organ, *Windsor, nave*

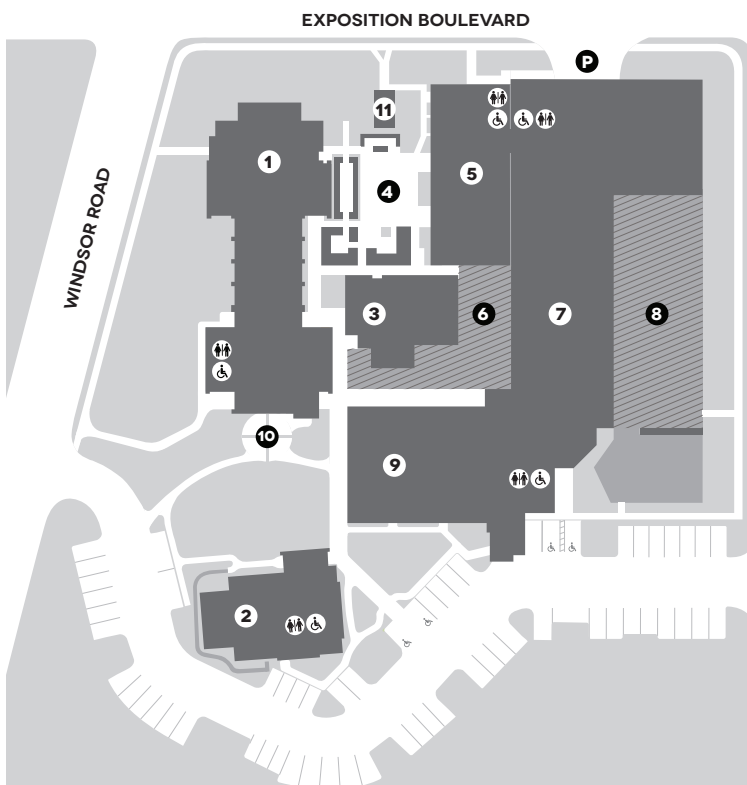
TO FIND MORE UPCOMING EVENTS

Please visit our website calendar at: gsaustin.org/events

WEEKLY EMAILS

Find more information and upcoming events in our weekly parish-wide email. Please email dawn@gsaustin.org to subscribe.

CAMPUS MAP



- ① Church Building / Nave (CB)
–Chapel (CH)
- ② Administration Building (AB)
First Floor:
–Conference Room (CO)
Second Floor:
–Staff Lounge (SL)
- ③ Nursery (N) / Bride’s Room (BR)
- ④ Garth / Columbarium
- ⑤ Allen Hall (AH)
- ⑥ North Playground
- ⑦ Education Center (EC)
First Floor:
–Good Shepherd Episcopal School (GSES)
Second Floor:
–Art Room (AR)
–Choir Room (CR)
–Media Room (MR)
–Reflection Room (RR)
–Vestry Room (VR)
–Youth Corner (YC)
- ⑧ South Playground
- ⑨ Parish Life Center (PLC)
–Kitchen (K)
- ⑩ The Common (CMN)
- ⑪ Wayside Chapel
- P Parking Garage Entrance
- ♿ Restrooms
- ♿ Accessible Restrooms

GOOD SHEPHERD UPCOMING EVENTS

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TODAY
SEPTEMBER 8

WELCOME BACK TO CHURCH AND CELEBRATION OF MINISTRY

Welcome back to church as we kick off our 2024-2025 program year! This Sunday marks the return of our Sunday morning and weekday formation groups after the summer break. The church campus is abuzz with activity and excitement about the future of Good Shepherd. In July, the Rev. Stanford Adams began his term as acting rector and now we take the opportunity to celebrate this next phase of parish leadership. Please stay today after 10:30a worship for coffee and snacks on the Windsor, common.

CHILDREN & YOUTH FORMATION KICK-OFF

- **10:00a–10:30a** Children's Choir (Kindergarten-5th grade), *Windsor, children's choir room*
- **10:15a–11:05a** Godly Play (3 years-2nd grade), *Windsor, education center*
- **10:15a–11:05a** Edge Bible Study (3-5th grade), *Windsor, edge room*
- **12:00p–2:00p** Youth Group (6-12th grade), *Windsor, youth corner*

We welcome all—whether long-tenured or brand-new to the parish—to join these programs. Scan the QR code to register your child for any of these programs.



SUNDAY BIBLE STUDY: THE MESSAGE TO THE GALATIANS

Paul and Barnabas had founded the Galatian churches on the first missionary journey (Acts 13-14) by their preaching and teaching. After their departure, other teachers arrived and began to undermine Paul's teaching. In response, Paul wrote a six-chaptered epistle. His three main questions were concerned with apostolic authority (how do we know what to believe?), the gift of salvation (how do we understand "justification by grace through faith"?), and the life of holiness (how do we live a life of righteousness and love?). The answers Paul gives to the Galatian believers hold true for us today. Join us on Sundays, starting today from 9:15a–10:10a in the Windsor, media room. For more information, please contact the Rev. Mike Wyckoff, mike@gsaustin.org.

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SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 15

NEWCOMER WELCOME COFFEE AT WINDSOR

All parishioners, old and new, are invited to our fall newcomer welcome coffee. Following the 10:30a services, join us for coffee, refreshments, and connection in Allen Hall. This is a wonderful opportunity to meet new friends and reconnect with familiar faces. We look forward to seeing you there! For information, please contact Kathy Jolink, kathyj@gsaustin.org.

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TUESDAY
SEPTEMBER 17

GENERATIONS OF GOOD SHEPHERD: HARRY RANSOM CENTER FIELD TRIP

Generations of Good Shepherd events are gatherings for all ages and a great way to meet others in a relaxed and fun atmosphere. On Tuesday, September 17, we will visit the Harry Ransom Center on the University of Texas campus for a guided tour of the Ansel Adams exhibit, *Visualizing the Environment*. Admission is free. Tour group is limited, so please RSVP to Kathy Jolink as soon as you can! Meet inside the Ransom Center at 10:00a or contact Kathy Jolink, kathyj@gsaustin.org for carpooling from Good Shepherd at 9:15a.

CONFIRMATION INFORMATION SESSION FOR PARENTS AND STUDENTS

Confirmation is for students in 9th-12th grades and up who are ready to make a mature and public declaration of their faith. This entails a commitment to participation in the life of the church, including regular attendance at worship, service to the church, a commitment to seeking justice and peace in the world, and an overall interest in deepening their connection to God in Christ. Our Youth Confirmation Retreat will take place on Friday-Saturday, Jan 10-11, 2025, and our Confirmation service will take place in the Spring of 2025. This information session is required to attend the confirmation retreat in January. With questions and to request the zoom link, contact the Rev. Jonathan McManus-Dail, jonathan@gsaustin.org.

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SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 22

LAY EUCHARISTIC VISITOR INFORMATION MEETING

Lay Eucharistic Visitors bring communion and prayers from the church altar to homebound members of our Good Shepherd family. We will host a fall interest meeting after the 10:30a services in the Windsor, vestry room with lunch provided. If you are interested in learning more about this important ministry or plan to attend, please contact the Rev. Paige Alvarez Hanks, paige@gsaustin.org.

MUSIC ON THE HILL FEATURING: CAT MCGEE & JAN SEIDES

Music on the Hill is a concert series featuring world-class musicians in the intimate setting of the Hill. Join us for a special evening starting at 6:30p with Cat McGee, a singer-songwriter hailing from Dallas and Jan Seides, a singer-songwriter based in Austin to enjoy music in the "Best Unknown Listening Room in Austin!" \$10 suggested donation, BYOB. Volunteers to help with setup are most appreciated. Please contact Matt Bradshaw, mattb@gsaustin.org for more information or if you are interested in helping out!

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TUESDAY
SEPTEMBER 24

WOMEN OF GOOD SHEPHERD (WOGS) FALL LUNCHEON

We are excited to announce the official launch of Women of Good Shepherd (WOGS)! Since February 1944, when the first group of Good Shepherd women gathered, we have published cookbooks, hosted bazaars, offered scholarships, and supported our various guilds. Today's newly launched WOGS will continue to provide fellowship, support, and fun for women of all ages. Please join us for a luncheon and to learn more at 11:30a in the Windsor, Parish Life Center. For more information, please contact Jessica Riels, jessica@gsaustin.org.

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SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 28

NAMI WALK

Join Good Shepherd on the Hill/Hillside ECC and the Austin Community in supporting the National Alliance on Mental Illness – Central Texas by walking a 5K with our team and/or making a financial contribution. Together, we can contribute to better mental health in the greater Austin area. We will make signs together at the Hill on September 22 at 11:30a. If interested in carpooling to the walk site, please meet by 8:30 to join the carpool. Parking is also available at the beginning of the route at the Long Center (701 W. Riverside Drive). To register and/or make your financial contribution please scan the QR code. With questions or to request to carpool, please contact Nissa Roark, nissa.roark@gmail.com.



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SUNDAY
SEPTEMBER 29

SHEPHERD FEST

Not your average 'ministry fair'! Join us after 10:30a worship for our 2nd annual Oktoberfest themed fall picnic on the Windsor, common. Enjoy burgers and brats by our Feeding the Flock grill team and live music by 'Off the Grid' Band. Information about our parish programs for all ages will be available. Sign up to bring a side dish or help us in the kitchen by scanning the QR code. For more information please contact Jessica Riels, jessica@gsaustin.org.



CHORAL EVENSONG FOR THE FEAST OF ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS

Choral Evensong, or Evening Prayer, is a cherished tradition of the Anglican Communion. Join us at the Windsor, nave at 6:00p for an evening of sung prayer, great hymns, and organ masterworks. Tonight, we welcome Father Larry Covington of St. Theresa Parish as guest homilist. A wine and cheese reception will follow in the PLC. With questions, please email Chris Oelkers, chris@gsaustin.org.