



**SERVING US IN WORSHIP TODAY**

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ORGANIST & HANDBELL DIRECTOR	Cheryl Todd
CHOIR DIRECTOR	Jonathan Tatar
CONTEMPORARY MUSIC	Jon Conover and ReBorn
PIANIST & ORGANIST	Sue Gilla

**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**GIVING:** Online giving is available and is appreciated as we will still have our regular operating costs and bills. Please mail in your giving to P.O. Box 695 5 W. Washington St. Oswego IL 60543 or use our E giving for online giving <https://giving.ncsservices.org/app/giving/goodshepherdoswego> which can also be found on our website under the giving tab. ~ Thank you!

**MEN'S LUNCH:** The United Methodist Men will be having their monthly Men's Luncheon at Ivana's Cafe, 12 W. Main Street, Plano on Wednesday, July 20th at noon. Please join us for fellowship and a fine meal.

**NURSERY:** Staff Parish would like to know how many people would use the church nursery if it were opened. The nursery is for children five years and under. If it was opened using volunteers, would you be willing to help? Please send responses to [dianeclodi@yahoo.com](mailto:dianeclodi@yahoo.com). Thank you.

**HANDYMAN NEEDED!** "The ladies of Townhomes of Season's Ridge are devastated. We lost our handyman. Do you know of anyone in our church or elsewhere who is one? It is for little jobs that we really cannot do. " If you are a handy person and are willing to help some ladies and shut ins from the church with some small handy jobs from time to time, please notify the office.

**COUGARS NIGHT:** The United Methodist Men are sponsoring an opportunity to see the Kane County Cougars play baseball in Geneva. The game is Friday night, July 15th at 6:30 PM with fireworks afterwards and kids running the bases. Tickets are \$10 and are available from Craig McGregor (630-346-2239) or church office (630-554-3269). The tickets will also be available Sunday mornings in the gathering room until July 10th after the services. Please come and join us! General parking at the park is \$10 cash per vehicle. We have four general parking tickets available for only \$6.00. Parking tickets are on a first come first served basis.

**REMINDERS FROM THE OFFICE:** When leaving the church and the building is empty, please be sure the doors are locked. If you adjusted the air conditioning, please put it back on the starting point.



THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD  
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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June 29, 2022**

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*"OPEN HEARTS. OPEN MINDS. OPEN DOORS."*

**June 29, 2022**  
**3rd Sunday after Pentecost**

*WELCOME! We are happy you came to worship with us today. If you would like to join our mailing list please subscribe on our website. [www.goodshepherdoswego.org](http://www.goodshepherdoswego.org)*

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PRELUDE *How Great Thou Art* Cheryl Todd

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WORSHIP IS CELEBRATING GOD'S LOVE AND POWER

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: You servants of God, praise God's name!

**People: Blessed be God's name from this time forth and for evermore! From the rising of the sun to its setting, we shall praise God's name!**

Leader: Let us worship God. +

SPECIAL MUSIC *Revive Me* Reborn

WORSHIP IS SHARING AND PRAYING

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Leader: "Lord, in your mercy"

**People: "Hear our prayer"**

HYMN NO 383 (vs. 1,2,4) *This is a Day of New Beginnings* Jonathan Tatar  
Accompanist: Sue Gilla

PRAYER OF PRAISE AND ADORATION

Leader: Who is likened unto you, O God; with whom can you be compared? You are seated on high and look far down upon the heavens and the earth. You raise the poor from the earth, and the needy you lift from the heap of ashes. You visit calamity's child with the gift of new life, promised in Jesus our Christ and Savior. For all the mercy you shower upon us, we give you glory and sing you our praises. **Amen** +

SILENT PRAYER, PASTORAL PRAYER & THE LORDS PRAYER #895

WORSHIP IS HEARING GOD'S WORD

SPECIAL MUSIC: *Heavenly Sunlight* One A' Chord

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 112, \*Matthew 5:13-20 Kim Mattern

SERMON: Rev. Barbara Good

WORSHIP IS WITNESSING TO THE WORLD

HYMN TFWS 2158(vs.1, 2) *Just a Closer Walk with Thee* Jonathan Tatar  
accompanist: Sue Gilla

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE *O Worship the King* Cheryl Todd

+ Kirk When We Gather

*Let it Go* music and lyrics by Jon Conover

Meditation on "How Great Thou Art". composed by Stuart Hine and arranged by Lani Smith

Revive Me music & lyrics by Jon Conover

"O Worship the King" by Johann Haydn and arranged by Roger Wilson

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## Psalm 112

Praise the LORD!

Happy are those who fear the LORD,  
who greatly delight in his commandments.

Their descendants will be mighty in the land;  
the generation of the upright will be blessed.

Wealth and riches are in their houses,  
and their righteousness endures forever.

They rise in the darkness as a light for the upright;  
they are gracious, merciful, and righteous.

It is well with those who deal generously and lend,  
who conduct their affairs with justice.

For the righteous will never be moved;  
they will be remembered forever.

They are not afraid of evil tidings;  
their hearts are firm, secure in the LORD.

Their hearts are steady; they will not be afraid;  
in the end they will look in triumph on their foes.

They have distributed freely; they have given to the poor;  
their righteousness endures forever;  
their horn is exalted in honor.

The wicked see it and are angry;  
they gnash their teeth and melt away;  
the desire of the wicked comes to nothing.

## \*Matthew 5:13-20

“You are the salt of the earth, but if salt has lost its taste, how can its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything but is thrown out and trampled underfoot.

“You are the light of the world. A city built on a hill cannot be hid. People do not light a lamp and put it under the bushel basket; rather, they put it on the lampstand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father in heaven.

“Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have come not to abolish but to fulfill. For truly I tell you, until heaven and earth pass away, not one letter, not one stroke of a letter, will pass from the law until all is accomplished. Therefore, whoever breaks one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven.