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# SHEPHERD OF THE VALLEY LUTHERAN CHURCH NEWSLETTER

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Shepherd's Office Hours:  
Mon-Thurs

Pastor

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Mon - Wed

10:00 - 2:00 pm

And by appt.

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Summer

Worship Services

8:30 a & 10:00 a

## YOUTH GROUP

The youth group will be leaving Jun 27th to attend the ELCA Youth Gathering in Houston, TX. There we will spend 5 days engaging in activities around justice and community. We are super excited for this journey and will be having a send off celebration soon!



### Upcoming Events

Parent/Youth meeting Wednesday June 13th at 7pm at SOV. A parent must be present to sign release forms for the trip.

Youth Group Movie Night Saturday June 23rd at 5pm at Caitlin's house.

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*"A caring community  
touched by Christ,  
touching others for Christ"*

## Council President...Submitted by Linnea H.

From Your President

June each year brings the end to some programs at church, the beginning of others, and a change in service times. In addition, it brings a change in the Church Council. Elections will be held at our Annual Meeting on June 3. The members of Council Committees will be elected as will our Vice President, Financial Secretary and Secretary. Each of the Council Committees will then select a Council Representative who, along with the Executive Committee, will form your Church Council.

As these changes are happening, I would like to take a moment to sincerely thank Reynold Roeder, Christine Edgar and Caryl Husk who have served on the Executive Committee for the past two to four years. Their thoughts, ideas, input and support have been priceless. They are daily examples of the love that is here at Shepherd of the Valley. I also want to thank everyone who has served on the Council Committees this past year and especially the Council Representatives and Alternates who have served their committees at Council and, by extension, all of us. It is their hard work that energizes our programs and keep things happening. Thank you: Arden, Chris, Jacob, Lisa, Sandra, Wendy, Peggy and Diane.

If you get the chance before she leaves for Houston with our youth, please give a special "thank you" to Stacey Roeder. I do not know where she gets the energy, but she seems to have an abundance! We are fortunate to have someone so dedicated to our youth that she would make this trip three times!! Thank you, Stacey.

There are always so many people who keep SOV running that it is impossible to thank everyone individually. Whether you are mowing the grass, teaching Sunday School, cleaning the restrooms, bringing snacks, setting up for communion, singing in the choir, playing in the band, caring for the landscape, vacuuming, changing light bulbs, and on and on, THANK YOU! We could not do it without you.

Blessings to each and every one of you,  
Linnea Harmon  
Council President

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## Women's Bible Study at SOV

Join us each Friday 5:00 - 6:00 pm



## Fellowship article for SOV Newsletter - June 2018

Happy Summer! SOV's Fellowship committee is busy putting together plans for the months ahead, and thinking about what kinds of activities would be welcome.

We would love your feedback on what has worked before or doesn't work any more, or your suggestions for new activities. Here are some ideas; please give your comments to any Fellowship team member.

**Sunday Salad Supper** - Gather at a volunteer's home for an hour or two on a Sunday evening, and bring a salad.

**Group Paint Party** - Share a canvas and participate in a theme painting, led by Larry Gross, or do individual paintings, together.

**Hillsboro Hops** - Go to a game and have a potluck picnic. Fun and friendship for the cost of a ticket.

**Free Concert in the Park** - Go as a group and bring something to share. Shute Park, Sauvie Island, Beaverton Round, suggestions?

In other news, the committee continues to feed the people on Sunday mornings, and relies on contributions of food and elbow grease. Would you like to mark a special day such as a wedding anniversary, birthday or the anniversary of the passing of a loved one? Sign up to host coffee hour on that day. Fellowship team members are glad to help you. In order to reduce SOV annual expense, the committee no longer has a budget, so contributions of time and treats are welcome now more than ever.

May God bless all of our gatherings.

Chris Todd

**JULY NEWSLETTER ARTICLES ARE DUE JUNE 25TH**

## Kids of the Kingdom Christian Preschool

Enrollment is still going on even though KOK is now closed for Summer Break. If you or someone you know would like more information about our preschool, and/or would like to take a tour, please contact us at [kokpreschool@gmail.com](mailto:kokpreschool@gmail.com). Staff will be back in the office in August and classes will start the week of September 11th. Have a great summer!



### **Scrip Order Sundays; June 3rd & 17th**

Please give your order and payment to Caryl or simply drop it in the scrip box located in the narthex anytime.

**\*\*No Scrip Orders in July or August  
Will resume in September**

# JUNE BIRTHDAYS

4 Ellen R	12 Matt K
10 Adrian G	12 Valsala K
10 Edward N	12 Wesley P
10 Anita R	14 Emily V
10 Wendy R	27 Sara P
11 Judy F	



God's Blessing  
 For a  
 Joyful New Year  
 In  
 Life!

## JUNE ANNIVERSARIES

*Dick & Charleen Kuykendall  
June 20th*

*Marv & Sheila Voss  
June 25th*

*Eric & Diane Lewis  
June 22nd*

*Gary & Tabitha McVey  
June 26th*

*Bob & Lisa McIntyre  
June 23rd*



# JUNE 2018

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p><i>Holy Spirit, we ask You to fill us with the knowledge of Your will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding. Help us to walk worthy and fully pleasing before You. As a Church Family, help us to be fruitful in every good work and to increase in Your knowledge. Teach us how to live together in unity. Walk us through the steps to restore balance to our Church Family. Please strengthen us and help us to represent Your Kingdom in the earth.</i></p>					1	2 
<p>3 One worship service 10:00 a Annual congregational meeting Scrip Sunday  1:30 p OEC</p>	<p>4 Bunco Fundraiser for B the Light Charity 6:00 p potluck 7-9 p Bunco</p> 	5	<p>6 7:00 a Coffee Group</p>	<p>7</p> 	8	9
<p>10 Summer worship begins 8:30 &amp; 10:00 a</p>	11	12	<p>13 7:00 a Coffee Group</p>	14	15	16
<p>17 worship 8:30 &amp; 10:00 a Scrip Sunday Graduation Sunday  1:30 p OEC Father's Day</p>	<p>18</p> 	19	<p>20 7:00 a Coffee Group</p>	21	<p>22</p> 	23
<p>24 worship 8:30 &amp; 10:00 a  1:30 p OEC</p>	25	26	<p>27 7:00 a Coffee Group</p>	28	29	30  <i>In</i> <b>EVERYTHING</b> <i>give thanks.</i>