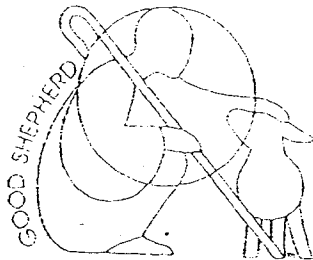


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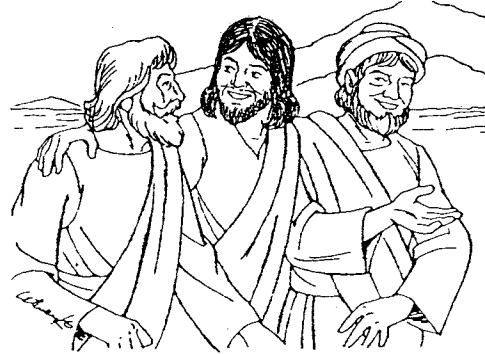
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**SUNDAY WORSHIP**  
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Sunday, November 16, 2008



On The Road To Emmaus  
**BIBLE STUDY**  
Sunday at 10:15

**WELCOME!**

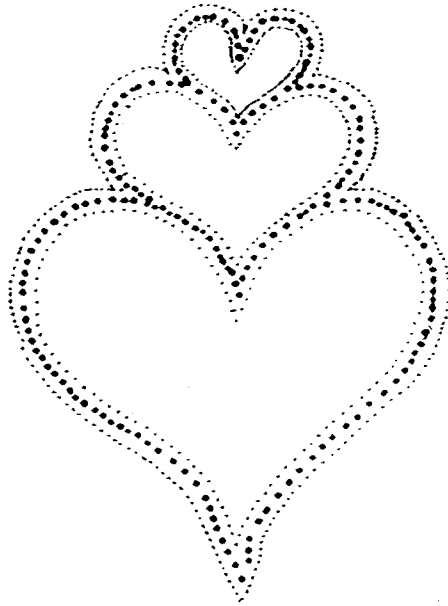
We're glad you joined us today to praise our Good Shepherd, Jesus, and to hear His Word. If this is your first time here, we're honored that you chose to worship with us! If you have visited us before, welcome back! It's great to see you again! I pray that your worship with us will be meaningful and worthwhile. A Nursery is available for parents who may be struggling with a little one during worship. Please ask an usher for assistance. If you have questions about our congregation, please ask. And please come back soon! We value your friendship and the opportunity to share the love of Jesus together with you.

Again –

**WELCOME!**

# The Order of Worship

## Welcoming Song:



*I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit in you. Ezekiel 36:26*

1. O for a heart to praise my God, A heart from sin set free,  
2. A heart in every thought re-newed And full of love di-vine;  
3. Thy na-ture, gra-cious Lord, im-part; Come quick-ly from a-bove.

A heart that al-ways feels Thy blood So free-ly shed for me.  
Per-fect and right and pure and good, A cop-y, Lord, of Thine!  
Write Thy new name up-on my heart, Thy new, best name of Love.

## *We Gather in the Name of the Lord*

Leader: In our baptism God forgives all sin, delivers us from eternal death and the devil, and freely gives salvation to all who trust what He has promised

**People: To remind us of our Baptism, we begin our worship with words spoken at our Baptism**

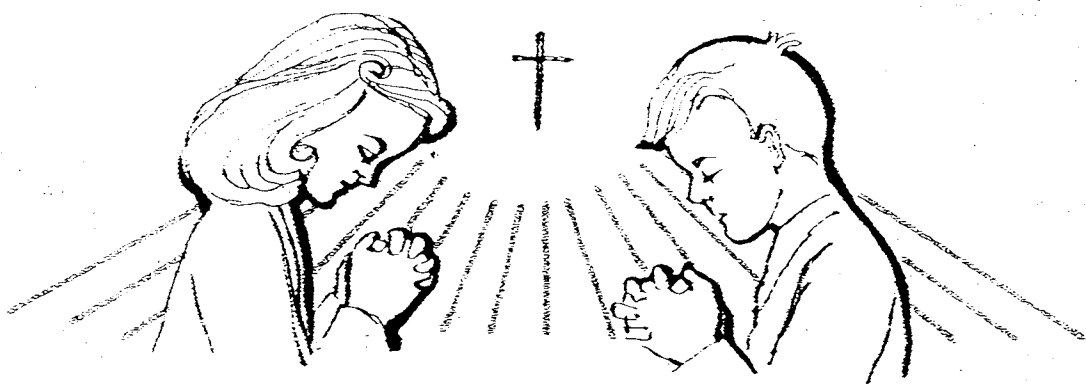
L: In the Name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit

**P: Amen**

L: Let us draw near, with a true heart, and confess our sins, asking God for His mercy and forgiveness for the sake of His eternal Son, our Lord Jesus Christ

**P: God of mercy, help us to confess our sins against You and others. We are covered in shame when we think on our sins. We apologize to You, Lord, for the evil in our hearts, the sinful ways we use speech, and the wicked ways we live our lives. Search us, O God and know us. Create in us clean hearts and forgive us our sins for Jesus sake.**

L: If we confess our sins, God is faithful and just, and will forgive us our sins. He purifies us from all unrighteousness, be of good cheer, your sins are forgiven. All of your sins and each one of your sins is completely covered by the blood of Jesus Christ, God's Son, and our Savior!



# Response: Verse 1 Lord of All Hopefulness

(D) Eb (G) A<sup>b</sup> (D) Eb (Bm) Cm (A) B<sup>b</sup> (D) Eb

1 Lord of all hope - ful - ness, Lord of all joy,  
 2 Lord of all ea - ger - ness, Lord of all faith,  
 3 Lord of all kind - li - ness, Lord of all grace,  
 4 Lord of all gen - tle - ness, Lord of all calm,

(A) B<sup>b</sup> (D) Eb (G) A<sup>b</sup> (A) B<sup>b</sup>

Whose trust, ev - er child-like, no cares could de - stroy:  
 Whose strong hands were skilled at the plane and the lathe:  
 Your hands swift to wel - come, Your arms to em - brace:  
 Whose voice is con - tent - ment, whose pres - ence is balm:

(G) A<sup>b</sup> (A) B<sup>b</sup> (Bm) Cm (F#) Gm (G) A<sup>b</sup>

Be there at our wak - ing, and give us, we pray,  
 Be there at our la - bors, and give us, we pray,  
 Be there at our hom - ing, and give us, we pray,  
 Be there at our sleep - ing, and give us, we pray,

(A) B<sup>b</sup> (Bm) Cm (G) A<sup>b</sup> (Bm) Cm (D) Eb (G) A<sup>b</sup> (D) Eb

Your bliss in our hearts, Lord, at the break of the day.  
 Your strength in our hearts, Lord, at the noon of the day.  
 Your love in our hearts, Lord, at the eve of the day.  
 Your peace in our hearts, Lord, at the end of the day.

## Third Sunday of End Time

### *Saints Triumphant*

Almighty God and Savior, you have set the final day and hour when we shall be delivered from this world of sin and death. Keep us ever watchful for the coming of your Son that we may sit with him and all your holy ones at the marriage feast in heaven; through Jesus Christ, your Son, our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever.

*Bible Reading: Is 52:1ff*

*Response: Verse 2 Lord of All Hopefulness*

*Bible Reading: Matt 55:1-13*

*Response: Verse 3 Lord of All Hopefulness*

### APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father almighty,  
maker of heaven and earth.

I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,  
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,  
born of the virgin Mary,  
suffered under Pontius Pilate,  
was crucified, died, and was buried.

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven

and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty.

From there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit,  
the holy Christian Church,  
the communion of saints,  
the forgiveness of sins,  
the resurrection of the body,  
and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Pre-sermon hymn:*

1 Spread, oh, spread, thou might - y Word, Spread the

king - dom of the Lord, Where - so - e'er His

breath has giv'n Life to be - ings meant for heav'n.

2

Tell them how the Father's will  
Made the world and keeps it still,  
How His only Son He gave  
Man from sin and death to save.

4

Tell them of the Spirit giv'n  
Now to guide us up to heav'n,  
Strong and holy, just and true,  
Working both to will and do.

3

Tell of our Redeemer's love,  
Who forever doth remove  
By His holy sacrifice  
All the guilt that on us lies.

5

Up! The ripening fields ye see.  
Mighty shall the harvest be;  
But the reapers still are few,  
Great the work they have to do.

6

Lord of Harvest, let there be  
Joy and strength to work for Thee  
Till the nations far and near  
See Thy light and learn Thy fear.

# *Instruction in the Word of the Living God*

*Sermon text: 1 Thes 5:12ff*

*Response: Verse 4 Lord of All Hopefulness*

*Return to the Lord our Offering of Thanks and Praise*

DEAR VISITORS AND GUESTS: Every week at Good Shepherd we return a portion of our livelihood as freewill offerings to the Lord for our local and worldwide ministries. Please do not feel that you have to participate in this act of our worship. We do appreciate each gift of support and are thankful the Lord Jesus brought you to be with us today. We invite you to come again.



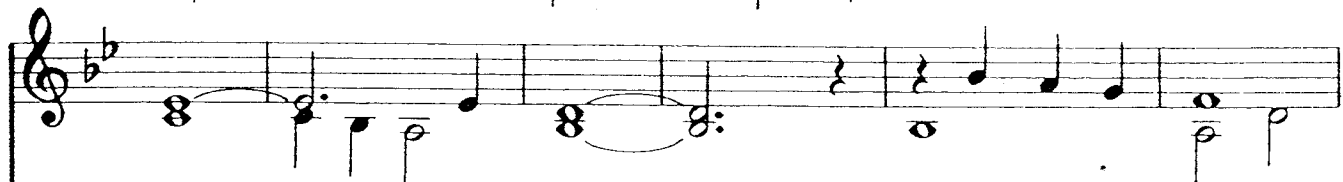
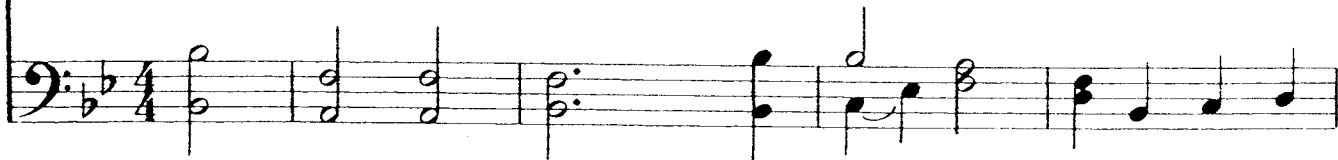
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# PRAYERS

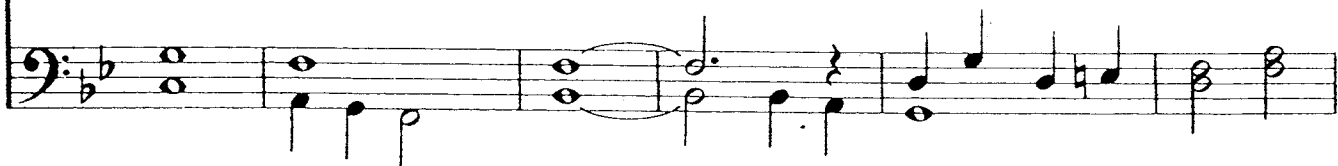
## We sing the Lord's Prayer



Our Fa - ther, which art in heav - en, hal - low - ed



be Thy name. Thy king - dom come,



Thy will be done on earth as it is in



heav - en. Give us this day our dai - ly



bread, and for - give us our debts as we for-give our

debt-ors. And lead us not in-to temp-ta-tion, but de - liv-er us from

e - vil, for Thine is the King-dom and the Pow-er and the

Glo - ry, for - ev - er. A - - men.

# BENEDICTION



## Parting Song:

1. Let us, with a glad - some mind, Praise the Lord for He is kind:  
2. Let us sound His Name a - broad, For of gods He is the God:  
3. He with all - com - mand - ing might Filled the new - made world with light:  
4. All things liv - ing He doth feed; His full hand sup - plies their need:  
5. Let us then with glad - some mind, Praise the Lord for He is kind:

*Refrain*  
For His mer - cies shall en - dure, Ev - er faith - ful, ev - er sure. A - men.

# WELCOME TO GOOD SHEPHERD

There are many ways to join our growing family of faith: 1) through transfer from a sister WELS or ELS congregation; 2) by declaring unity with us after coming from a church outside our fellowship, and 3) there's a Bible study that addresses the six basic teachings of God's Word, after which you are able to ascertain membership or not based on what God reveals in His Bible.

**Our mission is simple and bold: We seek to grow in faith and knowledge of our Savior Jesus; we want to make Him known to others so they, too, might share in the joy which Jesus won for them.**

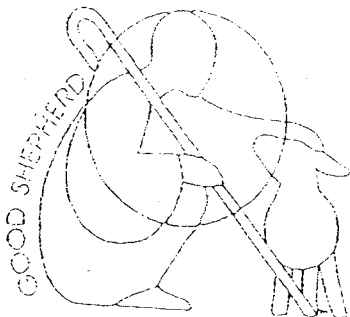
*We look forward to helping people find a spiritual home and family.*

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