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4 strands of encouragement for living faithfully

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FALL MESSAGE SERIES

SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS LUTHERAN CHURCH

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OCTOBER 18, 2020 | 10:45 AM

ENCOURAGING FAITH ALL AROUND US

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THE SPIRIT GATHERING

GATHERING MUSIC

Praise to the Lord Paul Manz

CALL TO WORSHIP

OPENING HYMN #835 vs 1 & 2 *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty*

TIME OF HONESTY

SONG OF RESPONSE P184 vs 1 & 2 *KYRIE ELEISON*

PRAYER OF THE DAY

WELCOME/LIFE IN COMMUNITY

MISSION MOMENT...STEWARDSHIP FOR GROWTH Larry Wikelius

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE

THE SPIRIT TEACHES

SCRIPTURE READING...Isaiah 45:1-7 (NRSV) Read by: Debra Ayoub

*GOSPEL READING...Matthew 22:15-22 (NRSV) Read by: Pr. Tom Grevlos

SONG OF RESPONSE #857 *Lord, I Lift Your Name On High*

MESSAGE *In God We Trust* Pastor Tom Grevlos

Message SONG #583 vs 1 & 2 *Take My Life, That I May Be*

APOSTLES' CREED

THE SPIRIT STRENGTHENS

PRAYERS OF THE COMMUNITY Led by: Nader Ayoub

*Please stand as you are able. 2

SHARING OF THE PEACE (VIRTUAL GREETING)

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GENEROSITY AND GRATITUDE MOMENT...ELCA

There are multiple "branches" of Lutheranism in the United States. Shepherd of the Hills is part of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA), which includes over 9,000 congregations nationwide. We are grateful to be part of a wider mission together, serving God's people and sharing the Gospel of grace found in and through the gift of Jesus Christ.

PRAYER OF THANKS

BREAKING OF BREAD

Words of Institution

Lord's Prayer

SHARING COMMUNION

As we celebrate this sacrament, all are invited to receive the Risen presence of Jesus.

Bread/cracker - "The Body of Christ given for you.";

Wine/juice - "The Blood of Christ shed for you."

COMMUNION MUSIC Maria Lyapkova

P. I. Tchaikovsky, *Sweet Dreams*

COMMUNION BLESSING/PRAYER

COMMISSIONING

BENEDICTION

COMMISSIONING SONG #858 vs 3 & 4

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

COMMISSIONING

POSTLUDE Maria Lyapkova

L. V. Beethoven, Sonata Op. 49, No. 1, Mvt. II

PRAYERS

Please pray for Dawn Paulson, Karen Sather and Bob Moore

Please pray for Steve Johnson, son of Sylvia and Curtis Johnson

Please pray for Geneva Robertson, mother of John Robertson

Please pray for Linda Squires, sister of Laura Hills

Please pray for Marcee Caughlin, mother of Pr. Lauren Dow Wegner

Please pray for friends of Shepherd members: Ellsworth and Mildred Tonn and Byron and Kay Bradfute

Please pray for Lisa Boatman and family on the death of her father, Arlon Boatman

We pray for all those affected by the coronavirus, for all those who have had family or friends die, for all those in the medical field caring for the sick and the researchers developing a vaccine. We pray for a cure for the sake of our country and the world.

Please pray for Rev. Karen Castillo in Guatemala; Iglesia Luterana Augustina Virgen dec Rosario, Aurora 8 de Octubre, Guatemala; Malcolm and Joy Henderson and the ministry of CHARIS in Haiti, Mariposa Family Learning Center and Bread For All

Please pray for our faith community, that we may be a church without walls and live out loud...faithfully!

**Prayers for family members are listed for 2 weeks, unless we are notified otherwise.*

WORSHIP TEAM

Pastors

Pr. Tom Grevlos, Pr. Lauren Dow Wegner

Preaching Pastor

Pr. Tom Grevlos

Director of Worship/Arts

Kevin McClure

Piano

Maria Lyapkova

Vocalist

Sara Burden-McClure

Scripture Reading & Prayers

Debra and Nader Ayoub

Altar Flowers

Given by the congregation in honor of our Pastors –
Thank you for all you do in fostering our church to be an encouraging and faith-building place!

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Bill and Sara Dawson

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Dave Wegner