



CHURCH OF THE
Good Shepherd

APRIL 27, 2025



April 27, 2025 | 10:45 AM

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP | Mark Whipple, Pastor of Community Formation

SONG | "We Are Yours"

SONG | "Anchor Of Hope"

SCRIPTURE READING | *Philippians 2:5-11, pg. 980*

CONGREGATIONAL PRAYER & LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be Your Name. Your kingdom come, Your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: for Yours is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

DISMISSAL OF CHILDREN | *(Ages 3 to 3rd grade)*

Q: What is our prayer for our children?

A: To know and enjoy God and his word.

PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING & DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE READING | *2 Sam 9:1-13, pg. 260*

SERMON | Spencer Johnson, Pastor of Youth Ministry

SONG | "Wonderful, Merciful Savior"

Today's Singers are Alexa Carter and Levi Mason.

CONFESSION OF SIN

O Lord, no day of our life has passed that has not proved us guilty in Your sight. Prayers have been uttered from a prayerless heart; praise has been often praiseless sound; our best services are filthy rags. Blessed Jesus, let us find a refuge in the shelter of your cross.

ASSURANCE OF PARDON | *Isaiah 53:5*

"But he was pierced for our transgressions; he was crushed for our iniquities; upon him was the chastisement that brought us peace, and with his wounds we are healed."

SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

PRAYER OF RESPONSE

SONG | *"Love Still Bids You Welcome"*

BENEDICTION

DOXOLOGY

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For more announcements, please turn the page and/or scan the QR code on the back page.

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS | TONIGHT

Don't miss the **LAST** youth group of the semester tonight from **6:30-8:15 p.m.** Our "Senior Send-Off" Party is **next Sunday** from **6:00-8:00 p.m.** Questions? Contact Spencer (spencerjohnson@cgsonline.org).

CGS ANNUAL CAMPOUT | MAY 2-3

Calling all ages to join us at Jordan Lake State Park **May 2-3** for our annual CGS Camp Out! Bring items for water fun! Non-campers are welcome to join us during the day. (There is a \$7 fee per car for day visitors. Gates are open from 8:00 a.m.-10:00 p.m.). RSVP via the QR code or website by **April 28!**

A "TASTE OF CGS" LUNCH | MAY 4

Are you new to our church and looking to connect with others, or to learn more about our church? Join us at the Whipple's house (4210 Peachway Dr.) after worship on **Sunday, May 4** from **12:15-1:15 p.m.** RSVP via our website or the QR code below. We'd love to have you there!

ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Use the QR code to register for any of the activities below.

NEW "LEGACY" MINISTRY LUNCHEON | MAY 4

Join us for lunch, a discussion, and time to dream about our new ministry for folks 55 and older here at CGS. We'll meet on **Sunday, May 4 at 12:15 p.m.** in Room S212. **RSVP** via our website or the QR code below.

THE GRAY HAVENS CONCERT | MAY 7

The Gray Havens are coming back to CGS for a special concert on **May 7, at 7:30 p.m.** Grab your tickets online before they sell out! Contact Matt (mattmcclure@cgsonline.org) to volunteer behind the scenes.

CGS COMMUNITY CHOIRS SPRING CONCERT | MAY 9

Gather your friends and attend our spring concert on **Friday, May 9, at 7:00pm.** in the Sanctuary, with refreshments to follow! The concert highlights our five choirs (more than 120 singers) with students ranging in age from kindergarten through high school. The program is varied, including folk songs, hymns, and classics.

CGS ADULT CHOIR CONCERT | MAY 18

The CGS Adult Choir is pleased to present their free spring concert *Psalms, Hymns, and Spiritual Songs* **Sunday, May 18 at 6:00 p.m.** in the Sanctuary. Join us for an evening of music that ranges from exciting settings of hymns such as *How Great Thou Art* and *Holy, Holy, Holy* to a contemplative version of *The Lord Is My Shepherd*. Email questions to Greg (greg.a.wheatley@gmail.com).

HELP OUR GARDEN GROW!

The Community Garden team hopes to raise \$10,000 by the end of May to cover the cost of improving soil, building raised beds and a fence, and purchasing plants and seeds. Donate online via regular giving or purchase items on our Home Depot wishlist in the Narthex. Thank you for your help!

BUDGET SUMMARY For Fiscal Year 2024-2025

Total Annual Budget:	\$1,950,000
Budget for the First 9 Months, ending 3/31/2025:	\$1,462,500
Actual Contributions received as of 3/31/2025:	\$1,424,545
Difference between CGS budget and actual Contributions received:	(\$37,955)
Actual Contributions received minus Expenses paid or (shortfall):	\$74,478

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