



## Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd

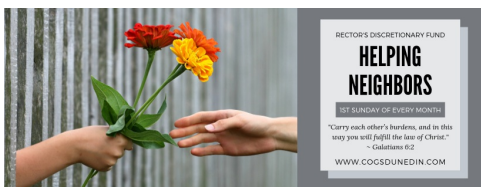
# Weekly News - Dec 4, 2022

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*Come as you are. All are welcome. No exceptions!*

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**Rector's Discretionary Fund collections are this Sunday, Dec 4th.**



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## Whitney at Happening

Rev. Whitney will be the Spiritual Director at Happening this weekend. Happening is a Spiritual Retreat for High School aged youth hosted by the Diocese at Day Spring. Rev. Whitney asks for your prayers for all those participating in this meaningful weekend. Rev. Kathy Walter will be with you on Sunday Morning as Rev. Whitney will not return until Sunday Evening.

## Proposed 2023 Budget

Robin Megel will be available after both services Sunday, Dec 4 in Kirk Hall to answer any questions regarding the budget for next year.



[More Info](#)

### Holiday Craft Sale

The final 2022 Christmas craft sale will take place on December 4 after the 8:00 am and 10:00 am services. Something for everyone for yourself or gifts.

### Quilt Raffle Benefiting the Diocesan Hurricane Relief Fund



COGS crafters are selling raffle tickets for the gorgeous "Four Star General" quilt through the December 4 raffle date. Proceeds from the raffle will benefit the diocesan hurricane relief fund.



## FARM WORKER CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Every year Farm Worker Self-Help and Resurrection House Mission in Dade City gives Christmas gifts to over 200 farm worker families. Using lists the families have provided, they fill bags with gifts and the families drive by Christmas Eve, get them, and take them home.

Good Shepherd has contributed to this for over 30 years. You may purchase gifts and bring them to bins at the church and in Kirk Hall starting November 20th and ending December 14th. You may also make a check out to COGS noted "Farm Worker Fund" and we will shop for you.

Thank you for your generosity and show of appreciation.

[Full Gift List](#)

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CLEARWATER CHAPTER OF THE  
AMERICAN GUILD OF ORGANISTS

## ADVENT RECITAL

FEATURING LINDA POINTER  
AND JOSHUA WHITENECK

TUES, DEC 6  
AT NOON

AT EPISCOPAL  
CHURCH OF THE  
GOOD SHEPHERD



### Soul Sisters Holiday Luncheon

All church women are invited to join us on Saturday, Dec. 17 at 11:00 am in Kirk Hall. Please RSVP to Michelle Schombs at [m19ma50@verizon.net](mailto:m19ma50@verizon.net) or 727-638-3560, to bring dishes necessary for our feast.



GOOD SHEPHERD

## Christmas Music & Flowers

DONATION DEADLINE:  
THURS, DEC 15

[COGSDUNEDIN.COM](http://COGSDUNEDIN.COM)



EPISCOPAL CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

## Blue Christmas Service

Wed, Dec 14 at 6 PM

[COGSDUNEDIN.COM](http://COGSDUNEDIN.COM)

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### Carol Sing Info



### Full Christmas Services Schedule



### Celebrations

Give thanks to those whose lives touch ours!

Let us celebrate with joy and pray for those who have birthdays and anniversaries this week:

#### Birthdays:

Dec 6 - Betty Lombardo  
Dec 6 - Marianne de la Vega  
Dec 7 - Dick Smedley  
Dec 8 - Andrea Zahn  
Dec 10 - Marilyn Nalewajek

## PRAYER REQUESTS?

We can help with that.  
Contact the church  
office online with  
prayers to be read  
during the Prayers of  
the People each Sunday.

[cogsdunedin.com/prayer-requests](https://cogsdunedin.com/prayer-requests)

### Prayer Requests

*For the Week of November 27*

Mark, Bill GW, Pam, Milo, The Maddox Family, Jason C, Michael S, Gail Marie, Liam, Jim, Marilyn, Jacob, Barbara B, Cindy M, Milly & Brian L, Lou F, Heather S, Colette S, Pat H, Betty G, Billy V, Olean & family, Ally, Brent S, Marcia K, Delaney, Juliet, Chris, Bob, Christopher J, Cam B, Sherry B, Randy T, Edith, Paul.

New requests to be read aloud during Sunday services can now be submitted online. Use the web-form or contact the church office directly.

***Prayers submitted by Thursday at 9:00 a.m. will be included in that Sunday's read list.***

[Prayer Request Form](#)

[Email the Office](#)



### Opportunities to Worship

Sunday 8:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite I  
*In-person worship*

Sunday 10:00 AM Holy Eucharist Rite II  
*Live stream and in-person worship*

Wednesday Worship at 6 PM  
*In-person worship*

[YouTube Live Stream](#)

[Worship Bulletin for Sunday](#)

[Online Book of Common Prayer](#)

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