



We are a community of Christ's faithful followers who have been called by God to...
 love deeply
 grow spiritually
 and share abundantly



August 5-6, 2017
 Sat., 5:30pm; Sun., 8:30, 9:45 & 11am



Welcome!

Whether you are exploring faith, or have a vibrant relationship with Jesus, there is a place for you here. It is our hope that during your time with us today, you will experience God for yourself and perhaps make a few new friends.

For more information about our family of faith and ministries, visit the Welcome Center located in the hall outside the Worship Center. In the meantime, this folder will tell you a little about life here at Sheridan.

A Quiet Room with a clear view of the worship service is located just outside of the Worship Center. A staffed nursery is also available during Sunday services.

A music folder with music notes is available for each service. Please contact a Hospitality Team member for a copy.

Allergen-free wafers are available at each communion service. (Gluten, wheat, dairy, corn and soy free)

Assistive listening wireless receivers and headsets are available for each service in the sound booth.

Interpreted Service for the Deaf and hard of hearing is at 9:45am each Sunday.



Do You Feel Called?
 Current Ministry Needs:
sheridanlutheran.org/serve

- **Coffee Hospitality Needed** - Consider serving on a Coffee Hospitality Team and help prepare and serve coffee and donut holes. Contact Brenda Carpenter, b.carpenter@sheridanlutheran.org.
- **Lutheran World Relief Kits** - Help us fill school kits for Lutheran World Relief. Any of these items can be left in the collection bins through the end of the summer: 70-sheet notebooks (no loose leaf paper); 30 centimeter rulers (or centimeters on one side, inches on the other); pencil sharpeners; blunt scissors; un-sharpened #2 pencils with erasers; ballpoint pens; boxes of (16 or 24 count) crayons; 2.5 inch erasers. Lists can be found at the Welcome Center as well. Contact Kathy Johnson, 402-489-8582, with any questions.

For a complete list of our events, education programs and volunteer opportunities, please visit us online at sheridanlutheran.org.



Please pray for our SLC family and friends:

BAPTISM: Brooks Gary Watchorn son of Andrew & Katie (Sponsors: Amanda & Rich Prokasky, Michael & Kathy Donlan).

BIRTHS: Kaia Marie Minzel daughter of Tisha & Marcus.

HOSPITALIZED: Deb Kalama (St. Elizabeth); Charles Holdsworth (Bryan East); Megan Euler, Mickey Tuttle (recent); Curtis Saathoff (Ambassador).

Eric Hunsberger, Jared Baker (Cuba); and all military members serving our country.

Staff member Genny Straube, Administrative Assistant and Jane Green, Council Member.



Today's Worship
 "More Than a Story"

- SONG (5:30): *Come Thou Fount*
- SONG (8:30, 9:45, 11:00): *All Creatures of Our God and King*
- Call to Worship & Welcome
- SONG: *Blessed Be Your Name*
- Baptism (9:45)
- Scripture Reading: 2 Chronicles 26:1-10 (page 402 in pew Bible)
- Confession (9:45 & 11:00)
- Children's Message
- Message: *Uzziah* by Pastor Greg
- SONG (5:30): *What If* by Adam Costenbader
- SONG (8:30, 9:45, 11:00): *What a Beautiful Name* by Molly Schmit
- Affirmation of Faith
- Prayer Offering
- OFFERING: *Indescribable*
- Confession (5:30 & 8:30)
- Communion (5:30 & 8:30): *You Are My King (Amazing Love)*
- Prayer & Lord's Prayer
- Ministry Opportunities
- Blessing
- SONG (5:30): *Let It Rise*
- SONG (8:30, 9:45, 11:00): *Only King Forever*

Faith Talk Starters:

Below are a few questions to consider throughout the week.

- Do you know someone who seems to be good at everything?
- Have you ever known someone who has changed over time because of their success?
- How often do you reflect on your own pride?
- Have you ever caught yourself making a decision based on prideful emotion?
- How hard do you strive to remember to put God first when making decisions?

Next Week's Worship:

BackPack Weekend
 Message: It Takes a Village to Raise A Child
 By: Pastor Rhonda
 Text: Deuteronomy 6:4-9

This Week

If you need Pastoral Care, please contact one of the Pastors. In case of emergencies after hours call 402-423-4769 and press option 4.

Derek Ledgerwood is the Council Representative this weekend. If you have any questions or ideas, please visit with him

Summer Family Activities

Info: j.hestermann@sheridanlutheran.org
We encourage families to worship together and participate in activities either here or at home. Before and after worship, you are invited to enjoy refreshments in the Family Life Center, play table games, color mandalas or do rubber band boards. Back to School Prayer Stations are set up in the Chapel.

Second Quarter (20s & 30s)

Sun., Aug. 6; following 9:45 worship service; Family Life Center
Info: sheridanlutheran.org/secondquarter
Second Quarter is a ministry for people in the second quarter of life, young adults in their 20s & 30s. Join us for coffee and conversation following 9:45am worship.

Cards & Games

Sun., Aug. 6 & 27; 3-5pm; Connections Cafe'
Info: c.peterson@sheridanlutheran.org
Come enjoy card games followed by a potluck supper. Friends are welcome and rides are available.

Next Week & Beyond

Backpack Blessing

August 12 & 13 at all worship services
Bring your backpack to worship for a blessing as you prepare to begin a new school year. Whether you are a preschool, elementary, middle school, high school or college student, this is a wonderful way to begin the new school year, carrying God's blessing on your holy work as a student.

Holy Yoga

Thurs., Aug. 17 – Sept. 21; 6:30pm; Room 316
Register: sheridanlutheran.org/eventregistration
Join Yoga instructor, Maranda Hoefs, for six-weeks of Holy Yoga. Embrace the essential elements of yoga: breath work, meditation and physical postures. In all of these elements, Christ is the focus of our intention. New participants, please register prior to attending your first class. This class is free. All levels of yoga experience are welcome, including beginners. Bring a yoga mat if you have one.

Join the Hospital Visitation Ministry

Mon., Aug. 21; 6pm
Info: sheridanlutheran.org/visitation-care-ministry
Current and interested Hospital Visitors are invited to an evening event to learn more. RSVP to Cheri Peterson, c.peterson@sheridanlutheran.org.

Youth Praise Team Retreat

Sat., Aug. 26; 9am-noon; Worship Center
Info: a.barrett@sheridanlutheran.org
Youth Praise Team is open to any youth vocalist or instrumentalist in grades 6-12. During the retreat we will play games and get to know each other as well as rehearse a new song. All youth interested in learning more should participate. Sign up online: sheridanlutheran.org/youth-worship-arts.

Education

Confirmation Registration

Info: sheridanlutheran.org/middle-school-confirmation
Sheridan's Confirmation Ministry gives 6th-8th grade students ownership in their Confirmation experience with two different types of classes – core classes and elective classes. CORE CLASSES enable students to learn in both large group and grade level small groups. ELECTIVE CLASSES are chosen by the student.
Each year, middle school families need to register, including elective class selections. Please register by August 15.

Children's Ministry Registration

You can learn more about each class and register on our website: sheridanlutheran.org/childrens-ministry.
Sunday Education Opportunities - Begins Sept. 10
• Kingdom Quest – 9:45am (3 years old & potty trained through kindergarten)
• Spirit Quest – 9:45am (grades 1-5)
• Children's Church – 11am (3 years old through grade 5; start in worship with parents and then head to class following the Children's Message)
Wednesday Education Opportunities - Begins Sept. 13
• Two by Twos (18 to 36 months plus parent or caregiver)
• Praise Kids (3 years old & potty trained through Kindergarten)
• Elementary Rotations (grades 1-5)
• WAM elementary praise team (grades 1-5)
• All Stars (grade 5 & parents)

Children's Education Volunteers

It takes many hands to lead the programs we offer. You are invited to help children grow in their faith on Wednesday evenings and Sunday mornings this school year! There are a variety of commitment levels for our adult, middle and high school youth volunteers. All volunteers are required to attend training.

Education Volunteer Training Dinner

Wed., Aug. 30; 6pm; Family Life Center

Safeguarding God's Children Training

Sat., Aug. 26; 9:30-11:30am OR
Mon., Sept. 11; 6:30-8:30pm (for new volunteers, or if it has been more than 3 years since your Safeguarding training).

If you feel called to volunteer, please sign up at: sheridanlutheran.org/ivolunteer.com/#1. For more information, contact Julie Hestermann, j.hestermann@sheridanlutheran.org for grades 1-5, Beth Jessen, b.jessen@sheridanlutheran.org for nursery, preschool and kindergarten and Julie Anderson, j.anderson@sheridanlutheran.org for children's music.

FYI

Barnabas Donation Hours

Info: d.rademacher@sheridanlutheran.org
In order to manage and distribute the donations for Barnabas Community, donation drop-off times have been set. Donations may be brought to Sheridan, and placed in the vestibule area south of the church office in the "Barnabas Community" bins, during these times:
Monday-Saturday: 8am-6pm
Sunday: 7:30am-1pm
You may also bring donations directly to Barnabas Community during their operating hours:
Thursdays: 10-11:30am & 6-8pm
Saturdays: 9am-3pm
Thank you for supporting this ministry.

Worship Hospitality Needed

Info: b.carpenter@sheridanlutheran.org
Consider serving on a Worship Hospitality Team and help with greeting, ushering, offering and serving communion. We have four specific teams who currently need more help and serve the following months:
8:30—January, April, July, October
8:30—March, June, September, December
11am—February, June, October
11am—April, August, December
You may sign up at the Welcome Center.

Custodial Positions

We are currently seeking custodial help for room set up and tear down, as well as miscellaneous facility cleaning on Wednesday and Friday evenings and all day on Saturdays and Sundays. Contact Jean Poppert, j.poppert@sheridanlutheran.org.

Nursery Staff openings

Info: b.jessen@sheridanlutheran.org
We are seeking caring adults (18 years and over) to work in the nursery on rotating Wednesdays from 6:20-7:45pm. There are also occasional hours available during special scheduled events during the week, and on Saturday mornings. For more information about this paid position, please contact Beth.



BackPack Program Feeding Children Every Weekend

Information: sheridanlutheran.org/backpack-program

SHERIDAN has the goal to sponsor food backpacks for children and their families at Holmes Elementary through the Food Bank/LPS Backpack Program. This program provides five meals over a weekend for students in the "BackPack Club" during the 34 weeks of school. This covers the cost of five meals, often including a voucher for milk, eggs and bread.

SPONSOR WEEKEND

You are invited to partially sponsor a backpack for the year for \$100, or a complete backpack for the year for \$225. If you would like to sponsor a backpack, visit the table in the Family Life Center August 12 & 13, or place your financial gift in the offering plate, labeled Backpack Program.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Many volunteers are needed throughout the school year to help make this program work. Volunteer commitments can be one time or ongoing. Some opportunities require extra training and background checks. Sign up at the Backpack Program table in the Family Life Center, online at sheridanlutheran.org/ivolunteer.com/#2 or contact Kristi Hoffmeyer, mamahoffmeyer@gmail.com.

Sheridan Lutheran Church info

Contact us:

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Email: info@sheridanlutheran.org
Church office: 6955 Old Cheney Road, Lincoln, NE 68516
Website: sheridanlutheran.org
Facebook: facebook.com/sheridanluthlnk

Worship Services on Channel 1302 (Spectrum)

Thursday at 7:30pm, Friday at 12:30pm & Sunday at 11:30am
Sermons are available on our website.

Church Leadership:

Senior Pastor: [Greg Bouvier](#)
Associate Pastor: [Rhonda Bostrom](#)
Associate Pastor: [Eric Bostrom](#)
Associate Pastor: [Michelle Oetken](#)
Deacon: [Kathy Paisley](#)
Dir. of Business & Finance: [Jean Poppert](#)
Dir. of Worship Arts: [Molly Schmit](#)