

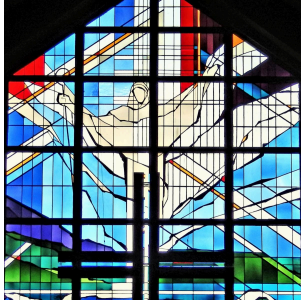


THE CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Shepherd's Staff

April 16, 2026

Celebrating Community and Serving Others!



Sunday Schedule for April 19, 2026

Third Sunday of Easter

8:00a Holy Eucharist Worship (Sanctuary)

9:00a Formation for All Ages:

- Shepherd's Kids - kindergarten thru 3rd grade (LL Room 2)
- Faith Explorers - 4th thru 6th grade (LL Room 4)
- EYC - 7th thru 12th grade (LL Room 3)
- Parenting in the Pews (Shepherd's Nook)
- Sunday Adult Forum (Atrium)

10:15a Holy Eucharist Worship (Sanctuary & [Livestream](#))

12:00p Youth Choir Rehearsal (Sheads, Sanctuary)

2:00p Good Shepherd Goes to Greenspring Eucharist
(Greenspring Village Chapel)

3:30p FACETS Hot Meals (Kitchen)

Weekday Worship:

Tuesdays at 8:00p - Compline ([Zoom](#))

Wednesdays at 5:30p - Contemplative Holy Eucharist (Sanctuary)

Thursdays at 8:00p - Compline ([Zoom](#))



Good Shepherd Goes to Greenspring

This Sunday, April 19 - 2:00p (Greenspring Village Chapel)

Join us as we gather for our monthly Eucharist worship service at Greenspring Senior Living Community. We gather in the Chapel to praise God as we enjoy fellowship with our Greenspring neighbors. All are welcome!



Bishop Visit, Confirmation, and Reception Parish Breakfast to Follow

Sunday, April 26 - 10:15a (Sanctuary), Breakfast 11:30a (Parish Hall)

The Rt. Rev'd Mark Bourlakas, Assistant Bishop of the Diocese of Virginia, will be visiting Good Shepherd on Sunday, April 26. He will preach and celebrate at the 10:15a service. Following the service please join the newly confirmed and received in the Parish Hall for breakfast.



Parish Breakfast

Sunday, April 26 - 11:30a (Parish Hall)

Deepen the bonds with your community.

"Every day they continued to meet together in the temple courts. They broke bread in their homes and ate together with glad and sincere hearts" (Acts 2:46)

Easter Pictures!

What a wonderful Holy Week and Easter Sunday we had at Good Shepherd! Remember Easter is season! God is good and He is Risen!

Click here for [Easter Sunday pictures](#)



Bible Study Coming Soon

Join the Reverend Redmond Self this summer for a journey through Paul's Epistle to the Romans. Bring your Bibles and come discuss sin, salvation, and the eternal mercy of God! Dates and times will be announced soon!



We Love Our Class of 2026!

Do you know a graduating senior? On **Sunday, June 14**, we will celebrate our wonderful Class of 2026 High School and College graduates. Please email [communications, Jennifer Caldwell](mailto:communications@stjohns.org), with the names of those we know and love who are graduating this spring!



Musical Theatre Camp

Tired of Hearing How Bored Your Kids Are?

Hot summer days will soon be here, and who doesn't love the sound of complaining children? Ha! Fix the summertime blues! Registration is open for the Children's & Youth Music Ministry's three camps starting in July. This year, we are featuring Imagination Station, Frozen Jr., and Anastasia (Youth Edition). **Reserve your spot today! You really don't want to miss this!**



SAVE THE DATE! September 25-27

Our sixth annual Parish Weekend at Shrine Mont is only six months away! Plans are taking shape and include a dynamic guest speaker, Southern comfort food, and lots of screen-free time for us all! If you have questions, please reach out to [Charles Sisson](mailto:Charles.Sisson@stjohns.org).



Good Shepherd Preschool Enrolling for 2026-2027!

Welcoming children 2.5 - 5 years old

Good Shepherd Preschool has provided quality, play-based learning for over 50 years! One step inside our school will tell you that it's a special place - a place known for its nurturing environment and broad, enriching curriculum. [Click here](http://www.goodshepherdpreschool.org) to visit the website. Call 703-323-6120 or [email](mailto:enrollment@goodshepherdpreschool.org) to schedule a tour.



Parish Ministry Calendar

Thursday, April 16

12:30p SOS Luncheon (Milano's - Springfield)
1:00p Stronger Memory Program (Zoom)
8:00p Compline (Zoom)

Friday, April 17

Office closed
9:00a AA (Room 6)
7:00p AA "Happy Hour Group" (Room 2, 6)

Saturday, April 18

7:30a Men's Fellowship (Zoom)
8:30a Flower Guild (Kitchen)
9:00a Altar Guild (Sanctuary)

Sunday, April 19

See Sunday Schedule at top of email

Monday, April 20

Office closed
9:00a AA (Room 6)
2:00p Knit and Purl (Parlor)
7:00p Ring and Rejoice Rehearsal (Sheads Hall)

Tuesday, April 21

12:00p Holy Eucharist for the Feast of St. Mark (Sanctuary)
1:00p Flower Ministry (Kitchen)
7:30p Finance Committee Meeting (LL Conf. Room, Zoom)
8:00p Compline (Zoom)

Wednesday, April 22

10:30a Staff Meeting (Sheads Hall)
5:30p Contemplative Eucharist (Sanctuary)
7:15p Senior Choir Rehearsal (Sheads Hall)
7:30p AI-Anon Meeting (Room 6)



Prayers of the People

For the special concerns of: Norris and Charlene Sisson, David Stiles, Doug Smith, Carol Waters, Jennifer, the Gerard family, Kathryn Libby, CJ Harris, Heather Abrams, Craig Dubishar, Alli Houseworth, Ann Grey, Diane Stevens, the Brock family, John Wires, Mary Helman, Ray and Judy Caddell, Nim Mercado, the Vitt family, Thomas Morris, Rita Farris, Dianne Carman, Carol and Joe St. Germain, Dorian, Linda Fox, the Allard, Barker, Jillson, McGarry, and Pettit families, Yoshiko Goto, Marion Cooney, Ric Pettit, Addie, Elijah, Pete Larsen, Ted Stevens, Linda Taylor, Bill Schuiling, Ivey Virgil, Manuel Vega, Fran Vassalotti, Kate, Cory, Jason, Sherry Cable, Christian Cancino, Elisabeth Seye, David Jones, Steve Goldman, Max Dale, David L., Bob and Chepi DiCalogero, Tom Allen, the Cronyn and

Spence families, Christy Brown, Gabriel Neagle, Maryann Stinson, Elaine Sasser, Jason Hartman, Anna Jones, Marlene Bekey, Evangeline, Nancy Ehlike, Ida Portland, Steve and Diane Gaiser, Susan Marshall, the Raker family, Joseph Nolan, Margaret McHugh, Rod McFadden, Kay Silver, Heather Barte, Jenny Lundeen, Jenny Seguinot, Arline Easley, Sean, Lily, Pam and Doug Hawkins, Peter Marshall, Rick Guy, the Bowers family, Charlie Kemp, Thomas Morris, Lee McKenna, Anne Jackson, Helen Demestihias, Doug Smith, Betty, David Chamberlain, Rachel Garff Burkett, Don Brown, Calvin Kraft, Nancy Biele, Dick Nugent, Maureen Murray, Linda, Max Dube and family, Barton Fox, Elizabeth Ames, Carol and Bill, Sharon Jones, Eileen Miller, Betty Laine, Rich Allen, Elva Crawford, Roy Jones, Elizabeth Helman, Monte Montgomery, Ann Johnston, Jana Allen, Christine Jouannet, Michael, Stacey Jolly, Toddy Fox, Catherine Mitchell, Emily Leanne Bucur, Scot Allen, Shannon Allen.

For those who have died: Cindy Bohn, PeeWee Gerard, Carol Brock, and Vance Johnson.

For our service men and women serving their country both at home and abroad, especially Mark Jaskot, Ryan Brock, Richard Demy, Brad Nye, William Edward, Gabriel Cassell, Scott Brock, Adam, Brendan Cantwell, Luke Scruby, Kyle Hamrock, Grace Hall Vlach, Mhairi Terra, Matt Allen, Michelle Miller, Kristine and Matt Hime, John Wildt, Christian Peter Grey, and Connor Miller.

Email [Redmond Self](#) to add a name or request a change to the parish prayer list.

Prayer requests will remain on the Prayer List for two Sundays, unless specifically requested as a long-term need.

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Our Parish Mission and Vision

The Church of the Good Shepherd is a Christ-centered Episcopal community sharing God's love. We strive to Strengthen Faith, Build Community, and Serve Others.



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Comments? Email our Wardens: Fred Gibson (Senior Warden) and John Dohn (Junior Warden). wardens@good-shepherd.net.

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