



# GOOD SHEPHERD LUTHERAN CHURCH WEDNESDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS February 4, 2026

Love God  
Love Others  
Make Disciples



The Great Commandment: Mark 12:28-34  
The Great Commission: Matthew 28:16-20

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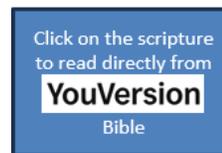
### Fifth Sunday After Epiphany:

**First Reading:** Isaiah 58:3-9

**Psalm:** Psalms 40:4-5

**Second Reading:** 1 Corinthians 2:1-10

**The Holy Gospel:** John 4:46-53



If you cannot attend in-person service, be sure to join [Pastor Rick Ehrheart](#) online at 8:00 AM or 9:30 AM. You will find us on [YouTube](#) or [Facebook](#). Search for Good Shepherd Utah. You can also find the service on the church website <https://goodshepherdutah.com/>. Look under Worship Services, Watch Online. Or click [Here](#). While watching the live stream from Facebook or YouTube, remember to hit the Like or Thumbs Up button to let us know you are there.

### Top Announcements

#### All Church Soup-er Bowl Party, February 8

Come fellowship, eat and watch the game until halftime. Please bring a soup or appetizer to share. Contact Shamber (517-243-4739) for more information or to volunteer.



#### Experiencing God Bible Study with Pastor Jeff, Starts Wednesday, February 11

Come and join Pastor Jeff for this Wednesday evening 12-week bible study focusing on knowing God. The class will meet from 6:30-8 PM (7-8:30 PM during Lent). RSVP info will be available soon.

“God is inviting you into an intimate love relationship through which He reveals to you His will, His ways, and His work. When you recognize where God is working, you can join Him in what He is doing. Carefully listening to His voice will anchor you in His plan and set you free to live it with boldness and freedom. Then you will experience God doing through you what only He can do”.



<https://goodshepherdutah.ccbchurch.com/goto/forms/190/responses/new>



**All Church Valentine's Gala' Day, Saturday, February 14 @ 4PM**  
Come for the food (Dinner @ 4:30 PM) and festivities (crafts, photo book, dancing). The encouraged dress code is formal or festive attire. All proceeds go to Family Ministry and building maintenance.

### The Season of Lent Begins on Ash Wednesday, February 18

Lenten Soup Suppers and Service are starting soon. On Ash Wednesday, dinner will be served from 5:30-6:30 PM and service will begin at 7:00 PM.



A freewill offering is taken during dinner with proceeds going to the Operation Turkey Box ministry. Last year donations of \$1,477.47 provided Thanksgiving Dinner to 100 families. If you would like to help serve dinner, please see the signup sheets on the hall bulletin board. If you have questions, please contact Donna Kay Lipsey (385) 253-2116 or [dklipsey@gmail.com](mailto:dklipsey@gmail.com).

### Things To Know

#### Board of Trustees Marketing Position Open

With the departure of Vanessa Gonzalez, your church Board of Trustees is looking for a member to fill the position until November of this year, which is when the 3-year term is set to expire. This is a great opportunity for someone with some marketing **and technology** experience to give it a go without committing to a full term. Of course, we hope to find someone who enjoys being part of the governing body and wants to continue.

If you are interested in the position, contact Doug Tapking or Carla Johnson or Kathy Edwards in the church office.

#### Interested in Being in the Easter Choir?



The GSLC Choir will be singing on Ash Wednesday, Holy Week and both services at Easter. If you are interested in seeing what it's about, come to the first practice on Wednesday, **February 11 @5:30 PM**. We will practice for about an hour each Wednesday evening through Lent. Still unsure? Email Kate McGuire at [music@gslc.net](mailto:music@gslc.net).

#### Next Food Distribution Date: Saturday, February 14



Good Shepherd has partnered with the Utah Food Bank and is part of their Mobile Food Pantry program. On specific Saturdays, food is provided in a drive-through format free of charge in the Good Shepherd parking lot.

The next distribution day is Saturday, February 14 from 8:30 to 9:30 AM. Volunteers are needed from 7:30 to 10:00 AM. Click [Here](#) to sign up to

volunteer (or see future dates) or scan the QR Code. Contact Pastor Jeff Stephenson with any questions. Details on the Utah Food Bank's Mobile Pantry program can be found on their website ([utahfoodbank.org](http://utahfoodbank.org)).



### Coffee with Friends, February 19, 1:00PM



**Ladies and Gentlemen**, you are invited to have "Coffee with Friends" from 1:00-3:00 PM on Thursday, February 19 here at Good Shepherd. This event is simply to allow for some time together to socialize. For more information and/or if you need transportation contact Carla Johnson (801-550-0395).

### Children's Church

Children's Church is for kids aged 3 through 5th grade. We meet on Sunday mornings at 9:30 AM in the Quad downstairs. Arrive early for friendship time to play with toys and games before we begin.

### Confirmation - 2nd & 4th Sundays

Confirmation class is held from 1:00-2:00 PM at GSLC for any junior or senior high student looking to complete the one-year confirmation program. Just show up!

### Youth Group

**Every Wednesday evening** (6:30 to 8:30 PM) the Junior and Senior High youth of Good Shepherd and their friends are invited to join us for COMMUNITY Youth Group. Students gather in The Trench (located downstairs) for an evening of small group Bible study, games, worship and some great fellowship.

### Parent Town Hall, February 22 @ 5:30PM

February 22nd @ 5:30pm we are asking that parents attend a parents-only Town Hall discussing youth group/Family Ministry. We would love to chat with parents about the future community we seek to develop for the students and the suggested needs/desires.

### High School Bible Study-Sunday, February 22 @ 11AM



Beginning on February 22nd, we will begin a High School bible study every Sunday @ 11am - 12pm. we hope to introduce a middle school one as well, we are pulling together details and volunteers. If a Middle School study is started, we will release details in the foreseeable future! If you are interested in assisting with the Middle School study maybe 1-2 times a month, please reach out to Shamber or Matt Larson.

**Adult Education Hour information coming soon!**

### Ongoing

### Donate all Year Long to the Christmas Stocking Fund

This fund helps members of the congregation with short-term financial needs. Donations can be made with a check (memo Christmas Stocking), a Giving Envelope from the pew backs (mark as Christmas Stocking) or by using this [Link](#) or QR Code.



## Ways to Give

Giving is easy. Scan the QR code or visit the Good Shepherd [website](#) and click on the Giving link. Choose one time only gift or set up a recurring donation. Don't forget to choose where you want your funds to go. And as always, you can still go through your bank or mail a check.



## Audio/Visual Help Needed on Sundays

We are able to live stream our 8:00 AM and 9:30 AM Sunday services with the help of a twelve-member audio/visual team. We want to continue building our team with new people who have an interest in media and a heart for Jesus to volunteer. Check with Rick (Rick@gslc.net) in the church office to be added to the schedule. Training is provided.

## Schedule at a Glance

Keep up to date on activities and events by visiting the calendar on the church website (<https://www.goodshepherdutah.com>) Click on "Events" to see upcoming events or point to "Events" then click on the "Full Church Calendar" in the dropdown to see future events.

| Date | Event Name                               | Day | Time           |
|------|--|-----|----------------|
| 2/4  | Art Ministry - Oil Painting              | We  | 9:00am-11:30am |
|      | COMMUNITY Youth Group (Girls/Guys Night) | We  | 6:30pm-8:30pm  |
|      | AA (Serenity Now group - Open meeting)   | We  | 7:00pm-8:00pm  |
| 2/5  | Knit & Crochet Together                  | Th  | 12:30pm-2:30pm |
| 2/6  | AA - No Nonsense (Closed Group)          | Fr  | 8:00pm-9:00pm  |
|      | American West Symphony                   | Fr  | 7:30pm-8:30pm  |
| 2/7  | Men's Bagels, Bible Study & Brotherhood  | Sa  | 9:00am-10:00am |
|      | Utah Royal Kids Club                     | Sa  | 9:00am-1:00pm  |
|      | Overeaters Anonymous                     | Sa  | 9:30am-10:30am |
|      | GriefShare                               | Sa  | 2:00pm-4:00pm  |
|      | AA- Come as You Are                      | Sa  | 5:00pm-6:00pm  |
|      | American West Symphony                   | Sa  | 7:30pm-8:30pm  |
| 2/8  | 8:00 AM Worship Service                  | Su  | 8:00am-9:00am  |
|      | Children's Church                        | Su  | 9:30am-10:30am |
|      | 9:30 AM Worship Service                  | Su  | 9:30am-10:30am |
|      | Confirmation Class                       | Su  | 1:00pm-2:00pm  |
|      | African Pentecostal Congregation Service | Su  | 1:00pm-3:00pm  |
|      | All Church Super Bowl Party              | Su  | 4:00pm-9:00pm  |
| 2/9  | Monday (No Nonsense) AA                  | Mo  | 12:00pm-1:00pm |
| 2/10 | Explorer's Bible Study                   | Tu  | 9:30am-11:30am |
|      | Cub Scouts                               | Tu  | 7:00pm-8:00pm  |
|      | Boy Scouts                               | Tu  | 7:00pm-9:00pm  |
| 2/11 | Art Ministry - Oil Painting              | We  | 9:00am-11:30am |
|      | Choir Rehearsal                          | We  | 5:30pm-6:30pm  |
|      | Experiencing God Bible Study             | We  | 6:30pm-8:00pm  |
|      | Youth Group                              | We  | 6:30pm-8:30pm  |
|      | AA (Serenity Now group - Open meeting)   | We  | 7:00pm-8:00pm  |
| 2/12 | Quilting                                 | Th  | 9:00am-12:00pm |
|      | Knit & Crochet Together                  | Th  | 12:30pm-2:30pm |

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| 2/13 | AA - No Nonsense (Closed Group)            | Fr | 8:00pm-9:00pm   |
|      | Christian Singles Group Valentines Party   | Fr | 5:30pm-8:30pm   |
| 2/14 | Kairos Prison Ministry                     | Sa | 8:00am-9:30am   |
|      | Food Distribution w/ Utah Food Bank        | Sa | 8:30am-9:30am   |
|      | Men's Bagels, Bible Study & Brotherhood    | Sa | 9:00am-10:00am  |
|      | Overeaters Anonymous                       | Sa | 9:30am-10:30am  |
|      | Art Ministry - Oil Painting                | Sa | 10:00am-1:00pm  |
|      | GriefShare                                 | Sa | 2:00pm-4:00pm   |
|      | All Church Valentine's Bash                | Sa | 4:00pm-8:00pm   |
|      | AA- Come as You Are                        | Sa | 5:00pm-6:00pm   |
| 2/15 | 8:00 AM Worship Service                    | Su | 8:00am-9:00am   |
|      | Dinner at Vinny's                          | Su | 8:00am-6:00pm   |
|      | Children's Church                          | Su | 9:30am-10:30am  |
|      | 9:30 AM Worship Service                    | Su | 9:30am-10:30am  |
|      | Children's Valentine's Bash                | Su | 9:30am-10:30am  |
|      | African Pentecostal Congregation Service   | Su | 1:00pm-3:00pm   |
| 2/16 | Monday (No Nonsense) AA                    | Mo | 12:00pm-1:00pm  |
| 2/17 | Explorer's Bible Study                     | Tu | 9:30am-11:30am  |
|      | Hope Circle Women's Bible Study (off site) | Tu | 11:00am-1:00pm  |
|      | Art Ministry - Oil Painting, Evening       | Tu | 5:30pm-8:30pm   |
|      | BOT Meeting                                | Tu | 6:00pm-8:00pm   |
|      | Cub Scouts                                 | Tu | 7:00pm-8:00pm   |
|      | Boy Scouts                                 | Tu | 7:00pm-9:00pm   |
| 2/18 | Ash Wednesday                              | We | ALL DAY-ALL DAY |
|      | Art Ministry - Oil Painting                | We | 9:00am-11:30am  |
|      | ALPHA Circle Women's Bible Study           | We | 12:30pm-2:30pm  |
|      | Choir Rehearsal                            | We | 5:30pm-6:30pm   |
|      | Ash Wednesday Soup Supper                  | We | 5:30pm-6:30pm   |
|      | Youth Group                                | We | 6:30pm-8:30pm   |
|      | AA (Serenity Now group - Open meeting)     | We | 7:00pm-8:00pm   |
|      | Ash Wednesday Service                      | We | 7:00pm-8:00pm   |

## Save These Dates

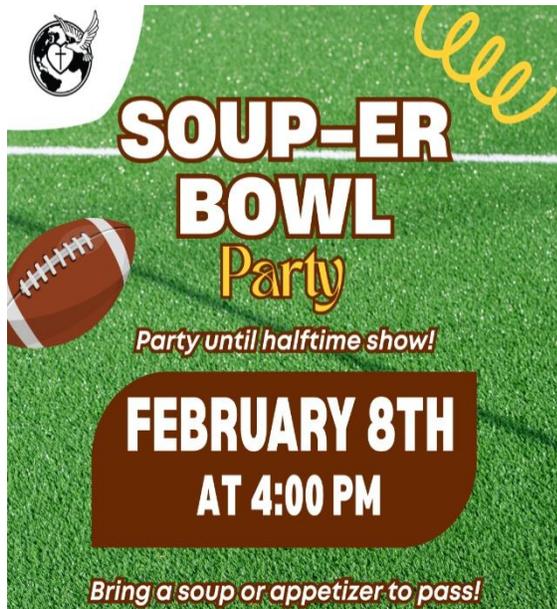
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|-------|------|---|-----|-----------------|
| Feb   | 2/6  | American West Symphony                                | Fr  | 7:30pm-8:30pm   |
| Feb   | 2/7  | American West Symphony                                | Sa  | 7:30pm-8:30pm   |
| Feb   | 2/8  | All Church Super Bowl Party                           | Su  | 4:00pm-9:00pm   |
| Feb   | 2/11 | Experiencing God Bible Study (February 11 - April 29) | We  | 6:30pm-8:00pm   |
| Feb   | 2/14 | All Church Valentine's Bash                           | Sa  | 4:00pm-8:00pm   |
| Feb   | 2/15 | Children's Valentine's Bash                           | Su  | 9:30am-10:30am  |
| Feb   | 2/18 | Ash Wednesday Soup Supper                             | We  | 5:30pm-6:30pm   |
| Feb   | 2/18 | Ash Wednesday Service                                 | We  | 7:00pm-8:00pm   |
| Feb   | 2/19 | Coffee With Friends                                   | Th  | 1:00pm-3:00pm   |
| Feb   | 2/22 | NEW High School Bible Study Begins!                   | Su  | 11:00am-12:00pm |
| Feb   | 2/22 | Parent Townhall                                       | Su  | 5:30pm-6:30pm   |

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| Feb | 2/25 | Lenten Soup Supper (2/25-3/25)         |
| Feb | 2/27 | 4th & 5th Grade Midnight Bash          |
| Mar | 3/7  | CMA Seasons of Refreshing              |
| Mar | 3/15 | Corned Beef & Cabbage Potluck          |
| Apr | 4/2  | 40 Hours of Prayer - (HOP) (April 2-4) |
| Apr | 4/5  | EASTER Sunday                          |
| May | 5/10 | Mother's Day                           |
| May | 5/15 | Sally Bytheway                         |
| May | 5/16 | Sally Bytheway                         |
| May | 5/24 | Pentecost Sunday                       |
| May | 5/25 | Memorial Day Church Closed             |

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|----|-----------------|
| We | 5:00pm-6:30pm   |
| Fr | 6:00pm-11:45pm  |
| Sa | 8:00am-4:30pm   |
| Su | 12:00pm-2:00pm  |
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**Budget**

|          | YTD 2025<br>December | YTD 2024<br>December |
|----------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Income   | \$813,806.98         | \$736,002.00         |
| Expenses | \$780,067.72         | \$745,264.94         |
| Net      | \$33,739.26          | (\$9,262.94)         |





**Serve Dinner to the Homeless**

**3rd Sunday of Every Month**

**February 15**



**Servers Needed!**



Valentine's

GALA

**\$15 PER PERSON**      **\$25 PER FAMILY**

*Festivities include Crafts, Photo Booth, Classical/Line Dance lessons.*

*Dinner is also provided.*

♥ *Dress code is encouraged as formal attire or festive* ♥

**February 14, at 4PM, Dinner @ 4:30**