

NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

SERVICE NOTES

Hospitality: Glenn* & Deb Davis, Bill & Pat Smith

Lay Reader: Pam Crawford

Organist: Marcia Hansen

Coffee Connection: Sue Welch

GSPC OFFICE CONTINUING EDUCATION

Julie and Melissa will be out of the office Tuesday afternoon thru Friday for continuing education.

CHANCEL FLOWERS

This morning are in celebration of Beth Hesling and Calvin Miles anniversary.

DAY OF SERVICE (October 1)

JB Minor - Kids Against Hunger

Sue Welch - a fleece blanket project for Heritage Villa

Denise Gregg - baby baskets

Tim Johnson - yard work at Osage House

Volunteer sign-up sheets are located on the bulletin board outside of the sexton's office.

FAMILY PROMISE

This past week Good Shepherd hosted two very delightful families through our Family Promise ministry. Thanks to everyone for your support with this ministry. As we complete this week of Family Promise, there is a need for volunteers to help with laundry. If you wish to help with the laundry, the bags of linens needing laundered are now located in the north entrance hallway near the Family Promise tub. Tags are placed on the bags to identify the contents and entail instructions regarding how the linens must be laundered in order to comply with Department of Health standards. There is no critical deadline for having the linens done. However, once completed, please place the clean laundry in the bag and reattach the corresponding tag; then drop the bags in the same location initially picked up in the north entrance hallway. If you have any questions, please contact Rori Roark (918) 232-5748.

ONE 2 ONE FUND

A couple of weeks ago a member of the church suggested that a fund be established to assist people who need emergency assistance. Rather than just a general benevolence fund, these funds would be available to members of the church who have a direct relationship with the person needing help. The idea was generated by a mention I made of a man I'm assisting who, because of a medical issue, lost his job, and as a result was vulnerable to losing his apartment, utilities etc. Those wanting to contribute to the fund would not have to make their gift immediately but rather indicate their willingness to contribute when a specific need was identified.

If you would like to be part of such an effort contact Rev. Scott or Melissa Holden in the church office.