

# NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

## **SERVICE NOTES**

Hospitality: JB\* Minor & Jim & Mary Lou Chamblee & Gayle Fish

Lay Reader: David Soules

Organist: Marcia Hanssen

Coffee Connection: Lisa Soules

## **CHANCEL FLOWERS THIS MORNING**

Flowers this morning are in honor of Beth Hesling and Calvin Miles anniversary.

## **KAIROS PRISON MINISTRY COOKIES**

Kairos Prison Ministries is having an event at Dick Conner Correctional Center. They are requesting 3,000 dozen cookies to distribute to participants, volunteers, officers, and inmates. Kairos has provided their preferred cookie recipes and you can pick up the recipe in the Narthex or online at: [www.kairosoklahoma.org/](http://www.kairosoklahoma.org/)involved. (look for the bake cookies section). Please have the cookies to the church by Sunday, September 30 before noon. This is a wonderful cause to contribute to!

## **THURSDAY LADIES BIBLE STUDY**

Studying the last unit from the book on *Grace*. Contact Linda Johnson or Margaret Boesiger for additional information.

## **BIBLE STUDY FELLOWSHIP**

BSF is an in-depth, interdenominational Bible study that helps people know God and equips them to effectively serve the Church throughout the world. BSF meets Tuesday evenings from 6:30-8pm and is currently studying the book of John. For more information please contact Nancy Pichler at [npichler@cablone.net](mailto:npichler@cablone.net).

## **DAY OF SERVICE—OCTOBER 21**

JB Minor - Kids Against Hunger

Sue Welch - fleece blanket project for Heritage Villa

Denise Gregg - baby baskets

Tim Johnson - yard work at Osage House

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

## **Are We Safe?**

The Session has decided that shortly after worship begins, entrances into the building should be locked each Sunday morning. Securing the doors prevents access while interior door hardware allows easy and immediate exit. Our hospitality team will be asked to monitor the Sanctuary's entry main doors and provide entrance to those who may arrive late for worship. The Session would like to implement this procedure in October.

This simple step is one way we can begin to ensure that our Sanctuary is indeed just that, a safe place where God may be worshipped without fear of threat.

There are further steps the Session may consider, however securing our entrances seems to be a first and logical step.

If you are interested in becoming part of the security team at Good Shepherd, helping to secure the building on Sunday, talk with Reverend Scott or any member of the Session.