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ANNOUNCEMENTS

GIVING: Online giving is available and is appreciated as we will still have our regular operating costs and bills. Please mail in your giving to P.O. Box 695 5 W. Washington St. Oswego IL 60543 or use our E giving for online giving <https://giving.ncsservices.org/app/giving/goodshepherdoswego> which can also be found on our website under the giving tab. ~ Thank you!

JOYS AND CONCERNS: Sunday morning Joys and Concerns may be submitted to the office for Pastor Steve to lift up in prayer on Sunday mornings. You may leave them on voicemail or email us. 630-554-3269 or www.goodshepherdoswego.org
If you would not like your Joy or concern mentioned publicly and or you are in need of Pastoral care, you may still leave it and ask to not be mentioned.

BIBLE STUDY: Get a glimpse into the lives of Jesus' twelve disciples by joining us on Sunday mornings at 10 am by Zoom. The study entitled, **Meet the Disciples**, by John Birch will started on **January 10** and continue for five Sundays. When you sign up with Janet McCarty at jmmccarty70@gmail.com, the study will be sent to your email. Lessons are only four pages long and include discussion questions.

HEALTH TEAM: The Health Team of the Church of the Good Shepherd is encouraging all adults to get the Covid-19 vaccination as it becomes available. Doing so will show care for self, loves ones, neighbors, and our church family.

YEAR END GIVING: If you would like to receive your yearend giving statement via email, please notify the office 630-554-3269 or office@goodshepherdoswego.org.



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“OPEN HEARTS. OPEN MINDS. OPEN DOORS.”

Readings: NIV

Isaiah 62:1-5

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
for Jerusalem's sake I will not remain quiet,
till her vindication shines out like the dawn,
her salvation like a blazing torch.
The nations will see your vindication,
and all kings your glory;
you will be called by a new name
that the mouth of the LORD will bestow.
You will be a crown of splendor in the LORD's hand,
a royal diadem in the hand of your God.
No longer will they call you Deserted,
or name your land Desolate.
But you will be called Hephzibah,
and your land Beulah;
for the LORD will take delight in you,
and your land will be married.
As a young man marries a young woman,
so will your Builder marry you;
as a bridegroom rejoices over his bride,
so will your God rejoice over you.

John 1:43-51

The next day Jesus decided to leave for Galilee. Finding Philip, he said to him, "Follow me."
Philip, like Andrew and Peter, was from the town of Bethsaida. Philip found Nathanael and told him, "We have found the one Moses wrote about in the Law, and about whom the prophets also wrote—Jesus of Nazareth, the son of Joseph."
"Nazareth! Can anything good come from there?" Nathanael asked.
"Come and see," said Philip.
When Jesus saw Nathanael approaching, he said of him, "Here truly is an Israelite in whom there is no deceit."
"How do you know me?" Nathanael asked.
Jesus answered, "I saw you while you were still under the fig tree before Philip called you."
Then Nathanael declared, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God; you are the king of Israel."
Jesus said, "You believe because I told you I saw you under the fig tree. You will see greater things than that." He then added, "Very truly I tell you, you will see 'heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending on' the Son of Man."