



From the time of Pentecost, countless people have heard the call of the Shepard to answer Him and care for His flock. They have come from all walks of life, to tirelessly, and humbly dedicate their lives to this mission.

Pastors take up the staff and watch over the flock. When a lamb is lost, they go out into the night to find them and bring them home. Our pastors guide and teach us, that we may follow in the footsteps of the Lamb, and not go astray. When one is sick or hurt, they come to give healing and comfort. At the brink of death, they bring the sacraments of Our Lord, providing comfort and grace, ushering that soul into Christ's loving arms.

As a congregation at St. Barnabas, we are blessed. Bishop Robert Burgess guides the diocese with his wisdom and warmth. Father Pete Seebold, our pastor, has touched all of our lives with warmth, kindness and humor. Fr. Jim Kasalo has also touched many with his gentle wit and kindness. Deacon May and Deacon Gail have blessed us with their service, dedication, and love.

October is Pastor appreciation month. Please join in letting our shepherds know how they have touched your lives, and how much they are loved and appreciated. A sheet will hang in the sacristy, if you would like to add a personal note. If you have a story you would like to share, send it to Shari (samallo313@msn.com) and it will be printed in the bulletin.

***May God Bless and Protect our shepherds who are
In His Service.***