# SUNDAY JANUARY 15<sup>TH</sup>, 2023

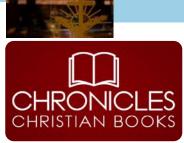
# SHEPHERD of the HILLS

TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN!

DIGITAL BULLETIN AND ORDER OF WORSHIP









# VERSE OF ENCOURAGEMENT

Let the heavens praise your wonders, O Lord, your faithfulness in the assembly of the holy ones! For who in the skies can be compared to the Lord? Who among the heavenly beings is like the Lord?

A God greatly to be feared in the council of the holy ones, and awesome above all who are around him.

Psalm 89:5-7

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

Songs of Worship
Prayer Requests
Good News Mystery
Box
Children's Message

Announcements
Message
Closing Worship

# Message Series:

**MATTHEW 14** 



**SPEAKER:** Pastor Collin Monger

# 8:00 AM Service Worship

I Sing Praises (5) Holy Holy Holy (3) It is Well with My Soul (705)

*Closing Hymn:* Standing on the Promises (410)

# 9:30 & 11 AM Service Worship

Led by Shepherd's Call

Your Grace is Enough Forever Reign Anchor

The Greatness of Our God

Your Grace is Enough (Reprise)

Song Lyrics on pages 3-4





**SERVICE TIMES** 

**8:00 AM**Acoustic Service





**9:30 AM** Sunday School

9:30 & 11 AM Contemporary Service

# **Upcoming Events**

Offering Agape drop-boxes are available at each entrance to the sanctuary. You can also give electronically here: www.soth.church/giving

Ladies Book Club, Friday January 20th 6:30 PM. Pickup your book at Chronicles Christian books today.

Christmas Decoration Clean Up – Monday, Jan. 16th 10:00 AM.

VBS Volunteers Meeting, Sunday Feb. 12th 12:30 PM: If you are interested in serving in our 2023 VBS Program (June 19th – 23rd), join us in the Fellowship Hall February 12th at 12:30 PM for a brief overview meeting.

**Missions Envelope Fundraiser** To support our upcoming Missions Trip to Baltimore, emergency needs for our Missionaries, and other needs that further the Gospel in our Community. Pick up an envelope with any amount, fill with your donation, and return in the Agape Boxes or Church Office.

**2023 Giving Envelopes** If you are interested in receiving giving envelopes for 2023, please sign your name at the Welcome Desk with your envelope number and pick them up near the restroom coat room the following week.

H2O Kids (K-6<sup>th</sup> grade) will resume on Wednesday January 11<sup>th</sup>

Wednesdays: H2O Youth Group (Jr. & Sr. High): 6:30 PM; Verse-By-Verse Bible Study, 7:00 PM

**Offering Counters Needed!** We need volunteers to help with offering counting on Sunday mornings (once a month). If interested, please sign up at the Welcome Desk and we will contact you with more details.

Women's Ministry Community Outreach Thursday January 26th 6:30 PM In the Fellowship Hall

We ask everyone to please refrain from bringing food or snacks into the sanctuary. Thank you.



Get last week's message and message notes <u>online here</u>, or through our <u>SOTH Church Mobile app</u>.

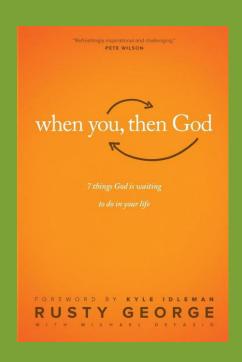
# WHEN YOU, THEN GOD BY RUSTY GEORGE

God loves you unconditionally . . . but could it be true that some of His promises have strings attached?

Beginning with the Old Testament and walking through the life of Jesus, Rusty unpacks seven core promises of God—and reveals what you need to do in order to unlock them. What is it God wants from you? When you do it, what can you trust He will then do in response? And how can you confidently move forward in life without wearing yourself out trying to guess God's will or somehow earning His unconditional love and boundless grace?

Come to know all this and more in When You, Then God—a dynamic call to obedience, an invitation to partner in God's work in your life, and a fresh way to experience His blessings. Bibles, compact Bibles, and Study Bibles are on sale during December.

Pickup your copy at Chronicles Christian Books today!



# Songs of Worship

# Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

# Your Grace Is Enough CCLI #4477026 | Matt Maher

#### Verse 1

Great is Your faithfulness O God You wrestle with the sinner's heart You lead us by still waters into mercy And nothing can keep us apart

#### Pre-Chorus

So remember Your people Remember Your children Remember Your promise O God

### Chorus 1

Your grace is enough Your grace is enough Your grace is enough for me

### Verse 2

Great is Your love and justice God You use the weak to lead the strong You lead us in the song of Your salvation And all Your people sing along

### Chorus 1

Pre-Chorus

#### Chorus 1

#### Chorus 2

Yeah Your grace is enough
Heaven reaches out to us
Your grace is enough for me
God I sing Your grace is enough
I'm covered in Your love
Your grace is enough for me for me

## Forever Reign CCLI #5639997 | Reuben Morgan

#### Verse 1

You are good You are good
When there's nothing good in me
You are love You are love
On display for all to see
You are light You are light
When the darkness closes in
You are hope You are hope
You have covered all my sin

#### Verse 2

You are peace You are peace When my fear is crippling You are true You are true Even in my wandering You are joy You are joy You're the reason that I sing You are life You are life In You death has lost its sting

#### Chorus

I'm running to Your arms
I'm running to Your arms
The riches of Your love
will always be enough
Nothing compares to Your embrace
Light of the world forever reign

#### Verse 3

You are more You are more
Than my words will ever say
You are Lord You are Lord
All creation will proclaim
You are here You are here
In Your presence I'm made whole
You are God You are God
Of all else I'm letting go

### Bridge

My heart will sing No other Name, Jesus Jesus

# Songs of Worship

# Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

## Anchor CCLI #6514121 | Ben Fielding and Dean Ussher

Verse 1 I have this hope As an anchor for my soul Through ev'ry storm I will hold to You

Verse 2 With endless love All my fear is swept away In ev'rything I will trust in You

Chorus There is hope in the promise of the cross You gave ev'rything to save the world You love And this hope is an anchor for my soul Our God will stand unshakable

Verse 3 Unchanging One Who was and is to come Your promise sure You will not let go

Bridge Your Name is higher Your Name is greater All my hope is in You Your word unfailing Your promise unshaken All my hope is in You

## The Greatness Of Our God CCLI #5660739 | Reuben Morgan and Stuart David Garrard

Verse 1

Give me eyes to see more of who You are May what I behold still my anxious heart Take what I have known and break it all apart You my God are greater still

Chorus 1 And no sky contains No doubt restrains all You are The greatness of our God I spend my life to know And I'm far from close to all You are The greatness of our God

Verse 2 Give me grace to see beyond this moment here

To believe that there is nothing left to fear And that You alone are high above it all You my God are greater still

And there is nothing that could ever separate us There is nothing that could ever separate us From Your love No life no death of this I am convinced That You my God are greater still

Chorus 2 And no words could say Or song convey all You are The greatness of our God I spend my life to know And I'm far from close to all You are The greatness of our God

Chorus 1

Bridge

Ending All You are the greatness of our God All You are the greatness of our God

# VOLUNTEER CORNER

The ministry of Shepherd of the Hills Church is not possible without the help of many volunteers who give their time and talents to serve in various areas of the church.

## Scheduled Today 1/15

Welcome Desk: Margaret F.

Deacon: Ken N.

Offering Counters: Jeannette K. / Marie M. Greeters: Kevin & Stephanie H. / Roger &

Sharon E. / Stacy S.

### **Discipleship Oasis**

Crib Room: Dawn K. / Amy B.
Pre-K Room: Mike & Joelle W.
Children's Church: Erica & James B.

### A/V Team:

Sound: Neil S. / Ken N. Video: Paul Y. / Sharon M.

## **Hospitality Team**

John C

## Scheduled Next Week 1/22

Welcome Desk: Mary B.

Deacon: Dan B.

Offering Counters: Vaughn M. / Francesca

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Greeters: Karla O. / Linda W. / Margaret S.

## **Discipleship Oasis**

Crib Room: Diane K.

Pre-K Room: Dan G. / Ruthie P. Children's Church: Renee & John M.

#### A/V Team:

Sound: Neil S. / Craig E. Video: Mark S. / Katy L.

### **Hospitality Team**

Brian & Sandy L. / Joyce H.

# SOTH Church mobile app



# Stay connected with Shepherd of the Hills by downloading our Mobile App Today!

Our mobile app allows you to get instant updates and events about the church, as well as download and listen to messages, study God's Word, give Online, and more!

# Service Opportunities

Are you interested in serving here at Shepherd of the Hills? Here are just a few areas that have an active need.

**Sunday School Teacher:** We are looking for volunteers to lead our Pre-K and Kindergarten Sunday School classes. Sunday School starts at 9:30 AM. Please contact Renee Miller at <a href="mailter@soth.church">rmiller@soth.church</a> if interested in helping. Per PA law, background clearances will be needed.

**Building Upkeep Volunteers:** We are seeking individuals who are interested in helping to clean the building and perform general upkeep as needed. If interested, please contact the church office at <a href="mailto:info@soth.church">info@soth.church</a>

**Multimedia Team:** We're looking for people to join our multimedia team on Sunday mornings. You would be helping with video and audio production, sound mixing, and other tech-related areas of the Sunday service. If you're interested in helping, let us know! Experience not needed and we will provide all the training you need. Email pastor Jon at <a href="mailto:media@soth.church">media@soth.church</a>

**Connect Group Leader:** We are currently looking for people to host in-home small groups. The person must be (or willing to become) a member of SOTH, be a believer, be able to host a group of between 7 and 10 other people twice per month and be able to coordinate the group's meetings. This person ideally will have a spiritual giftedness of a pastor, teacher, administrator, host, or other relevant gift. If you are interested in serving in this way, please contact Pastor Charles Rowdon at crowdon@soth.church.



# HOW TO SUPPORT MISSIONS

You can give financial support to our Missions projects through our regular giving envelopes by check or cash. You can also give *Electronically* using our **Online Giving Portal**, through our **Mobile App**, or at Chronicles
Christian Books.

You can also support our missionaries by sending a SOTH Missions **Postcard** at Chronicles Books. You can write an encouraging message to our commitment missionary of the month and we will mail the card for you.

# January Missions

"Since I was a teen, I knew that God designed me for a purpose (Psalm 139) and that doing anything else with my life would be unfulfilling. God placed a desire in my heart to serve young adults, giving me the passion and creativity to reach them in a relevant way. We came to fall in love with ministry while working at a Christian camp in Lebanon, NJ. It was the first time we saw clearly how serving God was fulfilling our purpose in life and that nothing else would satisfy."- Jeff

"I have wanted to minister to young women since God drew me back to Himself in college. Helping Jeff lead the young adult group at our church has grown my faith and developed my confidence to teach and lead. I believe God has blessed us and raised us up here because He wants us to reach out to the youth of New Jersey."- Karen

Jeff and Karen Grant are our Missions Commitment focus for the month of January. The Grants currently serve in Orlando Florida with CRU.

After college, Jeff and Karen were blown away to discover that young adults are responsive to the gospel if approached in a relevant manner. It was through this group that we first felt called to reach out to this age group.

With an aching heart to serve God in full-time Ministry, both Jeff and Karen were captured instantly by the passion of Cru when introduced to it through a church member. This was the answer to years of prayer!

CRU's mission statement-Helping to fulfill the Great Commission in the power of the Holy Spirit by winning people to faith in Jesus Christ, building them in their faith and sending them to win and build others; and helping the Body of Christ do evangelism and discipleship

Read more about Jeff and Karen online...





# JANUARY MISSIONS Vision Project

"Therefore, go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you."

# Crossing Cultures International (CCI) is our vision project for the month of January.

Crossing Cultures International conducts ministry on 6 continents in over 34 nations, reaching 130 people groups. In several of these nations, followers of Christ face persecution or discrimination. The majority of CCI's classes are located 10/40 Window. Led by the Holy Spirit, the goal of CCI is to equip

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Christlike servants who equip Christlike servants who passionately and effectively serve in local church ministry, church planting, and cross cultural missions.

# GET INVOLVED AT SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS

Nothing about the Christian faith is by accident, it all requires being intentional about your relationship with God. We encourage everyone who attends Shepherd of the Hills to this intentional approach to our church through service and fellowship. We want everyone at Shepherd of the Hills to be committed to growing in the faith with these brothers and sisters in Christ.

Every other month we offer a Shepherd 101 class for those who are interested in learning more about our church community. We want to help you find ways that you can get involved in fellowship and service.

If you would like to attend a Shepherd 101 class, please sign up at the welcome desk in the foyer or <a href="mailto:email Pastor Collin at cmonger@soth.church">email Pastor Collin at cmonger@soth.church</a> to be added to the list.

# **MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT**

HIS TO OWN

Shepherd of the Hills values educating young men and women, fostering them into personal relationships with Jesus Christ. Led by Charles Rowdon, our youth pastor, and supported by an amazing congregation and group of volunteers, the H2O ministry seeks to engage youth in meaningful, faith based,



"Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity."

1 Timothy 4:12

conversations. With an energetic and welcoming atmosphere, the H2O ministry truly is a vibrant part of the church's ministry. Here at H2O, we want you to feel welcomed and comfortable expressing questions about faith. If you are a middle school or high school student and you want to make new relationships with people, are looking for a fun environment, and want to grow in your relationship with Christ, then come join us on a Sunday morning, Wednesday night, or for any of our awesome events! We would



love to meet you and get to know you better. If you have any questions contact our Youth Pastor, Pastor Charles!





Our ministries here at Shepherd of the Hills Church allow us to carry out our mission by addressing a specific area of need in our community. To learn more about a ministry, tap on a logo below.



