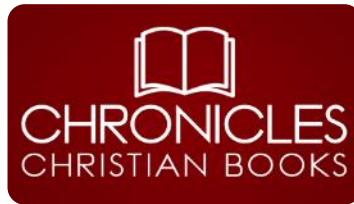


PALM SUNDAY APRIL 10TH, 2022

SHEPHERD *of the* HILLS

TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN!
DIGITAL BULLETIN AND ORDER OF WORSHIP



VERSE OF ENCOURAGEMENT

I will extol you, my God and King, and bless your name forever and ever. Every day I will bless you and praise your name forever and ever.

Great is the Lord, and greatly to be praised, and his greatness is unsearchable.

Psalm 145:1-3



ORDER OF WORSHIP

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

Message Series:



MESSAGE: THREE THINGS I LEARNED FROM A MAN ON A DONKEY

SPEAKER:

Pastor Collin Monger

8:00 AM Service Worship

- Hosanna #296
- We Will Glorify #105
- Jesus, Name Above All Names #86
- Lamb of God #302
- Closing Hymn**
- Jesus Paid It All #305

9:30 & 11 AM Service Worship

Led by Legacy Worship

- Hosanna
- Endless Light
- How Great is Our God
- Holy, Holy, Holy
- How Great is Our God (*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 around the lot during our outdoor service. Please note we will not take a formal offering during services. You can also give electronically here:

www.soth.church/giving

Maundy Thursday Seder & Good Friday Service, April 14 & 15 Join us for a Maundy Thursday Seder at 7:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall, as well as our Good Friday Service at 7:00 PM in the Sanctuary. The Seder is free to attend, but please sign up at the Welcome Desk, the church app, or on the church website.

Community Easter Egg Hunt: Saturday April 16th 3:00 PM Join us on Saturday, April 16th at 3:00 PM for a Community Easter Egg Hunt at Abilene Park here at Shepherd of the Hills. Kids of all ages invited, with activities and refreshments for the whole family.

Preschool Easter Candy Fundraiser: Support the preschool and purchase some delicious chocolate eggs! \$8 per box, 8-10 candy eggs per box (8 oz total), pickup and pay in the foyer.

Youth Club Spring Semester Wednesday 6:45 PM: for Kids K-6

There will be No Wednesday Verse-By-Verse Bible Study this week.

Biblical Worldview Class Starting Thursdays April 21st 7:00 PM Interested in learning how to respond to world events from a Biblical perspective? Join us for a Biblical Worldview Class on Thursday evenings starting on April 21st at 7:00 PM. Sign up at the Welcome Desk or [online here!](#)

Challenge Men's Ministry Hockey Game, Friday April 22nd 6:00 PM Guys join us for a Lehigh Valley Phantoms Game on Friday April 22nd. Leave from SOTH no later than 6:00 PM. \$10 per person. Sign up at the Welcome Desk or [Online](#).

Motorcycle Ministry First Ride Saturday April 30th 10:00 AM Riders interested in joining must be legally able to ride, have a cruiser-style motorcycle, 500cc or greater. Meet at SOTH at 10:00 AM. Must register online [here on our church website](#).

SOTH Summer Missions Trip: New York City. August 1st – 7th If you are interested in serving in our Church-Wide missions trip, held August 1st – 7th, sign up on the welcome desk in the foyer.

Get last week's message and message notes [online here](#), or through our [SOTH Church Mobile app](#).

BOOK of the month

GRACE DEFINED AND DEFENDED

BY KEVIN DEYOUNG

"Grace Is Too Precious a Doctrine to Settle for Vague Generalities."

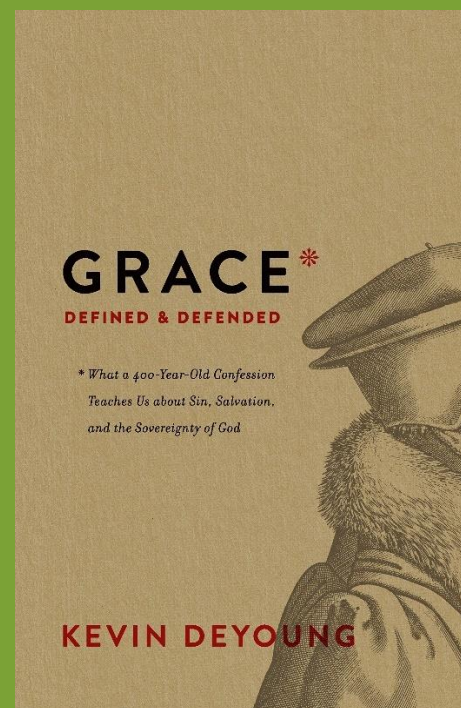
Grace—a doctrine central to the gospel—ought to be clearly defined so it can be celebrated, relished, and consistently defended.

In this book, Kevin DeYoung leads us back to the Canons of Dort, a seventeenth-century document originally written to precisely and faithfully define this precious doctrine.

The Canons of Dort stand as a faithful witness to the precise nature of God's supernatural, sovereign, redeeming, resurrecting grace—when so many people settle for vague generalities that water down the truth.

In three concise sections—covering history, theology, and practical application—DeYoung explores what led to the Canons and why they were needed, the five important doctrines that they explain, and Dort's place in the Christian faith today.

Get your copy at Chronicles Christian Books today!



Songs of Worship

Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

Hosanna

CCLI #21545 | Carl Tuttle

Verse 1

Hosanna hosanna
Hosanna in the highest
Hosanna hosanna
Hosanna in the highest

Chorus

Lord we lift up Your name
With hearts full of praise
Be exalted oh Lord my God
Hosanna in the highest

Verse 2

Glory glory
Glory to the King of kings
Glory glory
Glory to the King of kings

Chorus

Lord we lift up Your name
With hearts full of praise
Be exalted oh Lord my God
Hosanna in the highest

Chorus

Lord we lift up Your name
With hearts full of praise
Be exalted oh Lord my God
Hosanna in the highest

Ending

Be exalted oh Lord my God
Hosanna in the highest

Endless Light

CCLI #6177300 | Karl Cashwell and Dean Ussher

Verse 1

From the highest throne to the earth below
You laid down Your life for the likes of us
Great is the love of the Saviour
From a wounded heart to a life made whole
Every human heart will declare as one
Great is the love of the Saviour

Chorus 1

Lord of endless light
Let Your glory shine forever
All the earth
All the earth sing Your praise

Verse 2

From the mountain heights to the valleys low
All created things given life to show
Jesus we live for Your glory
From the rising sun to the still of night
Every waking moment for Your delight
Jesus we live for Your glory

Chorus 2

Lord of endless light
Let Your glory shine forever
All the earth
All the earth sing Your praise
Hope of every heart
Let Your Name be lifted higher
All our hearts
All our hearts sing Your praise

Bridge

God be exalted
God be exalted in everything
We live for Your glory
Live for Your glory
(REPEAT)

Chorus 2

Songs of Worship

Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

How Great Is Our God

CCLI #4348399 | Ed Cash, Jesse Reeves, and Chris Tomlin

Verse 1

The splendor of the King
Clothed in majesty
Let all the earth rejoice
All the earth rejoice
He wraps Himself in light
And darkness tries to hide
And trembles at His voice
And trembles at His voice

Chorus

How great is our God
Sing with me
How great is our God
And all will see how great
How great is our God

Verse 2

And age to age He stands
And time is in His hands
Beginning and the End
Beginning and the End
The Godhead three in one
Father Spirit Son
The Lion and the Lamb
The Lion and the Lamb

Chorus

Bridge

Name above all names
Worthy of all praise
My heart will sing
How great is our God

Chorus

Holy Holy Holy (Nicaea)

CCLI #1156 | John Bacchus Dykes and Reginald Heber

Verse 1

Holy holy holy
Lord God Almighty
Early in the morning
Our song shall rise to Thee
Holy holy holy
Merciful and mighty
God in three persons
Blessed Trinity

Verse 2

Holy holy holy
All the saints adore Thee
Casting down their golden crowns
Around the glassy sea
Cherubim and seraphim
Falling down before Thee
Which wert and art
And evermore shalt be

Verse 4

Holy holy holy
Lord God Almighty
All Thy works shall praise Thy name
In earth and sky and sea
Holy holy holy
Merciful and mighty
God in three persons
Blessed Trinity

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 04/10

Welcome Desk: Margaret F.

Deacon: Neil S.

Offering Counters: Marie M. / Mary B.

Greeters: Kevin & Steph H. / Uwe & Mary B.
/ Marge S.

Discipleship Oasis

Crib Room: Crystal O.

Pre-K Room: Joyce H. / Katie L.

Children's Church: Karen & John S.

A/V Team:

Sound: Dolly K. / Brad S.

Video: Stan K. / Gail A.

Hospitality Team

Karla O. / Judy M. / Antje F.

Scheduled Next Week 04/17

Welcome Desk: Mary B.

Deacon: Ken N.

Offering Counters: Edo, Norma J. / Peg K.

Greeters: Karla O. / Bill & Patti W. / Mark
F.

Discipleship Oasis

Crib Room: Dawn K. / Amy B.

Pre-K Room: Mike & Joelle W.

Children's Church: Crystal O. / Isabella B.

A/V Team:

Sound: Neil S. / Ken N.

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Hospitality Team

John C.

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!

VOLUNTEER CORNER Service Opportunities

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

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 media@soth.church

Sunday School & Children's Church Teacher: We are looking for volunteers to lead one of our Sunday School classes as well, either 1st – 3rd grade or 4th – 6th, as our Children's Church offering. Sunday School starts at 9:30 AM and Children's church starts at 11:00 AM. Please contact Renee Miller at rmiller@soth.church if interested in helping. Per PA law, background clearances will be needed.

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.

Bookstore Attendants: We are seeking individuals or couples who are interested in helping staff our bookstore on Sunday mornings. Interested parties can contact Pastor Jon at media@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](#) or through our [Mobile App](#).

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.

April Missions

Said and Habiba are missionaries who have been ministering as witness for Christ in country that is hostile toward Christians and external missionaries. This is especially difficult because missionaries are not accepted into the country but, because of their citizenship, they have the opportunity to share their testimony with people who might not otherwise hear the gospel message. They have a passion to not only share what Christ has done in their lives with others but also disciple them and help them grow in their faith.

“We thank God for supporting and protecting us during all these years and his faithfulness with us. Brothers and Sisters in Christ and partners in ministry I thank God for you and your support to us during all these years and I pray that God will always be with you.”

Said and Habiba are our **Missions Commitment** focus for the month of April. Said helps to lead a coalition of home churches in a country that is hostile toward Christians and missionaries.

Said helps to lead a coalition of home churches in his home country while at the same time utilizing technology to help spread the message of Jesus. In the last year over 400 people have come to a profess Jesus as their Lord and savior because of the work of Said and his family. Prayers are always appreciated as this is an especially difficult and dangerous place to be a believer in Christ.

- Many Christian workers have been asked to leave the country for different reasons.
- Women’s ministry & strategies to reach women
- Security for family and church members.

Prayer Requests & Current Needs:

- Funding for a church location
- Pray for new Pastors in the country.

APRIL 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.”

New York, NY Missions Trip from Shepherd of the Hills

Shepherd of the Hills is sending a missions team to New York City, NY to work with Street Life Ministries in August.

The team will be helping with be helping:

- Share God’s love with the people of New York City
- Working in the homeless ministry, outreach ministry, and children’s ministry.
- Distribute food to needy families
- Minister & fellowship within the community
- Now accepting registration for those interested in participating.



MEMBERSHIP AT SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS

Nothing about the Christian faith is by accident, it all requires being intentional about your relationship with God. Membership allows us to extend that intentional approach to our church connection. At Shepherd of the Hills being a member is a way of saying "I'm committed to growing in my faith with these brothers and sisters in Christ." Membership also allows the church to commit to you by pledging to help you in any way possible.

Every Fourth Sunday at 12:15 PM we offer a membership class for those wishing to join our congregation.



If you would like to attend a membership class, please sign up at the welcome desk in the foyer or [email Pastor Collin at cmonger@soth.church](mailto:cmonger@soth.church) to be added to the list.

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT



Shepherd of the Hills Church takes significant effort to offer our community a high-quality Christian-based educational preschool and kindergarten for children. The Christian School is God centered, believing all truth is God's truth, and dedicated to helping parents prepare their children for Godly success in their faith, life and academic career. The mission of SOTH Christian School is to work in partnership with families to foster the spiritual, intellectual, social, emotional, and physical aspects, of each unique child.

"Train up a child in the way he should go, and when he is old he will not turn from it."

Proverbs 22:6

Throughout the day, our dedicated staff guide our young students through a carefully and deliberately planned curriculum that includes reading, mathematics, learning to follow instructions and other skills designed to give children the tools they need when entering grade school.



Today, the school is a completely self-generating program, funded by student tuition and generous congregational support from members like you.



MINISTRY CORNER



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.

