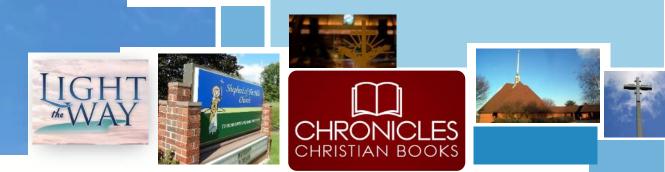
SUNDAY MAY 1ST, 2022 SHEPHERD of the HILLS

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



VERSE OF ENCOURAGEMENT

May the glory of the Lord endure forever; may the Lord rejoice in his works, who looks on the earth and it trembles, who touches the mountains and they smoke!

I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; I will sing praise to my God while I have being.

Psalm 104:31-33



ORDER OF WORSHIP

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

Message Series:



MESSAGE: STAY IN YOUR LANE!

8:00 AM Service Worship

He Is Lord #34 Shine, Jesus, Shine #431 To Him Who Sits on the Throne #373

Closing Hymn I Love to Tell the Story #444

9:30 & 11 AM Service Worship

Pastor Collin Monger

SPEAKER:

Led by Shepherd's Call

Hosanna (Praise is Rising) Ancient of Days To Him Who Sits on the Throne Hymn of Heaven

Hosanna (Reprise)

Song Lyrics on pages 3-4



Upcoming Events

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

We are Hiring a Church Office Assistant to serve part time during the week, Monday to Thursday. A full job description and application can be found online on our ministries page at <u>www.soth.church/ministries</u>

Ladies Tea Saturday, May 21st 9:00 AM Ladies join us for a Ladies Tea on Saturday May 21st starting at 9:00 AM. Special guest speaker Laura Sommons from Lavishly Loved Ministry will share on Psalm 107:9, "Come to the Table". <u>Sign up online here</u> or at the welcome desk.

Wednesdays: Youth Club 6:45PM-8:30PM, Grades K-6th & Verse-By-Verse Bible Study: 7:00 PM

Youth Sunday May 22nd All Services Join us Sunday, May 22nd, for Youth Sunday, where our H2O Youth Group lead the service in worship with music, skit, and testimony. Come to hear how God is moving through the lives of the next generation in all of our morning services.

May Missionary Visit – Luke and Alyssa Miller – May 22nd Luke and Alyssa Miller will be visiting SOTH on May 22nd and share briefly during the services, as well as an extended session during the 9:30 AM Sunday School hour in the Fellowship Hall.

Outdoor Baptisms, Sunday June 5th Join us Sunday, June 5th, for an Outdoor Baptism Service at 12:15 PM in the Prayer Garden. To be baptized, <u>sign up online</u> or at the welcome desk.

VBS 2022 Registration Open *Registration for our 2022 VBS Program, June 20th-24th, 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM is now open. Register kids grades Pre-K through 6th grade online at <u>www.soth.cc/vbs2022</u>*

VBS 2022 Volunteers: Have a passion for children and want to make an impact for Christ? Volunteer to help with VBS by contacting pastor Jon or the church office. (Background Check Required)

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.*

The 2022 Church Directory is available for pickup at the Welcome Desk.



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

IMAGINATION REDEEMED

BY: GENE EDWARD VEITH JR., MATTHEW P. RISTUCCIA

"Your imagination matters."

Contrary to popular perception, it's not just for kids, artists, or fans of science fiction. Rather, the imagination is what bridges our thinking and feeling, allowing us to do everything from planning a weekend getaway to remembering what we ate for breakfast.

In Imagination Redeemed, Gene Veith and Matthew Ristuccia uncover the imagination's importance for Christians, helping us understand who God is, what his Word teaches, and how we should live in the world today. Here is a call to embrace this forgotten part of the mind as a gift from God designed to bolster faith, hope, and love in his people.

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GLORIFYING GOD WITH A NEGLECTED PART OF YOUR MIND

Songs of Worship Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

Hosanna (Praise Is Rising) CCLI #4662491 | Paul Baloche and Brenton Brown

Verse 1 Praise is rising Eyes are turning to You We turn to You Hope is stirring Hearts are yearning for You We long for You

Pre-Chorus 'Cause when we see You We find strength to face the day In Your presence All our fears are washed away Washed away

Chorus

Hosanna hosanna You are the God who saves us Worthy of all our praises Hosanna hosanna Come have Your way among us We welcome You here Lord Jesus

Verse 2

Hear the sound of Hearts returning to You We turn to You In Your Kingdom Broken lives are made new You make us new

Pre-Chorus

Chorus

Pre-Chorus Pre-Chorus

Chorus

Ancient Of Days CCLI #798108 | Jamie Harvill and Gary Sadler

Verse

Blessing and honor glory and power Be unto the Ancient of Days From ev'ry nation all of creation Bow before the Ancient of Days

Chorus

Ev'ry tongue in heaven and earth Shall declare Your glory Ev'ry knee shall bow at Your throne In worship You will be exalted O God And Your kingdom shall not pass away O Ancient of Days

Verse

Chorus

Bridge Your kingdom shall reign Over all the earth Sing unto the Ancient of Days For none can compare To Your matchless worth Sing unto the Ancient of Days

Chorus

Songs of Worship Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

To Him Who Sits On The Throne CCLI #20429 | Debbye Graafsma

To Him who sits on the throne and unto the Lamb To Him who sits on the throne and unto the Lamb Be blessing and glory and honor and power forever Be blessing and glory and honor and power forever

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Hymn Of Heaven CCLI #7168994 | Bill Johnson, Brian Johnson, Chris Davenport, and Phil Wickham

Verse 1

How I long to breathe the air of Heaven Where pain is gone and mercy fills the streets To look upon the one who bled to save me And walk with Him for all eternity

Chorus 1

There will be a day when all will bow before Him There will be a day when death will be no more Standing face to face With He who died and rose again Holy, holy is the Lord

Verse 2

And ev'ry prayer, we prayed in desperation The songs of faith we sang through doubt and fear In the end, we'll see that it was worth it When He returns to wipe away our tears

Chorus 1

Verse 3

And on that day we join the resurrection And stand beside the heroes of the faith With one voice, a thousand generations Sing worthy is the Lamb who was slain (REPEAT) Forever He shall reign

Chorus 2

So, let it be today we shout the hymn of Heaven With angels and the Saints we raise a mighty roar Glory to our God who gave us life beyond the grave Holy, holy is the Lord (REPEAT) Holy, holy is the Lord Holy, holy is the Lord

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 05/01

Welcome Desk: Mary S. Deacon: Neil S. Offering Counters: Jeanette K. / Marie M. Greeters: Terry & Gail L. / Linda W. / Antje F.

Discipleship Oasis

Crib Room: Diane K. Pre-K Room: Diana & Dan G. Children's Church: Brittany T.

A/V Team: Sound: Neil S. / Craig E. Video: Leigh Ann C. / James W.

Hospitality Team Brian & Sandy L. / Sharon E.

Scheduled Next Week 05/08

Welcome Desk: Mary B. Deacon: Sharon E. Offering Counters: Vaughn M. / Cindy O. Greeters: Bill & Sybilla G. / Ed & Barb F.

Discipleship Oasis Crib Room: Jim & Sherry J. Pre-K Room: Joyce H. / Katie L. Children's Church: Renee & John M.

A/V Team: Sound: Dolly K. / Brad S. Video: Stan K. / Gail A.

Hospitality Team Karla O. / Judy M.

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 <u>media@soth.church</u>

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 $4th - 6^{th}$, 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 <u>rmiller@soth.church</u> 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 <u>media@soth.church</u>



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.

May Missions

Pastor Derrick Whitmore is the founder and currently serves as the Executive Director of Shattered Studios, a non-profit organization that shares hope and faith through the creative, performance, and media arts.

Derrick felt the call to ministry after the Lord healed him of the depression and low self-esteem he felt as a youth. While serving as the youth pastor of Shepherd of the Hills, Derrick observed some of the youth were dealing with similar levels of depression and even suicidal thoughts. He felt the urgent need to gather a team together to specifically address this need and soon Shattered Studios was formed. Not long after, Derrick felt God calling to devote more time into working with those struggling with depression and, as a result, he began working for Shattered

Derrick Whitmore is our Missions Commitment focus for the month of May. Derrick serves as the Executive Director of Shattered Studios in Orlando, Florida.

Studios full time. Due to the large number of missionary resources available in Orlando, FL, he decided to expand Shattered Studios to incorporate the Orlando metro-region.

His greatest desire is to help people, especially youth and young adults, come to personally know the Lord and grow in an unending relationship with Him. Derrick is also passionate about inspiring others to use whatever gifts they have been given to serve others and glorify the Lord (1 Peter 4:10-11).





MAY 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.



Luke and Alyssa Miller are our Missions Vision Project for the month of May.

Luke and Alyssa have been called to serve in Thailand with New Mission Systems International. They serve, disciple, and teach in Chiang Mai's youth homes for at risk youth from ages 12-20.



Many of these youth come from tribal families who live in mountain villages, hours from schools, so they move to the city for an education while their parents stay in the village to work their farms. There is great need for this kind of ministry for the youth to have more adult interaction and to be guided and introduced to Christ.

The potential outcomes are invaluable: decreased drug use, prostitution, poverty and high school drop-outs and a generation who knows Christ and has hope for the future!

Click here to find out more info about youth homes in Chaing Mai.

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

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> MINISTRY ORNER

membership class, please sign up at the welcome desk in the foyer or <u>email Pastor Collin at</u> <u>cmonger@soth.church</u> to be added to the list.

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT



Vacation Bible School (VBS) is a ministry outreach of the church which we use to introduce children to Jesus and educate them about God and His love. This week-long event hosts dozens of children, ages 3-12, and presents them with the gospel message they can understand! If you have an elementary aged child register them and come join us for a funfilled week at VBS! Packed with exciting crafts, Bible lessons, "I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ." *Philippians 1:6*

snacks, and games; at VBS your child will discover what it means to be saved by Jesus. This VBS engages kids of all ages and is sure to be one of the highlights of your summer!

VBS is being held this year on June 20th-24th from 9:00am-12:30pm. Along with a being a ministry for kids, VBS is also a great opportunity for youth and adults to volunteer and share about their relationship with Jesus! Previous years we had over 35 adults and youth volunteer and, without their dedication, VBS would not be possible.

If you'd like to know more about VBS or how to get involved as a leader please contact Pastor Jon or 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.













