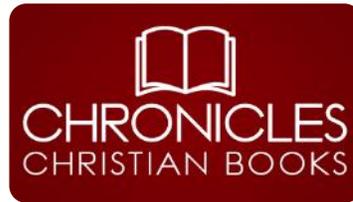
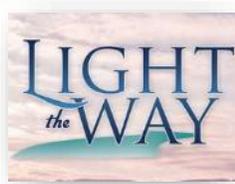


SUNDAY MAY 9TH, 2021

# SHEPHERD *of the* HILLS

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



## VERSE OF ENCOURAGEMENT

The Lord is my rock and my fortress and my deliverer, my God, my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield, and the horn of my salvation!

**My stronghold and my refuge, my savior; you save me from violence.**

**I call upon the Lord, who is worthy to be praised, and I am saved from my enemies!**

2 Samuel 22:2-4



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

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

## Message Series:



**MESSAGE: IN HIM ALL THINGS HOLD TOGETHER**

**SPEAKER:**  
Pastor Collin Monger

### 8:00 AM Service Worship

#### Hymns of Praise

- I Will Call Upon the Lord #530
- The Solid Rock #526
- Amazing Grace #343 (Hymn of Grace)

#### Closing Hymn

- I Know Whom I Have Believed #527

### 9:30 & 11 AM Service Worship

Led by Legacy Worship

- Alive in You
- Your Name
- Always
- Your Name (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. Please note we will not take a formal offering during services. You can also give electronically here: [soth.church/giving](https://soth.church/giving)

**Outdoor Baptisms May 16th:** Join us Sunday, May 16th, for an Outdoor Baptism Service at 12:15 PM in the Prayer Garden. [Sign up online here.](#)

**Hiring Preschool teacher and assistant:** The church is hiring two part-time positions, one teacher and one classroom assistant. Approximately 8 hours a week, contact the church office for complete job descriptions.

**VBS 2021 Registration Open:** Registration for our 2021 VBS Program is open now for ages Pre-K to 6<sup>th</sup> Grade! VBS will be held June 21<sup>st</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM. Register online at [soth.cc/vbs2021](https://soth.cc/vbs2021)

**Playground Fundraiser** Support our new future playground and recreation center. Make a donation starting at \$15 and get a piece to add to the puzzle in the foyer.

**Chosen by Grace Women's Ministry Event: May 15th 10:00 AM.** Ladies join us Saturday May 15th (3rd Saturday) at 10:00 AM for Bible Study and Lunch. Our study will feature the book "Well Watered Woman" along with construction of a Living Wall Hanging garden. [Register online here.](#)

**Youth Club Outdoor Games & Water Fun: Saturday May 22nd 11:00 AM.** Join us for a fun day of games, water activities, and hot dogs as we conclude our Youth Club Spring Semester. Parents and younger siblings invited to participate. Sign up at Youth Club drop off.

**Missions Committee Volunteers** We are looking for individuals to join our Missions Committee team. If interested, contact the church office and we will connect you with the team leaders.

**Wednesday Verse-By-Verse Bible Study: 7:00 PM in the Sanctuary.**

**Youth Club: Wednesdays, 6:45 PM-8:30 PM. Grades K-6th.**

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

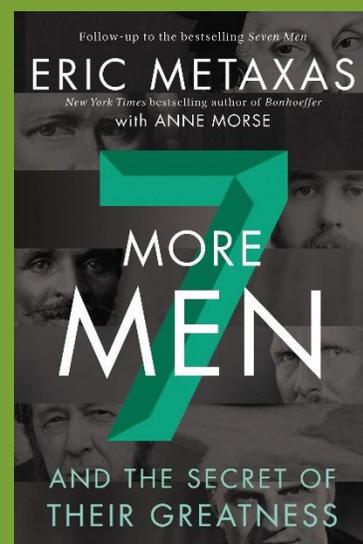
## BOOK of the month

### SEVEN MORE MEN AND THE SECRET OF THEIR GREATNESS BY ERIC METAXAS

In Seven More Men, the sequel to the enormously successful Seven Men, #1 New York Times bestselling author Eric Metaxas offers more captivating stories of some of the most inspiring men in history. A gallery of greatness comes to life as Metaxas reveals men who faced insurmountable struggles and challenges with victorious resolve.

Heroes and role models have always been tremendously important—essential for inspiring our lives and shaping the world. But in the last few decades, the need for men of valor and integrity is more vital than ever. Award-winning biographer Eric Metaxas restores a sense of the heroic in the compelling profiles of Martin Luther, George Whitefield, William Booth, George Washington Carver, Sergeant Alvin York, Alexander Solzhenitsyn, and Billy Graham. Each man evinces a particular quality: the courage to surrender themselves to a higher purpose, and the willingness to give something dear to them away for the good of others.

With vitality and warmth, Metaxas draws electrifying insights for our daily lives from the inexhaustible richness of history. Inevitably inspiring, this anthology reminds us that certain qualities are worthy of emulation. Becoming acquainted with these seven heroes cannot fail to make your life immeasurably richer. Get your copy today at Chronicles Christian Books!



# Songs of Worship

*Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream*

## **Alive In You**

**CCLI #5065956 | Mike Guglielmucci and Scott Ligertwood**

### *Verse 1*

Calling all believers new life  
Found within the cross of Christ  
For He is risen  
Seated high and lifted above all  
Above all

### *Pre-Chorus*

All around the world we sing Your praise  
The anthem of creation our God reigns

### *Chorus*

Let the Name of Jesus forever be glorified  
We are alive in You  
We are alive in You

### *Verse 2*

Redemption story  
Our lives freely given light to see  
Salvation drawing all hearts  
Finding hope in Christ alone  
In Christ alone

### *Pre-Chorus & Chorus*

### *Bridge 1*

You are risen  
You are risen  
You are risen  
Christ our Saviour  
(REPEAT)

### *Bridge 2*

You alone can satisfy  
You alone created life  
You alone are crowned as Christ our Saviour  
You alone set captives free  
You alone have rescued me  
You alone are Jesus Christ our Saviour

## **Your Name**

**CCLI #4611679 | Paul Baloche and Glenn Packiam**

### *Verse 1*

As morning dawns and evening fades  
You inspire songs of praise  
That rise from earth to touch Your heart  
And glorify Your Name

### *Chorus*

Your Name is a strong and mighty tower  
Your Name is a shelter like no other  
Your Name let the nations sing it louder  
'Cause nothing has the power to save  
But Your Name

### *Verse 2*

Jesus in Your Name we pray  
Come and fill our hearts today  
Lord give us strength to live for You  
And glorify Your Name

### *Chorus*

### *Chorus*

# Songs of Worship

*Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream*

## **Always**

**CCLI #5881037 | Jason Ingram and Kristian Stanfill**

### *Verse 1*

My foes are many  
They rise against me  
But I will hold my ground  
I will not fear the war  
I will not fear the storm  
My help is on the way  
My help is on the way

### *Chorus*

Oh my God  
He will not delay  
My refuge and strength always  
I will not fear  
His promise is true  
My God will come through always  
Always

### *Verse 2*

Trouble surrounds me  
Chaos abounding  
My soul will rest in You  
I will not fear the war  
I will not fear the storm  
My help is on the way  
My help is on the way

### *Chorus*

### *Bridge*

I lift my eyes up  
My help comes from the Lord  
I lift my eyes up  
My help comes from the Lord  
(REPEAT)

### *Chorus*

### *Chorus*

# 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 5/9

Usher Captains: Mark F.  
Greeters: Gordie & Sandy M. / Vaughn & Judy M. / Marge S.  
Deacon: Mark F.  
Offering Counters: Rob & Ginny S.  
Welcome Desk: Mary B.

## Discipleship Oasis (11 AM)

Crib Room: Rachael K.  
Pre-K Room: Francesca P.  
Children's Church: Brittany T.

## A/V Team:

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

## Hospitality Team

Marie M. / Tina G. / Karen U.

## Scheduled Next Week 5/16

Usher Captains: Vaughn M. & Dan M.  
Greeters: Terry L. / Linda W. / Marie M.  
Deacon: Sharon E.  
Offering Counters: Edo & Norma J. / Peg K.  
Welcome Desk: Margaret F.

## Discipleship Oasis (11 AM)

Crib Room: Jim & Sherry J.  
Pre-K Room: Patti W. / Andy T.  
Children's Church: Renee & John M.

## A/V Team:

Sound: Neil S. / Ken N.  
Video: Matt C. / Will E.

## Hospitality Team

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!*

For health & safety information regarding COVID please [click here](#)

## 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.*

**Chronicles Books Store Attendant** We are looking for volunteers to help assist our Sunday morning operations (8 AM – 12:30 PM) at our bookstore, Chronicles Christian Books. If you have a love of books and coffee, this may be a perfect opportunity for you. Training will be provided; a general knowledge of technology & tablet devices is a plus. If interested, please contact Pastor Jon or Pastor Collin, or email us at [info@soth.church](mailto:info@soth.church).

**Multimedia Live Stream 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](mailto: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 – 6<sup>th</sup>, 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](mailto: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](mailto:crowdon@soth.church).

**Tee-Ball Coach:** We are currently looking for a couple of people to serve as tee-ball coaches for the 2021 season, beginning in April. The coach should have knowledge of the game, the ability to coach children, and the ability to manage the schedule of the team. This team will compete in the regular Boyertown Midget Baseball League. Practices will be held at the church, games will be played on BMBL fields. The church will provide all equipment and uniforms. Per PA law, background clearances will be needed. If you are interested in serving here, please contact Pastor Collin at [cmonger@soth.church](mailto:cmonger@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.

# May 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 May. 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...](#)



## 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.”

**Issachar Imperative** is our Missions Vision Project for the month of May.

“The tribe of Issachar supplied 200 leaders, along with all of their relatives under their command. They kept up-to-date in their understanding of the times and knew what Israel should do.” - 1 Chronicles 12:32, ISV

The Issachar Imperative organization helps equip people of faith with a Biblical Worldview. This is done through monthly meetings, the yearly Worldview Institute, and through other educational events and articles.

The goal is “to understand the prevailing world views that exist in our culture by analyzing headline events on a weekly basis and discussing their implications. We ask what world view is behind the actions of each event and what would be the appropriate Biblical World View of the same event? And then we ask ourselves, “What should we do?” It’s simple, but stretching, enlightening and motivating.”



# 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.

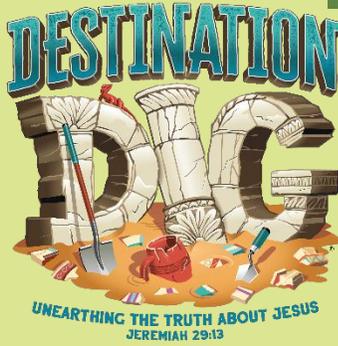
Every second Sunday at 12:15 PM we offer a membership class for those wishing to join our congregation.



**NEW MEMBERS CLASS**

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



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

*Proverbs 22:6*

**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 fun-filled week at VBS! Packed with exciting crafts, Bible lessons,

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 21st-25th from 9:00am-12:00pm. 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 leader please contact Pastor Jon or Pastor Charles.



## 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.**

