SUNDAY JUNE 4<sup>TH</sup>, 2023

# SHEPHERD of the HILLS

TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN!

DIGITAL BULLETIN AND ORDER OF WORSHIP









### VERSE OF ENCOURAGEMENT

"Hallelujah! For the Lord our God the Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and exult and give him the glory."

Revelation 19:6-7

### Message Series:

5 TIPS TO STAY "BLESSED TO SERVE"

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**SPEAKER:** Pastor Collin Monger

### 8:00 AM Service Worship

Hallelujah! Our God Reigns Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart The Greatest Thing

*Closing Hymn:* Make Me a Blessing

### 9:30 & 11 AM Service Worship

Today is the Day Unchanging Shout to the Lord

Song Lyrics on pages 3-4

### ORDER OF WORSHIP

Songs of Worship Prayer Requests

Good News Mystery Box

Children's Message

**Announcements** 

Message Communion Closing Worship





**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: <a href="https://www.soth.church/giving">www.soth.church/giving</a>

As a reminder, Children's Ministries are available during each service. For more informati<mark>on, visit</mark> the Front Desk.

**VBS Decorating and Setup begins this week: 10 AM to 3 PM.** Stop by any time. For more info, contact the church office or Pastor Jon Grove.

**VBS Volunteers Needed!** Interested in helping with our 2023 Vacation Bible School (June 19th – 23rd)? Sign up online at: <a href="www.soth.cc/vbs2023">www.soth.cc/vbs2023</a>

**LAST CALL! Lost and Found Pickup** *Please visit the coat room near the Foyer Restrooms and retrieve any lost items in our lost and found.* 

**NEXT WEEK! Sunday June 11<sup>th</sup> Baltimore Mission Trip Ice Cream Fundraiser** Support the upcoming church-wide Mission Trip to Baltimore and grab a scoop of ice cream in the foyer.

**Vacation Bible School Registration is now Open.** *Kids Pre-K through 6th grade (2023-24 school year) are invited on June 19th – 23rd 9:00 AM to 12:30 PM to our VBS program. Sign up online at www.soth.cc/vbs2023* 

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

**H2O Kids Wednesday Summer Camp begins June 14 6:30 – 8:30** Kids Kindergarten through 6th grade are welcome to join the 2nd & 4th Wednesdays for our evening summer camp starting June 14th.

**Ladies Book Club, Friday June 16th 6:30 PM.** Books are available today at Chronicles Christian Books!

July Missions Trip – Baltimore July 24th – 30th Sign up at Welcome Desk!

**Property Ministry Volunteers** We need help with our cleaning here at the church. If interested, sign up at the Front Desk.

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



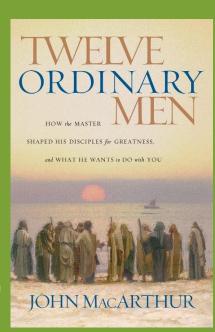
Get last week's message and message notes <u>online here</u>, or through our <u>SOTH Church Mobile app</u>.

## TWELVE ORDINARY MEN BY JOHN F. MACARTHUR

You don't have to be perfect to do God's work. Look no further than the twelve disciples, whose many weaknesses are forever preserved throughout the pages of the New Testament. Join bestselling author John MacArthur in Twelve Ordinary Men as he draws principles from Christ's careful, hands-on training of the original disciples for today's modern disciple, you!

Jesus chose ordinary men--fishermen, tax collectors, political zealots--and turned their weakness into strength, producing greatness from people who were otherwise unremarkable. The twelve disciples weren't the stained-glass saints we imagine. On the contrary, they were truly human, all too prone to mistakes, misstatements, wrong attitudes, lapses of faith, and bitter failure. Simply put, they were flawed people, just like us. But under Jesus' teaching and touch, they became a force that forever changed the world.

In Twelve Ordinary Men, you'll learn that disciples are living proof that God's strength is made perfect in weakness. As you get to know the men who walked with Jesus, you'll see that if he can accomplish his purposes through them, he can do the same through you. Pickup your copy at Chronicles Christian Books today!



# Songs of Worship

### Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

### Today Is The Day CCLI #5200924 | Paul Baloche and Lincoln Brewster

#### Verse 1

I'm casting my cares aside
I'm leaving my past behind
I'm setting my heart
And mind on You Jesus

I'm reaching my hands to Yours Believing there's so much more Knowing that all You have In store for me is good, it's good

#### Chorus 1

Today is the day You have made I will rejoice and be glad in it Today is the day You have made I will rejoice and be glad in it

And I won't worry about tomorrow I'm trusting in what You say Today is the day today is the day

#### Verse 2

I'm putting my fears aside I'm leaving my doubts behind I'm giving my hopes And dreams to You Jesus

I'm reaching my hands to Yours Believing there's so much more Knowing that all You have In store for me is good, it's good

### Bridge

I will stand upon Your truth
(I will stand upon Your truth)
And all my days I'll live for You
(All my days I'll live for You)
And I will stand upon Your truth
(I will stand upon Your truth)
And all my days I'll live for You
(All my days I'll live)

#### Chorus 2

Today is the day You have made
I will rejoice and be glad in it
Today is the day You have made
I will rejoice and be glad in it
And I won't worry about tomorrow
I'm giving You my fears and sorrows
Where You lead me I will follow
I'm trusting in what You say
Today is the day

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Today is the day Today is the day

### Unchanging CCLI #4016669 | Chris Tomlin

#### Verse 1

Great is Your faithfulness
Great is Your faithfulness
You never change
You never fail O God
True are Your promises
True are Your promises
You never change
You never fail O God

### Chorus

So we raise up holy hands
To praise the Holy One
Who was and is and is to come
Yeah we raise up holy hands
To praise the Holy One
Who was and is and is to come

#### Verse 2

Wide is Your love and grace Wide is Your love and grace You never change You never fail O God

### Bridge

You were You are, You will always be You were You are, You will always be

# Songs of Worship

### Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

### Shout To The Lord CCLI #1406918 | Darlene Zschech

Verse

My Jesus my Saviour Lord there is none like You All of my days I want to praise The wonders of Your mighty love

My comfort my shelter Tower of refuge and strength Let every breath all that I am Never cease to worship You

Chorus

Shout to the Lord
All the earth let us sing
Power and majesty
Praise to the King
Mountains bow down
And the seas will roar
At the sound of Your name

I sing for joy
At the work of Your hands
Forever I'll love You
Forever I'll stand
Nothing compares to the promise
I have in You

Verse

Chorus

Chorus

Tag

Nothing compares to the promise I have in You

### 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 6/04

Welcome Desk: Diane K.

Deacon: Neil S.

Offering Counters: Patti W. / Sharon S.

Greeters: Edo & Norma J. / Terry & Gail L. /

Uwe & Mary B.

### **Discipleship Oasis**

Crib Room: Jim & Sherry J. Pre-K Room: Dan G. / Ruthie P.

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

#### A/V Team:

Sound: Neil S. / Tyler L. Video: Coldsmith / James W.

### **Hospitality Team**

Brian & Sandy L. / Chris B.

### Scheduled Next Week 6/11

Welcome Desk: Mary S. Deacon: Sharon E.

Offering Counters: Rob & Ginny S.

Greeters: Bill & Sybilla G. / Bill & Patti W. /

Vaughn & Judy M.

### **Discipleship Oasis**

Crib Room: Jim & Sherry J.
Pre-K Room: Mike & Joelle W.
Children's Church: Jon & Karrie H.

#### A/V Team:

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

### **Hospitality Team**

Karla O. / Judy M. / Chris B.

### 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.

**Sunday School Assistant:** We are looking for volunteers to assist our Pre-K and Kindergarten Sunday School classes. This is a month-to-month commitment (one month on, next month off). Sunday School starts at 9:30 AM. Please contact Renee Miller at <a href="miller@soth.church">miller@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.

# June 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 months of June. 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.

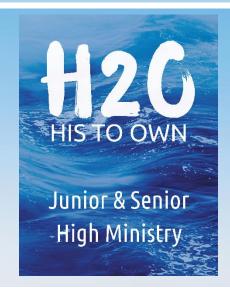
His greatest desire is to help people, especially youth and young adults, come to personally know the Lord and grow in an unending relationship with Him. Derrick is also passionate about inspiring others to use whatever gifts they have been given to serve others and glorify the Lord (1 Peter 4:10-11).





Derrick and Julie Whitmore

# JUNE 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."

The H2O Youth Group (Jr. & Sr. High) Mission Trip is our Vision project for the month of June.

The youth group participates in at least one missions event/trip per summer.

This summer, the youth group will be facilitating a VBS-type outreach event in Easton, PA.

# 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.

Once a quarter 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:e

### MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT



"Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on the full armor of God, so that you can take your stand against the devil's schemes."

Ephesians 6:10-11

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!

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,

VBS is being held this year on June 19<sup>h</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> 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.



