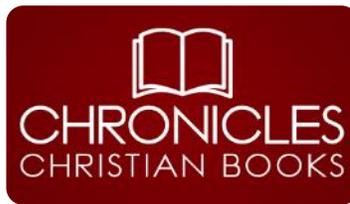
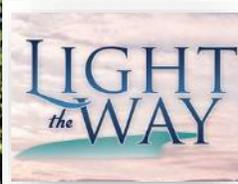


SUNDAY JULY 4TH, 2021

# SHEPHERD *of the* HILLS

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



## VERSE OF ENCOURAGEMENT

For Christ's love compels us, because we are convinced that one died for all, and therefore all died. And he died for all, that those who live should no longer live for themselves but for him who died for them and was raised again.

So from now on we regard no one from a worldly point of view.

Though we once regarded Christ in this way, we do so no longer.

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, the new creation has come: The old has gone, the new is here!

2 Corinthians 5:14-17



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

- Songs of Worship
- Prayer Requests
- Announcements
- Message
- Communion
- Closing Worship

# Freedom Weekend Message:

**MESSAGE: MADE FREE IN CHRIST**

**SPEAKER:**  
Pastor Collin Monger

## 11 AM Service Worship (Lawn Service)

*Led by Behold the Beloved*

Battle Belongs

Yes I Will

Tremble

See A Victory

Battle Belongs (*Reprise*)

*Song Lyrics on pages 3-4*



**SERVICE TIMES**

**11:00 AM**  
Outdoor Contemporary Service

# Upcoming Events

TODAY is Communion Sunday. Pre-sealed communion cups are available in bins near the offering drop-boxes.

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](http://www.soth.church/giving)

**Fellowship Cook-out is Today at 12:00 PM.**

Join us this afternoon after the service for a fellowship cookout in the front of the church. Stay for live music, hot dogs, fellowship, and more. Water games available for children of all ages!

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

**Summer Youth Camp – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays, 6:45 PM to 8:15 PM.** *Starting in July, kids from Kindergarten to 6<sup>th</sup> Grade are invited to join us for a Wednesday Night Youth Camp. Meets the 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday, snacks and drinks will be provided, followed by games and outdoor activities.*

**Women's Ministry Event: Potluck Breakfast & Community Outreach July 17th 9:00 AM.** *Ladies join us on Saturday, July 17th for a Potluck Breakfast and community outreach. The community outreach will be packing lunches for the Opportunity House of Berks County.*

**Prayer Service July 18th 7:00 PM.** *Join us July 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM for our summer prayer service in the Parlor.*

**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.*

## BOOK *of the month*

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

## CAN WE STILL BELIEVE IN THE RAPTURE?

BY ED HINDSON & MARK HITCHCOCK

Christian Fiction...or Biblical Fact?

Today, the hope that all believers on earth will be "caught up" to heaven is being challenged in new waves of criticism. Is the rapture really taught in the Bible? Can we really expect Jesus to gather up His followers before the Antichrist is revealed?

In this well-reasoned and thorough defense, prophecy authors Mark Hitchcock and Ed Hindson examine the concept, context, and consequences of the important and long-expected event known as the rapture. Discover the answers to such questions as...

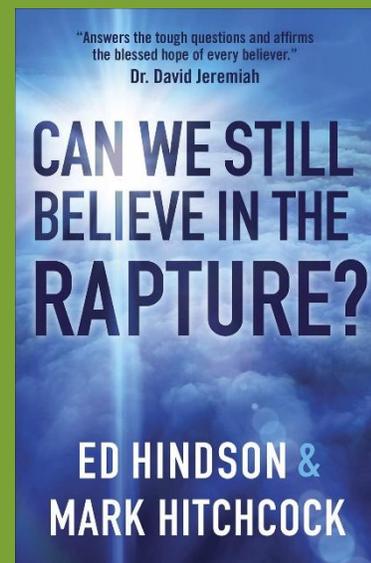
What is the rapture—and is there any historical precedent for it?

Why do some believers object to the idea of a rapture?

Does the timing of the rapture really make a difference?

As you explore what Scripture says about the end times, you'll get a grander glimpse of your glorious future and the deepest hope of every follower of Jesus.

Get your copy today at Chronicles Christian Books!



# Songs of Worship

11:00 AM Outdoor Service & Live Stream

## **Battle Belongs**

**CCLI #7148126 | Brian Johnson and Phil Wickham**

### *Verse 1*

When all I see is the battle  
You see my victory  
When all I see is a mountain  
You see a mountain moved  
And as I walk through the shadow  
Your love surrounds me  
There's nothing to fear now  
For I am safe with You

### *Chorus*

So when I fight I'll fight on my knees  
With my hands lifted high  
O God the battle belongs to You  
And every fear I lay at Your feet  
I'll sing through the night  
O God the battle belongs to You

### *Verse 2*

And if You are for me  
Who can be against me  
For Jesus there's nothing  
Impossible for You  
When all I see are the ashes  
You see the beauty  
When all I see is a cross  
God You see the empty tomb

### *Chorus*

### *Bridge*

(An) Almighty Fortress You go before us  
Nothing can stand against  
The power of our God  
You shine in the shadows  
You win every battle  
Nothing can stand against  
The power of our God

### *Chorus*

## **Yes I Will**

**CCLI #7105442 | Eddie Hoagland, Jonathan Smith,  
and Mia Fieldes**

### *Verse*

I count on one thing  
The same God that never fails  
Will not fail me now  
You won't fail me now  
In the waiting  
The same God who's never late  
Is working all things out  
You're working all things out

### *Chorus*

Yes I will lift You high  
In the lowest valley  
Yes I will bless Your name  
Yes I will sing for joy  
When my heart is heavy  
All my days yes I will

### *Verse*

### *Chorus*

### *Bridge*

I choose to praise  
To glorify glorify  
The name of all names  
That nothing can stand against

### *Chorus*

### *TAG*

For all my days  
Yes I will

# Songs of Worship

11:00 AM Outdoor Service & Live Stream

## Tremble

CCLI #7065049 | Andres Figueroa, Hank Bentley,  
Mariah McManus, and Mia Fieldes

### Verse 1

Peace bring it all to peace  
The storms surrounding me  
Let it break at Your name

### Verse 2

Still call the sea to still  
The rage in me to still  
Every wave at Your name

### Chorus

Jesus Jesus You make the darkness tremble  
Jesus Jesus You silence fear  
Jesus Jesus You make the darkness tremble  
Jesus Jesus

### Verse 3

Breathe call these bones to live  
Call these lungs to sing  
Once again I will praise

### Chorus

### Bridge

Your name is a light that the shadows can't deny  
Your name cannot be overcome  
Your name is alive forever lifted high  
Your name cannot be overcome

### Chorus

## See A Victory

CCLI #7129060 | Ben Fielding, Chris Brown, Jason  
Ingram, and Steven Furtick

### Verse 1

The weapon may be formed but it won't prosper  
When the darkness falls it won't prevail  
'Cause the God I serve knows only how to triumph  
My God will never fail  
My God will never fail

### Chorus

I'm gonna see a victory  
I'm gonna see a victory  
For the battle belongs to You Lord  
I'm gonna see a victory  
I'm gonna see a victory  
For the battle belongs to You Lord

### Verse 2

There's power in the mighty Name of Jesus  
Every war He wages He will win  
I'm not backing down from any giant  
I know how this story ends  
I know how this story ends

### Chorus

### Bridge

You take what the enemy meant for evil  
And You turn it for good  
You turn it for good

### 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 7/4**

Usher Captains: Mark F.

Greeters: *Outdoor Service*

Deacon: Neil S.

Offering Counters: Vaughn M. & Cindy O.

Welcome Desk: *Outdoor Service*

## **Discipleship Oasis (11 AM)**

*Outdoor Service*

## **A/V Team:**

*Outdoor Service*

## **Hospitality Team**

*Outdoor Service – Picnic Team*

## **Scheduled Next Week 7/11**

Usher Captains: Mark F.

Greeters: Karla O. / Bill & Sybilla G. /

Brittany T.

Deacon: Jeanette K.

Offering Counters: Jeannette K. / Marie M.

Welcome Desk: Mary B.

## **Discipleship Oasis (11 AM)**

Crib Room: Crystal O.

Pre-K Room: Mike & Joelle W.

Children's Church: Brittany T.

## **A/V Team:**

Sound: Dolly K. / Brad S.

Video: Stan K. / Gail A.

## **Hospitality Team**

Marie M., Tina G. / Marie 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 [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).



## 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.

# July Missions

The Stoke family lives in the mountains of Papua Indonesia amongst a people group named the “Dem.” They are an isolated people group that have no written form of their language, never had any western influences and are completely remote. The only way in or out if by using a small missionary plane or their feet.

They have completed the translation of the Bible into the native language and have taught their first round of over 80 lessons of the Gospel. They have experienced several hundred native Dem coming to listen each day.

Where they live there is no power company, no water company, no roads or corner mini mart. They live off solar panels, water from a stream and the trip to the grocery store is a plane landing with a couple months’ worth of food.

**Jeremiah & Briana Stokes** are our **Missions Commitment** focus for the month of July. The Stokes serve in the mountains of Papua Indonesia as missionaries to the “Dem” tribe.

“We are Jeremiah & Briana Stokes. We have 3 children Eden Jericho and Noelle and we are missionaries with New Tribes Mission in Indonesia.

We moved overseas July 4, 2010. We are both from Pennsylvania but opposite sides of the state. Briana is from eastern Pa and Jeremiah is from Pittsburgh. We both grew up in Christian homes but when we were in our first year of college, we were confronted with the fact that there are unreached tribal people groups that have no access to the Bible.”



## JULY 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.”

### Baltimore Missions Trip from Shepherd of the Hills

Shepherd of the Hills is sending a missions team to the Baltimore to work with a local Calvary Chapel in the inner city.

The team will be helping with be helping:

- Distribute food to needy families
- Prepare a training facility/house for young men to learn practical skills
- Minister & fellowship within the community



# 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



The great commission states clearly the directive of the church, to go into all the world and preach the gospel of Jesus. Everyone is called to fulfill the great commission but there are some who are called leave everything and spread the gospel internationally.



And he said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation."

Mark 16:15

It is our desire to support them in fulfilling their calling. We do this by supporting our monthly mission's commitments, missionaries we support the same months year after year. We also do this by supporting our vision projects, missionaries or organizations who are nominated and selected monthly based on the work they are doing.

The missions committee meets monthly to pray for our missionaries, discuss their needs, and to select upcoming vision projects. All the missionaries we support align with our



statement of beliefs and have been approved by our church elders. The committee normally meets the third Monday of every month; if you have a heart for missions and are interested in join our missions committee speak with 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.

