# SUNDAY OCTOBER 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 SHEPHERDok the HILLS

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



Message

Series:



LUKE



**SPEAKER:** 

Service

#### VERSE OF **ENCOURAGEMENT**

"And my God will supply every need of yours according to his riches in glory in Christ Jesus."

Philippians 4:19

# **MATTHEW 26:14-29**

#### 8:00 AM Service Worship

Jehovah Jireh There Is a Fountain I Exalt Thee

**Closing Hymn:** God of Grace and God of Glory

## 9:30 & 11 AM Service Worship

Associate Pastor Charles Rowdon

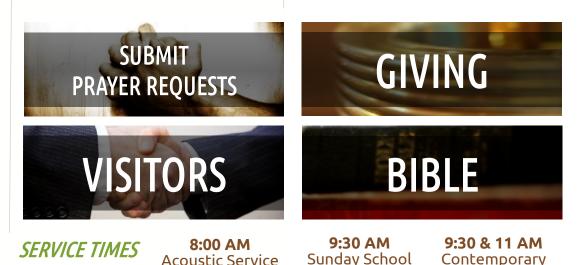
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My Redeemer Lives This I Believe The Greatness of Our God Song Lyrics on pages 3-4

#### ORDER OF WORSHIP

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



# **Upcoming Events**

Offering Agape drop-boxes are available at each entrance to the sanctuary. You can also give electronically here: <a href="http://www.soth.church/giving">www.soth.church/giving</a>

**Baptisms:** If you are interested in being baptized on October 15th please sign up at the welcome desk.

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

H2O Kids continues this Wednesday at 6:30 PM

**Volunteers Needed for multiple ministries** *including children's ministry, audio/visual, and more. Please sign up at the Front Desk if interested.* 

**Fall Cleaning Service Day, Saturday October 28th starting 10 AM** We need help with building upkeep work around the church, including cleaning, raking leaves and sticks, and more to prepare for the fall/winter season. Lunch to be provided.

**Interest groups:** As reminder, interest groups meet regularly to encourage fellowship and comradery at the church. See Pastor Jason or the tables in the parlor for gathering times!

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



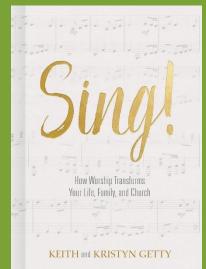
Get last week's message and message notes <u>online here</u>, or through our SOTH Church Mobile app.

### SING! HOW WORSHIP TRANSFORMS YOUR LIFE, FAMILY, AND CHURCH BY KEITH AND KRISTYN GETTY

Rediscover what it means to lift up your voice in praise. In Sing!, modern hymn writers Keith and Kristyn Getty explore why we sing and what that means for individual worshipers and churches. With attention to the Bible's witness on worship, this book will help Christians better understand and more deeply appreciate praising God with music and in song. We sing to proclaim the gospel together in obedience to God and to celebrate the gift of faith.

God intends for this compelling vision of His people singing—a people joyfully joining together in song with brothers and sisters around the world and around his heavenly throne—to include you. He wants you, he wants us, to sing.

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

#### My Redeemer Lives CCLI #2397964 | Reuben Morgan

#### Verse

I know He rescued my soul His blood has covered my sin I believe I believe My shame He's taken away My pain is healed in His name I believe I believe

*Pre-Chorus* I'll raise a banner 'Cause my Lord Has conquered the grave

#### *Chorus* My Redeemer lives My Redeemer lives My Redeemer lives My Redeemer lives

#### Verse

Pre-Chorus

#### Chorus

#### Bridge

You lift my burdens I'll rise with You I'm dancing on this mountaintop To see Your kingdom come

#### Chorus

#### This I Believe CCLI #7018338 | Ben Fielding and Matt Crocker

#### Verse 1 Our Father everlasting The all creating One God Almighty Through Your Holy Spirit Conceiving Christ the Son Jesus our Savior

#### Chorus 1

I believe in God our Father I believe in Christ the Son I believe in the Holy Spirit Our God is three in One I believe in the resurrection That we will rise again For I believe in the Name of Jesus

#### Verse 2

Our judge and our defender Suffered and crucified Forgiveness is in You Descended into darkness You rose in glorious life Forever seated high

#### Bridge

I believe in You I believe You rose again I believe that Jesus Christ is Lord

#### Chorus 2

I believe in life eternal I believe in the virgin birth I believe in the saints' communion And in Your holy Church I believe in the resurrection When Jesus comes again For I believe in the Name of Jesus

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

#### The Greatness Of Our God CCLI #5660739 | Reuben Morgan and Stuart David Garrard

#### Verse 1

Give me eyes to see more of who You are May what I behold still my anxious heart Take what I have known and break it all apart You my God are greater still

#### Chorus 1

And no sky contains No doubt restrains all You are The greatness of our God I spend my life to know And I'm far from close to all You are The greatness of our God

#### Verse 2

Give me grace to see beyond this moment here To believe that there is nothing left to fear And that You alone are high above it all You my God are greater still

#### Chorus 1

And no sky contains No doubt restrains all You are The greatness of our God I spend my life to know And I'm far from close to all You are The greatness of our God

#### Bridge

And there is nothing that could ever separate us There is nothing that could ever separate us From Your love No life no death of this I am convinced That You my God are greater still

#### Chorus 2

And no words could say Or song convey all You are The greatness of our God I spend my life to know And I'm far from close to all You are The greatness of our God

#### Chorus 3

And no sky contains No doubt restrains all You are The greatness of our God I spend my life to know And I'm far from close to all You are The greatness of our God All You are the greatness of our God

*Tag* All You are the greatness of our God

# **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 10/01**

Welcome Desk: Diane K. Deacon: Mark F. Offering Counters: Patty W. / Sharon S. Greeters: Edo & Norma J. / Terry & Gail L. / Uwe & Mary B.

#### **Discipleship Oasis**

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

#### A/V Team:

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

**Hospitality Team** Brian & Sandy L.

#### Scheduled Next Week 10/08

Welcome Desk: Mary S. Deacon: Paul L. Offering Counters: Rob & Ginny S. Greeters: Bill & Sybilla G. / Bill & Patti W. / Margaret S.

#### Discipleship Oasis

Crib Room: Diane K. Pre-K Room: Dayna D. / Katie L. Children's Church: Crystal O. / Isabella B.

#### 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.

**Toddler Care Room Assistant:** We are looking for volunteers to assist in our Toddler Care Room during the 9:30 AM Service. This is a rotating schedule (once every 4-6 weeks). Please contact Renee Miller at <u>miller@soth.church</u> if interested in helping. Per PA law, background clearances will be needed.

**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 <u>rmiller@soth.church</u> 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 <u>info@soth.church</u>

**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

**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 <u>Online Giving</u> <u>Portal</u>, through our <u>Mobile</u> <u>App</u>, 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.

# September 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 September. 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.

#### Prayer Requests & Current Needs:

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

- 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.

### SEPTEMBER MISSIONS Vision Project

C "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."



# S.P.A.D.E International is our Vision Project for the month of September.

"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Romans 15:13

SPADE is a non-profit, faith-based Christian Retreat, Conference, & Outreach Center

Located in rural Kempton, PA (about 20 miles west of Allentown)

SPADE (Serving People through Appropriate Development Evangel) ministry began in 1987.

SPADE provides low-cost facilities for Internationals, students, missionaries, pastors, Christian workers, church groups, individuals, and families to hold retreats, conferences, training seminars, debriefs, counseling, discipleship, and Bible studies.

### *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 <u>email Pastor Jason at</u> <u>jwells@soth.church</u> to be added to the list.

# MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT



"Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience.... forgive as the Lord forgives. And over all these virtues, put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity."

*Colossians* 3:12 – 14

#### Our Purpose:

Developing Godly Women

#### **Our Mission:**

Edify one another in love, Encourage each another by our testimonies Empower each other to step out in faith, Exhort each other to use our spiritual gifts

**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.

LIGHT the WAY











