# SUNDAY NOVEMBER 27TH, 2022 SHEPHERD of the HILLS

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







### VERSE OF ENCOURAGEMENT

Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth! Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into his presence with singing! Know that the Lord, he is God! It is he who made us, and we are his; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture.

Enter his gates with thanksgiving, and his courts with praise! Give thanks to him; bless his name!

Psalm 100:1-4

### ORDER OF WORSHIP

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

# Message Series:

### BEING THANKFUL FOR OUR SPIRITUAL BLESSINGS

8:00 AM Service Worship

It Is a Good Thing to Give Thanks (167) Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart (169) Worthy, You Are Worthy (106) They'll Know We Are Christians (429)

*Closing Hymn* Count Your Blessings (786)



SERVICE TIMES

8:00 AM Acoustic Service 9:30 AM

Sunday School

9:30 & 11 AM Contemporary Service

**SPEAKER:** Pastor Charles Rowdon

## 9:30 & 11 AM Service Worship

GIVING

BIBLE

**Special Services Series 2022** 

SHEPHERD of the HILLS

Led by Shepherd's Call

Forever Let It Rise God is Able Sanctuary

Forever (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: <a href="http://www.soth.church/giving">www.soth.church/giving</a>

**Preschool Fundraiser Needs** If you have any mason jars you would be willing to donate, please bring them to the church office.

**Food Pantry Donations** for the Salvation Army can be dropped off at the table by the foyer Christmas tree.

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

H2O Kids, Wednesdays 6:30 PM For kids in kindergarten up to 6th grade.

**Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon Dec. 11th 12:15 PM** Join us on Sunday December 11th at 12:15 PM for a Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon in the Fellowship Hall. There's no cost, but please sign up at the Welcome Desk or online for a headcount.

**Women's Ministry Breakfast & Craft: Saturday, Dec. 10th 9:00 AM.** In the Fellowship Hall. Sign up at the Welcome Desk.

**Christmas Week Schedule:** *Christmas Eve (Saturday): 7:00 PM Children's Program, 9:00 PM Worship Service. Christmas Day (Sunday): 9:30 AM Carol Sing Service Only!* 

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.

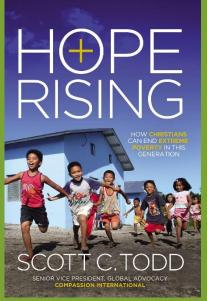
**HOPE RISING** HOW CHRISTIANS CAN END EXTREME POVERTY IN THIS GENERATION *BY: SCOTT TODD* 

Extreme poverty does not have to exist. When Christians accept that fact and start living accordingly, we will find the solution is already within our reach.

In Hope Rising, Scott Todd of Compassion International pens a galvanizing, comprehensive vision of the movement that will eradicate extreme global poverty through transformative Christian generosity—and do it within our lifetime. Todd provides riveting evidence to show that we are much closer to that goal than you might think.

As Todd envisions, "The twenty-first-century Christians embraced the entirety of their gospel—the truths it proclaims and the muscles it demands—with a new integrity. They did not deteriorate into humanist liberalism, as some had feared. Nor did they pile works on top of Grace...They simply determined that their world did not need to have children dying of preventable causes such as dirty water.".

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

### Forever CCLI #3148428 | Chris Tomlin

*Verse 1* Give thanks to the Lord Our God and King His love endures forever For He is good He is above all things His love endures forever Sing praise sing praise

Verse 2 With a mighty hand And an outstretched arm His love endures forever For the life that's been reborn His love endures forever Sing praise sing praise

*Pre-Chorus* Sing praise sing praise

*Chorus* Forever God is faithful Forever God is strong Forever God is with us Forever forever

*Verse 3* From the rising to the setting sun His love endures forever And by the grace of God We will carry on His love endures forever Sing praise sing praise

Pre-Chorus

Chorus

Let It Rise CCLI #2240585 | Holland Davis

- Verse 1 Let the glory of the Lord Rise among us Let the glory of the Lord Rise among us Let the praises of the King Rise among us Let it rise
- Verse 2 Let the songs of the Lord Rise among us Let the songs of the Lord Rise among us Let the joy of the King Rise among us let it rise

*Chorus* O let it rise O let it rise

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

### God Is Able CCLI #5894275 | Ben Fielding and Reuben Morgan

### Verse 1

God is able He will never fail He is Almighty God Greater than all we seek Greater than all we ask He has done great things

### Chorus

Lifted up He defeated the grave Raised to life our God is able In His Name we overcome For the Lord our God is able

### Verse 2

God is with us God is on our side He will make a way Far above all we know Far above all we hope He has done great things

### Chorus

### Bridge

God is with us He will go before He will never leave us He will never leave us God is for us He has open arms He will never fail us He will never fail us

### Chorus

*Ending* For the Lord our God is able For the Lord our God is able

### Sanctuary CCLI #24140 | Randy Scruggs and John W. Thompson

- Lord prepare me To be a sanctuary Pure and holy Tried and true With thanksgiving I'll be a living Sanctuary for You
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# **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 11/27

Welcome Desk: Mary B Deacon: Paul L. Offering Counters: Jeanette K. / Marie M. Greeters: Kevin & Steph H. / Roger & Sharon E. / Stacy S.

Discipleship Oasis

Crib Room: Jim & Sherry J. Pre-K Room: Dan G. / Ruthie P. Children's Church: Renee & John M.

#### A/V Team:

Sound: Neil S. / Ken N. Video: Mark S. / Katy L.

**Hospitality Team** Brian & Sandy L. / Joyce H.

#### Scheduled Next Week 12/04

Welcome Desk: Diane K
Deacon: Mark F.
Offering Counters: Vaughn M. / Francesca P.
Greeters: Edo & Norma J. / Terry & Gail L. / Uwe & Mary B.

#### **Discipleship Oasis**

Crib Room: Dawn K. / Amy B. Pre-K Room: Dayna D. Children's Church: Crystal O. / Isabella B.

#### A/V Team: Sound: Neil S. / Craig E. & Tyler L Video: Coldsmith / James W.

#### Hospitality Team

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### 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 <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.

# November 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 November. 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

### NOVEMBER 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 Salvation Army (Boyertown, PA) is our Missions Vision Project for the month of November.

The Boyertown Salvation Army has been feeding people from the community several hundred meals each week!

The food pantry is currently very low and are great need of donations.

Including Thanksgiving & Christmas special meals and food distribution.



## *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.

Every other month 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 Collin at</u> <u>cmonger@soth.church</u> to be added to the list.

# **MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT**

Chosen by GRACE Women's Ministry

"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











