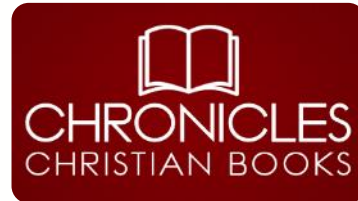


SUNDAY DECEMBER 1ST, 2024

SHEPHERD *of the* HILLS

CALVARY CHAPEL

DOING LIFE TOGETHER
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER AND ORDER OF WORSHIP



VERSE OF ENCOURAGEMENT

"You will go out in joy
and be led forth in
peace; the mountains
and hills will burst into
song before you, and all
the trees of the field will
clap their hands."

Isaiah 55:12



ORDER OF WORSHIP

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

Message Series:

PSALM 1

8:00 AM Service Worship

The Trees of the Field (764)
He Is Exalted (36)
Trust And Obey (571)
Doxology (815)

Closing:

My Faith Has Found a Resting
Place (528)

Special Services Series 2024



SHEPHERD *of the* HILLS
CALVARY CHAPEL

SPEAKER:

Assoc. Pastor Charles Rowdon

9:30 & 11 AM Service Worship

Be Glorified
Open My Eyes
This I Believe
The Greatness of Our God

Song Lyrics on pages 3-4



SUBMIT
PRAYER REQUESTS



VISITORS



GIVING



BIBLE

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: www.soth.church/giving

VOLUNTEERS needed to fill jars for the School fundraiser: *We are filling soup and cookie jars for the school fundraiser on Saturday Dec. 7th at 9am.*

"Deck the Fellowship Halls" Christmas Decorating Event Sat. Dec 7th 10:00 AM. Join us Saturday, December 7th from 10 AM to noon as we decorate the church for the Christmas season.

Wednesday Night Family Meals continue this week, 5:15-6:15 PM. Free to all. Bring your own beverage

Wednesdays: H2O Kids & H2O Jr. / Sr. High (K-12th Grade) 6:30 PM & Verse-By-Verse Service 7:00 PM

Christmas Card Corner! Starts Dec. 8th If you have a Christmas card you would like to share with the church, bring it in to the church Office and we will display it on the bulletin board in the Foyer.

Starting in December, we will be emailing weekly newsletters. [Sign up online here.](#)

Shepherd 103: December 15th 12:15 PM. *Discovering Your Gifts of the Holy Spirit and How to Use Them in the Church.* Sign up at the Event Sign-Up Kiosk.

Ladies Beautifully Bound Book Club, Friday, Dec. 20th 6:30 PM. Our book selection is available for purchase at Chronicles Christian Books until December 18th.

Christmas Eve Schedule, Tuesday December 24th 6:00 PM Children's Program, 8:00 PM Family Worship Service

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

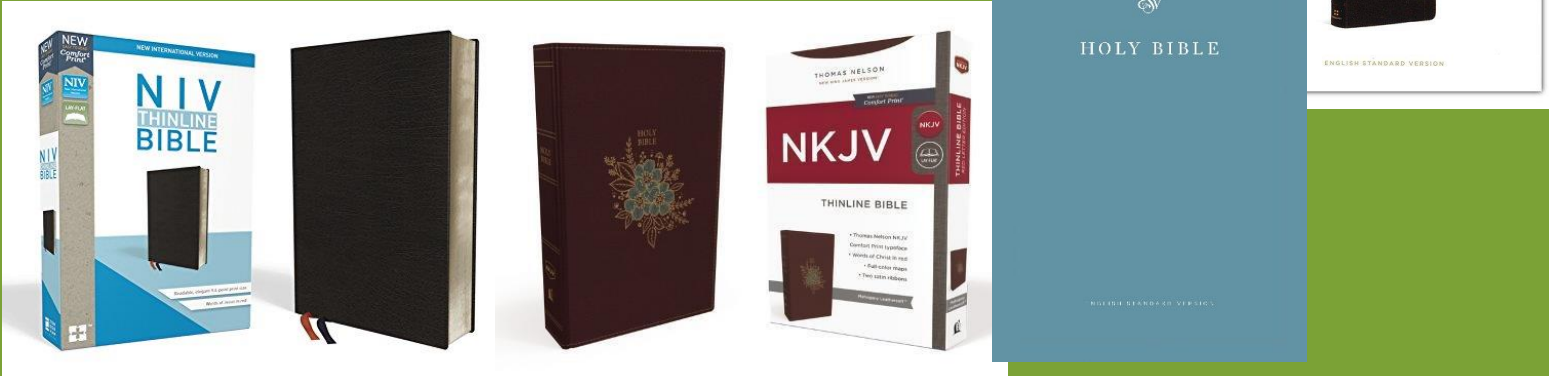
BOOK of the month

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

THE HOLY BIBLE

Critical to the Christian Faith, there is no other book that can compare to the Word of God. For the entire month of December, the Bible is our Book of the Month. We want to make sure that God's Word is available to all. All Bibles, including Children's Bibles, compact Bibles, and Study Bibles are on sale during December.

Get 10% off any new Bible at Chronicles Christian Books today!



Songs of Worship

Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

Be Glorified

CCLI #2732646 | Louie Giglio, Jesse Reeves, and Chris Tomlin

Verse

Your love has captured me
Your grace has set me free
Your life the air I breathe
Be glorified in me

Verse

Chorus 1

You set my feet to dancing
You set my heart on fire
In the presence of a thousand kings
You are my one desire
And I stand before You now
With trembling hands lifted high
Be glorified

Verse

Chorus 2

You set my feet to dancing
You set my heart on fire
In the presence of a thousand kings
You are my one desire
And I stand before You now
With trembling hands lifted high

Chorus 1

Bridge

Be glorified in me
Be glorified in me
Be glorified in me
Be glorified in me

Chorus 1

Ending

Be glorified
Be glorified

Open My Eyes

CCLI #5636873 | Braden Lang and Reuben Morgan

Verse 1

In the stars I see Your majesty displayed
In the heavens all Your wonders are proclaimed
I see Your fame in all of the earth and I
Seek to know the ways of Your heart

Verse 2

Through the seas and open skies I hear Your praise
As the shout of all creation lifts Your Name
I hear Your praise In all of the earth and I
Seek to know the ways of Your heart

Chorus

So open my eyes oh God
Open my heart to see
All the wonders and the power of Your Name
By Your grace I'll live
By Your grace I'll see
For my life and my salvation is in You

Verse 3

For You take the sinner's heart and bring new life
Through the cross we are restored within Your light
I know Your love is all that I need and I
Seek to know the ways of Your heart

Chorus

Bridge

I know Your love is all that I need and I
Seek to know the ways of Your heart

Chorus

Songs of Worship

Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream

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

Chorus 1

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

Chorus 1

Ending

For I believe in the Name of Jesus

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

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 1

Ending

All You are the greatness of our God

VOLUNTEER CORNER

The ministry of Shepherd of the Hills Calvary Chapel 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 12/01

Welcome Desk: Diane K.

Greeters: Edo & Norma J. / Terry & Gail L. /
Uwe & Mary B.

Calvary Cafe: Brian & Sandy / Bill & Carol

Chronicles Books: Aimee / Francesca

Calvary Kids

Crib Room: Diane K.

Toddler Care: Chevelle / Heather

Children's Church: Crystal / Isabella

A/V Team:

Sound: Neil / Tyler

Video: Matt / James

Logistics Team

Deacon: Brad S.

Offering Counters: Patti W. / Sharon S.

Scheduled Next Week 12/08

Welcome Desk: Mary S.

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

Calvary Cafe: Karla / Frank & Eileen

Chronicles Books: Patti W

Calvary Kids

Crib Room: Judy W. / Debbie E.

Toddler Care: Sarah / Diane

Children's Church: Jon & Karen

A/V Team:

Sound: Dolly / Brad

Video: Stan / Gail

Logistics Team

Deacon: Andy T.

Offering Counters: Rob & Ginny S

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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 rmiller@soth.church 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 rmiller@soth.church 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 info@soth.church

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 Jason at jwells@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.

December Missions

The Stokes 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.

Currently the Stokes cannot return to the tribe at this time due to tribal fighting, but are training natives in a neighboring village.

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

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

grocery store is a plane landing with a couple months’ worth of food.

“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.”



DECEMBER 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.”

Samaritan's Purse – Hurricane Relief is our Missions Vision Project for the month of December.

Samaritan's Purse is responding to both Hurricane Helene and Hurricane Milton, with multiple disaster relief bases in North Carolina and Florida.

Disaster relief volunteer teams are mudding out homes, tarping roofs, and cutting down trees

Ground transportation is being used to deliver critically needed items, including generators

Please pray for all communities reeling after these two storms. We praise God that, so far, 306 people have received Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.

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.

Every third Sunday we offer a Shepherd 100 class for those who are interested in learning more about our church community. These classes begin with Shepherd 101 where you'll get an introduction to our church and the various ministries that you can serve in. Our Shepherd 102 class walks through the Calvary Chapel Distinctives. Finally, our Shepherd 103 class walks through the Gifts of the Holy Spirit and how to use your gifts for service in the church.

If you would like to attend a Shepherd 100 class, please sign up at the Event Sign-Up kiosk in the foyer or [email Pastor Jason at jwells@soth.church](mailto:jwells@soth.church) to be added to the list.

MINISTRY SPOTLIGHT



Isaiah 12:5 says; "Sing praises to the Lord, for he has done gloriously; let this be made known in all the earth." Worship music is an important element in every worship service; joining with other believers to sing praises to our Lord and savior. Here at Shepherd of the Hills we have been blessed to have some amazing musicians who are



"Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth!
Serve the Lord with gladness! Come into
His presence with singing!"

Psalms 100:1-2

committed to leading us in worship.

Our worship ministry, **One Voice**, leads the congregation in songs of worship on Sunday mornings and special events throughout the year. During our 9:30am and 11:00am services, we have a dedicated team of musicians that lead the church in contemporary worship songs.

For our 8:00am service we worship with songs and hymns lead by piano and acoustic instruments. We believe hymns are timeless and just as important for worship as the contemporary



songs we sing at our 9:30am & 11:00am services.

If you have been blessed with the ability to play music or sing and would be interested in joining our One Voice ministry see pastor Jon Grove for more information.

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.

