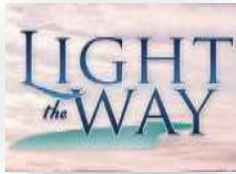


JULY 5TH, 2026



# SHEPHERD of the HILLS CALVARY CHAPEL

DOING LIFE TOGETHER  
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER AND ORDER OF WORSHIP



## VERSE OF ENCOURAGEMENT

"Hallelujah! Our Lord God Almighty reigns. Let us rejoice and give Him glory!"

Revelation 19:6-7

## Teaching:

250 DOWN, 1000 TO GO



PASSAGE

Revelation 20:1-10

## 11:00 AM Outdoor Service Worship

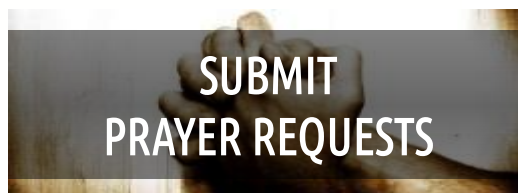
Promises  
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SERVICE TIMES

8:00 AM  
Acoustic Service

9:30 AM  
Sunday School

9:30 & 11:00 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](http://www.soth.church/giving)

**Women's Ministry Breakfast & Painting Class, Sat. July 11<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM** Ladies join us for a fun morning of breakfast, fellowship, and art. Sign up at the kiosk in the lobby.

**Calvary Kids Wednesday Evening Summer Camp** Kids grades Kindergarten to 5<sup>th</sup> Grade (starting age 5) are welcome to join us **every other Wednesday** for our evening summer camp. **We will NOT meet this week. Next meeting is Wednesday, July 15<sup>th</sup>!**

**Wednesdays: H2O Jr./Sr. High Youth Group 6:30 PM & Verse-By-Verse Service 7:00 PM**

**Outdoor Baptisms, Sunday, August 2<sup>nd</sup> 12:15 PM. Sign up at the kiosk in the Lobby.**

**We're Hiring! Science Teacher and Teacher's Aids** Calvary Chapel Academy is looking to hire a science teacher as well as multiple aid positions for the 2026-2027 school year. Visit our website to learn more about the position and apply: [www.soth.church/jobs](http://www.soth.church/jobs)

**Ladies Book Club, Thursday, July 23<sup>rd</sup> 6:30 PM.** Pickup your book at Chronicles Christian books!

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

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

## BOOK of the month

### IF YOU CAN KEEP IT BY ERIC METAXAS



In 1787, when the Constitution was drafted, a woman asked Ben Franklin what the founders had given the American people. "A republic," he shot back, "if you can keep it." More than two centuries later, Metaxas examines what that means and how we are doing on that score.

If You Can Keep It is at once a thrilling review of America's uniqueness—including our role as a "nation of nations"—and a chilling reminder that America's greatness cannot continue unless we embrace our own crucial role in living out what the founders entrusted to us. Metaxas explains that America is not a nation bounded by ethnic identity or geography, but rather by a radical and unprecedented idea, based on liberty and freedom for all. He cautions us that it's nearly past time we reconnect to that idea, or we may lose the very foundation of what made us exceptional in the first place.

Get your copy today at Chronicles Christian Books!

# Songs of Worship

*Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream*

## **Promises**

**CCLI #4771746 | Jared Anderson**

### *Verse*

I surrendered my life to Your ways  
I have learned what it means to obey  
Jesus my heart has been changed by You  
I am walking the path You have made  
I am seeking the truth every day  
Jesus my heart has been changed by You

### *Pre-Chorus*

I couldn't walk away if I tried  
'Cause Your love is better than life

### *Chorus*

Now the sun's shining bright and it just won't set  
'Cause Your love is alive and it lights my step  
My heart is amazed every day to the next  
My joy overtakes and I can't forget about it

### *Interlude*

Oh oh oh, oh oh oh  
Oh oh oh I can't forget about it  
(REPEAT)

### *Verse*

### *Pre-Chorus*

### *Chorus*

### *Interlude*

### *Bridge*

All of Your promises  
won't let go of me  
All of Your promises  
won't let go of me  
(REPEAT)

### *Chorus*

### *Bridge*

## **Everlasting God**

**CCLI #4556538 | Brenton Brown and Ken Riley**

### *Verse*

Strength will rise  
As we wait upon the Lord  
We will wait upon the Lord  
We will wait upon the Lord  
Strength will rise  
As we wait upon the Lord  
We will wait upon the Lord  
We will wait upon the Lord

### *Pre-Chorus*

Our God You reign forever  
Our Hope our strong Deliv'rer

### *Chorus*

You are the everlasting God  
The everlasting God  
You do not faint  
You won't grow weary  
You're the defender of the weak  
You comfort those in need  
You lift us up on wings like eagles

# Songs of Worship

*Contemporary Service – 11:00 AM Live Stream*

## **Days of Elijah**

**CCLI #1537904 | Robin Mark**

### *Verse 1*

These are the days of Elijah  
Declaring the Word of the Lord  
And these are the days  
Of Your servant Moses  
Righteousness being restored  
And though these are days  
Of great trials  
Of famine and darkness and sword  
Still we are the voice  
In the desert crying  
Prepare ye the way of the Lord

### *Chorus*

Behold He comes  
Riding on the clouds  
Shining like the sun  
At the trumpet call  
Lift your voice  
It's the year of Jubilee  
And out of Zion's hill  
Salvation comes

### *Verse 2*

And these are the days of Ezekiel  
The dry bones becoming as flesh  
And these are the days  
Of Your servant David  
Rebuilding a temple of praise  
And these are the days of the harvest  
The fields are as white in the world  
And we are the laborers  
In Your vineyard  
Declaring the Word of the Lord

### *Chorus*

### *Chorus*

### *Ending*

Lift your voice  
It's the year of Jubilee  
And out of Zion's hill  
Salvation comes

## **Battle Hymn of the Republic**

**CCLI #24133 | Julia Ward Howe and William Steffe**

### *Verse 1*

Mine eyes have seen the glory of the coming of the Lord  
He is trampling out the vintage where the grapes of wrath are stored  
He hath loosed the fateful lightning of His terrible swift sword  
His truth is marching on

### *Chorus 1*

Glory glory hallelujah  
Glory glory hallelujah  
Glory glory hallelujah  
His truth (V2: Our God, V3 With God we're) is marching on

### *Verse 2*

He has sounded forth the trumpet that shall never call retreat  
He is sifting out the hearts of men before His judgment seat  
O be swift my soul to answer Him be jubilant my feet  
Our God is marching on

### *Verse 3*

We can almost hear the trumpet sound the Lord's return is near  
There are still so many people lost His message they must hear  
Father give us one more moment one more day just one more year  
With God we're marching on

## **How Great Is Our God**

**CCLI #4348399 | Ed Cash, Jesse Reeves, and Chris Tomlin**

### *Verse 1*

The splendor of the King clothed in majesty  
Let all the earth rejoice All the earth rejoice  
He wraps Himself in light and darkness tries to hide  
And trembles at His voice, and trembles at His voice

### *Chorus*

How great is our God sing with me  
How great is our God and all will see how great  
How great is our God

### *Verse 2*

And age to age He stands and time is in His hands  
Beginning and the End, beginning and the End  
The Godhead three in one, Father Spirit Son  
The Lion and the Lamb, the Lion and the Lamb

### *Bridge*

Name above all names worthy of all praise  
My heart will sing how great is 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.

## Serving Today:

Welcome Desk: Diane K. (11:00 AM only)  
Greeters: Edo J. / Bill & Patti W. / Uwe & Mary B. (11:00 AM only)  
Calvary Cafe: Bill & Carol H. (11:00 AM only)  
Chronicles Books: Sandy L. (11:00 AM only)

## Calvary Kids Ministry

Toddler Care (9:30): N/A - Outdoor Service  
Children's Church (11:00): Renee & John M.

## A/V Team

Sound: Gabriel O. (11:00 AM only)  
Video: Shaun C. (11:00 AM only)

## Logistics Team

Deacon: Mark F.  
Offering Counters: Patti W. & Sharon S.

## Serving Next Week:

Welcome Desk: Mary S.  
Greeters: Terry & Gail L. / Joe M.  
Calvary Cafe: Karla O. & Tammy T. / Frank & Eileen D.  
Chronicles Books: Patti W.

## Calvary Kids Ministry

Toddler Care (9:30): Joelle & Mike W.  
Children's Church (11:00): Jonathan E. & Dylan E.

## A/V Team

Sound: Dolly K. / Shaun C. / Matt M.  
Video: Stan K. / Gail A.

## Logistics Team

Deacon: Mark F.  
Offering Counters: Rob S. & Vaughn M.

## SOTH CC 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.*

**Children's Church Volunteers:** We are looking for volunteers to teach in our Children's Church Ministry during the 11:00 AM Service. This is a rotating schedule (once every 4-6 weeks). Please contact Renee Miller at [rmiller@soth.church](mailto: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](mailto: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](mailto:media@soth.church)

**Connect Group Leader:** We are currently looking for people to host in-home small groups. The person must 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](mailto: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.

# July 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 is 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 July. 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.”



## 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.”

**The Shepherd of the Hills 2026 Summer Missions trip is our Vision Project this month.**

Our church-wide missions trip for 2026 will be held June 28<sup>th</sup> through July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026.

We will be traveling to Morelia, Michoacan in Mexico to serve a Calvary Chapel Church plant.

We will help the local church grow, and outreach to the community, refresh leaders and encourage, work on a local Church project, learn how ministry works in Mexico, and make plenty of connections!

Additional activities will include: community outreaches, youth ministry, light construction, women’s ministry, and assisting with church services.



# Monthly Updates

## An Update from the Pastor...



Hi church! It's great to see warmer weather coming and I am looking forward to summer. I want to start by thanking everyone for your prayers and support, the church would not be what it is without your help and encouragement.

I also wanted to let everyone know that we have some things coming this summer you are not going to want to miss. With warmer weather come baptisms. So, if you have not already been baptized, consider making that declaration of faith this year. We are hoping to offer a baptism service about once per month throughout the warm weather. Also, in May our pastors and other leaders will be attending the Calvary Chapel East Coast Pastor's Conference. So, please pray they would be nourished and refreshed.

We are planning some updates to the main lobby and sanctuary to help improve some of the challenges we face such as low lighting, congestion of traffic, and access to areas needed by certain ministries. There is more about that in the property update. If you would like to help with any of these things, please let the office know.

We recently added some rocking chairs to the prayer chapel. Those are intended to provide a quiet, out of the way place for people with small children. The idea is that these are in an area that is still

close to the rest of their family but also that provides for some privacy for nursing moms, and those trying to calm a small child.

We have also been blessed by your support for the school's books and I am happy to say next year's needs are met! Thank you to all who helped with that, it means a lot to know you support the kids so much.

Our teaching series right now is called "Once Upon a Time," and focuses on the parables of Jesus.

Pastor Collin

## Property Updates

The church property is large – between 15 and 20 acres. That means it takes constant upkeep and work to ensure it remains capable of meeting the needs of the ministry. Here are some recent updates regarding the property:

The summer is here and the weather is warming up. As events wind down for the summer break, we have several projects we are planning for the church building and property.

The deacons are working on divesting several pieces of large equipment and tools from our garage and pole barn. A complete list of items for sale will be available June 21<sup>st</sup>, with bidding starting June 28<sup>th</sup>.

Our school is continuing to expand for the 2026-2027 school year, with a dedicated first grade room being added to our class list. We are planning a school work week from July 6<sup>th</sup> to the 10<sup>th</sup> where parents and volunteers from the congregation can come in and help paint, clean, and prepare the building for the new school year. We are planning on giving the lower-level

hallway a fresh coat of paint (similar color), along with several of the downstairs classrooms.

We are still planning on painting the back wall of the sanctuary behind the stage/platform. We hope this will help to brighten up the sanctuary, especially during evening services and rainy days.



*Updated sanctuary wall concept art.*

We are also looking to update and relocate our café. The plan will be to open up the walls and update the small kitchen next to the parlor and better



utilize this space for food service.



*Café update concept art.*

Thank you all for your continued help and support! Please pray for our volunteers who help with the property and please consider serving in this area if you are able!

If you have any questions regarding our property or building, feel free to reach out to Pastor Jonathan Grove at 610-754-6446 ext. 21 or by email at [jgrove@soth.church](mailto:jgrove@soth.church).

# H2O

## HIS TO OWN YOUTH UPDATES

### H2O Youth: Summer Events

Kids In Motion: A Week of Service, Growth, and Gospel Impact.

This summer, from July 26 to August 1, our H2O Youth will join several partnering churches for the annual Kids In Motion Mission Trip in Easton, PA. For ten years, this trip has been a meaningful opportunity for our teens to step outside their comfort zones and serve children and families who need encouragement, support, and the hope of Christ.

Throughout the week, our students will help lead an outreach VBS focused on sports, arts, and gospel-centered teaching for largely underprivileged and unchurched youth. Each day gives them the chance to model Christ's love through patience, joy, and genuine care. Evenings will be filled with worship, teaching, and group outings that help our teens grow in fellowship and spiritual maturity.

As a church family, we ask you to keep our teens in your prayers. Pray that the Lord strengthens them, protects them, and uses them in powerful ways. Pray for unity among the leaders, open hearts among the children, and for the gospel to be clearly seen in every act of service.

Thank you for supporting our youth as they step forward in faith and mission.

### MUSIC MOMENTS

#### "Send the Light"

The beloved hymn Send the Light has inspired Christians for generations with its powerful message of evangelism and service. Written by Charles H. Gabriel in 1890, the hymn echoes the heart of Christ's command to His followers to take the gospel to all people. Its stirring refrain, "Send the light, the blessed gospel light," reminds us that the good news of Jesus Christ is meant to shine into every corner of the world.

The hymn reflects the Great Commission found in Matthew 28:19-20, where Jesus instructed His disciples to "go and make disciples of all nations." Christ did not intend for His disciples to keep the message of salvation to themselves. Instead, they were to carry the light of the gospel to those living in spiritual darkness. Send the Light serves as a call for us believers to continue that mission today.

While the hymn encourages worldwide evangelism, it also reminds us that we can be lights in our everyday lives. Jesus says in Matthew 5:14, "You are the light of the world." We shine that light through acts of kindness, words of encouragement, faithful witness, and lives that reflect Christ's love and truth. Whether at home, at work, in school, or in the community, we all have opportunities to point others to Jesus.

As we sing Send the Light, we are reminded of both our privilege and responsibility. The hymn calls God's people to faithfully share the gospel and to let the light of Christ shine brightly through our daily lives.

# Spiritual Care:

## Held by His Right Hand: Isaiah 41:10

**"Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God; I will strengthen you, I will help you, I will uphold you with my righteous right hand." Isaiah 41:10**

Isaiah 41:10 gives us a promise that meets us right where life feels the most fragile. God speaks into our fear with a steady voice. He reminds us that we are not abandoned, not forgotten, and not left to carry our burdens alone.

"Fear not, for I am with you. Do not be dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you and help you. I will uphold you with my righteous right hand."

The people of God have always needed this reminder. Fear shows up in different ways for each of us. Some feel it in uncertainty about the future. Others feel it in the weight of responsibility, or in the quiet moments when anxiety whispers lies. Yet the Lord answers every fear with His presence. He does not ask us to be strong on our own.

He offers His strength. He offers His help. He offers His hand.

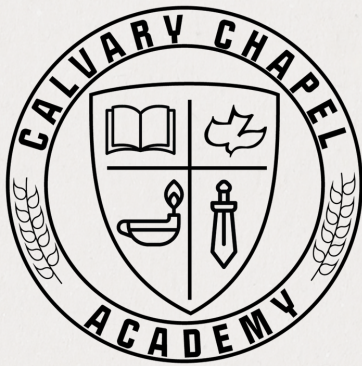
Church, take heart today. The God who formed you is the God who holds you. Whatever you face, you face it with Him beside you. Let His promise steady your spirit and lift your eyes. He is with you, and He will not let you fall.

For more counsel and prayer around life's difficult challenges, reach out to Pastor Jason 610-754-6446 extension 27 or email at [jwells@soth.church](mailto:jwells@soth.church).



# THE CALVARY CHAPEL ACADEMY COURIER

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

\* **Illumination Station VBS**  
June 22-26, 2026

Kids preschool-aged (3-year-old as of December 31st, 2025) to 5th grade are invited to our 2026 VBS Program Illumination Station, where they'll learn about Jesus and the Gospel through exciting crafts, Bible lessons, snacks, and games! Register online today!

\* **Back to School NIGHT**  
September 1, 2026

Save the date! It will be a fun night to gather, ask questions, and meet the teachers. More info coming.

\* **First Day of School**  
September 8, 2026

The first day of school will be Tuesday the 8<sup>th</sup> (or Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup>). We will have a first day of school photo op set up for all to use.

## Praising God Through Every Step

On Thursday, May 14th at 7:00 PM, our school family gathered for a beautiful and well-attended Year End Showcase and Kindergarten Graduation. The evening was filled with joy as students used their talents to praise and glorify God through their performances and presentations. We are incredibly proud of all of our students, especially our kindergarten graduates as they take the exciting next step into a new school year. The children did an amazing job, and it was such a blessing to see

their hard work, confidence, and growth shine throughout the evening. As we celebrate all God has done this year, we encourage our families to continue pointing their children to Jesus and reminding them that He has a purpose and plan for each of their lives.



## Message from the Director

It has been a distinct honor and an absolute pleasure to lead this school through the final months of our school year. I'm so excited for all the ways God is moving and can't wait to see what this next school year has to offer. My door is always open for a chat. Have a fabulous summer!



We Need You!

## Cartridges for Classrooms

Turn your empty ink cartridges into something meaningful for our classroom and church. By recycling used cartridges, you help fund the paper our students use everyday. It's a simple way to care for God's

creation while supporting learning in a practical way. Thank you for partnering with us in making a difference, one cartridge at a time.



**Drop your empty cartridges in the school director's office at anytime.**

## Snap shots from Field Day



Students young and old enjoyed all that field day had to offer this year. The cloudy and cool morning didn't steal the fun!



## Ready, Set...PLAY!

On Monday, May 11th, our students enjoyed a fun-filled Field Day together as a school family. Although the weather was cloudy and chilly, the excitement and laughter throughout the morning never faded. Students participated in games, activities, and friendly competition while building teamwork and making special memories together. We are so thankful for all of the parents and volunteers who helped make the morning such a success for our students and staff. Days like these are such a blessing as we celebrate fellowship, joy, and the gift of community that God has given our school.

***"This is the day that the Lord has made; We will rejoice and be glad in it." Psalm 118:24***

## Get Involved!

We love partnering with our families and invite you to get involved in meaningful ways! Consider joining our PTA (a group of parents and teachers working together to support school events, build community, and enrich the students' time here at Calvary Chapel Academy. Our PTA president for the 2026-2027 school year is Brittany Steinberger and we are so excited to have her leading this wonderful group of families. If you have any questions or would like to get involved, please e-mail our school director Ashley Mitchom at [amitchom@calvarychapel.academy](mailto:amitchom@calvarychapel.academy).





Calvary Kids is the children's ministries of Shepherd of the Hills Calvary Chapel, it includes everything kid: Sunday school, children's church, our care room and the infant's crib room are all included. In addition, our summer Vacation Bible School, our Wednesday night H2O Kids, and other children's events are all part of Calvary Kids.

#### **Sunday Morning Kids Ministries:**

9:30 AM Service: Kids are encouraged to attend our Sunday School for all ages for the whole 9:30-10:30 AM hour. We also have childcare for infants and toddlers.

11:00 AM Service: Kids are dismissed following the songs of worship to Children's Church and Care Room

**\*\*\*Children are encouraged to bring in their water bottles and Bibles\*\*\***

#### **Preschool - Kindergarten Sunday School:** (Meets upstairs in Pre-K Classroom)

\*Parents, please see the take home paper your children bring home after class. These papers will show you what they have learned in Sunday School.

At the end of June, the kids started a new series "David and the Giant", Ephesians 13:5b. They will continue to learn about the early life of David, from the anointing by the prophet Samuel to his service in King Saul's court, through his battle with the giant, which made him famous in Israel. God was with David, every step of the way, and God is with us too!

- The Good Servant, David serves King Saul, 1 Samuel 16:14-23. David went to work for King Saul. It was not always easy to serve King Saul because he was difficult and angry sometimes. God gave David strength and talent to serve Saul. You too can believe God will give you what you need to serve others.
- David and the Giant, David and Goliath, 1 Samuel 17:25-49. When everyone else was too afraid, God gave David the courage to go out and face a giant in battle. God gave David the victory. You can believe that God will give you the strength to face your fears and win!
- The Jealous King, Saul's Jealousy of David, 1 Samuel 18:1-16. After David defeated Goliath, the people of Israel loved him. King Saul became jealous of David's popularity and tried to hurt him. But God protected David. You can believe that God loves you and is watching over you.

**1st-4th Grades (Downstairs Classrooms)** \*Parents, please see the "Make it Stick" papers we send home with the children, for a better description and how to reinforce what they have learned throughout the week. We also send home a memory verse for them to learn. We give them an incentive to remember scripture.

The children will be continuing the lesson series, "High Score" How to Win at Life". A video game themed study that follows the life of Elijah, a prophet of God. Elijah knew the secret of how to win at life. Children are also introduced to Elisha. Teaching kids how to live a life devoted to and focused on God.

- High Score Memory Verse: Trust in the Lord with all your heart. Do not depend on your own understanding. In all your ways obey Him. Then He will make your paths smooth and straight. Proverbs 3:5-6
- Energy Restored and Noob: God speaks to Elijah/Elijah and Elisha, 1 Kings 19:1-18 Kids will learn they can always call out to God and it is important to have Godly friends.
- Cheat Code: Judgment on Ahaziah, 2 Kings 1:1-4, Kids will learn God and God alone deserves my complete trust and my praise."
- Level Up: Chariot of Fire, 2 Kings 2:1-15, Kids will learn, If I put my faith in Jesus, I can experience God's Amazing rewards.

**5-6th Grades (Downstairs Classroom)** The kids are continuing to study the Book of Acts and the Early Church.

#### **H2O CALVARY KIDS SUMMER CAMP Ages 5 through 5th Grade Wednesdays from 6:30-8:30**

\*Summer Camp will start June 3rd and meet every other week throughout the summer. The dates are as follows:

**July 15, 29, August 12 and 26.**

Please bring your children to the playground and sign them in with an adult, on the sign-in sheet. If there is bad weather, bring children to Fellowship Hall and sign them in there. Kids are to be picked up in the back parking lot, since the children will be getting cleaned up from water games. The children will be learning through Bible stories, object lessons, games, videos and crafts, all reinforcing God's Word. They will also have worship and prayer.

**\*\*\*Summer Camp is a time for some water fun and messy craft, every time they meet. PLEASE make sure your children wear clothes that can get messy and wet or bathing suits (appropriate, no bellies showing for girls) and towels to dry off. \*Please have the children to bring their own water bottles and Bibles**

This Summer's Summer Camp Theme is: "Jesus League", Becoming One of Jesus Followers" When Jesus started his ministry, he assembled a team of followers to teach and help him on His mission. Kids will learn that even today we can join the "Jesus League" Luke 6:12-16

[Click here to read the full article...](#)

God Bless, Renee Miller, Women & Children's Ministry Director



"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

### Women's Event for July: Potluck breakfast and Painting class, Saturday, July 11<sup>th</sup> 9:00 AM, Fellowship Hall

Our instructor, Kristina Smith, has graciously agreed to come back to teach and guide us to paint another beautiful painting. **The fee is \$30.00**, which covers all materials and Kristina and her assistant's time. Fee is to be paid to Kristina the morning of the class. Don't forget to bring your favorite breakfast dish to share. \*Sign up at Kiosk, website, App or contact me by email or phone\*\*

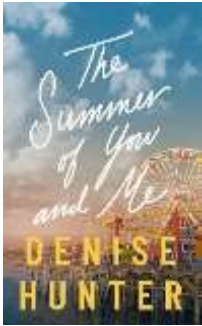
\*\* Please come and see our Women's Ministry Bulletin Board. It is located in the hallway, across from Pastor Collin's Office. You will find some photos of our past events and a schedule for this year's events. The schedule for the Beautifully Bound Book Club is there as well.

### Book Club: Thursday, July 23rd, in the Parlor at 6:30 PM

\*Refreshments will be served Our book for July is "The Summer of You and Me" by Denise Hunter.

Five years after her husband's death, Maggie Reynolds is finally ready for love again-until the past shows up in the form of someone who may or may not be the late husband she thought her and her daughter, Zoey, had lost. Ethan's brother Josh has been there for Maggie and Zoey, since the death of his brother. Unbeknownst to Maggie, Josh had been in love with Maggie since they first met, before Ethan won her heart.

When she and Zoey go back to Seabrook, she runs into a man who could be Ethan's twin. This stirs up impossible questions and sends Josh and her on a quest to discover the man's true identity. But their search ends up raising more questions than answers- and soon Maggie is not sure she wants those answers at all! \*\*\*You did not have to finish the book or even read it to come and enjoy the fellowship, please just come.



### Ladies Bible Studies

Please note that it is never the wrong time to join a study, whether it is the beginning or middle of the study, just come!

**Tuesday evening:** Gail Berger, 6:30 PM, meets in the Conference Room, on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month

The ladies are currently studying, line by line in Philippians.

**Wednesday Morning:** Renee Miller, 9:30-12:00, 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month, in the Parlor.

We just finished our study "David's Delight, Our Delight". It was such an insightful, encouraging study! There are copies of the study in Chronicles Book Store for \$5.00.

Our next study will start this month, "Delighting in God's Wisdom, A study on the Book of Proverbs".

Wisdom. We need it. We want it - but often look for it in all the wrong places. Moment by moment our life circumstances dictate the need for wisdom. From simple everyday choices to the more complex and life changing; we need wisdom for successful decision-making. Where do we find this wisdom? Solomon will tell us in the book of Proverbs that wisdom begins with the fear of God and all wisdom is found in Him. The majority of Proverbs was written by Solomon, "the wisest man on earth. Proverbs is the "how to" for life and will lead you to the heart of God and His wisdom. Woven into the study are examples from women in the Bible who were both wise and unwise. The book is available in Chronicles Book Store for \$5.00

**Mother's Group:** for mothers with children through 12th grade: Heather Wells meets in the parlor on the 2nd & 4th Tuesday evenings at 6:00.

The women are continuing to study from the book "Sweeter Than Honey", A Bible Study on Enjoying God in His Word. Gretchen Saffles and Maggie Combs teach the value of studying God's Word while providing the tools to apply it to your life. Discover 3 principles that can be applied every time you open the Bible.

Happy 250th America! As we celebrate the freedom of our country from Great Britain and the signing of the Declaration of Independence, let us remember freedom isn't free, there is a cost. There were the lives lost in the battles and skirmishes in the Revolutionary War, which led to our freedom as a nation. The founding fathers remembered the tyranny and bondage they suffered under the yoke of Great Britain and oppression of the church. They were not allowed to live and practice life the way God intended as written in His Word. On July 2nd, the Second Continental Congress voted to approve The Lee Resolution, declaring the Thirteen Colonies were "free and independent States, effectively severing their political ties with Great Britain. Declaration of Independence was then written, adopted and signed on July 4th, 1776. They voted and July 4th became the day our nation celebrated its freedom and deliverance from Great Britain.

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God Bless, Renee Miller, Women & Children's Ministry Director

# 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 what makes us distinct. Our Shepherd 102 class walks through the Calvary Chapel Distinctives. The Shepherd 103 class will review our Statement of Faith, and finally our Shepherd 104 class will provide you with tools on how to study the Bible.

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



"Jesus said, 'Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of heaven belongs to such as these.'"

*Matthew 19:14*

teaching them solid biblical theology at their level!



Calvary Kids is the children's ministries of Shepherd of the Hills Calvary Chapel; it includes everything kid for a Sunday morning. Sunday school, children's church, our care room, and the infant's crib room are all included. During the first service we offer childcare and provide a friendly engaging atmosphere for the children. During the 9:30 AM service, 9:30-10:30, there is a class dedicated to each child's age group and geared towards

During our 11:00 AM service, we offer a children's church program. After the worship time the children are led by one of our Calvary Kids teachers to their appropriate room. At each room, we have some incredible volunteers

who are committed to the ministry of children. If you have a passion for children's ministry or want to know more about Calvary Kids, contact Renee Miller, our Women & Children's Ministry director.



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.

