

SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 29TH, 2019

SHEPHERD *of the* HILLS

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



THIS WEEK'S CALL TO WORSHIP

Bless the Lord, O you his angels, you mighty ones who do his word, obeying the voice of his word!

Bless the Lord, all his hosts, his ministers, who do his will!

Bless the Lord, all his works, in all places of his dominion. Bless the Lord, O my soul!

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*Psalms 103:20-22*



## ORDER OF WORSHIP

- Greeting
- Songs of Worship
- Prayer Requests
- Good News
- Mystery Box
- Children's Message
- Announcements & Offering
- Message
- Closing Worship

## Message Series: Ephesians

MESSAGE: THE ART OF  
SACRIFICE

### 8:00 AM Service Worship

#### Hymns of Praise

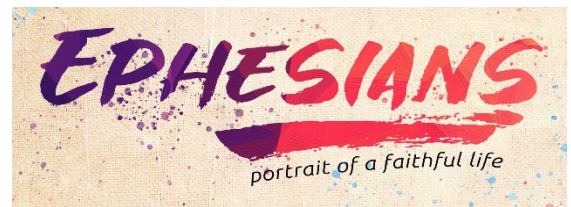
- We Bring the Sacrifice of Praise #213
- Awesome God #179
- I Will Serve Thee #660

#### Hymn of Grace

- I Surrender All #596

#### Closing Hymn

- Make Me a Blessing #670



SPEAKER:  
Pastor Collin Monger

### 10:30 AM Service Worship

Led by special guests Behold the Beloved

- I Am Free
- To Be with You
- I Will Follow
- Yes I Will
- I Surrender (Offertory)
- I Surrender (Reprise)



## SERVICE TIMES

8:00 AM  
Acoustic Service

9:15 AM  
Sunday School

10:30 AM  
Contemporary  
Service

# Upcoming Events

## This Week

### Monday, Sept. 30<sup>th</sup>

7:00pm Boy Scouts

### Tuesday, Oct. 1<sup>st</sup>

8:00pm AlAnon

### Wednesday, Oct. 2<sup>nd</sup>

6:15pm Youth Club

6:30pm H2O Youth

7:00pm AA

7:45pm Shepherd's Voice

### Thursday, Oct. 3<sup>rd</sup>

12:15pm AA

7:00pm Cub Scouts

7:00pm Bible College

### Friday, Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>

### Saturday, Oct. 5<sup>th</sup>

10:00am AA

## This Month

**Musical Guests – Behold the Beloved TODAY**, Sunday, Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 AM.

**Prayer Service TODAY**, Sunday, Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM  
Join us tonight at 7:00 PM for our 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday prayer service. We will also be hosting a Q&A session during this service.

**Pizza with Jay and Brianna Stokes**, Sunday, Oct. 6<sup>th</sup>  
Join us next Sunday after the 2<sup>nd</sup> service for a pizza lunch fellowship with Jay and Brianna Stokes, missionaries in Indonesia. Space is limited, [sign up here](#) or at the welcome desk.

**Escape Shepherd – H2O Fundraiser** Saturday, Oct. 12<sup>th</sup>  
Join us on October 12<sup>th</sup> for our second Escape Shepherd H2O Fundraiser. See more information on the next page!

**JJ Weeks Concert** Thursday, Oct. 24<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM

Miss last week's message?  
[Catch up online](#) or through our  
[SOTH Church Mobile app](#).



[Download the mobile app Today!](#)

# BOOK of the month

## OVERCOMER

BY DR. DAVID JEREMIAH

We live in a time of deep uncertainty. And yet, the Bible promises we were created to enjoy lives of freedom, even in times when the world around us seems filled with darkness. We were created to be overcomers, conquering the greatest obstacles in our lives.

In his new book, Overcomer, beloved teacher David Jeremiah offers his insights on one of the most quoted but least understood passages of the Bible: the apostle Paul's admonition to the Ephesians to take up the whole armor of God (Ephesians 6:10-18). With his signature depth, wisdom, and compassion, Dr. Jeremiah explores the powerful relevance of spiritual armor as a critical tool each day as we confront the specific challenges in our lives and of our time.

Get your copy today at Chronicles Christian Books!

# Sunday School

Below you will find information on current classes. All classes begin at 9:15 and end at 10:15.

## Adult Classes

Location: Parlor

Topic: Simon Peter

Book Used: Simon Peter: Flawed but Faithful Disciple, by Adam Hamilton  
Leader: Kathy Coffey / Sandy Leonard  
Leader Contact: [coffeykath@aol.com](mailto:coffeykath@aol.com)

Location: Fellowship Hall

Topic: Contemporary issues faced by Christians

Book Used: Bible (Selected Scriptures)  
Leader: Pastor Collin Monger  
Leader Contact: [cmonger@soth.church](mailto:cmonger@soth.church)

Location: Room 22 (lower level)

Topic: Nehemiah

Book Used: Putting It Together Again When It's All Fallen Apart  
Leader: Jen Lantz / Susan Grove  
Leader Contact: [asgrover@hotmail.com](mailto:asgrover@hotmail.com)

## Teen & Children Classes

Age Group: Senior High

Location: Shepherd's Den

Topic: Lessons from the Church at Corinth

Book Used: Bible (1st Corinthians)

Leader: Pastor Charles Rowdon

Leader Contact: [crowdon@soth.church](mailto:crowdon@soth.church)

Age Group: Toddler-2year

Location: Room 14

Age Group: Children (3 years to kindergarten)

Location: Discipleship Oasis Room 12 (upper level)

Leader: Grace Kochey

Leader Contact: [jgocci@gmail.com](mailto:jgocci@gmail.com)

Age Group: Children (1st - 6th grade)

Location: Room 24 (lower level)

Topic: Psalm 23 ("The Lord is my shepherd...")

Book Used: Children's Bible

Leader: Tara Wilson

Leader Contact: [wil0830.tw@gmail.com](mailto:wil0830.tw@gmail.com)



Saturday, October 12, 2019  
Shepherd of the Hills Church  
\$25 per person  
(please pay when signing up)

Sign up in the foyer after services  
from September 8th to September 29th,  
or online at [soth.cc/escape2019](http://soth.cc/escape2019)

\*Space is limited. There are limited time slots per room.\*  
You will pick a room & time slot when signing up

*All funds raised during this event will benefit the H2O Youth Group for our activities & missions.*

### *Escape Room Themes (pick one when signing up)*

#### **JURASSIC ESCAPE**

(Capacity: 8 people)

A dinosaur research facility has been seemingly abandoned. Your group has ventured through the area and discovered this location. After investigating the interior of the facility, your team has been split up and you must free your isolated teammates in order to escape. Remember, you must work together and communicate effectively in order to be successful.

#### **ESCAPE THE WILD WEST**

(Capacity: 8 people)

You and your friends have been asked to recover the stolen bounty hidden somewhere in the Wild West by completing a series of puzzles. You have one hour before the Banderos come blazin' back at high noon for it! Will you succeed in finding it or find yourselves in a standoff with the outlaws! Fate is in your hands!

Note: If you decide to sign up online, you will need to pay with a credit card.  
If you sign up in person, cash or check will be accepted. Thank you!



## 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](#).

For \$10 you can send 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.

For \$20 you can get our **Postcard & Bracelet** bundle, where you will also receive a custom bracelet with the colors of the national flag our missionary serves, that can serve as a prayer reminder.

# September 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

**Derrick Whitmore** is our **Missions Commitment** focus for the months of September and October. Derrick serves as the Executive Director of Shattered Studios in Orlando, Florida.

working for Shattered Studios full time. Due to the large amount 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).

[Click here for Derrick's latest video update.](#)



## SEPTEMBER MISSIONS Vision Project

“ Thank you for all you have done, for us, and for those under our pastoral care. God has been so faithful to us. ”

**Jorge & Rosa Gutierrez** are our Missions Vision Project for the month of September.

The Gutierrez's have been missionaries to Guadalajara, Mexico since 1988.

They continue to run the children's breakfast ministry, which we support through coins put in the Mexican pot in the lobby.

These breakfasts include a gospel lesson as well.

Both church plants are doing well, one in Guadalajara City and the other in the city of Tepic.

They also do street evangelism monthly.





**FREE COMMUNITY CONCERT  
WITH SPECIAL GUESTS**

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# **JJ WEEKS BAND**

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**THURSDAY NIGHT  
OCTOBER 24TH AT 7PM**

**SHEPHERD OF THE HILLS CHURCH  
527 HOFFMANSVILLE ROAD  
BECHTELSTVILLE, PA 19505**

**REGISTER ONLINE @  
[WWW.SOTH.CHURCH/EVENTS](http://WWW.SOTH.CHURCH/EVENTS)**

# 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 9:15 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

## H2O HIS TO OWN

"Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity."

1 Timothy 4:12

Shepherd of the Hills values educating young men and women, fostering them into personal relationships with Jesus Christ. Led by Charles Rowdon, our youth pastor, and supported by an amazing congregation and group of volunteers, the H2O ministry seeks to engage youth in meaningful, faith based, conversations. With an energetic and welcoming atmosphere, the

H2O ministry truly is a vibrant part of the church's ministry.

Here at H2O, we want you to feel welcomed and comfortable expressing questions about faith. If you are a middle school or high school student and you want to make new relationships with people, are looking for a fun environment, and want to grow in your relationship with Christ, then come join us on a Sunday morning, Wednesday night, or for any of our awesome events! We would love to meet you and get to know you better.

If you have any questions



contact our Youth Pastor, 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.

