

**SUNDAY 27th**

WELCOME MONTH BEGINS

9:30 & 11 a.m. Worship  
9:30 The Ark, UpStreet, Faithwalk  
11 a.m. The Ark, Live B.I.G.

SUNDAY OF SERVICE

6 p.m. Everlast & Everafter: High School Ministry, Student Lounge

**MONDAY 28th**

7 p.m. Disciple 1, library

**TUESDAY 29th**

10 a.m. Icing on the Cake, port B.

**WEDNESDAY 30th**

5:30 p.m. DINNER @ WEDNESDAY NIGHT LIVE! narthex

6:15 p.m. Evergreen: 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>, Student Lounge :: Evermore: Middle School Ministry, Student Lounge

6:30 p.m. KidJaM , FMC :: Walk in Prayer :: My Job, My Faith, narthex :: Foundations, rm. 7 :: Wednesday Evening Bible Study (WEBS), library

7 p.m. Handbell Choir, rm 5 :: Praise & Worship team, sanctuary

**THURSDAY 31st**

9:30 a.m. Disciple 1, FMC :: MYC Devotional, rm. 7

7 p.m. Disciple 4, library :: Worship Choir, sanctuary

**SATURDAY 2nd**

Disaster Response project

**SUNDAY 3rd**

9:30 & 11 a.m. Worship  
9:30 The Ark, UpStreet, no Faithwalk  
11 a.m. The Ark, Live B.I.G.  
12 SAM Beanbag Baseball, FMC  
5:30 p.m. FILO: Young Adults, library  
6 p.m. Everlast & Everafter: High School Ministry, Student Lounge

# Announcements

week of March 27<sup>th</sup>



When Love is more than just a word, Shepherd Serves  
Join us after worship TODAY to serve in our community!



## Amanda Hill

You may know Amanda Hill by her beautiful singing voice that she blesses us with during worship on Sunday mornings. What you may not know is that Amanda oversees and coordinates legal issues within Austin Regional Clinic and Covenant Management Systems, from overseeing litigation to managing risk to training almost three hundred physicians and providers. In addition, she's done LOTS of other fascinating stuff, such as creating a one-of-a-kind documentary, being a finalist on Martha Stewart's Apprentice, completing her first novel, and giving speeches for many groups and conferences around Texas and beyond.

Join us as we talk to Amanda about **Her Job and Her Faith** on Wednesday evening, March 30<sup>th</sup> at **6:30** in the narthex. See you then... or join us first at 5:30 p.m. for dinner @ Wednesday Night Live!

SHPC Preschool staff are looking to work with more kid-loving, fun-loving, and energetic people. We meet MWF from August until May. **If you or someone you know has a passion for working with children, a big heart for God and wants a little extra money**, contact Pattie Lawrence, director, at 892-7528.



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## COURAGE—

BEING BRAVE ENOUGH TO DO WHAT YOU SHOULD DO EVEN WHEN YOU'RE AFRAID

### SHPC Disaster Response

Since 1998, members of SHPC and Mission Presbytery have responded to many natural disasters such as floods, hurricanes, and tornadoes across Texas. We have recently gone to Round Rock to assist Austin Disaster Relief Network and other faith-based organizations in rebuilding homes damaged by flooding from Hurricane Hermine on September 9, 2010.

The next SHPC repair trip is scheduled for **Saturday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> from 7:30 a.m. to about 3 p.m.** Sign up in the narthex or call Tary Snyder at 512-892-6800 or email: [tsnyder@snyderhomes.com](mailto:tsnyder@snyderhomes.com). There may be additional trips this spring, so sign up today and note you are interested in a later trip. Updated trip details can be found at: [www.snyderhomes.com/DisasterResponse](http://www.snyderhomes.com/DisasterResponse).



### SAM NEWS!

(Senior Adult Ministry)

- **MARY MARTHA CIRCLE** will meet **Thursday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, at 10 a.m. in Portable B.** Our lesson will be a review of our study book *The Thirteen Apostles*, with Laurel Calhoun as our leader. **ALL WOMEN** are cordially invited to join us!

## Children's Ministry

Nursery care is provided in **Room 3** for children from **birth to 24 months of age** during the 9:30 & 11 a.m. worship services.

The Ark Sunday School 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m. - noon

9:30 2 yr. olds – **Room 1** 3 yr. olds – **Room 6** 4 yr. olds & pre-K – **Room 8**  
11 2 yr. olds – **Room 1** 3 yr. olds - pre-K – **Room 6**

UpStreet Sunday School 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

Kindergarten – **Room 7**

1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> grade – **Family Ministry Center**

5<sup>th</sup> grade – **Portable A**

Live B.I.G. Sunday School 11:00 a.m. - noon

All students Kindergarten through 5<sup>th</sup> grade – **Family Ministry Center**



## Bastrop Family Day – Saturday, May 7<sup>th</sup>

Family Camp

Join us Saturday, May 7th for the fourth annual gathering at Bastrop State Park.

The air-conditioned Refectory Dining Hall and large lawn are reserved again this year.

As always there will be plenty of games, shade, food and fellowship fun for the whole family!

For those families wishing to camp, please reserve your own campsite by contacting Bastrop State Park at [www.tpwd.state.tx.us/spdest/findadest/parks/bastrop](http://www.tpwd.state.tx.us/spdest/findadest/parks/bastrop)

Registration forms will be available in April.

For more information, please contact Pastor Britta at 892-3580 ext 107 or [britta@shpc.org](mailto:britta@shpc.org)

## invite

Welcome Month is HERE! Tasty coffee, gifts for visitors, and big smiling faces. **March 27<sup>th</sup> to April 17<sup>th</sup>** – fulfill that Great Commission and invite a friend.

## Interested in becoming part of SHPC?

The next SHPC Inquirers' Classes will be held at church on April 10<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Visitors wishing to join the congregation or considering membership should sign up now. The Session will receive class participants wishing to join into church membership later in the year. Childcare is available, but reservations must be made in advance. To learn more, please contact the church office at 892-3580.





## Spring Training Baseball Returns to SHPC – Sunday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>

While the pros are getting ready with spring training, SAM invites all adults to participate in our second annual **Beanbag Baseball game on Sunday, April 3<sup>rd</sup>, after the second service.**



SAM will serve hot dogs and soft drinks in the Family Ministry Center and the game will begin shortly thereafter.

**We had so much fun last year, we thought we'd do it again. Last year, the "Saints" pulled a late rally to defeat the "Sinners". This year – who knows?**

Never played Beanbag Baseball? It's a low-impact, indoor game where players toss beanbags at a "baseball board." It involves as much luck as skill... some say *more* luck than skill!

Join us even if you don't plan to play. Enjoy a hotdog and root for your team! Reservations are not required.

**...for our refugee families!**

Well, *almost*—



**Computer**

We have two computers for refugees but **we need monitors** to make them complete. If you have a **GOOD 15-inch (or larger) flat-screen LCD monitor** that you can do without, please call the church office. We will provide a donation letter for tax purposes.

## The Painted Churches of Schulenburg

### Bus Tour - April 12<sup>th</sup>

### For ALL adults



SAM is sponsoring a bus tour of the **Painted Churches of Schulenburg on Tuesday, April 12<sup>th</sup>.** Depart at 8 a.m. from SHPC and return approximately 5 p.m. This is open to all adults of SHPC. Cost is \$50 plus the cost of your lunch at a local restaurant.

The painted churches are a group of historic churches around Schulenburg - built from 1892 to 1912. **The churches, built by Czech immigrants, are recognized for their elaborately and brightly painted interiors.** Details such as faux marble columns and faux gold-leaf ceilings reminded the immigrants of their homeland. The churches have appeared in magazines, on television programs and in newspaper features in our state and beyond.

The chamber of commerce will provide us with a docent to guide our tour and allow us access to the four churches on the tour. We will be traveling on a 55-passenger commercial bus with a driver.

To save your spot, get a check to Gay or Lawrence Langston (phone 512-607-6516) or Pat Haag (512-288-3479). We'll also be taking **reservations in the narthex on March 27 & April 3.** The first 54 people to turn in their checks will get seats.



**Joys** — **Fran Webb**, mother of **Carlen Floyd**, recently learned that she is now cancer-free — **Cristina Garza's** mother, **Laurentina**, continues to be cancer-free — **Beth Armitage** has made a remarkable recovery and is now in her new apartment

**Please pray for** — **Modena Dailey**, hospitalized for a fall that injured her artificial knee — **Karmen Miller's** friend **Rosemary Tocher**, undergoing surgery for a brain tumor — **Rosemarie Barnett**, tests for personal health issues — **Martha Rowland**, mother of **Pat Haag**, recovering from emergency surgery — **Mo O'Meara's** sister **Virginia**, facing her second hip replacement surgery in 3 years — **Barbara Nealon**, friend of **Fran & Ted Miller**, medical issues — **1st Lt. Robert Beardslee**, USAF, grandson of **Bob & Carolyn Beardslee** and husband of **Jenna**, serving in Manas, Kyrgyzstan — **Ann Hartman**, to remain strong and safe and that she may return safely from her teaching time at the University of Livingstonia in Malawi — **Judy Schroeder's** mother, **Alice Nichols**, recovering from major surgery — **Gloria Drake's** dear friend, **Ramona Latham**, complications from a perforated ulcer — **Georgia Crawley's** sister-in-law's nephew, **Kevin Knutson**, in ICU with pneumonia and possibly other bacterial infections — **Jody Barrett**, continued employment — **Joan Roof**, mother of **Ramsay Mudgett**, hospitalized for diagnosis of the source of much pain — **Martha Waters**, sister of **Madeline Brock**, possible cataracts with feared complications — **Bethany Gonzalez's** father, recently entered hospice care — **Garrett Baschnagel**, recovering from outpatient surgery — **teachers, administrators, librarians, and school staff in Central Texas**, as their districts face budget cuts — **Austin**, the city where we re planted — **the leadership of SHPC** as they discern a path for our future — **Pastor Kenneth Muyira and the congregation of Manyamula Presbyterian Church** — **Pastor Chimwemwe Mhango and his family**

*Please pray for our leaders and our loved ones in the military...*

Members of the Armed Forces and all world leaders involved in war zone crises including: **Robert Beardslee**, grandson of **Bob & Carolyn Beardslee** and husband of **Jenna**... **Pattie Lawrence's** cousin, **Mark Hollahan**... **Jason Mills**, son-in-law of **Junie Ledbetter & Gaston Broyles**... **Tyler Moser**, son of a friend of **Dee & Greg Merrell**... **Mathew Dalton**, nephew of **Mark & Tracy Lord**... **Temple & Janet Ingram's** daughter **Kate Ingram**... **James Crowder**, friend of **Tom & Mike McNelley**... **Eric Wesley**, **Jack & Carol Gilchrist's** friend... **Christopher Lehmann**, son of **Mark Lehmann**... **Larry Roberman**, brother of **Lori Whitmire**... **Eric Huerta**, nephew of **Michael McNelley's** co-workers... **Derek & Kristi Fisher's** nephew, **John Fisher**...

This section is for you to let us know of requests for prayer. Please tear here and place in the collection plate.

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Signed (optional)

Phone(s)

Provide Prayer Request in SHPC Prayer Chain? Yes / No Publicize in bulletin / newsletter? Yes / No

Have a prayer request during the week? Email prayers@shpc.org.