

# LAKE SHORELINES

September 27, 2017

## “Singing Justice and Peace” Wednesday night seminar 6:15 p.m.



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Rev. Dr. Jann Aldredge-Clanton will illustrate intersectional feminism through hymns that connect gender equality, racial equality, economic justice, caring for creation, and other justice concerns. She says, “Words we sing in worship have power to shape our beliefs and actions because the music embeds the words in our memories. In this seminar we’ll experience music that names Deity as female and male and more to support the foundational biblical truth that all people are created equally in the divine image (Genesis 1:27) and to contribute to justice and peace.” Jann is an ordained Baptist minister, author, teacher, and chaplain. She currently serves as adjunct professor at Richland College, Dallas, Texas. She also writes a [blog](#).

## The Gathering

On the first Sunday of every month we gather food in the basket by the front door of the sanctuary. This month we are gathering snacks and other items for our children’s center. Here are some items that the Center can use: laundry detergent, dryer sheets, graham crackers, saltine crackers, and goldfish crackers.



## Called Business Meeting Wednesday, September 27, 6:00 p.m.

To vote on the recommendation of the Committee Coordinating Council that the following people serve on the Deacon Nominating Committee:  
Kristi SoRelle, Chair; Hope Mustakim, Gail Boyd, Henry Kari, Rick Allen, Joe Coker, and Andy Powell

## Worship at Lake Shore The Seventeenth Sunday After Pentecost The Worship of God

October 1, 2017

Sermon

*Kyndall Rothaus*

The Scripture

*Exodus 17:1-7*

## Sign up for Houston Trip By Friday

The deadline to sign up for the Houston recovery trip is this Friday, September 29th! Details on how to sign up are below.

While the work that needs to be done changes daily, CBF has asked us to assist in cleaning trash out of flooded yards, restoring a sense of dignity and normalcy that has been missing since the storm. We’ll be working from about 9am-4pm each day with a lunch break, and after that we’ll clean up, grab dinner, pray together, and enjoy some free time together. We leave Friday, Oct 6th at 5:30pm. There will be pizza in the Teen House, so please arrive closer to 5pm so you have time to eat. We return Sunday, Oct 8th in the evening. We will be staying at Baptist Temple (CBF asked us to change this week), which has shower units, but no kitchen, so please disregard our request for frozen foods!

### How do I sign up?

There are a few different steps to signing up to go on this trip. [Email me](#) to let me know you’re planning to join us.

I’ll send you a packing list.

- Fill out CBF’s volunteer form here: <http://www.cbf.net/component/rsform/form/153-disaster-relief-volunteer-application?Itemid=> I am coordinating with CBF to figure out the insurance component and will send an update soon.
- If you are under 18, a parent must fill out the release and medical form. [Click here for that form.](#)
- If you are over 18, and have not had a background check through Lake Shore, fill out the background check form. [Click here for the BG check form.](#)
- If you are over 18 and have not been through the child abuse prevention training, [email me](#) and I will connect you to that brief course.

Finally, if you’re planning on joining us for the trip, it would be helpful for you to attend the youth meeting this Sunday night at 5pm to get oriented, go over some details, ask your questions, and get to know your team!

## Welcome to Worship at Lake Shore

offered by TJ Geiger on September 24

When Jesus said “all,” he meant, in Texan, “all y’all,” which means “all.” And it’s my honor welcome all y’all to worship this morning at Lake Shore Baptist Church. With our zealous ancestor in faith, the Apostle Paul, I greet you with grace and peace from the Lord Jesus Christ.

If you are new to Lake Shore this morning, know that all are welcome here, because we proclaim the Good News that God’s love knows no bounds. During the prelude our greeters will walk down the aisle looking for visitors. Raise your hand or wave, and they will hand you a visitor card.

Of the last 46 Sundays, I’ve spent 43 of them here. I may be an English professor, but I like numbers, numbers like these help me count the days that turn into weeks, that grow into months, that stretch into years, that accumulate as decades. In the meantime—between days and decades—this is a place of welcome.

So, welcome to this home that houses a sustaining chain of memory that stretches back through the ages.

Welcome to this space where we practice resurrection and kindle hope in one another.

Welcome to this place of grace where you may know the peace that passes all understanding.

You who breathe deep the breath of God, welcome.

You who mourn and miss your loved ones, welcome.

You who are angry, yet loving; gentle, yet fierce; anxious, yet hopeful—welcome.

You who are overwhelmed by your neighbors’ suffering, welcome.

You who are deeply aware of changes in your body due to the progress of years or the loss of health, welcome.

You who are exhausted from your race, tired from your life’s ceaseless hustle, welcome.

You who have known family relations and home as unsafe spaces, welcome.

You who long to find rest, leaning on the everlasting arm, welcome.

You who take the Bible seriously, if not always literally, welcome.

You who feel more doubt than assurance—as if your faith feels like a furious grasping about in a room without sight or light, without cane or companion to help guide the way—welcome.

You who know the sound of breaking hearts as well as you know the sound of your own breathing, welcome.

You who commit yourself to the Way of Jesus, in the everyday moments and in the long rhythms of years, welcome.



### Mission Waco: The Next 25

October 4, 6:15 pm

Louis Garcia, who is on the board of directors at Mission Waco, and Martie Sauter, who works in Jubilee Market, have arranged for Mission Waco leadership to tell us about the vision of Mission Waco for the next 25 years.

THE *Next 25*

Jeb Barr, on the board of directors, says:

*“For 25 years Mission Waco/Mission World has built Christ-centered, empowering relationships with the poor and the marginalized of the Waco community and beyond. We invite you to bear Mission Waco/Mission World’s story and mission and opportunities to get involved as individuals, families, or groups.”*

<http://missionwaco.org/mission-waco/>

## Night on the Farm

October 14, 2017

6pm

World Hunger Relief

Tickets \$50

Available online at  
[worldhungerrelief.org](http://worldhungerrelief.org)

Come out to the farm to enjoy an evening of music, fellowship, and amazing local food. You can tour our pastures and gardens, getting as close as possible to the source of your food! You can also reserve a whole table. Farm tours and appetizers will begin at 6pm; dinner, at 6:30pm. Tickets are available [here](#).

## Children's Corner

### Welcome to the Table: This Sunday!

Parents and children who are interested in a conversation about communion - what it is, why we do it, what it means - are invited to join us **this Sunday, 10/1 at 3:00 pm** at the church for "Welcome to the Table." Childcare can be made available on request for younger siblings. RSVP to Claire by this Wednesday!



### MissionKids / Parents Night Out

Mark your calendars for our 2nd MissionKids / Parents Night Out of the fall on Friday, Oct. 6th from 5:30-8:30pm. We'll eat and play together, with a missions focus on hurricane relief. Kids in Grades K-6 can participate, with childcare available for preschool and younger on request. Email Claire to RSVP by this Sunday!



**Sunday, October 15**

**at the Fields' farm**

**4911 Battle Lake Road, Mart**

Fun activities for the entire family, including swimming, fishing, hiking, horseshoe pit, and more! You are welcome to pet the animals or sit and visit with friends while enjoying delicious food. Please bring your lawn chairs; if you plan to swim in the pond, bring a life jacket, too.

Hot dogs and buns provided by the Fields. Bring your own drinks and a side dish to share.

#### Directions to the Fields' farm:

Hwy. 6 South towards Marlin. Take the Battle Lake Rd. exit. Drive about 5 miles on Battle Lake. After you have driven through the Battle Lake Golf Course, look for Fields' driveway on the left — a street sign with their name and address, but it can be difficult to see. Follow this gravel road. Their house is not visible from the road. For more information call Patty Field at 876-2817 or Alice Baird.

### Celebrations...

Carol and Rufus Spain are excited to announce that their 14th great-grandchild was born. Will and Steffan's son, Shepard Roy, was born on September 21, at 8:30am in Oklahoma.

### Prayers for...

Helen Hastings had surgery at the Austin Heart Center on Tuesday. Her doctor was very pleased that the procedure went well. She will be in the hospital for a few more days.

Gayl Hobbs, Willie and Barbara's daughter, who is staying with them as she recovers from a stroke.

Becca Sharpless sends word to the Lake Shore family that Tom, who has been living with Parkinson's for eleven years, is now at Silverado, a memory care assisted living center in Fort Worth, just a few minutes from their home.

Beth Raymond's father, Dean Cayo, who is at Saint Catherine's.

We continue to pray for Ellen and Brent Brown and their new granddaughters Liza Yasuko, Elli Yukina, and Sylvi Yumika, born September 18. Eric, their dad, writes: Thanks to your prayers and God's healing hand, much progress has been made over the past few days. All three girls no longer have their umbilical lines and Elli and Liza were able to continue without getting a PICC line installed. All three had ultrasounds today for brain bleeds and all those came back negative. All three are on CPAP machines now (to help with the breathing and lung development). The girls are almost back to their birthweight of 3 pounds. Current prayer needs - for Lili and Luka as they continue through the first part of this process without Mom. For Stacey as she lives without half of her family to take care of the other half. For Eric as he continues to coordinate and lead this family with God's guidance.

## Women's Retreat

### January 26-28, 2018

### Cost: \$150

\$50 deposit due: October 11

More information to come!

### Our Church Staff

Louis Garcia, Custodian  
 Claire Helton, Minister to Children  
 Zachary Helton, Minister to Youth  
 Gordon Lawrence, Maintenance Manager  
 Cindy Oats, Director of LSBCC  
 Krysta Pittman, Office Manager  
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### CALENDAR

#### Sunday, October 1

9:30—Sunday School  
 10:45—Worship  
 3:00—Newsletter Deadline  
 4:30—Soulfriends

#### Tuesday, October 3

1:30—Staff Meeting

#### Wednesday, October 4

5:15—Supper  
 6:15—Children's Activities  
 6:15—Seminar  
 7:15—Choir Rehearsal

### Staff Notes

Sharlande is out  
 September 26-  
 October 2.  
 Kyndall will be out  
 October 2-19 for  
 vacation.



### Thursday, September 28

This supports Family Abuse Center, led by Kathy Reid. Doors open at 6:00, Dinner at 7:00. Event organized by Loeen Irons. After Midnight performing (Bob Darden, Steve Gardner, Lance Grigsby, Barry Hankins; special guest, Lauren Weber) Daniel Farris will be one of the dancers and his Show Choir will perform.  
 Tickets: <http://www.familyabusecenter.org/blog/support-your-stars-3/>

## WEEKLY YOUTH UPDATE

### ABRIDGED

#### Wednesday 9/27

5pm - Dinner

6pm- Helping neighbors fix their fence

#### Sunday 10/1

9:30am - Sunday School

Breakfast: Swanson

5-7pm - Preparing for the Houston Trip

Dinner: No one signed up

### Upcoming

**10/6-10/8** - Trip to Houston to assist in relief efforts. Deadline to sign up is this Friday.

For more, see the Youth bulletin board in the hallway. For questions, or to subscribe to the full Youth Update, email [zach@lsbcwaco.org](mailto:zach@lsbcwaco.org).

### Habitat Harvest

#### Thursday November 2

5:00pm - 7:00pm at the Phoenix Ballroom  
 401 S. 3rd Street Waco, TX 76706

Join us for an evening of food, drinks, and fun, with remarks from our special guest Clint Harp, from Harp Design Company. There will be a live auction and a silent auction along with music and activities. Tickets for the evening are \$25.00 each and can be reserved by calling 254-756-7575, or by stopping in at the Waco Habitat ReStore (1224 Franklin Ave) or Administrative office (220 N. 11th St). We hope to see you there!

### Volunteers for

#### Sunday, October 1

Extended Care: Louise Powell  
 Usher: Pam Smallwood  
 Noah or Lawyah

### Wednesday night supper October 4

Barbecue chicken, beans,  
 potato salad.,  
 Dessert (if someone  
 offers to make it.)  
 children, \$3.00  
 youth & adults, \$6.00

Write [Krysta@lsbcwaco.org](mailto:Krysta@lsbcwaco.org) by Sunday  
 noon to add or cancel reservations.



We use hundreds of bags a day and we're running low! Your gently used plastic bags would be extremely helpful. Bags can be dropped off with the egg cartons in the hallway of the church.

### Weekly Budget Report

Your contributions help fund our mission work, church programs, human resources, and physical facilities. Weekly budget needs for our 2017 budget of \$486,000.00 are \$9,346.15. This week's budget receipts were \$5,009.45.

Year to date needs  
 \$364,000

Year to date received  
 \$319,282.77

Difference  
 (\$45,217.23)

To give online, please click [here](#).