

LAKE SHORELINES

April 11, 2018



*Easter happens every day.
Easter happens each time
those who mourn rise up
again to honor those they've
lost by loving life more
dearly. Easter happens
every time we stand in
solidarity with those who've*

*lost all hope and say, "Hold on, we're at your side."
and Easter happens every time in spite of woe and
death, in spite of the multitude of ways we've turned
away, in spite of our failures and denials, we say
"yes" to life. — Rob Ellers-Isaacs*

Worship at Lake Shore **The Third Sunday of Easter**

The Worship of God
April 15, 2018

Sermon
Kyndall Rotbaus

The Scripture
Acts 3:12-19

Community through Caring

Sundays April 15 and April 22
lunch after worship

We could add another verse to one of Lake Shore's favorite songs, and the words might begin: "We will care for each other . . ."

One of the ways we show Christ's love is by caring for each other through smaller groups that help us get to know each other better.

Lake Shore is divided into 8 groups that are organized around the goals of creating ways to build community with each other; caring for each other in times of need and celebration; communicating needs with each other, the staff, and the church at large. Meet your group after worship one of the next two Sundays. To accommodate large groups who need extra space, half the groups are meeting on each of two Sundays.

April 15

Group 3: Avant, Raymond
Group 6: Kari, Murphy, Pounders
Group 7: Allen, Herbert, Burleson
Group 8: Londos, Plaa

April 22

Group 1: Kellison, Funderburk, Boyd, Dell
Group 2: Neugebauer, Garcia, Briscoe
Group 4: Francis, Hobbs, Abel
Group 5: Field, Swanson, Abrahams

If you have not been contacted by one of your group leaders by Wednesday for your reservation(s) for Jason's deli sandwiches (ham, turkey, or gluten-free), email Sharlande@lsbcwaco.org on Thursday. Lunch is \$6 for adults, \$3 for children.

Dedication of Lake Shore's Little Free Library

Wednesday, April 18

6:15 p.m. (after supper) front lawn of the church

Lake Shore now has a "Little Free Library," as members have noticed; it appears permanently mounted in the front yard of the church, and looks like a birdhouse for giant robins.

"Little Free Libraries"—now a world-wide presence—were begun in 2009 by Todd H. Bol. He simply wanted to make it easy for people to get and read books. The idea is for patrons to take a book, read it, and bring it back—or, truthfully, simply to take a book and read it.

The idea "went viral," as modern youth put it; over ten appear in the Waco area. According to the LFL list of "Frequently Asked Questions," as of November 2016 there were over 50,000 registered Little Free Library book exchanges in all 50 U.S. states and over 70 countries around the world.

One can find a quick introduction at this web site: <https://littlefreelibrary.org/start/>. Our library has three stewards, though most have only one; the three are Zach Wilson, Molly Hepp, and Isabelle Murphy. The intent is to offer a service to our neighborhood, including Mountainview School. Books for children, teens, and older neighbors (and Lake Shore members of all three persuasions) will appear there.

Lake Shore has only limited storage for books, and cannot take on the task of storing them all. Zach, Molly, and Isabelle will monitor the limited store of books the church CAN share; please check with any one of them to find when, and whether, you can add to that store.

— Tom Hanks



Welcome, Ross Tarpley

In the last couple of months it has been our joy to introduce Ross to you through the newsletter, at a business meeting, and when he joined Lake Shore Sunday morning. Here is a little more about Ross in his own words:

I was born and raised in Marshall, Texas, but my mom and stepdad now live in Longview (an exotic 30 minutes west!). I began my undergraduate studies at Baylor in 2011, majoring in the Business Fellows program with the intent of going into Family Medicine.

However, after working at a summer camp in Durango, Colorado, the summer after my freshman year, I felt a distinct call to vocational church ministry. Upon returning to school I dropped the pre-med track and took up a secondary major in Religion (you can ask Dr. Bellinger how I was as a student...).

It wasn't until interning at Memorial Baptist Church in Arlington, Virginia, the summer before I graduated, that I realized music ministry was the actual intersection of my passions and gifts. I then had the opportunity to serve as the interim Minister of Music at that same church the following summer before starting at Truett.

When I look back at the journey of my life, I'm constantly amazed at the ways God has provided paths and opportunities for me to explore and live out my calling. Now, I am elated for the opportunity to serve at Lake Shore—a church where the gospel of Christ is truly preached and lived in the Waco community; a place where all of God's children are welcomed and affirmed at God's table; a place where my calling and identity can be held beautifully in tandem. I'm particularly excited for the chance to work with Lake Shore's choir because choral singing has always been a large part of my life for as long as I can remember.

Through school and church I've had the opportunity to travel all over the U.S. and the globe, including the U.K., France, twice to Kenya, El Salvador, and now Malaysia in May. In my ministry I hope to shape the way we view and engage and worship, particularly through music and liturgy.

Aside from music, school, and work, I have a miniature Australian Shepherd named Phoebe (like from "Friends" and/or Paul's letter to the Romans), who keeps me pretty busy. I also love good food, playing board games with friends, and generally seeking to enjoy life. I so look forward to being a part of the Lake Shore family!



Children's Corner

**Passport Kids Camp Registration Deadline:
May 1**

This summer we'll take our kids who've completed 3rd-6th grades to PassportKids!



Camp in Brownwood, TX from Aug. 2-5. The cost to families this year will be \$150/camper, but there are scholarships available so please don't let money be the reason your child doesn't participate. Email Claire to find out more.



World Hunger Relief, Inc.: Farm Day & Farm Camp

As your family is making plans for the summer, keep in mind that one of the ministries Lake Shore partners with is World Hunger Relief, Inc. which offers a great Farm Camp every year! Find out more info about Farm Camp here: <http://www.worldhungerrelief.org/farm-camp/> and be sure to visit on Farm Day!

Prayers for . . .

Rita Joseph is continuing to recover from her knee surgery. It will be a few more weeks before she is able to come back to take money on Wednesday nights.

John and Flo Wise were hospitalized at Hillcrest last week. They both have returned home and are recovering.

Pat Stone was here in worship Sunday morning. Continued prayers for her healing.

The Philea Sunday School class has been meeting at the DeLaney, so those who are unable to travel to church can participate with us at 2121 W Hwy 6. If you are interested in joining the class, please contact the office for more information.



Steppin' Out 2018

BU Steppin' Out at LSBC was a huge success, even in 32 degree weather. We had 43 students come out to clean up the Playground, Teen House, Peace Garden, move dirt to level the outside wall of the classrooms on the Bishop side, and clean the church sanctuary and classrooms. Our own LSBC Youth stopped by to assist us during their retreat time. It was special to see Baylor and our youth work together and getting to know each other.

Special thanks go to the following LSBC volunteers: Our Group Leaders who guided the BU Medical students: Louis Garcia, Faith Kopplin, Naomi Fox, Pam Smallwood, and Children Center director, Cindy Oates. Kim Kellison, David Mosley, and Sharlande Sledge for the food set-up and break down, which allowed our Group Leaders, Gordon and myself to continue to work with our BU students.

Sarah Randles, Rick Allen, Gordon Lawrence, and others who brought equipment so we could accomplish all the projects on Saturday. Gordon Lawrence, who was instrumental in getting BU Steppin' Out students to come to LSBC. According to Gordon, BU Steppin' Out saved LSBC over \$2500 on Saturday. Krysta and Sharlande, for continued newsletter support.

BU Stepping Out will be coming back to LSBC in the future. We would love to see more LSBC volunteers receive a blessing working with Baylor Students as we did last Saturday

In conclusion, the BU Stepping Out students complimented our LSBC team, "We have been to many Steppin' Out events and Lake Shore is the first for us to feel loved, which we appreciate very much."



Blessings to all.
JoLeen Eiklenborg



Our Church Staff

Louis Garcia, Custodian
 Sheena Gibbons, Pianist/Organist
 Claire Helton, Minister to Children
 Zachary Helton, Minister to Youth
 Gordon Lawrence, Maintenance Manager
 Cindy Oates, Director of LSBCC
 Krysta Pittman, Office Manager
 Kyndall Rothaus, Pastor
 Sharlande Sledge, Associate Pastor
 Ross Tarpley, Minister of Music



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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

CALENDAR

Sunday, April 15

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

Tuesday, April 17

3:00—Staff Meeting

Wednesday, April 18

5:15—Supper
 6:15—Children's Activities
 6:15—Little Library Dedication
 7:15—Choir Rehearsal

Missions Calendar

Meals on Wheels

Every Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Children's Center

Monday-Friday, 7:15-5:30

Children's Center Reading Time

March, April, May

Steppin' Out

April 7, 10:30-3:30pm

Carver Park Baptist, Food Pantry

First and Third Friday every month,
 10:00-12:00pm

Farm Day, World Hunger Relief

April 14, 10:30-3:00

Wednesday night supper April 18

Creamy Chicken Breasts,
 Rice, and Green Beans

children, \$3.00

youth & adults, \$6.00

Write Krysta@lsbcwaco.org by
 Sunday noon to add or cancel
 reservations.

WEEKLY YOUTH UPDATE

ABRIDGED

Wednesday 4/11

5:15pm - Dinner

6:15pm - Selah (in the Teen House)

Saturday - 4/15

9:30am - Sunday School

5:30pm - Medicine Stories (in the Teen house)

Next week is a youth church field trip! Location
 TBA.

For more, see the Youth bulletin board in the hallway.
 For questions, or to subscribe to the full Youth Update,
 email zach@lsbcwaco.org.

"Yom HaShoah-Holocaust Remembrance 2018"



Thursday, April 12
 at 7pm
 Temple Rodef Sholom
 1717 N. New Road
 Waco, TX
 Featured Speaker:
 Rabbi Susan Lippe

Volunteers for Sunday, April 15

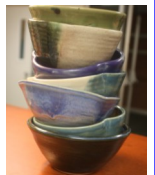
Extended Care: Gail Boyd
 Ushers: Claudia Beal
 Ron Beal

APRIL 14 WORLD HUNGER RELIEF'S
FARM DAY
 10AM - 3PM
 356 SPRING LAKE RD



LIVE MUSIC DEMONSTRATIONS
 PETTING ZOO HAYRIDES
 FARM FRESH FOOD AND MORE! WWW.WORLDFARMRELIEF.ORG

Our hearts are grieved by the recent atrocities in Syria, yet another episode of in the seven-year history of violence inflicted on the Syrian people. Our friends at LSESD in Lebanon are helping their Syrian neighbors the best they can. We will send our Soup Supper money to them. If you would like to make a contribution to this fund or buy a bowl, we will include your money with the gifts we have already received.



Weekly Budget Report

Your contributions help fund our mission work, church programs, human resources, and physical facilities. Weekly budget needs for our 2018 budget of \$486,000.00 are \$9,826.92. This week's budget receipts were \$7,016.

<u>Year to date needs</u>	<u>Year to date received</u>	<u>Difference</u>
\$137,576.88	\$107,890.45	(\$29,686.43)

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