

LAKE SHORELINES

June 6, 2018

Marsha Martie preaching Sunday

This Sunday Kyndall will be in Round Rock where she will be the guest preacher at Peace of Christ Church. The church will celebrate the calling of Kyndall's friend Rev. Aurelia Davila Pratt and affirm Aurelia in her new role as lead pastor as it also affirms the continuing work of Peace of Christ Church in the community. Lake Shore is pleased to welcome Marsha Martie, pastor of CrossTies Ecumenical Church, to our pulpit this Sunday.

Marsha served as an intern pastor at Lake Shore in 1977. Lake Shore licensed her to preach in the spring of 1978. She graduated from Baylor University in 1979 and immediately entered graduate school to study world religions.

In 1985, while completing a master's thesis, she visited Church of the Savior in Washington, D.C. , and felt a spiritual urgency to begin to be the church with others instead of just going to church. Marsha, along with Sherry Castello and Susan Cowley came together to form CrossTies Ecumenical Church in 1986.

Marsha has chosen to not marry but has many kids she has fostered over the years, and her home is often filled with the joy of many voices. She plays guitar and enjoys time in nature.

CrossTies Ecumenical Church is in South Waco. Some of its ministries are The Gospel Cafe, The Taitha Koum Institute, the Silent Retreat, the Servant Leadership School, as well as the general ministry of the church.

Worship at Lake Shore The Third Sunday After Pentecost

The Worship of God

June 10, 2018

Sermon

Marsha Martie

summer sabbath



Sandy Londos took this photo when she was near St. Kevin's Monastery at Glendalough National Park in Ireland mid-May. She says the view was "a very peaceful and beautiful reminder that we all flow back to God, our Source."

Summer Supper

Prepared by the Care Group that is led by
Henry Kari, Jeanne Murphy, and Hope Pounders

tacos and chalupas, chili con queso, guacamole, and dessert

Tonight, June 6, 5:15pm

no children's or youth activities or seminar tonight

*Because of the painting in the sanctuary,
our next care group-led "summer supper" will not be until July 11.*

Prayer for the World

This prayer was offered in worship Sunday by Zach Helton.

God, you are the mysterious, animating force that steadily brings all wounds to healing.

Grant us faith to believe that you are at work mending communities, repairing that which is torn, and bringing us together into a global, loving community.

But grant us also the honesty to recognize the ways we rub dirt in the wounds you are trying to heal, preventing your work from being done, inhibiting your world from coming into being.

In our own community, we we find practitioners of healing, and also practitioners of destruction, often both at the same time. But through our prayer, may we unite our work with yours, our will with yours.

In this place, we are doing the work of feeding hungry children over the summer, of raising funds for displaced persons in Syria, of comforting our brothers and sisters who have lost family or friends, of supporting those who are sick, and of sharing stories that build empathy for all who suffer. We offer ourselves as instruments of your peace.

We long for your continuing work to be done around the world, for wars to cease, for the hungry to be fed, for the separated to find community. May your reign become ever more a reality through us and in spite of us.

Amen.

A new conversation with Megan about food and farming



The energy in the room when Megan Sims told her story last Wednesday night led to lots of conversations about how Lake Shore may want to be involved in incorporating fresh, healthy food into our diets, even starting a new right-sized garden here at church. Megan lives in our neighborhood and runs around the church all the time. She would welcome the

chance to visit with any of us again to brainstorm how we can create gardens at home and church.

Email sharlande@lsbcwaco.org if you would like to be part of our next visit with Megan this summer. Maybe we'll eat Moroso's!

For more information about Megan's project in the Waco community, click this link: www.farmboundwaco.com

Summer lunches for children

There are 2.8 million Texas students that qualify to receive free or reduced-price



breakfast and lunch at school. Unfortunately, these students often go without consistent meals after school and during the summer break. The Summer Meals Program are resources that provide access to free meals for children (18 and under).

Craig Nash of the Texas Hunger Initiative told us about Red Oak, an apartment community on the outskirts of town that needs help this summer. It is a mixed-income property with a built-in summer and afterschool program (New Life Alliance). Because of their relatively remote location and small numbers of kids they serve (around 20), the school district can't serve them summer meals. They are actually looking for some help with shelf-stable food items that can be used to make meals for their summer program.

Whenever you shop before Sunday, we hope you will pick up some items to fill their shelves and place them in the baskets at the front door of the sanctuary. We suggest you think in terms of bringing enough for one meal for twenty children. Here are some ideas:

- pasta and spaghetti sauce
- two loaves of bread and canned tuna
- a bag of beans, a bag of rice, and tortillas
- pancake mix and syrup
- crackers and almond butter (no peanut butter)

Sharing a Little Cool Breeze

You can help make this summer a more bearable for those less fortunate. If you'd like to bring a new or gently used fan,



please drop it by the church on Sunday or during office hours. Boxed fans are good choices, and relatively inexpensive. The fans will be equally distributed between Meals on Wheels and Caritas as a collaborative effort to support older adults. In some instances, your gift could be life-saving. The high temperature Saturday is predicted to be 102 degrees with a heat index up to 106. Let's help get things off to a cooler start with fans for some of our older adults.

Children's Corner

MissionKids Camp Sign-up Deadline is Today!
 Parents - mark your calendars for MissionKids Camp this summer, June 26-28. This 3-day camp from 9am-noon is for rising kindergartners through completed-6th graders, where we'll have the opportunity to learn about and participate in Lake Shore missions and ministries. Email Claire to sign



Sharlande Sledge Honored by Baptist Women in Ministry

Pam Durso, Executive Director of Baptist Women in Ministry, wrote this week: "Baptist Women in Ministry is pleased to present its 2018 Frankie Huff Granger Distinguished Mentoring Award to Sharlande Sledge, Associate Pastor of Lake Shore Baptist Church in Waco, Texas, for her many years of encouraging and nurturing the gifts and leadership of children, college and seminary students, lay members, and young ministers.



The award will be presented at the BWIM Annual Gathering on Wednesday, June 13, at Wilshire Baptist Church, Dallas, Texas."

"The awards Baptist Women in Ministry presents each year are an affirmation of the recipients but are also an acknowledgment of the unique gifts, voices, and strengths of the thousands of women who currently serve and minister in Baptist life," Durso said. "God is using gifted women to advance the work of the gospel in communities large and small."

Celebrations...

Emily Hunt Hinojosa successfully defended her dissertation, on Monday in the department of Sociology at Baylor.

Barbara and Barry Francis are grandparents for the first time. Their grandson, Jacob Daniel, was born Tuesday morning to Todd and Amy Francis at Memorial Hermann Hospital in Sugar Land.



Kaitlin Wilson completed her studies at Waco High in 2017. She walked across the stage at graduation last Saturday with the 2018 class. Since August 2017, Kaitlin has been studying at Blinn College in Bryan.



Prayer Concerns

Sandy Londos, who is with her sister, Carla Butler, in Florida. We pray for Carla's peace and calmness. Her address is P. O. Box 5785, Sarasota, FL 34277.

Sakina and Aaron Dixon, whose daughter, Josephine Maya, was born May 28. You can sign up to be part of the Meal Train for their family by [clicking here](#).

Ron Beal and Claudia Beal, who are grateful for a good visit today, Wednesday, at Ron's surgeon

Lesley, Nate, Ford, and Hasley Myrick, who are in Canada with Lesley's dad. Our prayers are with them during this difficult time.

Rita Joseph, who is at home, recovering from her latest hospitalization.

Flo Wise is in rehab at St. Catherine's and is doing well.



Ice Cream Social

Sunday, June 24

6:30 p.m. until the sun goes down

On the front lawn of the church – so you'll need to bring a lawn chair.

Sign up in the hall or call the office if you plan to bring a freezer of homemade ice cream. We need at least 12.

Children, wear swimsuits to play in the sprinklers!

Committee Corner

When each of us first came to Lake Shore, hopefully we were drawn to the church, at least in part, by a sense of being a church family. In that spirit, the Fellowship Committee is the group of church members who work throughout the year to find ways to join in community with each other, so that all of us---young and old, new members and old timers, and everyone in between-- can have opportunities to get together to share our time, our stories, and even bowls of homemade ice cream. Some of the events that have become part of our tapestry are the Ice Cream Social at the Fields' farm, after church lunches of fried chicken and fixings, and the annual Christmas Open House.

The Fellowship Committee is always looking for friendly folks who enjoy planning such get-togethers. At present 12 of our members on the committee: Preston Dyer, Genie Dyer, Henry Kari, David Mosley, Patty Field, Joan Rectenwald, Louise Powell, Gayle Avant, Willie Field, Karyn Miller, Jenna Swanson, and Laurel Zeiss.

WANTED:

STORIES ABOUT THE CLASSROOM

Do you, or someone you know have a story about a class you taught or took?

Pitch it to Zach for the July storytelling fundraiser! Proceeds go to scholarships for our Truett students.

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
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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

CALENDAR

Sunday, June 10

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

Tuesday, June 12

3:00—Staff Meeting

Wednesday, June 13

No Activities

Missions Calendar

Meals on Wheels

Every Monday, Wednesday, Friday

Children's Center

Monday-Friday, 7:15-5:30

Carver Park Baptist, Food Pantry

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

Children's Center Reading Time

June 21, July 23

Volunteers for Sunday, June 10

Extended Care: Jenna Swanson
 Ushers: Isabelle Murphy
 Andy Powell

Staff Notes

Kyndall will be out this Sunday, June 10.
 Kyndall, Sharlande, Zach, and Claire will
 be at the CBF meeting in Dallas next
 Wednesday-Friday.
 Sharlande will also be out Monday-
 Tuesday.

Bad Friends & Monsters

by Ashley Thornton and
 her good friends

Ashley Thornton and the
 Art Club from J. H. Hines
 Elementary School pub-
 lished a book togeth-
 er. It's called *Bad Friends
 & Monsters* and it contains
 two silly stories ("The Bad
 Friends" and "Don't Eat
 Me, Monster?") that use
 first grade sight
 words. Ashley wrote the
 stories and the students in
 the art club provided the
 illustrations.

The few remaining
 books are available for sale
 at church for \$10. Pro-
 ceeds benefit the J. H.
 Hines Elementary School
 Art Club.



WEEKLY YOUTH UPDATE

ABRIDGED

Wednesday 6/6

Dinner, but no formal youth activities!

Sunday - 6/10

9:30am - Youth Sunday School
 12-2pm - Youth Lunch Meeting to discuss
 camp and check in

No evening youth meeting!

June 17-22nd - SWBYC

Parents, please remember to submit the
 medical release forms, conduct agreements,
 and waivers for camp!

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

Gordon Lawrence will be painting the sanctuary
 starting June 13. There will be no Wednesday night
 activities until July 11. Sunday services will stay the
 same.

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 \$12,464.00.

<u>Year to date needs</u>	<u>Year to date received</u>	<u>Difference</u>
\$216,192.24	\$168,686.89	(\$47,505.35)

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