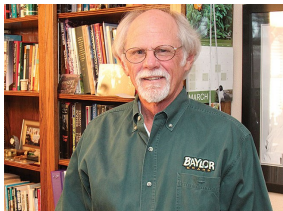


LAKE SHORELINES

October 3, 2018



John Wood, author of **Beyond the Ballpark**

Wednesday night seminar
October 10 — 6:15

Dr. John A. Wood, retired professor
of Christian ethics in the Department

of Religion at Baylor, will talk to us next Wednesday night about his life-long love of baseball and visits not only to all major league ballparks, but also to the graves of all the Hall of Famers and other baseball notables. The result is *Beyond the Ballpark: The Honorable, Immoral, and Eccentric Lives of Baseball Legends*, “a fascinating book that reflects both Wood’s love of the national pastime of baseball and his insights into human nature, drawn from a life spent in the study of ethics, philosophy, and the Christian faith.” (Bob Darden, *The Wacoan*)

After visiting each grave, he researched the player’s life, both on and off the diamond. Ultimately, Wood said his quest was a search for the essence of three characters of the baseball stars he had grown up idolizing. “I wanted to get their personality as best I could,” he said. He says he was trying to figure out life beyond the diamond. “Maybe I knew they’d had a hard life or things didn’t work out. Some have tragic stories, young men who died young, or may never got their lives together after baseball.”

“I like to write,” John says. “I thought, ‘what better thing to do than to combine my professional interest in ethics with my love for baseball?’” I’m intrigued by human nature. I read a lot of biographies . . . because I’m intrigued by how we turn out like we do.”

Spanish Class

In an effort to better love our neighbors by learning their language, Lake Shore is offering Spanish classes on Monday evenings, 5:30pm beginning October 8. Dr. Fred Loa will be teaching a beginner’s Spanish class to Lake Shore! Fred is a retired Spanish class professor from Baylor. He participated several times with Owen and Laura Lind in their programs in Mexico teaching English to Mexican science students. His experience is not only in the classroom but also in Mexican culture, in the markets, streets and restaurants. He is an engaging dynamic and enthusiastic teacher! Come and join us for un poco de conversación. In preparation for class, we ask that you purchase the book Madrigal’s Magic Key to Spanish, by Margarita Madrigal. You can find it on Amazon. (It won’t be necessary to have the book for the first class.)

Worship at Lake Shore The Twentieth Sunday after Pentecost



*A woman winnowing wheat at the beginning
of the harvesting season outside Katmandu, Nepal.*

World Communion Sunday

October 7, 2018

Sermon

Kyndall Rothaus

The Scripture

Mark 10:13-16

Celebration of Communion

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 the Carver Park food pantry. They are asking for canned fruit and fruit juice.



3 FEET OR SO

Lake Shore Baptist Church

On Saturday morning, 95 or so Lake Shore adults, youth, and children went into the city, strengthened by tacos and ee and the good company of sisters and brothers in Christ, all ready to serve our neighbors. God's children of every age did every kind of job, from working in the World Hunger's Farm's garden to packaging dog and cat food for Meals on Wheels to cleaning The Gospel Café, to planting flowers and painting at The Cove. They were also busy at work at Talitha Koum, Habitat for Humanity, Lake Shore Baptist Children's Center, Family Abuse, and the Salvation Army. Thanks to the group leaders whose leadership helped everyone realize the importance of their particular role: Louise Powell, Rick Allen, Jen Bronson, Katy and Aaron Able, Martie Sauter, Patty Field, Chris Williamson, Gail

Boyd/Pat Stone, Sakina Dixon. With a grateful heart to God for the good spirit everyone brought to the morning and carried into the city.

Sharlande



The Gift of Music

On Sunday our choir sang the beautiful contemplative hymn of reassurance "Cry No More" after the sermon. The lyrics were written by Johanna Anderson; the music, by Dan Forrest. The words "Christ within us, Christ among us, Christ the first and Christ the last" resonates with quiet strength throughout.

In the shadow where linger,
in this darkness we call home,
Where the sighs are deep and doubtful
And our aspirations groan,
All is not in vain, Beloved,
Our travail is not unknown.

*Christ within us, Christ among us,
Christ the first and Christ the last;
Love Incarnate, hold Your children
Till the storm of life is past.*

Though we have not faith to seek Him,
Christ Himself will draw us near,
Deep, abiding rays of mercy
Cast their light on only fear.
Cry no more, ye poor and weary,
Our redeeming Lord is here.

*Christ within us, Christ among us,
Christ the first and Christ the last;
Love Incarnate, hold Your children
Till the storm of life is past.*

Sure defender, never failing,
Radiant Savior, Holy Friend,
Gift of glory, Hope of heaven,
call us now to faith again!
Alleluia! Blest compassion,
Grace is shining without end!

*Christ within us, Christ among us,
Christ the first and Christ the last;
Love Incarnate, hold Your children
Till the storm of life is past.*

Children's Corner

Parenting in Light of the News

The news has been full of conversation in recent days about sexual assault, harassment, and boys being boys. As parents, many of us are concerned about how to translate our feelings about this debate into meaningful interactions with our kids. No matter where we land on the particulars of any one allegation of sexual misconduct/harassment/assault, it is tragically and undeniably true that this is a real and pervasive problem in every sector of our society. How do we intentionally raise children - boys and girls alike - who will demonstrate respect for all people, in both public and private spaces?

There are many folks weighing in on this discussion, but one great resource I wanted to share is a PDF that includes links to six different resources on how to raise feminist boys - and by feminist they just mean they hold the belief that all people should be treated equally regardless of gender! Of course the content can be applied to raising feminist girls too. I hope you'll peruse at least one of them and share your thoughts with another parent! Let's keep the conversation going.

View the PDF resource here: <https://bit.ly/2RnyWuj>

Celebrations...

TJ Geiger's mother, Barbara Geiger, celebrated her retirement this week after a lifetime spent providing healthcare services in small Texas towns and rural areas. She lives in Kingsland, Texas.

Prayers for . . .

Faith Kopplin, as she travels to Appleton, Wisconsin, this weekend to meet her family as they inter Dave's ashes in the city where he grew up.

Linda Olson, who is at home until she goes to Dallas on October 10 for a consultation about her upcoming surgery. She welcomes calls and visits.

Prudencia and David Tonghou, as they look forward to the birth of their first son.

Barbara Tucker, whose ten-year-old dog, Carson, died suddenly on Friday. He had not been sick or had any known problems.

Dale Allen, who was on the Management faculty at Baylor for many years. His house in Woodway burned to the ground on September 12. He was rescued from the fire and care-flighted to Parkland in Dallas where he continues in ICU to this day. His burns are healing, but damage to his lungs from inhalation of soot is a bigger problem, along with continuing emotional trauma to himself and his family.

"UNITY IN OUR DIFFERENCES: HOW COMMITMENT TO RELIGIOUS LIBERTY FOR ALL CAN PROVIDE A WAY FORWARD"

Amanda Tyler

Amanda Tyler is executive director of the Baptist Joint Committee for Religious Liberty. She leads the organization as it upholds the historic Baptist principle of religious liberty, defending the free exercise of religion and protecting against its establishment by government. She recently was named to The Non Profit Times Power & Influence Top 50 List.



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**OCTOBER 9, 2018
3:30 P.M.
MILLER CHAPEL**

Fiber Art Group

October 13, 10:00 a.m.

Seven were at our last meeting. Several more have expressed an interest. Several brought projects and worked while we talked. Ideas were flowing. We discussed, learning to crochet, hand quilting, knitting, even the possibility of setting up a sewing corner with machines and appropriate equipment in the Art Room. Please come join us the second Saturday of each month. We can learn new skills, work on existing projects, and, most importantly, enjoy good company. — *For information, contact Patty Field.*



Children's Center Reading Time

"Great beginnings are forever!" Join us as we continue to celebrate the 50th Anniversary of our Children's Center. Volunteer to read to preschoolers this fall. You may choose to read to one of 7 classes of children, ranging in age from 6 weeks-5 years. Teachers will be in the room to help things run smoothly. If you have a favorite children's book to share, please bring it. Wonderful children's books are available in the church library, and a basket of books will be available in the Children's Center Office. This is a fun way for us to celebrate and support the Children's Center. Thank you for volunteering during September through December! You can sign up [here](#), or contact Katy Abel for more information. All times will be 9:30-10:00 October 23, November 29, December 12.

—*Children's Center Board*



Ian Johnson, author of **The Souls of China:**

The Return of Religion After Mao

Wednesday, October 3, 3:30 p.m.

Mars McLean Science Building 101

Pulitzer Prize winning journalist Ian Johnson has spent nearly twenty years in China, reporting and writing on the country's society, religion, and history. His most recent book, *The Souls of China: The Return of Religion After Mao*, is a critically acclaimed and engrossing look at the resurgence of diverse faith practices in China after years of religious persecution. In his talk, Johnson will speak about this remarkable explosion of faith and the uncertainties over how to lead a moral life in contemporary China. *With our friends Brittany and Casey in China, we hope you will attend Ian Johnson's lecture to learn more about their context for ministry.*

Our Church Staff

Louis Garcia, Custodian
 Sheena Gibbons, Pianist/Organist
 Claire Helton, Minister to Children
 Zachary Helton, Minister to Youth
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RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

CALENDAR

Sunday, October 7

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

Tuesday, October 9

3:00—Staff Meeting

Wednesday, October 10

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

Wednesday night supper October 10

Meatloaf and red potatoes
 children, \$3.00
 youth & adults, \$6.00

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

Staff Notes

Sharlande is out for PTO
 and continuing
 education time until
 October 10.
 Zach and Claire are out
 October 4-13.

Missions Calendar

Meals on Wheels

Monday, Wednesday,
 Friday — 10:30

Children's Center

Monday-Friday, 7:15-5:30

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Reading Times

October 23, November

29, December 12

Women's Bible Study

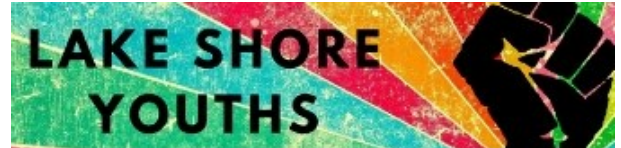
Tuesday, October 9,
 10:00 AM
 Please come!

Volunteers for

Sunday, October 7

Extended Care: Abigail Freiberger
 Ushers: Barbara Hobbs
 Willie Hobbs

Save the Date: October 21



Sunday - 10/7

9:30am - "Time Well Wasted" in the annex
 5-7pm - Youth bowling night at AMF!

Wednesday - 10/4

5:15pm - Dinner in the sanctuary
 No youth activities or seminar

Upcoming

10/19 - Company of Parents

10/26-28 - Fall Retreat in San Antonio

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



Oct 13, 11-4:00

Festival family-friendly event at Brazos Park East
 celebrating Waco's LGBTQ community and fea-
 turing live performances, food trucks, vendors,
 children's entertainment, and community.

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 \$6,920.

Year to date needs
 \$383,249.88

Year to date received
 \$304,941.23

Difference
 (\$78,308.65)

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