October 2, 2019

# Jeremy Everett, Preaching This Sunday

Jeremy Everett is the founder and executive director of the Texas Hunger Initiative (THI), a capacity-building, anti-hunger project within Baylor University. THI partners with federal and state agencies, and numerous faith - and community-based organizations to develop and implement strategies to alleviate hunger through research, policy analysis, education, and



community organizing. On Monday Baylor announced the launch of the Baylor Collaborative on Hunger and Poverty. The Collaborative will encompass the Texas Hunger Initiative and include the same team led by Everett to implement hunger programs in Texas and beyond and to conduct hunger and poverty research from the local to the global perspective.

Through THI's regional offices, staff members and researchers have assisted local community efforts increasing hundreds of millions of additional meals to Texans since 2009. Prior to THI, Jeremy worked for international and community development organizations as a teacher, religious leader, community organizer, and organic farmer. He frequently delivers presentations to churches, non-profit organizations, universities, and the government sector about hunger and poverty.

Jeremy earned a bachelor's degree from Samford University and a Master of Divinity from Baylor University. Jeremy is a Next Generation Fellow of the University of Texas LBJ School's Strauss Center for International Security and Law, a Senior Fellow with World Hunger Relief, Inc., and was appointed by U.S. Congress to serve on the National Commission on Hunger.

Jeremy is the author of I Was Hungry: Cultivating Common Ground to End an American Crisis, a contributing author in Food and Poverty: Food Insecurity and Food Sovereignty Among America's Poor (Vanderbilt University Press) and The End of Hunger: How Science, Religion, and Politics Can Work Together to Make Possible (InterVarsity Press).

Jeremy is married to Amy Miley Everett. They have three sons: Lucas, Sam, and Wyatt.

Worship at Lake Shore The Seventeenth Sunday of Pentecost World Communion Sunday

> The Worship of God October 6, 2019

> > **Sermon** Jeremy Everett

The Scripture *Matthew 25:31-46* 

# **Called Business Meeting**

Wednesday, October 2 6:15 pm

• to vote on the recommendation of the Music Search Committee to call Jon Snyder as Director of Music

### Jeremy Everett in Sunday School October 6 at 9:30 a.m. Ashley Thornton will guide the discussion.

All adult classes are invited to meet this Sunday in the Bereshith class Sunday School room to hear Jeremy talk about his new book, his calling to the ideas of hunger and poverty, the low-income neighborhoods he lived in, in North Waco and in

San Antonio, and the impetus for the Texas Hunger Initiative's changing its name to The Baylor Collaborative for Hunger and Poverty.



I can't change the whole world, but I can change the world I know what's within three feet or so.

*—Carrie Newcomer* 

# Saturday, October 5

8:00 breakfast tacos at Lake Shore8:30 worship at Lake Shore8:45 teams move into the city to work

The gift of the work of your hands at any of these places will help get projects done that they don't have time to do in their regular hours. A team of helpful folks is a real bonus to them.

# We will help these people/places:

Meals on Wheels Habitat for Humanity Lake Shore Baptist Children's Center Talitha Koum Sally's House (Salvation Army) Faith Family Worship Center (food pantry) Homebound Friends from Lake Shore

Sign up in the hall or in the office to be on one of the teams. Contact Sharlande for more info.

# A place for everyone! Where will you spend a few hours?

Sign up in the hall. More info: sharlande@lsbcwaco.org

#### Lake Shore Baptist Children's Center

Cleaning up playground and making improvements, inside and out

### Habitat for Humanity

working at building site or Re-Store

## Talitha Koum

Helping paint a mural in the playground area

### Sally's House (Salvation Army)

Helping take out old beds and put new beds together, all the way to putting on the sheets

#### Meals on Wheels

Packaging dog food and cat food for Meals on Wheels clients who need it for their pets

## Faith Family Worship Center

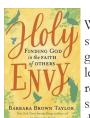
Helping with the ministries church that are vital to the Waco community — clothes closet, food pantry, children's center

## Good Morning, Lake Shore!

Baking and taking Lake Shore's love to some of our members who need a visit

The teams at Habitat, Talitha Koum, Salvation Army, and Faith Family can each use at least four more team members. Can you help on Saturday?

#### **"Finding God in the Faith of Others"** October 9, 16



Bob Baird is teaching this 4-week Wednesday evening seminar that will explore such questions as: Is God revealed in all the great world religions? What can Christianity learn from other religions? What can other religions learn from Christianity? How similar are the great world religions? How different?

The discussion sessions are guided by the insights of Barbara Brown Taylor in her recent book, *Holy Envy*. It is not necessary to have read the book in order to participate. Anyone interested in the interaction of Christianity and other world religions is invited.

# Family Corner

During the "Discover Lake Shore" lunch this past Sunday, Megan said, "Tithing is more than just donating money. Tithing is also donating time. We are in big need of volunteers for teaching youth Sunday School and working the nursery. We are blessed with new families visiting and joining. We also need to make sure we provide the care they need.

Please reach out and let Megan know if you can tithe some of your time.

Parents of youth, if you have not signed up to deliver a meal, please do so. If we want to continue eating together then we need help from you.



Casey, Brittany, Juniper, and Finnley Ramirez will be here at Lake Shore October 23 to talk about their home in China. Above, they are pictured at Casey's parents' home in Duncanville. Finnley will be almost five weeks old. Come to the seminar at 6:15 that night to meet Finnley and to hear about China.



Each year the Waco Pride Network hosts the Out on Brazos festival to celebrate the LGBTQ community and its allies in the Greater Waco area.

This year the event is Oct. 12 at Brazos Park East. Gates open at 11am. The event will end around 5pm. Come check out Lake Shore's booth!

#### Celebrations...

We are so grateful for Georgia Brady, Pat Farrell, and Angela Whorton who are helping Joan fix Wednesday night supper tonight while Victoria is out.

#### Prayer Concerns...

David Hendon's oldest sister, Jean Carson, has very serious problems with COPD and congestive heart failure. She lives in Georgia.

- Terri Jo Mosley's latest MRI shows that she has a broken leg; the break is very close to the break that she had in a car accident months ago. She's probably looking at surgery; meanwhile she needs to continue to work.
- Cindy Oates' father had open heart surgery in San Angelo on Monday. Cindy is the director of Lake Shore Baptist Children's Center.
- Missy Davis is slowly progressing. Please keep JoLeen and Missy in your prayers day by day.

Jeff Davies will have back surgery next Wednesday, October 9.

Conway, Melanie, and Becca Briscoe

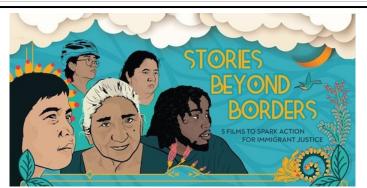
Robin and Doug McDurham

Sherry Castello and her daughter, Laurie. Laurie is in hospice care Kelly Hill's father-in-law, Dean Morrison, (Kelly is Beverly and

Dennis Hill's daughter) was air-lifted to a Plano hospital this week as a result of a closed head injury. Prayers for the family as they wait for the next plan.

Virginia Reichenbach, a member of The Delaney Sunday school class, was admitted to St. Catherine's for heart issues and rehab.

Ashley Thornton's step-father, Weylon McDonald, died in Baytown last week. His service will be tomorrow.



#### hosted by Working Films and Waco Immigrants Alliance **Tuesday, October 22, at Waco Hippodrome**

At a moment when the rights of immigrants are being attacked, a fuller story of immigration needs to be told to address the harms perpetuated by immigration enforcement practices and policies that extend beyond the crisis at the border. Whether it's through raids, people being picked up at courthouses, or being forced to live in churches, families are being separated and attacked across America.

You're invited to *Stories Beyond Borders*, five short films that show a more complete picture of the attacks on immigrant families and communities. Beyond building empathy, these films lift up real stories of resilience and strength, while illustrating some of the ways people can give their time, energy, and resources to support organizing led by immigrant communities.

Join us for this screening & discussion to learn more and find out how you can stand up against these attacks. This event is hosted Waco Immigrants Alliance and Working Films.

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Our Church Staff Louis Garcia, Custodian Sheena Gibbons, Pianist/Organist Megan Grant, Minister to Youth, Children, and Families Gordon Lawrence, Maintenance Manager Cindy Oates, Director of LSBCC Krysta Pittman, Office Manager Sharlande Sledge, Associate Pastor

#### CALENDAR

Sunday, October 6

9:30—Sunday School 10:45—Worship 3:00—Newsletter Deadline 4:00—Soulfriends *Wednesday, October 9* 5:15—Supper 6:15—Children's Activities 6:15—Seminar 7:15—Choir Rehearsal

#### Volunteers for Sunday, October 6

Extended Care: Ushers:

Greeters:

#### Wednesday night supper October 9, 2019

Meatloaf, New Potatoes, Peas, Bread

children, \$3.00 youth & adults, \$6.00 Write Krysta@lsbcwaco.org by Sunday noon to add or cancel reservations.

# **Missions Calendar**

Meals on Wheels Every Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 10:00 Children's Center Monday-Friday, 7:15-5:30 Carver Park Food Pantry Friday at 11:00 Three Feet or So... Saturday, October 5 8:00-noon (see page 2)

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Sunday School Classes

Emily Hinojosa

Beth Raymond Mike Raymond

Patty Field Sandy Londos

Staff News

Initiative.

This week Sharlande

the hunger summit at

Baylor, sponsored by Texas Hunger

will attend a portion of

An evening with CARRIE NEWCOMER and pianist Gary Walters

Saturday, October 19, 2019, 7:00pm Lake Shore Baptist Church Tickets: \$25, purchased by cash or check in the church office or online at Eventbrite.com

We're giving Lake Shore members a chance to purchase tickets before we go to the general public next week, and we expect it to sell out quickly – so don't wait! Carrie Newcomer has released 17 albums, has been featured in Rolling Stone ,and earned a regional Emmy for a PBS special. Her song, "The Gathering of Spirits" (see it on YouTube) is a good introduction.