

PRAYER & PRAISE

If you would like information about joining Sugar Land Baptist Church, visit the Next Steps table in the Trinity Café.

After today's worship service, our prayer team is available to pray with you for any need. Visit the Prayer Room located outside the Sanctuary doors nearest the piano.

PRAYER REQUESTS sheets are at the Welcome Centers. Email Beth Runnels (brunnels@sugarlandbaptist.org) to add or update a prayer request.

WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP DINNER

- September 19** - Apricot Chicken & Green Beans

Cost of meals is \$6 for Adults and \$3 for Children. **PLEASE RSVP** (281.980.4431) by noon on Tuesday, September 18, to make sure we have enough food for everyone.

FLOWERS in the Sanctuary are given in celebration of **Steve Titch & Sharon Watson's** 30th wedding anniversary.

JULIE ZIMMERMAN'S RETIREMENT

Sugar Land Baptist is so grateful for *Julie Zimmerman's* faithful 15 years of service as our Children's Ministry Associate. A reception in her honor will be held Sunday, **October 7, 11am-12:30pm** in the Trinity Café. You may pick up a list of Julie's favorite things at one of our Welcome Centers if you would like to contribute to a gift basket for her. Notes and cards with special memories will also be accepted.

Connecting with
God

Worship on Sunday at 9:45am

Connecting with
Each Other

Participate in Adult Bible Fellowship

Connecting with
The World

Give and Serve in Ministry

TITHES & OFFERINGS

September 9, 2018
Fiscal Year April 1, 2018 - March 31, 2019
Annual Budget: \$3,537,203

MINISTRIES SUPPORT

YTD Budget Expenses: \$1,615,245
YTD Actual Expenses: \$1,313,613
YTD Receipts: \$1,428,616
Last Week's Receipts: \$77,694
Weekly Needs: \$68,023

FACILITIES SUPPORT

Building Debt as of 9/14/18: \$3,114,945
YTD Building Receipts: \$32,741

MISSIONS SUPPORT

Budgeted Missions: \$260,000
YTD Designated Missions Giving: \$37,684
Total Missions: \$297,684

VISION 2020: IMAGINE

Revised Vision 2020 Goal: \$5,000,000
Total Vision 2020 Receipts: \$1,874,720

Giving to the regular Ministries Budget is currently \$186,629 under planned expenses and \$115,003 over actual expenses.

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SERMON NOTES

A Place Where You Can Contribute
Luke 9:1-6



Connecting with God, Each Other & The World

"Come Into His Presence"
THEE Band

"So I Praise You"
Sanctuary Choir

Welcome Pastor Taylor

"Speak, O Lord" with
Reading from Psalm 119
Congregation

First Grade Bible Presentation

"O Word of God Incarnate"
Congregation

A Place Where You Can Contribute
Luke 9:1-6
Pastor Taylor

"I Am Thine, O Lord"
Congregation

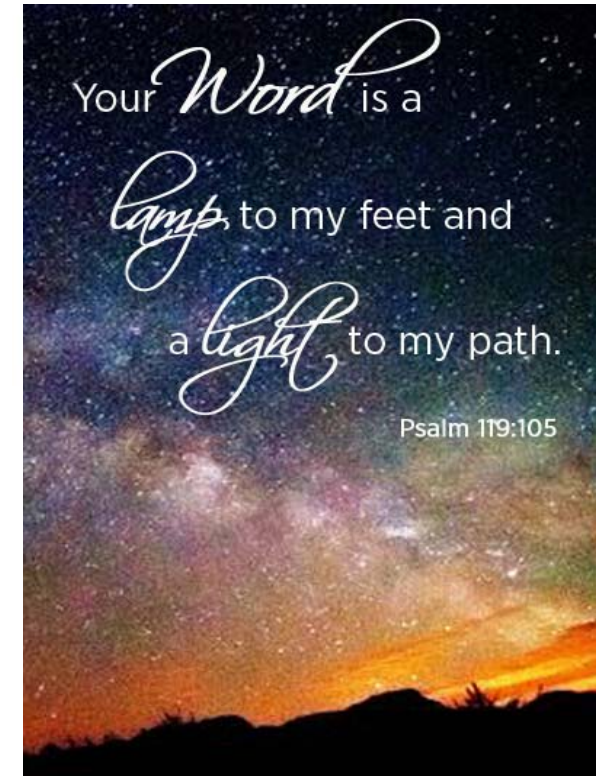
Offertory Prayer Holly Rose

"Blessed Assurance"
THEE Band

"I Am Thine, O Lord"
Congregation

Postlude James Stovall

Children will remain in Worship



Welcome!

If you are visiting today, please complete the Connection card in the pew rack in front of you and place it in the offering plate, or bring it to the Trinity Café at the end of the service. Assisted listening devices are available in the main foyer at the chandelier.

HIGHLIGHTS

PNO Parents Night Out

September 21, 6-9pm
for infants through grade 5

Cost is \$12 for first child; \$8 for all additional children in same family. Register at sugarlandbaptist.org. Deadline to register is Monday, September 17.

YOUTH SMALL GROUPS

Small group Bible studies for students in grades 7-12 meet Sundays from 4-5:30pm!

- **Ichthus** Middle School Boys Bible Study at the Gardoni's, 5018 Weatherstone Cir, SL
- **Grace** Middle School & High School Girls Bible Study at the Gaston's, 3315 Oak Tree Ct, SL
- **Fidelis** High School Boys Bible Study at the Ohashi's, 8018 Cedar Hawk Ln, Richmond

Save the Date!

FALL FUN FEST

October 28

3-6pm

Bags of individually wrapped candy

will be collected at the church office beginning September 23.

MISSIONS

ALASKA YOUTH FAMILY MISSION TRIP - A meeting for students and their parents who are interested in a mission trip to Alaska July 9-16, 2019, will be Sunday, **September 23, 12pm** in room 302. For information, contact Alena Vaughn (avaughn@sugarlandbaptist.org) or Katie Mussat (kmussat@sugarlandbaptist.org).

OUTRUN HUNGER 5K FAMILY WALK/RUN is Saturday, **September 29**, in the Harvest Green neighborhood. Kids Run begins at **8:30am**; Family 5K begins at **9am**. Cost is \$15 for ages 4-12 and \$25 for ages 13 and over. Run benefits East Fort Bend Human Needs Ministry. Register at signmeup.com/outrunhunger5k. To run with the SLBC team, contact Davey Gibson (dgibson@sugarlandbaptist.org).

SECOND MILE CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT is Monday, **October 8, 12pm**. Enjoy a day on the green, while helping ensure food, health care, financial education and more are available to your neighbors in need. Register online at secondmile.org.

COMPASSION INTERNATIONAL LETTER WRITING LUNCH is Sunday, **October 21, 12pm**. All ages are invited to help write letters to Compassion children. Watch for details!

RECREATION

UPWARD BASKETBALL AND CHEER - Registration for children in grades 1-6 is now open at sugarlandbaptist.org/upward-sports. Early registration cost is \$105 per child through **October 30** and includes basketball shorts for basketball players or cheerleading mock turtlenecks for cheerleaders. Games begin on Saturdays in January, 2019. For more information, email upward@sugarlandbaptist.org.

YOUTH

YOUTH GROUP meets **Wednesdays, 6pm** on the 3rd floor for all students entering grades 7-12. Games. Worship. Bible Study. Bring friends!

ADULTS

WORKING MOMS - Working mothers of preschool and school-aged children are invited to our bi-weekly meetings **Wednesdays, 6pm** in room 219. Childcare or activities provided for children. The next meeting will be **September 26**.

SEWING DAYS - Seamstresses are needed to help make Bible times costumes for Christmas. We will meet in room 107, **Mondays, 9am-12pm, through October 29**. Childcare available by reservation. Email Amy Sims (asims@sugarlandbaptist.org) for more information.

GROUND & ROOTS meets **Wednesdays, 6pm** in room 236. Join Alena Vaughn for this discussion group about current cultural topics and how they relate to the Christian life.

FINANCIAL PEACE UNIVERSITY meets **Wednesdays, 6pm** in room 222. Class incorporates small group discussions that help encourage accountability and discipleship. Cost is \$95 per family.

WOMEN'S MINISTRY BUNCO NIGHT - Thursday, **September 20, 6-8pm** in the Trinity Cafe. Childcare available by reservation. Appetizers and desserts included. Bring a friend or two. For more information, email women@sugarlandbaptist.org.

GRIEF SHARE - GriefShare is a friendly, caring group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences. You don't have to go through the grieving process alone. Group led by Leslie McKee and Chris Nagel begins Wednesday, **September 26, 6pm** in room 220. Email Davey Gibson (dgibson@sugarlandbaptist.org) for more information.

MEN'S MINISTRY BOOKS & BURGERS - Sunday, **September 30, 5pm**, Trinity Café. Book will be *"A Long Obedience in the Same Direction: Discipleship in an Instant Society"* by Eugene Peterson. Contact Davey Gibson (dgibson@sugarlandbaptist.org) for a book or for more information.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY meets **Thursdays, 6pm** in the Grooms Room. Join leader Corey Byrnes for this study on *"Jesus Among Secular Gods - The Questions of Culture and the Invitation of Christ."*

PRESCHOOL & CHILDREN

GRADE SCHOOL FELLOWSHIPS for Kindergarten - Grade 4 will be in the Gym following Sunday School from **12-1:30pm**.

- **Kindergarten Carnival** is Sunday, **September 23**
- **1st Grade Backwards Party** is Sunday, **October 21**
- **2nd & 3rd Grade 50's Party** is Sunday, **October 14**
- **4th Grade Luau** is Sunday, **September 30**



THIS WEEK AT SLBC

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

8:15am Grace Chinese Children's Program (301)
8:30am Bible Study*
9:00am Grace Chinese Worship (302)
9:45am Worship*
11:05am Bible Study*
12:00pm First Grade Bible Day Lunch (Gym)
Disciples ABF Class Lunch (202)
4:00pm Ichthus Middle School Boys Bible Study at the Gardoni's, 5018 Weatherstone Cir, SL
Grace Middle School & High School Girls Bible Study at the Gaston's, 3315 Oak Tree Ct, SL
Fidelis High School Boys Bible Study at the Ohashi's, 8018 Cedar Hawk Ln, Richmond
6:00pm Agape Church Service (307)

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

9:00am Sewing Day (107)
12:00pm Friends of Bill (236)
6:30pm Women in The Word (222)

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

12:00pm Friends of Bill (236)

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

9:30am Women in The Word Bible Studies**
Silvertones Rehearsal (107)
10:30am Grace Chinese Bible Study (208)
12:00pm Friends of Bill (236)
5:00pm Fellowship Dinner (Main St)
6:00pm Children's Choir (2nd floor)
Youth Group (302)
Business Meeting* (107)
Pastor's Bible Study* (107)
Financial Peace* (222)
Grounds & Roots* (236)
Finance Committee (Ofc Conf Rm)
7:00pm Grace Chinese Carmel Fellowship (211)
Man Up Podcast (230)
Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal* (Gym)

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

7:00am Men's Bible Study (Trinity Café)
12:00pm Friends of Bill (236)
6:00pm Men's Bible Study (Grooms Rm)
Women's Ministry Bunco Night (Trinity Café)

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

9:00am Mothers of Preschoolers** (302)
12:00pm Friends of Bill (236)
6:00pm Parents Night Out**

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

3:00pm Silvertones Concert (Gym)

* Childcare provided ** Childcare by reservation
Visit sugarlandbaptist.org for more information