THE Vision

SHILOH TERRACE
BAPTIST CHURCH

LOVE GROW SERVE SHARE

Wednesday, October 31

6:00-8:00 p.m.

FREE Games, Bounce Houses, Popcorn, Cotton Candy and Lots of Fun!
Food Trucks available for food purchase.
Special performance by the Bryan Adams Belles and BAnd!

Volunteers are needed for this very important SHARE event! If you would like to help, please contact Terry Finley at 972.857.9777, X5114.

Candy is needed for our annual Fall Fun Fair. Please place individually wrapped candy without nuts in the black box located in the foyer.

Cakes and Cookies are also needed for our Cake Walk and Preschool Cookie Walk. If you would like to donate cookies or a cake, please bring to the Church Office on October 30 or 31 after 2:00 p.m. If you would like to pre-bag the cookies (3 per baggie), we would greatly appreciate your help.

Shiloh Terrace T-Shirts on sale to use for STBC events!
Purchase your T-Shirt October 14, 21 or 28.
Cost: $10
(Limited quantity. First come, first served)

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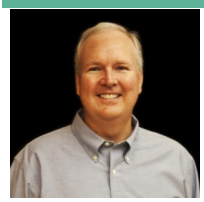
Dear Church Family...



Craig Christina
Senior Pastor

We had a great 62nd Anniversary celebration on Sunday, September 16th! It was so well-received that many people of all ages have asked me about the prospect of combining worship into one, blended service every week. One lady in her 80's said, "It was wonderful! We should do that every Sunday." One of our young ladies said, "I didn't realize how many older women we have in our church. I would love to have an older Christian's influence in my life!" Obviously, we can be stronger and healthier as a congregation together in one service, **BUT ONLY** if it's the Lord's will and our members can be positive and excited about it.

In Deacons' meeting on the 23rd, I asked those present for their feedback. They strongly encouraged me to lead our church in exploring the possibility of combining worship. Therefore, I am taking three steps to begin the process of exploration:

1. A call to prayer: let's pray and ask God to show us His will.
2. A survey: on Sunday morning, October 7 in worship, we will take a brief, anonymous survey to get your input. Please attend.
3. Connection Groups: I will begin visiting our C.G.'s directly to solicit feedback.

One thing is for sure: God has great plans for the future of Shiloh Terrace. Whether or not we combine into one service, we will continue to exalt Jesus and share Jesus as more and more people are connected to Him.

Your servant in Christ, Pastor Craig

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Discipleship Groups

LAUNCHING IN OCTOBER

WHAT IS DISCIPLESHIP?

Disciple literally means a disciplined follower of a master. This is not a casual follower, but someone who has pledged their life to learn what their master knows. We are called to be disciples of our Lord Jesus Christ. Discipleship is not a class. It is not something extra to fill in the weekly schedule or to check off of a list. Discipleship is one-on-one spiritual mentorship for the purpose of spiritual multiplication.

"And the things you have heard me say in the presence of many witnesses entrust to reliable people who will also be qualified to teach others."
2 Timothy 2:2

The message of Jesus Christ must be handed off to reliable, trustworthy, trained disciples with a heart to do the same.

DO YOU DESIRE TO BECOME A DISCIPLE ?

A Discipleship Group is a group of no more than four people that meet for ten sessions to discuss and learn about the ten basic tenants of our faith.

1 - DISCIPLESHIP	6 - TESTIMONY
2 - BIBLE STUDY	7 - THE CHURCH
3 - PRAYER	8 - ACCOUNTABILITY
4 - WORSHIP	9 - WALK
5 - SALVATION	10 - DISCIPLE-MAKING

If you are interested in joining a **DISCIPLESHIP GROUP**, please sign up at the Information Center or contact David Foster at 972.857.9777, X5108.

Shiloh Terrace Baptist Church

IS A multi-ethnic **community connecting people to Christ** BY

LOVING, GROWING, SERVING AND SHARING

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Student Ministry

THE MIX

Wednesdays ~ 6:30-8:00 p.m.

THE MIX is designed specifically for Middle School and High School students. Join us each Wednesday for great worship, games, food, fellowship and to hear God's Word in a special way.

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Children's Ministry

TeamKID
For children 3 years -6th grade
6:30 – 8:00 p.m.
Preschool meets in B129
Kindergarten-6th meets in B273
Bible story, Missions, Games and Snack!

October 10
"Sports Night"
Wear your favorite sports team apparel!

Worship KidStyle!
PreK-2nd Grade
Sundays at 11:00 a.m.
A worship experience for kids!

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Dallas Baptist Association

DBA Annual Celebration
Sunday, October 21
The Heights Baptist Church
201 W. Renner Rd., Richardson 75080

Go to dba.net/annualcelebration for more information.

If you would like to attend as a messenger, contact Judy Isbell at judy@stbc.org or 972.857.9707.

Forever Young

Make plans now to reserve your spot for Forever Young on Friday, October 12 at 10:00 a.m.

Join us for "I Love Lucy" with Marty Ruiz and Rhonda Medina!

Fellowship, entertainment and a home cooked meal for only $5 per person. Sign up at the Information Center, your Connection Group or call the Church Office at 972.857.9707.

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Woman to Woman

State Fair of Texas

Senior Adult Day
at the
State Fair of Texas
October 4

Cost: $5 for bus transportation (Limited seating). Seniors (60 and over) receive free admission. Under 60, bring a 20 oz. empty coke product to receive $9 admission. Sign up by contacting Terry Finley at 972.857.9777, X5114.

Mission Trip

Fall Construction
Mission Trip
October 21-26
Cost: $50

Riverbend
a place of refuge

Riverbend Retreat Center
Glen Rose, Texas

If you are interested in participating in the Construction Mission Trip, please contact Peter Biendit at 214.532.3018 or Bud Cunningham at 972.489.2711.

Celebration

Welcome to STBC!

Teressa Lofton
Bailey McLerran
Melvin Pilgrim
Danny Craver
Sue Craver
Paige King

STBC REPORT

Bible Study Attendance

September 2	406
September 9	439
September 16	454
September 23	430

Worship Attendance

September 2	456
September 9	522
September 16	792
September 23	490

Tithes and Offerings
Thru September 23

General Budget Required
$33,000.00 WEEKLY

Budget Needs YTD:	$1,716,000.00
Budget Receipts YTD:	$1,585,337.20
Budget Expenses YTD:	$1,565,699.73
Designated YTD:	$ 220,400.54

Mission Offerings
Houser Missions - $33,236.95

Capital Campaign
Total to Date: $2,168,855.15

Our Sympathy

The Shiloh Terrace Church Family extends deepest sympathy to:

Bill Sloan, in the loss of his brother, Earl Sloan;
Jan Richardson, in the loss of her brother-in-law, Joe Owen;
Family and friends of Doris Shofner;
Judi Thompson, in the loss of her step-father, Warren Buxton.

Staff Anniversaries

October

Paula Bateman - 3 years

Mid-Week Connection Groups

Beginning in September, we have seven different groups for you to choose:

Sundays:

5:00 p **Young Adults Coed** facilitated by Jorge & Maribel Paz at STBC Corner Café

Mondays:

7:00 p **Young Married Coed** facilitated by Cody & Julia Moseley at the Moseleys' home

Wednesday:

6:30 p **Spanish Ladies** facilitated by Andrea Palmitano at STBC Room A103

6:30 p **Young Adult Coed** facilitated by Norberto Palmitano at STBC in the Parlor

6:30 p **Adults with Kids** at STBC in D148 (Begins September 12)

6:30 p **Spanish Adults Coed** facilitated by Carlos & Diana Cirera at STBC Room A101

Thursday:

7:00 p **Young Singles Coed** facilitated by Derek McLaughlin at Derek & Michelle McLaughlin's home

If you are interested in joining a Mid-Week C-Group, contact David Foster at 972.857.9777, X5108, Norberto Palmitano at X5109, or call the Church Office, 972.857.9707. This is your opportunity to connect with other believers while deepening your faith in God and enjoying a time of fellowship. We hope one of these groups is perfect for you!

***The Vision* newsletter** is available at the Information Desk, on the website, and by email. Copies will continue to be mailed to our homebound members and others by request. Requests can be made to Judy Isbell in the Church Office at 972.857.9777, X5115.

mySTBC

Check out our website: www.stbc.org.
Go to mySTBC, a members only area on our website.
Includes an online calendar and online church directory.

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Shiloh Terrace Baptist Church is a multi-ethnic community connecting people to Christ by loving, growing, serving and sharing.

Phone Directory

Church Office	972-857-9707
Child Development Center	972-857-9703
STBC Prayer Room	972-857-9777x5129
E-mail Address	info@stbc.org

Worship & Bible Study

SUNDAY

8:45 a.m.	Traditional Worship
9:45 a.m.	Sunday School Connection Groups
11:00 a.m.	Contemporary Worship
11:00 a.m.	Servicio en Español

Wednesday Schedule

6:00 p.m.	Adult Bible Study
6:30 p.m.	TeamKID
6:30 p.m.	ESL
6:30 p.m.	Adult Connection Groups
6:30 p.m.	Youth “The Mix”
7:00 p.m.	SOP Adult Choir

Check out our website:
www.stbc.org