

# THE Vision

SHILOH  
BAPTIST



TERRACE  
CHURCH

LOVE

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## Houser MISSIONS OFFERING

**Goal: \$23,000**

The **Houser Missions Offering** provides funding for all of our mission teams: Jerusalem (our community), Judea (our state), Samaria (our country), and the Ends-of-the-Earth. It enables each team to reach out and touch lives in the name of Jesus through a variety of ministries. Our Houser Missions Offering goal for the current fiscal year (October 2020-September 2021) is \$23,000.

During the month of November we will highlight the **Houser Missions Offering**. We ask that you prayerfully consider giving an offering or making a pledge toward our church goal. Your gift will help our teams reach more people with the Good News of Jesus!

Gifts can be given through your regular offering envelopes, online at [stbc.org](http://stbc.org), or by texting "STBC Houser" followed by the amount of your gift to 73256. Pledge cards are available at the Information Center.



**Give Thanks Together  
With Your Family**

**Church Office Closed for  
Thanksgiving**

Thursday and Friday,  
November 26 and 27

NOVEMBER 2020



# SHILOH TERRACE BAPTIST CHURCH



## Dear Church Family...



Dr. Dowell Loftis  
Interim Pastor

### *Giving Thanks In A Pandemic*

Last November we knew nothing of how different the coming year would be. A world-wide pandemic that shut down our daily routines; social unrest not experienced in our lifetimes; and a very contentious election cycle has made 2020 a year many of us would like to forget. We can say a lot about 2020, but normal is not one of them.

But even with everything going on in our world, I am reminded of our God's goodness and faithfulness. Our God is still in control and worthy of our thanksgiving and praise. Psalm 100 tells us we are to "shout for joy" and "worship the Lord with gladness." We are to "enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise." We are to "give thanks to Him and praise His name."

And why are we to do these things? The text tells us because "the Lord is good and His love endures forever; His faithfulness continues through all generations." We know the text is true, but we also do these things because we have personally experienced His faithfulness in our lives.

We can't change a lot about 2020, but we can make this Thanksgiving our best ever! How? By focusing on our Lord's love, goodness, and provision for us. Take time to think about all your blessings and be sure to let your Heavenly Father know just how thankful you are!

See You Sunday!  
Dowell



## Jayne Dough's Pastry and A Prayer

STBC has the opportunity to purchase discounted meals from Jayne Cunningham who supplied us with pastries for our Corner Café in the past. The lunches are available every two weeks on **Thursday**. Cost of a single serving meal is \$3.00 each. (Examples: Lasagna, Fresh Garden Salad, Bread Sticks and Dessert). All pastries in the case are HALF price on pickup days! Breakfast Tacos are \$1 each (Sausage or Bacon, Egg & Cheese). Call the Church Office for the current menu. Place your order by calling, texting or emailing to 972.369.4981 or [jayne@jaynedough.rocks](mailto:jayne@jaynedough.rocks) by **Tuesday AT NOON** of that week.



**November dates:** November 5 & 19. Pickup between 10:00 AM and Noon at STBC at Jayne Dough's Food Truck. [www.pastryandaprayer.com](http://www.pastryandaprayer.com).



## Pastor Search Committee

Continue to pray each day for the following members of our Pastor Search Committee as they seek to find the man God has chosen to be our next Pastor:

David Lemons, Chairman

Annette Biendit

Bud Cunningham

Richard Faling

Mercy Jikong

Matt McLaughlin

Maribel Paz

Jennifer Ingram, Alternate

Terry Moseley, Alternate

If you have a suggestion for the committee, you may use the following email:  
[pastorsearch@stbc.org](mailto:pastorsearch@stbc.org)

**Shiloh Terrace Baptist Church**  
**IS A multi-ethnic community connecting people**  
**to Christ BY**  
**LOVING, GROWING, SERVING AND SHARING**



Growing

## Students

**Connection Groups—Sundays at 9:00 AM**

**Topic: True Story**



In this series, we'll explore the stories of people like Cain and Abel, Elijah, Naomi, Ruth, Esther, and some of the earliest Jesus-followers in order to see that who we are can best be understood in the context of who God is.

**Wednesday Online Prayer Time**

Zoom Meeting - 7:30 AM | Meeting ID: 862 2651 8842 | Passcode: 087144

**House Gathering Fridays @ 6:30 PM**

See Student Section in App for more information



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## Kids & Families

**PROMOTION SUNDAY for all STBC Kids**  
**Sunday, November 1st in 9:00 Connection Groups**



**Worship KidStyle!**  
**PreK-2nd Grade**  
**Sundays at 10:15 a.m.**

A worship experience for kids adding simple "choir" singing and Hand bell skills every other Sunday.



**Wee Worship**  
**Infants-3 years old**  
**Sundays at 10:15 a.m.**

A worship experience for the wee ones in Noah's Nursery.

**1st Grade Bible Presentation**  
**Sunday, November 15th**

**During morning Worship Service - 10:15 AM**

Our new first graders will be presented with a very special Bible for them to practice their new reading skills and learn from God's Word.



## CDC Fundraiser



**Shiloh Terrace**  
**Child Development Center**  
**will sell Butter Braid Pastries through**  
**November 18!**

Apple  
Bavarian Crème w/ Chocolate Icing  
Blueberry Cream Cheese  
Cinnamon  
Plain Cream Cheese  
Strawberry Cream Cheese  
Four Cheese & Herb

**All pastries - \$13 each**  
**Four Cheese and**  
**Herb— \$14 each**

**Contact Paula Bateman**  
**at the CDC, 972.270.9703,**  
**for more information.**





# SHILOH TERRACE BAPTIST CHURCH

## STBC In Church Guidelines

- The church will sanitize the most common points in our building prior to and following each service.
- Hand sanitizer will be made available.
- Ushers will escort our members and guests to their seats to maintain the required social distancing. Families may sit together without spacing.
- When the service is over, ushers will dismiss the congregation by rows to ensure social distancing. Please do not congregate in the foyer or parking lot.
- We will not "pass the plate" for the offering. Giving stations will be made available.
- Please no handshaking or hugging!
- If you are not feeling well or have recently been ill (within the past 14 days), please stay home and worship online.
- The Corner Café will continue to be closed and no food or drink will be allowed.
- STBC Volunteers and members will wear masks as you enter and exit the Worship Center per Dallas County Mask order. Once in your seat and social distanced, you may remove your mask. This will be a different experience from what we're used to, but even in this limited capacity, it will be good to see each other again.

Thank you for your continued prayers and support as we continue to seek God's wisdom in all of these decisions.

- The STBC Staff

## STBC REPORT

### Bible Study Attendance

October 4	130
October 11	191
October 18	190
October 25	191

### Worship Attendance

October 4	Online & In Person
October 11	Online & In Person
October 18	Online & In Person
October 25	Online & In Person

### Tithes and Offerings

Thru October 18, 2020

### General Budget Required

\$30,960.00 WEEKLY

<u>Budget Needs YTD:</u>	\$92,880.00
<u>Budget Receipts YTD:</u>	\$72,182.51
<u>Budget Expenses YTD:</u>	\$71,474.86
<u>Designated YTD:</u>	\$ 5,737.00

### Mission Offerings

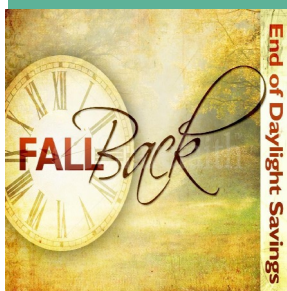
Houser Missions - \$642.00

### Capital Campaign

Total to Date: \$2,447,747.69  
Capital Campaign Debt: \$145,370.00



## Time Change



### Time Change

Don't forget to set  
your clocks  
**BACK** 1 hour on  
Saturday night,  
October 31 before  
retiring for the  
night.



## BGCT Annual Meeting

### Texas Baptists (BGCT) Annual Meeting November 16-17 ~ Virtual

We still have a few slots left for anyone wanting to be a messenger.

Please contact Terry Finley at 972.857.9707 ext. 5114 or [terry@stbc.org](mailto:terry@stbc.org) for more details or to get registered. Each messenger must have a unique device in order to vote during the Business session.

Deadline to sign up is Wednesday, November 11.

## **Our Sympathy**

**The Shiloh Terrace Church Family extends deepest sympathy to:**

Lyn Olds, in the loss of her father, Jerome Zabochnik  
Brandi Moses, in the loss of her mother-in-law, Talina Hernandez  
Family and Friends of Helen Cook

## **Covid-19 Update and Schedule**

We continue to monitor the reports and recommendations from our government and health officials. Our number one concern is and always will be the health and well being of our people and their families. Below is some information to help you stay up-to-date.

**Sunday Worship Service** is at 10:15 a.m. in person in the Worship Center or online at: [stbc.org/live](https://stbc.org/live)  
[facebook.com/shilohterracebaptistchurch/live](https://facebook.com/shilohterracebaptistchurch/live)  
[youtube.com/shilohterracebaptistchurch/live](https://youtube.com/shilohterracebaptistchurch/live)

**Sunday Spanish Worship Service** is at 12:00 noon in person in the Worship Center or online at: [youtube.com/shilohterracebaptistchurch/live](https://youtube.com/shilohterracebaptistchurch/live)

**Wednesday Bible Study** is at 6:00 p.m.  
[stbc.org/live](https://stbc.org/live)  
[stbc.org/daily-devotions](https://stbc.org/daily-devotions)

**Scheduling information** available on:  
Church App – text STBC APP to 77977  
Church Website - [stbc.org](https://stbc.org)  
Church Facebook Page – [facebook.com/shilohterracebaptistchurch](https://facebook.com/shilohterracebaptistchurch)

**Contributions** can be made by:  
Church App: Give tab at the bottom of the screen  
Church Website: [stbc.org](https://stbc.org) – Choose GIVE in the upper right portion of screen  
Mail: 9810 La Prada Dr., Dallas, TX 75228



**The Vision newsletter** is available at the Information Center, 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 Terry Finley in the Church Office at 972.857.9777, X5114.

## **STBC APP**

Get the STBC APP by texting STBC APP to 77977 or go to the APP Store and search Shiloh Terrace.

## **mySTBC**

Check out our website: [www.stbc.org](https://www.stbc.org).







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

## Ministers

<b>Tracy Dophied</b>	Minister to 50+ and Pastoral Care
<b>Donnie Stribble</b>	Minister of Worship
<b>Norberto Palmitano</b>	Minister to Young Adults and Community Ministries
<b>David Foster, Jr.</b>	Minister to Students and Young Adult Discipleship
<b>Joanna Jespersen</b>	Minister to Children and Families
<b>Scott McLaughlin</b>	Church Business Administrator

## Phone Directory

Church Office	972-857-9707
Child Development Center	972-270-9703
E-mail Address	<a href="mailto:info@stbc.org">info@stbc.org</a>

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## Worship & Bible Study

### **Sunday**

9:00 a.m.	Connection Groups
10:15 a.m.	Worship Service
12:00 p.m.	Servicio en Español

### **Wednesday Schedule**

6:00 p.m.	Pastor's Bible Study (online)
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**Check out our website: [www.stbc.org](http://www.stbc.org)**