

Announcements

Youth Group—The youth group will meet tonight from 6-8 PM in Room 215. The youth group is open to all students who are going into Grade 6-12 in the 2009-2010 school year. Bring \$3 for pizza. For more information, please contact Ashley Davis (878-8826 or Youth@GoodSamaritanTallahassee.org).

Brown Bag Lunch Small Group—A new small group is forming that will meet from NOON to 1 PM on Tuesdays with a 6 week study on *The Shack* beginning September 15th. If you are interested in participating in this group, contact Erick.

Women's Bible Study—Join us Thursday mornings from 9:30 - 11:30 am beginning September 10 for 11 weeks with Beth Moore's newest study- *Esther: It's Tough Being a Woman*. Child care will be provided. The cost for the workbook is \$15 and maybe ordered through the church. Contact Erick Ashley or Marsha Shalley (309-1383 or mshalley@embarqmail.com) for more information.

Academy Openings—Good Samaritan Academy has limited openings in each age group (part & full time) for the 2009-2010 school year. If you are interested or know of someone, please contact the Academy Office at 325-6752.

Stock Up for Afghanistan—If you are taking a vacation or a weekend getaway at the close of the summer, one great way to get supplies is to pack up the soap and shampoo from your hotels room during your travels. They are the perfect size and I do not think a soldier would care if the soap or shampoo was label Dial, Marriott, or Days Inn. We will continue to collect supplies for the next several weeks and will be sending a few more shipments. Thanks for your collections thus far and please continue to fill the box in the upstairs lobby.

New Classes Coming Soon—Several new classes including, Beth Moore's Esther, Financial Peace University, PAIRS Marriage Workshop, Disciple 1, Brown Bag Small Group on *The Shack* and a Membership Class, will be starting in September. Watch the bulletin and newsletter for more information about these upcoming opportunities to learn together. An online sign up is coming soon!

Upcoming Events & Special Days

- Sept 3: Membership Class 6:00 PM (Child Care Available)
- Sept 10: Beth Moore Esther Study Begins 9:30 AM (Child Care Available)
- Sept 13-Oct 18: *The Shack*: 6 Week Sermon & Small Group Series
- Sept 14: Children's Choir 6:30-7:30 PM
- Sept 14-28: PAIRS Marriage Workshop (3 sessions 6-9 PM) (Child Care Available)
- Sept 15: Brown Bag Small Group "*The Shack*" NOON-1:00 PM
- Sept 17: Disciple 1 Class Begins (Child Care Available)
- Sept 19: Total Money Makeover Simulcast (1:00-6:00 PM)(Child Care Available)



August 2, 2009
9:30 & 11:00 AM



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Welcome To Worship

Welcome to Good Samaritan, we are so glad you came today. We are currently worshipping in our education building as we continue to raise money for the construction of our first sanctuary which will be directly to the south of the education building.

We have a nursery for children from 4 weeks through 4 years at both worship services. We offer a children's worship experience called "Kids' Worship" at 9:30 & 11:00 for children in Kindergarten through Fifth Grade. The children may be checked in by their parents downstairs in the children's area and then picked up immediately following worship. Children should not bring food or drink into the children's area. We will be serving a snack in between the 9:30 & 11:00 services, so please notify us if your child has any food allergies.

Between services we will be serving coffee and other refreshments. You are invited to grab some refreshments and hang out on the front porch. Take some time to catch up with old friends and make new ones.

Holy Communion is celebrated each time we gather together on Sunday. We have an open communion table. Everyone who desires to be forgiven for their sin and to turn to follow Jesus is welcome to come to receive the sacrament. Take the bread that is offered and dip it into the cup. We believe that the ancient traditions of the Church have much to offer us today when understood.

Here are some words that may be unfamiliar along with their definition.

Sacrament: A visible sign of an invisible truth. Holy Communion and Baptism are our sacraments.

Doxology: A short hymn or verse of praise. From the Greek Doxa/glory and Logos/word.

Acolytes: These are the children who symbolically bring in the light of Christ by lighting the candles on the altar signifying the beginning of our worship service and Christ's presence among us.

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Order of Worship

Prelude	<i>Come, Now Is the Time To Worship</i>	Worship Team
Welcome & Announcements		Chuck Stubbs/Victoria Butler
Call To Worship*		Chuck Stubbs/Victoria Butler
Worship Through Song*	<i>Everlasting God Sweep Me Away</i>	Worship Team
Morning Prayer		Betsy Ouellette
Worship Through Song*	<i>Famous One What a Friend We Have in Jesus</i>	Worship Team
Stewardship Moment & Offertory Prayer		Betsy Ouellette
Offertory Song	<i>God of Wonders</i>	Worship Team
Doxology*	<i>Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow</i> #95	Worship Team
Scripture Reading	Romans 15:4-7	Jim Crosby
Sermon	The Great Encourager	Jim Crosby
Communion & Prayer		Betsy Ouellette
Closing Song*	<i>To God Be The Glory</i> #98	Worship Team
Benediction*		Betsy Ouellette
Postlude		Worship Team

* Please stand as you are able