

WELCOME:

On behalf of the Stone House family I'd like to welcome you to SHPC. I am glad you are worshipping with us this morning and I sincerely hope that you find our gathering to be meaningful.

Our worship style is informal, so we invite you to dress comfortably. We have a nursery for our infants and pre-schoolers, and one of the ushers would be glad to direct you to that location. In addition, we offer "Discovery Time" for children in grades K-5 immediately following the Children's sermon. If you would like to make a donation when this morning's offering is received, feel free to do so; but please don't feel any pressure. Today's celebration is our gift to you.

Following our worship gathering we invite you to join us for coffee and cookies, and I will look for an opportunity to meet you. Thanks for being with us, and may God's richest blessings be yours.

because of Him,
Pastor Bob

This week at Stone House...

Today:

MS Youth Group- 4-5:30PM office

Lenten Study- 4:15PM- Sacred Grounds

HS Youth Group- 7PM office

Monday:

New Beginnings- 11AM office

Movie Night- 4:30PM Hampton 24 Dinner following -6:45PM Ruby Tuesdays

Wednesday:

Women's Group- 7PM office

Thursday:

Coffee & Conversation - 8:30AM

Better ½ -10AM office

Friday:

Friday Group -7AM

Coffee Beanery

Saturday:

Men's Group -7:30AM

Sunday:

MS Youth Group- 4-5:30PM office

Lenten Study- 4:15PM- Sacred Grounds

HS Youth Group- 7PM office

Worship Gathering – 2.25.07

(10:00 am- Toano Middle School)

We Come Together in God's Name

Call to Worship and Gathering Music

Come, Now is the Time to Worship

Crown Him with Many Crowns

Children's sermon

Prayer of Preparation: *Bless the Lord, My Soul*

Welcome and Announcements

We Draw Near to Christ through the Word

Scripture: Amos 1:1-2

Sermon: *"Walk this way- speak up!"*

We Respond in the Power of the Spirit

Offering

Prayers of the People

Closing Hymn: *Justice is a Journey Onward*

Benediction

Staff:

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the Adventure continues . . .

Outreach Ministry

- Please mark Saturday morning March 24th if you enjoy hands-on community Outreach Projects. The 24th is Housing Partnerships of Williamsburg's *Paint The Town* day to help improve substandard housing in the community. There will be one house for each team. All the houses are single story and have been prepped for painting. It's a great way to build group spirit, have fun, and feel good about helping others. We need our team to be about 15 people (adults and youth) in order to finish our house by early afternoon. A sign-up sheet for **TEAM SHPC** will be at the Outreach Bulletin Board in the entrance to Worship on Sunday March 18th, or you can contact Bo Wingate at 259 5949, or at mwingate1@cox.net. Janelle is coordinating the Youth Group team members. Please plan to participate in this worthwhile Outreach Project.

Point Person
Bo Wingate
259-5949

Miscellaneous

- Join Pastor Bob beginning today and continuing each Sunday afternoon during Lent for a study titled "Saving Jesus". Everyone is promised an exciting discussion over the meaning and role of Jesus in the 21st Century. The class will be held in the meeting room at Sacred Grounds Coffee House from 4:15-5:15pm. Grab a latte and join us.
- Christian-Muslim dialogue- join SHPC for an opportunity to gather with several Muslim brothers and sisters, in order to hear a little bit about what they believe and to ask questions that might clarify all the misinformation that has been spread since 9/11. The gathering will take place on Thursday evening, March 15th, from 7:00-9:00, in the multi-purpose room at the new YMCA on Mooretown Road. Our church family, as well as the community, is invited, and our hope is that we can all gather in the spirit of the one true God, who above all else, calls us to love.
- If you would like to have your contributions automatically deducted from your bank account please fill out a form in the fellowship area and return to Colleen. Any questions, please give Colleen a call 565-1130.
- CD's of each week's sermon are available. If you would like a copy please contact the office at 565-1130.
- Copies of session minutes are always available. If you would like to read or receive a hard copy please stop by the office.