

A PLACE TO CALL HOME!

OCTOBER 2018



Throughout Nehemiah, we take a journey to see what it takes to help bring restoration back to a broken city and broken people. As we follow Nehemiah's journey, we too will be challenged in how we lead, treat others, deal with opposition, and most importantly in how we realize and reflect the hope and restoration that our God does best.



# October Adult Bible Studies

Register at sgatechurch.org or at the Connection Centers.

#### WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY | Thursdays at 9:20a

Discerning the Voice of God by Priscilla Shirer: A video-based Biblical teaching, with encouraging small group discussions and daily lessons that allow God time to speak specifically to you.

Begins October 4.

# **DIGGING DEEPER IN NEHEMIAH** | Sundays at 10 or 11:30a This class, led by your pastors Tim & John, is your chance to dig deeper into the book of Nehemiah. **Begins October 7.**

### **BIBLE 101** | Sundays 10 or 11:30a

Get started on your journey to understanding the Bible. This group makes that first step easy! **Begins October 21.** 



### <12> CAMPING GROUP

#### FRIDAY-SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12-14

Our SG Camping Group is heading to Port Crescent State Park. For more information, contact office@sgatechurch.org.

### <13>DISCOVERY CLASS

#### Sat, Oct 13 (8:30a-12:30p) AND Sun, Oct 14 (8:30-11:30a)

Are you new to Shepherd's Gate or want to know more about us? Discovery class explains who we are and what we believe. Participants get to know others and are given the opportunity to ask questions. Please plan on attending both days. There is no cost for the class. Breakfast and child care (for children up to 9 years of age) are also offered at no cost. **Register at sgatechurch.org/next-steps.** 

# <14> HAITI MEDICAL MISSION TRIP INFORMATION MEETING

#### SUNDAY, OCTOBER 14 AT 11:30A IN THE JR. HIGH ROOM

A Medical Team sponsored by Trinity-Utica will be going to Ouanaminthe, Haiti from March 3-11, 2019. This is an opportunity to express Jesus' love through volunteers including doctors, nurses, dentists, dental hygienists, pharmacy technicians and everyday non-medical people. For more information, contact office@sgatechurch.org.

# <19> TALENT SHOW

#### FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19 | DINNER AT 6:30 & TALENT SHOW AT 7:30P

SG Seniors is sponsoring a Talent Show for acts and viewers of all ages! Tickets available for \$10 on Sunday at the Connection Centers and throughout the week at our church office through October 14.

### <23> BIBLES & BREW

#### **TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23 AT 6:30P**

Hangout with friends & meet some new ones, engage in a short Bible study, and enjoy a beer at Bibles & Brew. We are meeting up this Fall at Brooks Brewing (52033 Van Dyke, north of 23 Mile Rd.) Everyone 21+ is welcome. Invite your friends—we meet monthly.

# <24>SG STUDENTS

#### ESCAPE ROOM | OCTOBER 24 AT 7P "WE ARE NOT WALKING DEAD"

Why do Christians act like they're walking dead when they're really alive in Christ? Students are invited to bring a friend for a night of worship, pizza, and an escape room! Join us every Wednesday for Youth Group (7th-12th Grade) from 7-8:30p.

# **NOW HIRING**

Shepherd's Gate is hiring a
Member Care Coordinator.
For a copy of the job description
or to apply for this position,
contact familyinfo@sgatechurch.org.

# HAPPEINGS IN NOVEMBER

# SG KIDS 5|6 SPRINGHILL CAMP

#### FRIDAY-SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2-4

All 5th & 6th Graders are invited to SpringHill Camp in Evart, MI for the Pre-Teen Retreat. Pre-Teens will have a blast listening to great bands, learning about God through motivational speakers, and test their limits by rock wall climbing or ziplining, all while building and strengthening relationships with God and friends. Cost is \$189. **Register today at sgatechurch.org/kids-56.** 

#### **BAPTISM CLASS**

#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4 AT 11:30A**

If you are planning to schedule a baptism for yourself or if it's the first time you are having a child baptized at Shepherd's Gate, plan now to attend one of our Baptism Classes. **Register at sgatechurch.org/next-steps.** 

### **INFLUENCER'S NIGHT**

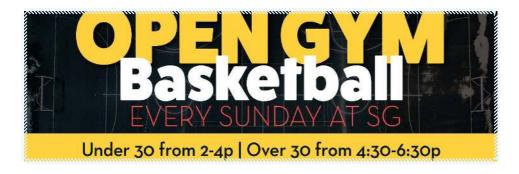
#### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4 AT 4P**

Turn your Sunday night from ordinary into extraordinary & help set the direction for SG for 2019 & beyond at **Influencer's Night**. We will come together to sing, pray and have an opportunity to hear Pastor Tim as he provides information on our facility & grounds and finances. Desserts & beverages will be served and childcare for 5 and under is provided. RSVP to office@sgatechurch.org by Sunday, October 28.

# **COUPLES RETREAT**

#### SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17 FROM 9A-2P

The Marriage Ministry Team is sponsoring a retreat for all couples at Shepherd's Gate. The cost is \$25 per couple, includes lunch and our guest speaker is Karen Budzinski. Tickets can be purchased at the church office or at the Connection Centers between services.





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We can't wait to see all of you there!



We just launched our new website:

# TECHURCH.ORG

There are so many ways to connect with others and grow in your relationship with Jesus here at Shepherd's Gate. Join us for Bible studies, classes, events, and more.

You can now stay up-to-date with all

that's happening at SG on our new website at sgatechurch.org.

We now have **/AYS TO GIVE** 









BY MAIL

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#### **ONLINE** sgatechurch.org

# AS BELIEVERS.

we are called to give back out of the blessings we've received. Your giving enables us to help people from all walks of life in our church, our community, and our world find love, hope, and faith and spread the word of Jesus.

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