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SOS Women will meet Thursday, September 13 at 9:30 a.m. in the Narthex for our annual getting to know you meeting.... 'What's Unique About You?' Plan on sharing a little bit about your uniqueness (3 or 4 minutes in length), using props if necessary. Devotions will be offered by Jeri Ferris and refreshments provided by Mary Kay Zieminski. Contact Mary Wire-Allbright with any questions. All women of the church are encouraged to attend.

Breakfast Work Group — We invite you to join us for breakfast and help beautify the SOS campus. This is for everyone, even if you are new to the congregation. Please join us on Friday, September 7 at 8 a.m. in the Worship Center. Questions? Contact Ralph Maurer or Frank Andrews. If you provide us with your email address we will be sure to add you to the reminder email that goes out prior to the breakfast/work morning.

The Prayer Shawl Ministry meets Thursday, September 20, at 10 a.m. in the Office Conference Room. You are invited to come for a time of fellowship, knitting or crocheting, and praying for the person who will receive the Prayer Shawl. Questions? Contact Barbara Huber.

Announcement Slides — Do you have a church ministry, event, or group to promote? Send information and dates for display by Thursday at noon to Cathy Lovejoy at ShepherdSlides@gmail.com. Need a sign-up sheet for your event? Send a copy and we'll set up a clipboard for that purpose on the cart below the screen.

The Gathering Inn — There is an on-going need for men's jeans. You can bring them to church and put them in the metal shopping cart and they will be delivered to TGI.

Church School Family Pancake Breakfast

On September 9 we will kick off our new Sunday School year with a simple pancake breakfast. If you have children in preschool-elementary school, please join us between 9:30 and 10:20. Want to enjoy your adult class, too? Join us for a few minutes and then head off to class while your children continue to enjoy breakfast. Questions? Contact Cathy Lovejoy at children@shepherdpres.org.

Invitation from Pastor Dave — Individuals interested in knowing more about Shepherd of the Sierra are invited to join Pastor Dave for New Members classes on Sunday, September 9 and 16 at 6 p.m. in the Office Conference Room. These classes will cover basic beliefs of the reformed faith, the history of Shepherd of the Sierra as well as time to get to know others who are new to our congregation. Please notify the church office if you plan to attend email secretary@shepherdpres.org or call 916-652-4851.

Stephen Ministry welcomes back Charlotte Greenhalge and Andrea Chin-Mitchel as Stephen Leaders. We are pleased that they have chosen to return to this vital ministry and are glad for the experience that they bring.



Stephen Ministry — Could you, or someone you know, benefit from the confidential, one-to-one care and support of a Stephen Minister? Or, are you interested in becoming a Stephen Minister yourself? If the answer is "yes" to either of these questions, please call 916-652-4851 and provide your name and number. Pastor Dave or a Stephen Leader will return your call.