



# The Weekly

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**Prepare For Next Sunday With The SotM Reader**  
Pick up this discussion/reflection guide in the Shed or in our Welcome Center

**Next Round Of Sunday Evening Classes Begins February 14**  
Pick up the Winter/Spring Groups + Classes Brochure in our Welcome Center

## News + Events

### From Buckets to Pails

This Sunday, pick up a pail or two to help those suffering in Haiti. Instructions are included inside each pail. Drop the pail next Sunday [Feb 14] or the next [Feb 21] in the same spot you picked it up: in the hallway, Baby Bay, wherever. Your filled pail will be distributed through local churches and organizations to families in need and are outside the areas currently getting aid.

### Next Week: Two Houses

Don Davis will be with us next Sunday to conclude our teaching series based on Jesus' profound teaching from Matthew. Find the rest of our Sunday teaching schedule at [marshill.org/sundays](http://marshill.org/sundays) and find more info and resources on the Sermon on the Mount series at [marshill.org/sotm](http://marshill.org/sotm).

### Tax Facts

Thank you for giving to the work and mission of Mars Hill in 2009. Look for your year-end giving statement; it was mailed at the end of January. If you give online, your statement can be found online at [marshill.org/give](http://marshill.org/give).

### Did We Miss a Spot?

An inherent challenge in any exploration of Scripture is that things can get missed—a few verses here, a line there. And there just isn't enough time on Sunday to examine every nuance in such a rich and profound text. So this summer, we're going to take another four to six weeks to re-examine the Sermon on the Mount, revisiting passages and exploring questions, ideas, and topics based on your feedback. Did we leave you asking any questions or wanting more on a certain theme or idea? Let us know at [marshill.org/sotm/feedback](http://marshill.org/sotm/feedback) or fill out a card in our Welcome Center.

### Joe and Bagel

Sunday snackers, here's your chance to chip in for that weekly cup of coffee or for bagel bites in our hallways on Sundays. Visit the "Joe Boxes" located at stations around our facility, and feel free to joefully give [that's right, joefully. It's a pun!].

### Lent: Jonah

This year we will be exploring the book of Jonah to discover what Jesus found so central to his death and resurrection that he called it "the sign of Jonah". Along with the Sunday teachings [and a new round of Short Circle small groups beginning in February], there will be a Lenten Experience Calendar available for you and your family. On Feb 14 you can pick one up at our Welcome Center or download it from our website. Join us this Lenten season as we walk with Jonah on the way to the cross.

### ...Glad Container?

Still sticking with "Joy Box". If you'd like to support the work and mission of Mars Hill, you can drop it in a Joy Box [the tall, gray boxes located at Shed exits], or you can contribute online at [marshill.org/give](http://marshill.org/give).

## Kids + Students + Special Needs

### Kids

[marshill.org/kids](http://marshill.org/kids)

**9 + 11am** Baby Bay [Newborn - 2s]  
Preschool Pier [3s - Young 5s]  
Kids Kove [K - 4th grade]

### Students

[marshill.org/students](http://marshill.org/students)

**Fifty6** [5th + 6th grade]  
Sundays 9 + 11am / Student Room

**The.element** [7th + 8th grade]  
Tuesdays 7-8:30pm / Student Room

**Anthem** [9th-12th grade]  
Wednesdays 7-9pm / Student Room

### Special Needs

[marshill.org/kids/specialneeds](http://marshill.org/kids/specialneeds)

Classes for children, young adults, and adults at 9 + 11am. Pre-registration required.

### Fifty6 Super RELA Night!

Calling all fifth and sixth grade detectives to solve the mystery of Jim's missing tie! Sign ups start today for this event on Friday, February 26, 7-8:30pm in the Student Room. Cost: \$2. Helping Jim find his tie: Priceless.

### It's Happening At The.element

February is Relationship Month at The.element. Ask your 7th or 8th grader what they're learning. Also, the Anthem staff will join The.element this week to help our 8th graders begin thinking about next year.

### Fifty6 - Join Us On Sundays

5th and 6th grade students, we hope to see you in the Student Room at 9am or 11am. For more info on Fifty6, including a printable calendar of this year's events, check out [marshill.org/students/fifty6](http://marshill.org/students/fifty6).

### The.element - Join Us On Tuesdays

7th and 8th grade students, join us this week [Feb 9] in the Student Room from 7-8:30pm. Learn more about what we're about and find our printable 2009-2010 calendar at [marshill.org/students/element](http://marshill.org/students/element).

### Anthem - Join Us On Wednesdays

9th-12th grade students, come to the Student Room this week [Feb 10] from 7-9pm. Find more info on Anthem, including a printable calendar of our 2009-2010 events at [marshill.org/students/srhi](http://marshill.org/students/srhi).

**Hi, I'm You, And I'm A Storyteller**

2nd + 4th Sundays during the 11am Gathering, Baby Bay needs a storyteller with a specific interest in reading books and sharing Bible stories with 2-year-olds. Sound effects are optional, but singing short songs is encouraged. To apply or for more info, go to [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) and choose the *Baby Bay* box.

**Safe And Secure From All Alarms**

We'd love an additional 15 men/women to join our security team. While we prefer individuals with military, police, or security experience, we welcome anyone who would like to join. Go to [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) and click on the *Sunday Gatherings* box, then choose *Security*.

**Shepherd Shortage**

Mars Hill Kids is in need of Shepherds [small group leaders] during both of our Sunday Gatherings for kids in Kindergarten through 4th grade. If you love Jesus, if you have a desire to help kids follow in the way of Jesus, and if you're able to serve every Sunday or every other Sunday, apply at [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) by choosing the *Kids Kove* box.

**Baby Boom In Baby Bay**

They just keep coming! Today we are opening a new room in Baby Bay of kids just recently turning two, and we need several more volunteers to accommodate them all. We could use help in both Gatherings, either every week or every other week. To apply, go to [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) and choose the *Baby Bay* box.

**Can You Hear Me Now?**

Fifty6 [5th + 6th grade ministry] is looking for volunteers for their Sunday morning sound teams. If you have experience mixing sound and would be interested in serving fifth and sixth graders, go to [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) and in the Students column, choose the *Fifty6* box.

**Family Leaders For The.element**

Two male leaders and one female leader, that's who we need right now in our ministry for 7th and 8th grade students. The family leaders help lead and care for our LifeGroup leaders. For more info and to apply, go to [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) and in the Students column, choose *The.element* box.

**A Pinch Of Serving**

Looking for an excuse to spend more time in your kitchen? Join our meal team! There are plenty of opportunities for you to put your favorite recipes to good use by preparing meals for local families in need. For more info or to volunteer, select the *Special Events* box at [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer). You will be contacted periodically as needs arise.

**Emergency Response Team**

We need several more individuals to serve once a month during the 11am Gathering. Medical experience is required; no training is provided. For more info or to apply, go to [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) and click on the *Sunday Gatherings* box, then choose *Emergency Response Team*.

**Preschool Pier Room Leader**

Do you have organizational skills? We're looking for a Room Leader for every week or every other week in Preschool Pier to oversee a room and encourage and lead 3-4 other volunteers. To apply for this role or learn more, go to [marshill.org/volunteer](http://marshill.org/volunteer) and choose the *Preschool Pier* box.

**Short Circles - Register Today!**

There's more to Jonah than what you'll hear on Sundays during Lent. Find out more by joining a Short Circle; a new round of the six-week small group sessions begins this month. Register online [at home or in our Welcome Center] at [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups) by clicking on the *Short Circles* box on the left.

**New Group For Retelling Alums**

Want to take the next step after participating in a Retelling Group? Take an in-depth look at how you have interpreted your past experiences and how you're currently living. "Retelling: The Journey Continues" will begin in Spring 2010. [Those completing the Winter 2010 Retelling group are welcome to participate as well.] Find more information at [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups) or contact Michelle at 616.406.3940 or [info@marshill.org](mailto:info@marshill.org).

**Real Men Study the Bible**

Looking for an opportunity to study Scripture, gather in community, and pray for each other? Men's Bible Study meets Tuesday nights, 7:30-9pm in Room 403. Come and join us—no registration required.

**Writers' Group - February 14**

If you've been editing the Weekly in your head up until this point, you might want to join the writer's group for motivation, encouragement, inspiration, and feedback [if requested] on the 2nd Sunday of each month, 4-5:30pm in Room 406. All are welcome—bring your writings. For more info, contact Michelle at 616.406.3940 or [info@marshill.org](mailto:info@marshill.org).

**Walkpure Class**

"Lust-free Living" is for men who want to be free from strongholds and addictions relating to lust. To learn more or join the group, contact Dave [confidentially] at [help@walkpure.org](mailto:help@walkpure.org) or 616.825.6090.

**Marriage Prep Orientation**

Did you miss our January orientation? Is your wedding coming up in the next 6-12 months? Our next orientation will be Monday, April 12 at 7pm. Register online at [marshill.org/groups/marriage](http://marshill.org/groups/marriage). If you have questions, contact Michelle at 616.406.3940 or [info@marshill.org](mailto:info@marshill.org).

**AA + Al-Anon Meetings****AA Big Book**

Thursdays at 8:30pm in Room 401

**Closed AA**

Mondays from 7-8pm in Room 401

**Open AA**

Wednesdays from 7-8pm in Room 401

**Al-Anon [friends and relatives of alcoholics]**

Mondays at 7pm in Room 406

**"W" Worship + Prayer Group**

You're invited to join us on Wednesdays at 7pm in Room 403 for worship, shared stories of answered prayer, and a time of small group intercession for your individual needs.

**Snow Can't Slow Us Down**

The Runners group still hits the pavement—or the snow on the pavement—even in Winter. It's warmer to run in a group than it is to run alone. All ages and skill levels welcome. If running in snow isn't your thing, come and walk inside on Tuesday nights. The carpet in the hallways is much less slippery. Find more at [marshill.org/groups](http://marshill.org/groups) or just wait around until you see a bunch of people running in the snow.