## Alamo Hills Children's Ministry

Shepherd of the Hills church plant

Alamo Hills Church, just outside of San Antonio, has Matthew 28:16-20 as its theme verses. "Go and make disciples," included in Jesus' important instructions, make these verses especially appropriate. This congregation is meeting in a movie theater on Sunday mornings and then meets people wherever they are the rest of the week.

Alamo Hills has been in the planning and "working toward" stages for 2 years, but officially began as a congregation in September 2018. They are blessed to be based in 2 movie theater rooms. One is used for worship and "whole group" time, and the other room, along with the outside corridor, is used for children and youth activities.

Alamo Hills is one of 2 churches within the Alamo Ranch community of San Antonio, which has a population of 70,000 people - and growing. It is a great opportunity to reach people with the love of Jesus. There have even been guests who intended to see a movie, but changed their tickets to a later show to attend worship first!

The LWML Texas District mission grant funds are being used audio-visual equipment, mobile food preparation equipment, and Christian-education curriculum and supplies to be used in their children's ministry. With it work not being in a traditional church building, it is important to have equipment that is easily transported and set up for a variety of functions.

The phrase that the leadership team uses to remain focused and moving forward is "Guide all people into a transforming relationship with Jesus Christ". What a wonderful goal for all of us in our daily walk with God. It is an honor and privilege that we can partner with Alamo Hills Church in giving our mites to reach out.