



Cedar Park First United Methodist Church

HAPPENINGS

CPFUMC
600 W. Park St.
Cedar Park Tx 78613

JULY 12TH, 2022

IN PERSON WORSHIP 8:30 A.M. AND 10:45 A.M. IN PERSON AND
LIVE STREAM ON CPFUMC.org / **YOUTUBE CHANNEL** / **FACEBOOK PAGE**



SUNDAY SCHOOL

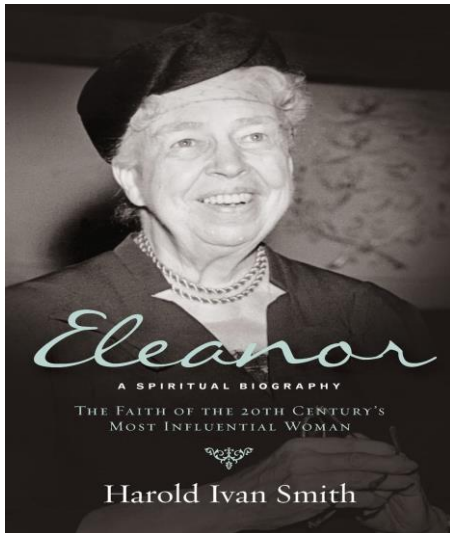
Seekers and Thinkers are meeting in person at 9:45 am in MMB studying *Understanding the New Testament*

Followers of the Word are meeting in person at 9:45 am in MMB studying the Gospel according to Mark

Children's Sunday school meets each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. in the MMB older children in Classroom 3, younger children in classroom 2. Contact Amanda Theriot at Amanda.theriot@icloud.com or Debra Longoria at longoria1@gmx.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Wednesday July 13th** **Red Shirts** meet at Los Reyes at 8:30 am. Contact Dave Sidney dsidney@aceweb.com
- Friday July 15th**
8:45 am **Red Shirts** meet at Randalls
10:30 am Women meet for coffee in the Sanctuary
- Sunday, July 17th**
9:45 am Sunday school for adults:
Seekers and Thinkers are studying Great Courses Video
Understanding the New Testament in MMB
Followers of the Word studying Paul's *Letter to the Romans* in MMB
9:45 am Sunday school for children in MMB Classroom 2 and
8:30 am and 10:45 am Worship Service
- Monday July 18th** 7:30 pm Contemplative Prayer in the Sanctuary
- Tuesday June 19th** Service of morning prayer in sanctuary at 9:30 am and via zoom
Bible discussion group meets 10:00 am in the Sanctuary and via zoom
Prayer Shawl Ministry meets 1st, 2nd, and 4th week at 11:00 am in the Sanctuary
5:30 pm on the 3rd Tuesday of every month

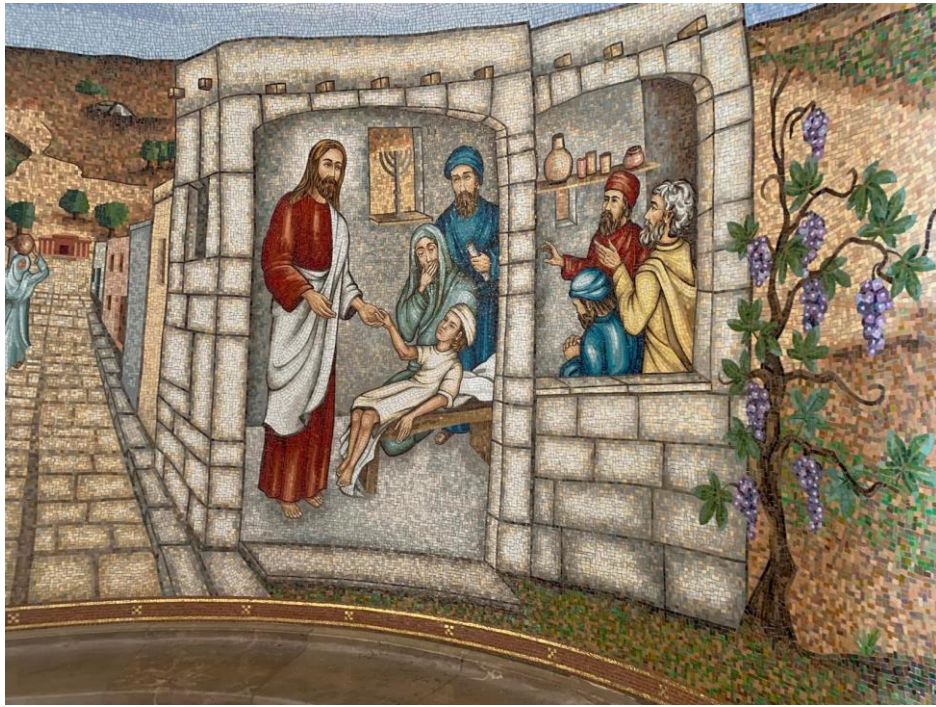


METHODIST READING CLUB Begins JULY 21

More than fifty years after her death, Eleanor Roosevelt is remembered as a formidable first lady and tireless social activist. Often overlooked, however, is her deep and inclusive spirituality. Her personal faith was shaped by reading the New Testament in her youth, giving her a Jesus-centered spirituality that fueled her commitment to civil rights, women's rights, and the rights of all "little people" marginalized in American society.

Pastor Peter will be leading a 5-week discussion of *Eleanor: A Spiritual Biography* (in person and by Zoom) on Thursday mornings at 10am, beginning July 21. If you are interested in joining us to read and discuss this book (a 2021 UMW Reading Program selection) please see the sign-up sheet in the Lobby or email Peter.

Copies of the book will be available for \$20, or you can download the book to your e-reader.



PRAYERS AND CELEBRATIONS

- Horace Pennington. Prayers for my brother who had cancer surgery and is doing well.
- Sterling Hartman. Prayers for my wife Marilyn who is doing well after 23 years. Prayers of Thankfulness for everything that he has and is grateful for.
- Bob Bowker. Pray for a friend having tests on Wednesday for lung cancer.
- Chuck Trahan. Prayers for my sister who had surgery for gall bladder cancer for healing.
- Pastor Suzette Thorpe Johnson. Prayers for my Mother and Father for healing from health issues.
- B.J. Posner. Prayers for birthday Blessings for my daughter who turned 62.
- John Longoria. Prayers of Joy for John getting Promotion at work and for John and David building a house together.
- Holly Ganther. Prayers for my friend Ansley who had foot surgery and is healing.
- Debra Longoria. Prayers for my neighbor dealing with lots of family health issues.
- Karen Goodman. Prayers for my sister to do no driving as of now.
- Sterling Hartman. Please put my daughter in law, Fran Smith, on the prayer request list and my Granddaughter Shelley Smith-Blanda, RN, on the prayer request list. Shelley has a spinal fracture and is in severe pain.
- Carolyn Wootton Smith. Prayers for my brother-in-law Steve. His cancer is in remission but he had a heart attack Thursday. He has to get off cancer meds to start heart medications. Hope the doctors find another cancer medication.



CHOIR

Schedule

Choir kickoff and Potluck August 14th after 2nd service

Sunday September 11th

Sunday September 25th

October 9th

October 30th

November 6th

November 13th

November 20th

December 4th

December 11th - present program this Sunday

December 18th - some type of quartet here

I would like to supplement with three Wednesdays in October - October 5th and October 19th and the 26th of October

FREE WHEELCHAIR

JoAnn Doak has an electric wheelchair that needs a new home. It folds and is light weight for a wheelchair (40 pounds). It has lots of extra pieces that came with it and it has two batteries and a charger as well.

MISSING DVD!!!!

WE HAVE A MISSING DVD. DAVE SIDNEY'S CLASS HAS LOST ITS DVD ON *UNDERSTANDING THE NEW TESTAMENT*. IF ANYONE HAS SEEN IT PLEASE LET DAVE SIDNEY KNOW AT DSIDNEY@ACEWEB.COM

HELP NEEDED FOR NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Can you believe only one person has answered the call?
Carolyn needs your help with National Night Out.
Do not let the neighborhood down.

Thank you



Tuesday, August 2
6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Another outreach opportunity. Let's put our best foot forward.

I need your help.
Ideas and Leadership

Get the planning started, contact
Carolyn Smith, carolynsmith2215@gmail.com or 512-970-9087.

Thank you,
Carolyn Smith



Safe Gathering and Trusted con Confianza

Rio Texas Conference developed a two-step training program to help keep our children, youth, and vulnerable adults safe. If you work with any of these groups, you must be trained. Please go to the website below to complete the two-step progress.

<https://riotexas.org/safesteps>

The training is renewable every two years. If you have any questions, please contact Carolyn Smith 512.970.9087, carolynsmith2215@gmail.com or your pastor.

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Carolyn Smith

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The donations for the 1st week of July are; Food / Health Care

Week 60 Pounds
YTD 1,557 Pounds

January to June totals were;

Food / Health Care
1,497 pounds
Monetary
\$975.55

COMPARING THE 1ST 6 MONTHS OF THIS YEAR VERSUS LAST YEAR THE NUMBERS ARE; FOOD / HEALTH CARE WE HAVE GIVEN 45% LESS THAN THE SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR MONETARY WE HAVE GIVEN 54% LESS THAN THE SAME PERIOD LAST YEAR UNFORTUNATELY THE DEMAND ON HCCM HAS INCREASED FROM LAST YEAR WHILE OUR DONATIONS HAVE SIGNIFICANTLY DECREASED



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR PROJECT TRANSFORMATION IN LEANDER

Leander United Methodist Church is serving as a site church for Project Transformation, now through July 28, 2022. Project Transformation is a program where college-age young adults lead a summer program for children from underserved neighborhoods.

Caring volunteers are **desperately needed** to read with children in grades 1-6, one-on-one, each day for 30 minutes per child. Volunteers can sign up for one day or multiple days throughout the summer, and no prior experience is needed!

For more information go to <https://www.givepulse.com/event/290442-Leander-Summer-Reading-Buddies>

Also, evening meals are needed for the eight college interns participating in the program. You can sign up to bring a meal for the interns who are lodging at Northwest Hills UMC's Youth Center by going to <https://www.givepulse.com/event/290644-Dinner-Volunteers-Austin>

Computer Systems for Sale



Church Member Special: The church has a couple of used computers for sale. These are complete systems formerly used in the church office and well cared for. They include computer, monitor, keyboard, mouse, webcam, Wi-Fi, speakers and Microsoft Office productivity software (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.) plus Zoom installed. Perfect for a student or home office. They are available for hands-on testing in the MMB conference room. V. reasonably priced. More details on the specifics of each system are [here](#) and [here](#). If you are interested, contact Neil Howard (nhowardtx1@gmail.com) or the church office for more information. All proceeds from the sale of these systems go to the church Technology Fund.

A CPFUMC Ministries Brochure has been prepared. Hardcopy is available on the desk in the Narthex.

For our weekly email publication *Happenings* please send input to Stephanie Talley at office@cpfumc.org