

# HAPPENINGS this week at CPFUMC

02/10/2021

PLEASE find ALL of the church announcements and happenings on the website: <https://cpfumc.org>

*If you prefer NOT to receive these Happenings each Wednesday, please reply and let us know that.*

**ALL INSIDE Sunday Worship & Other Activities have been canceled until further notice**  
**IN-PERSON OUTDOOR SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES 8:30am &**  
**LIVE STREAMING SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES 10am**

LINKS for the Sunday Service AND the Sunday Bulletin are on our website homepage  
More HELP finding the service information is below .....

**Loving God**, you fill all things with a fullness and hope that we can never comprehend.  
Thank you for leading us into a time where more of reality is being unveiled for us all to see. We pray that you will take away our natural temptation for cynicism, denial, fear and despair.  
Help us have the courage to awaken to greater truth, greater humility, and greater care for one another.  
May we place our hope in what matters and what lasts, trusting in your eternal presence and love. Listen to our hearts' longings for the healing of our suffering world. Please add your own intentions . . .  
Knowing, good God, you are hearing us better than we are speaking, we offer these prayers in all the holy names of God. Amen.

## Celebrations

<https://cpfumc.org>

### **PRAYERS of Thanksgiving:**

Shannon Parker, A Childs Haven: Found a ring !! If you have lost a lovely ring please talk to Shannon !!

A Child's Haven exceeded it's goal with seed/plant sales for the scholarship fund !!!!!

Andy Carver, Moved to room #101 and is grateful for notes received !!!

Sergio Longoria: Praise Sarah's 17th birthday was Monday

### **PRAYERS for Help and Healing :**

For patience and understanding ...

Dewayne Mosier recovering from COVID.

Glenda Morrison is now at her daughter's home recovering.

Hardy Porterfield: having tests in RR St Davids. Had a miserable night-a long story. Remember also, Marie, who is at home waiting for Hardy ....

Karen Bowker: I'd like to request prayers for Ty Kerns, 16. He had spinal surgery Feb. 4th. Please pray for him for healing from his back surgery and relief for his pain and for his parents

Karen Packard: I pray for Jesus healing my judgmental attitude.

Margaret McClintock: Healing for Maxine Hudson and the other residents of Skye who have Covid.

Nancy Holmes, I have been to the doctor & I have bronchitis & a sinus infection. I am on meds & hope to be well soon. Thank you for your prayers & concern

Sterling Hartman: I have atrial fibrillation with a resting heart rate of 120-140 beats a minute. Checking into six hour surgery for catheter ablation to slow down the raster to normal.

Sterling Hartman ; passed out on Saturday and fell on the hard tile in the kitchen. Ouch, but nothing broken. No idea what caused it.

Sterling Hartman: Miracles Happen: Sandy's already in rehab !! Sandy & Jack both need our church families prayers. *Marilyn and I worked with Jack Thurbon at the US Navy's Primary Standards Lab (Like the Bureau of Standards) for the USN in Pomona, CA. The good news is that Sandy received treatment right away because during a stroke minutes really do count. Jack is a retired sailor.*

## HAPPENINGS THIS WEEK!!

### **REMINDERS**

- CPFUMC is now a registered organization with **Amazon Smile** !!
- **Red Shirts** are now planning on meeting as follows: ALL men welcome; Zoom contact Dave Sidney  
1st Wednesday - Zoom at 8:30 am                      2nd Wednesday - Breakfast at Los Reyes, 8:45 am

3rd Wednesday - Zoom at 8:30 am  
(5th Wednesday - Zoom at 8:30 am)

4th Wednesday - Breakfast at Burger King, 8:45 am  
Fridays at Randall's 9:00 am

**CALENDAR**

**THIS WEEK AT CPFUMC**

**cpfumc.org**

**WEDNESDAY, February 10th**

8:30am Men's "Red Shirt" Fellowship ( Zoom at 8:30 / Los Reyes )

1:00pm Final Book Discussion "Do All Lives Matter" led by Pastor Suzette contact her: [suzette@cpfumc.org](mailto:suzette@cpfumc.org)

**THURSDAY, February 11th**

**FRIDAY February 12th**

**SATURDAY February 13th**

**SUNDAY February 14th**

8:30a In Person Outdoor Worship (to attend sign-up on website [cpfumc.org](http://cpfumc.org) )

9:00am Children's Sunday school class via Zoom

10:00am Live Streamed Worship Service on Facebook (go to Facebook.com/CedarParkFUMC or click the link on the CPFUMC.org homepage)

1:00pm Bible Study -.Genesis 10-11 Babel

8:30pm Youth on-line Virtual Cheesy Valentine Party !! ...

**MONDAY, February 15th Presidents Day**

6:30PM CHURCH COUNCIL

**TUESDAY, February 16th**

9:30am Service of Morning Prayer led by Pastor Peter via Zoom (email Peter to attend)

10-10:30a HCCM food collection in the Parking Lot ..600 W Park

10:00am Bible discussion group via Zoom

**WEDNESDAY, February 17th**

8:30am Men's "Red Shirt" Fellowship ( Zoom at 8:30 )

7:00pm Worship Ash Wednesday

**THURSDAY, February 18th**

9:30am Membership Care committee

**Please check the calendar on our website..... as it is changing often .**

**FEB 14<sup>TH</sup> 8:30PM PARTY**

**BE LIGHT YOUTH**

**Zoom Room**

- **Looking Forward: Please join us for BE LIGHT YOUTH happenings listed below. We are a soft landing in a world of rough edges. We are CDC compliant and Safe Gatherings compliant.**

**Feb 14 Virtual Valentine's Day party 8:30pm**

ASH Wednesday Feb 17 Lenten Season begins...we will be doing Scripture dives for the Season of Lent

Feb 21: on-line - Genesis part 1

Feb 28: in-person Genesis part 2

SAVE THE DATE: UMARMY Mixed **June 27-July 3rd** in Corpus Christi

**FEB 14<sup>TH</sup> 1PM**

**SUNDAY ADULT STUDY**

**Gen. 10-11, Babel**

From: Sergio Longoria (Gmail) <[sergio.longoria@gmail.com](mailto:sergio.longoria@gmail.com)>

The Followers of the Word Sunday (1-2PM) bible study group will begin studying and discussing Genesis 1-11. I will be leading it and I would like to invite you to attend. Genesis 1-11 is sufficiently "different" from other sections of Genesis, and the bible in general, that it is likely to generate some lively discussion making us think long and hard about how best to understand this amazing part of Scripture.

Among other subjects, we will look at the text, composition, cosmology of the ANE, relation of Genesis 1-11 to history, story, facts, myth, science, literature, and theology. And whatever else you can think of...

A tentative schedule: **Feb 14: Gen. 10-11, Babel**

**SUN, FEB. 14TH**

**VIRTUAL WORSHIP WITH TEXAS WESLEY**



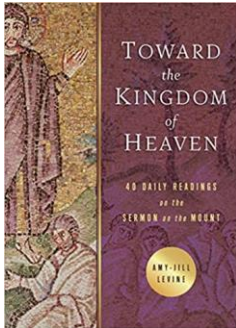
The Texas Wesleyan students and staff are providing virtual worship for any area church that wishes to join them. Director Rev. David McMinn is an excellent preacher and sermon will be "Overflow With Hope" (scripture Romans 15:13) that day. Students from the campus ministry will provide music, prayer time and other worship elements. You are not obligated to use this worship experience, but we hope you will

consider giving yourself and/or those you work alongside a bit of a Sabbath and receive the gift of connecting to God through the ministry of The Texas Wesley.

Rev. McMinn is working to have the worship elements in a format with options to fit your context. You can use the entire service, choose only the sermon or even share all or part at an in-person service.

**THURS, FEB 25<sup>TH</sup> SPEND LENT EXPLORING 10AM**

**SPEND LENT EXPLORING THE MOST POPULAR SERMON EVER DELIVERED**



A forty-day devotional experience will be offered during the season of Lent, using Amy-Jill Levine's latest book "*Toward the Kingdom of Heaven: 40 Daily Readings on the Sermon on the Mount*."

This book provides daily readings from the Bible along with Professor Levine's reflections as a guide to what Jesus in Matthew's gospel calls the "hard road" through the "narrow gate."

Pastor Peter will lead a Zoom discussion each week of the prior six days of readings from the book, for six consecutive Thursdays at 10am, beginning February 25 and ending April 1. The book will be available to purchase for \$15. Email [Peter@cpfumc.org](mailto:Peter@cpfumc.org) to participate.

**MISSION HILL COUNTRY COMMUNITY MINISTRIES (HCCM) GOD BLESS YOU ALL !!**

Neither rain nor snow will deter Bob Bowker is at the Church parking lot from **10:00 until 10:30 on Tuesdays** for anyone who would like to drop food off, which he will then take up to HCCM. There is a box on the front porch of the church for donations also. Any questions please give me a call, Bob cell 512-771-1680

**2021 Food and Health Care Donations (Week / Year to Date) 102lbs / 693lbs.**

**2021 Monetary Donations Year To Date: \$285.00**

No clothes and kitchen odds & ends donated to the Thrift Store this week

There are so many who are still in such need and it is a good feeling to be able to help out.

Thanks to all who participated

**GOOD NEWS CHILD'S HAVEN (ACH) WISH LIST**

**Great News:**

**ACH approved for a new PPP loan !!!! Teacher's salaries and supplies supported !!**

**Seed/Plant FUNDRAISER** for Scholarship (*currently 3 children receive full scholarships*)

**Thank you for supporting our amazing school!! We exceeded our goal ...**

Shannon P. Parker, Director [A Child's Haven](http://A Child's Haven) 512-335-9540

**MON, 2/15 SANCTUARY RECONSTRUCTION REST ROOMS**

The **permit** came through today! They are ready to begin once the contract is signed!

Tentative Construction Timeline:

START	TASK	START	TASK
Mon 2/15	Demo: Plumbing & wall & floor	Mon 4/5	Tile work
Fri 2/19	Sawcut, Plumbing rough	Tue 4/13	Millwork
Fri 2/26	Inspections	Fri 4/16	Finish Plumbing
Fri 3/5	Repour	Mon 4/26	Inspections
Tue 3/9	Electrical Rough	Wed 5/5	Finish electrical
Tue 3/16	Reframe / Sheetrock	Tue 5/11	Final Inspection
Tue 3/23	Inspections	Tue 5/18	Final Clean

**Please RE-MEMBER with prayers and cards and calls ....**

**Please remember to contact these folks and others**

during these weeks with cards, calls, notes of some kind. Those in care facilities are NOT currently able to have visitors so are needing a little extra TLC.....



**TROY-BILT CHIPPER SHREDDER, 10HP - FARM & GARDEN -****BY OWNER NEIL – SALE**

Check here for details:

<https://austin.craigslist.org/grd/d/cedar-park-troy-bilt-chipper-shredder/7271635890.html>

Check out my Troy-Bilt rototiller (\$525) for sale on Nextdoor.

View my item at [https://nextdoor.com/for\\_sale\\_and\\_free/43f8d1c4-28d8-435f-80ac-5c47bad647a4/?init\\_source=share](https://nextdoor.com/for_sale_and_free/43f8d1c4-28d8-435f-80ac-5c47bad647a4/?init_source=share)

Craig's List: <https://austin.craigslist.org/grd/d/cedar-park-troy-bilt-super-bronco-tiller/7272182785.html>

**MONITORS FOR SALE,****\$10 EACH**

Add an extra monitor to your home desktop computer for only \$10!

#	Make/Model	Screen Size	Max Resolution	Input
A	Dell E193FPf	19"	1280x1024	VGA only
B	Dell E196 FPf	19"	1280x1024	VGA only
C	Dell E190 Sb	19"	1280x1024	VGA only

VGA cable and power cable supplied with each monitor purchased.

**FOR SALE: DELL OPTIPLEX 980 SMALL FORM FACTOR DESKTOP COMPUTER****\$175**

An inexpensive, small footprint machine for a student, home office or to downsize from that old, clunky full-size tower machine hogging all of your desk space. Latest Windows 10 Professional operating system and Microsoft Office Professional Plus 2016 software included. Upgraded with additional RAM and a solid-state drive. Keyboard, mouse and monitor are optional extras.

**Hardware**

- Dell OptiPlex 980 Small Form Factor – Service Tag BVYMLM1
- 2.80 GHz Intel Core i7-860 processor (quad core, 8 threads), 8MB cache, 3.46 GHz max turbo, 95w
- 8 GB DDR3 RAM (16 GB max)
- 250 GB Samsung 860 EVO solid state storage drive
- Slimline DVD R/W+ drive
- Wired Gigabit network port
- 8 x USB 2.0 ports (2 front/6 rear); PS2 mouse and keyboard connectors (rear)
- Low profile PCIe x16 and PCI expansion slots
- eSATA port (rear)
- EVGA GeForce 610 2GB full HD low profile display adapter with VGA, HDMI and DVI-D connections
- Audio: 2 x stereo line in and 2 x stereo line out (1 front/1 rear)
- Internal chassis speaker
- Serial and parallel I/O ports
- Dimensions: 11.81" H x 3.46" W x 12.87" D
- Weight: 13.0 lbs.
- 235w power supply
- AC power cable included

**Software Installed**

- Windows 10 Professional 64-bit v20H2 (latest)
- Microsoft Office 2016 Professional (Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook, Publisher, Access, Skype and One Note)

*Dell wired USB Keyboard, Dell wired USB mouse and Dell 19" monitor available at additional cost.*

Contact Neil Howard, [nhowardtx1@gmail.com](mailto:nhowardtx1@gmail.com) with questions or if interested.

Williamson County continues to move forward with its COVID-19 vaccine plan, setting vaccine locations and operating help services, officials said Feb. 8.

Here are the latest updates.

### Vaccine locations

County Judge Bill Gravell said vaccines will take place at the Kelly Reeves Athletic Complex, at 10211 W. Parmer Lane, Austin, Monday and Tuesday, and the Georgetown ISD Athletic Complex on Wednesday.

Only those with appointments should arrive at the centers for a vaccine.

Gravell added that at present time, the county only plans to operate the two vaccine locations as they are dependent on vaccine supply.

To find other providers, [click here](#) .

### Vaccine signup and waitlist

On Feb. 8, the county took over the [waitlist](#) for the hub vaccines. It was previously operated by Family Health Systems through two separate portals due to the time distribution began, but the list has been consolidated, and the county will operate off of its single list, officials said.

Those who are **eligible** through Phase 1A or 1B can register

at <https://forms.wilco.org/Forms/CV19VaccineWaitListRegistration>.

Those who have **questions** regarding the vaccine including if you are on the waitlist can call 512-943-1600.

The county launched the hotline **Feb. 1** but was overwhelmed with calls, receiving more than 16,300 in the first three days, Gravell said. Due to this, the county has increased people and resources to this service, he said.

"We definitely want to be there for all of our residents who need someone to talk to over the phone," Gravell said.

### No jumping the line

FHS Chief Medical Director Dr. Nathaniel Greenwood said FHS and the county have been working together to address the concerns of those jumping the line for a vaccine.

Greenwood said new policies will be sent to individuals when they receive their appointment likely asking them whether they qualify for the vaccine, but exact details were not immediately available.

Both Gravell and Greenwood said they are counting on honesty from individuals when they sign up, appealing to their moral compass. However, currently Texas Department of State Health Services does not allow entities to ask individuals to prove qualifications for the vaccine.

"It's just important that people are honest and realize that there's a plan in place to get everybody vaccinated,"

Greenwood said. "We just need to do it the right way in the right timeframe, and then just believe in the system."

"It is unethical to step in front of a senior adult to get a shot," Gravell added. "It's important to be respectful and wait your turn."

Gravell added that those taking vaccine information for the county have been trained in Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, or HIPAA, policies and protocols. He said medical information will be kept safe by the county.

### Need help?

For those who may need help with paperwork, the county has also set up two technical assistance centers at the Sun City Ballroom, 2 Texas Drive, Georgetown, and First Baptist Church, 2500 Mallard Lane, Taylor. On Feb. 15, the county will launch a third location at Hill Country Bible Church, 3300 Little Elm Trail, Gym Building, Cedar Park.

Time and dates are as follows:

- Sun City Ballroom, Mon., Tue. and Fri. from 9 a.m.-5 p.m.
- First Baptist Taylor, Tue., Thu. 9 a.m.-3 p.m.
- Hill Country Bible Church, Mon., Wed. and Fri. 9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Here, individuals can receive help filling out the required documentation so that there is not a delay in them receiving a shot.

### What now?

Gravell said that the county continues to work as quickly as possible to get shots in arms but is at the will of the state, which determines how many vaccines each entity receives on a given week. He added that at the county's current rate of receiving 8,000-10,000 vaccines a week and the county's population of more than 200,000 individuals who qualify for 1A and 1B, it will not be around June until the county can even complete this phase of vaccinations.

He said he continues to request at least 10,000 vaccines each week.

In the meantime, the county has contracted with Curative, a COVID-19 testing company, to help administer vaccines as early as Feb. 15, and plans to work with Baylor Scott & White hospital systems to do the same once vaccine allotments are high enough to accommodate these entities.

"It's important to have public private partnerships, and everybody's kind of rowing together in the same direction," Gravell said.

Gravell added that starting the week of Feb. 15, the county will begin the inoculation of second doses, which will cut received supply in half and potentially extend completion timelines if the county does not receive higher number of doses.

"This is a long slog, a long haul," he said. "It's going to be complicated, and we've all got to work together."