HAPPENINGS

Cedar Park First United Methodist Church 600 W. Park St. Cedar Park Tx 78613

NOVEMBER 9th, 2021

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

Two adult Sunday school classes:

Seekers and Thinkers are meeting in person at 9:45 am in MMB studying *Religions of the Axial Period: An Approach to the World's Religions*.

Followers of the Word are meeting 9:45 am in the MMB Conference Room and on Zoom. Studying the book of Hebrews. **Children's Sunday school** meets each Sunday at 9:45 a.m. in the MMB Classroom 3 and by Zoom. Contact Amanda Theriot at Amanda.theriot@icloud.com

UPCOMING EVENTS

Wednesday Nov. 10th Red Shirts meet Los Reyes and Zoom at 8:30 am. Contact Dave Sidney

dsidney@aceweb.com

Friday Nov 12th 10:00 am Women meet for coffee in the Sanctuary

Sunday, Nov 14th 9:45 am Sunday school for adults: Followers of the Word are studying Hebrews

Seekers are studying Religions of the Axial Period MMB

9:45 am Sunday school for children in MMB Classroom 3 and Zoom

8:30 am and 10:45 am WORSHIP

Monday, Nov 15th 6:30 Church Council Meeting

Tuesday Nov 16th 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 11:00 am in the Sanctuary

BE LIGHT YOUTH

Sunday, 11/14 The Truest Thing: "What Are We Meant to Be"

Sunday, 11/21 HANGING OF THE GREENS and The Truest Thing: "The Truest Human"

Sunday, 11/28 ADVENT begins/ Hanukkah Activity/ Truest Thing: "Our Human Condition"

CHURCH - PLEASE FEED THE YOUTH - a donation of \$50-75 covers all of us for lunch. We need 2-3 meals each month Please email Pastor Suzette (suzette@cpfumc.org) feed hungry BE LIGHT YOUTH. Thank YOU!!

PRAYERS AND CELEBRATIONS



As a deer longs for flowing streams, so my soul longs for you, O God. - Psalm 42:1

- Karen Packard Please Pray for my teen neighbor Connor who has a tumor that started in the bone and Pray for the doctors who will follow up this week with a biopsy and next steps.
- Rachel Longoria I pulled my tooth out. Pray for it to heal.
- Debra Longoria. Prayers for David who is working every other weekend and the only Paramedic and learning.
 David will turn 21 on Saturday.
- Laurel Fabian Celebration to Glenda Morrison tomorrow is her birthday.
- Pastor Suzette Thorpe Johnson Pray for people who are struggling with addiction, mental health, and for our youth.

HILL COUNTRY COMMUNITY MINISTRIES

1st week of November Food /Health Care Week 140 pounds YTD 3,927 pounds







11/14 Meet at 12:00 pm

11/21 No choir practice

11/28 Quartet meet 12:00 pm/choir practices after

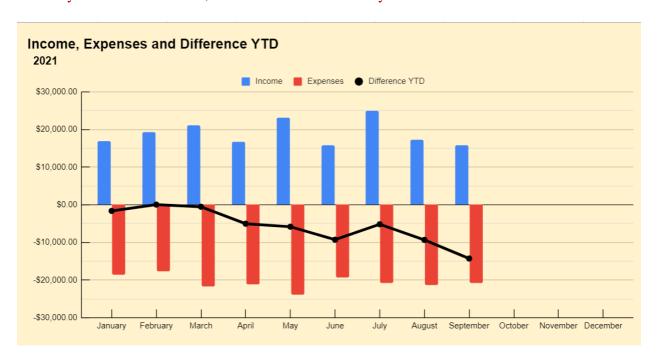
12/5 Meet at 12:00 pm

12/12 Meet at 12:00 pm

12/19 - Choir sings

1/2 Choir sings then off until Lent and Easter Season

Commitment Sunday will be on November 21, when we are asking you to submit your pledge card. Let's pray for one another over these next few weeks during this important time. Each family's situation is different, but we are all encouraged to do what we can. Your giving makes it possible for us to do a whole lot of good not only for the church itself, but also for the community of Cedar Park and for the world!



We are currently experiencing a shortfall in offerings to the church's General Fund, which is the church's operating account and is used to pay all our bills.

Expenses this year have unfortunately exceeded income by almost \$15,000.

With our cash reserves steadily dwindling, would you consider helping us make up the difference over the last two months of the year?

Any additional generosity on your part would be greatly appreciated!

Brother Laser Printer for Sale, \$75



Brother model HL-L2320D

This is a perfect compact size printer for a student or home office. It is compatible with Windows and Mac operating systems. The toner cartridge is brand new (100%) and the drum has 90% remaining life. The printer has been lightly used: only 13739 pages printed in 5 years, a duty cycle of only 229 pages/mo. The power cord and a USB 2.0 cable are included. This printer accepts a high-capacity (2600 pages) toner cartridge (TN660) as well as the standard-capacity (1200 pages) toner cartridge (TN630).

Contact Neil Howard, nhowardtx1@gmail.com, 512-720-1990 if you are interested in this printer.



Our new logo reflects two main themes:

Transformation and Peace.

Transformation is displayed through the heart's gradient, and is meant to reflect the transformation our program has undergone over the past year and half, with a move to a new facility and a new partnership with Leander ISD. It also reflects the transformation our families experience during their time with us. Teen parents become high school graduates; infants grow to become toddlers; and toddlers develop new skills to prepare them for success in Kindergarten and beyond.

We chose a rainbow gradient to reflect Peace. In Genesis 9, God uses a rainbow as a symbol of his covenant with Noah, His promise to never again destroy the earth with flood waters. Each of our families is weathering their own storm. It is our prayer that Acts of Love is a place of peace for them, where they can be comforted, cared for, and experience God's love, as they navigate a new normal and grow together as a family.

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