

The Woodlands Community Presbyterian Church

An Inclusive Church Family Loving, Sharing, and Serving Christ

CHILDREN:

Sleepers & Creepers (Baby nursery) Rm 309
 Explorer Nursery (18 mos—3 years) Rm 308
 Preschool (3-6 yrs) Rm 307

FOLLOWING WORSHIP SERVICES TODAY
Find 4 & 5 year-olds in Rm 307

ADULT, YOUTH AND CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL AT 9:45 AM

Children: Pre-K-K in Rm 106, 1st-2nd in Rm 101,
 3rd & 4th in Rm 204, 5th-6th in Rm 205
Youth: 7th-8th Confirmation HEB 305
 9th-12th Rm 200 Youth Room
Adults: Apocryphal Jesus HEB 302
 Lectionary Class HEB 303
 Connecting Through the Bible HEB 304
 Parenting Class* HEB 306
 First Place 4 Health Parlor
 Coffee Fellowship Narthex of Fellowship Hall.

Save the Date! **VBS is July 16th-20th**

Registration for WCPC members starts **March 25th**
 VBS Planning Mtg TBA email Susan for information

YOUTH REGISTER NOW!

HEIFER RANCH MISSION TRIP

June 10-15, 2018

Completed 8th - Graduating Seniors

REGISTRATION DEADLINE APRIL 15

Mo Ranch Celebration
 June 24-29, 2018

Completed 9th - Graduated Seniors
REGISTRATION DEADLINE
 MAY 15,

Mo Ranch Jr. High Jubilee
 July 8-12, 2018

Completed 7th - Completed 8th
REGISTRATION DEADLINE
 MAY 15

YOUTH WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY

Please join us for our new "Who is Jesus?" study at 6:00 pm in the Youth Room. Come at 5:30 for dinner in Fellowship Hall!

WEDNESDAYS YOUTH JAM NIGHT

Youth Jam Session will meet in
 Youth room 7:30 pm
 Text Sally Bowers (713-823-2824) to RSVP!



PARENTING YOUR TEENAGER CLASS

Parenting your Teenager class began March 21 and will conclude on April 26. It is from 6:15-7:30 (during youth). This 6 part video and discussion series takes a Biblical look at parenting teenagers and will include topics such as: identity, turmoil, rebellion, and legacy. No preparation is needed, just join in with fellow parents as we listen, discuss, and fellowship. Childcare/Bible study will also be available for children.

Questions, please contact Marnie Bush at marniebush@gmail.com

NEW TWEEN BIBLE STUDY BEGINNING FOR LENT & EASTER

Tweens 5th and 6th grade meet with Susan in room 205 at 6:15-7 pm for a Lent and Easter season Bible study. We will be taking the previous Sunday lectionary texts and studying them more closely with an emphasis on growing your faith and understanding of Jesus during these repenting and celebrating seasons of worship.

WCPC HOSTS A WEEKLY AA MEETING. Monday night at 7:00 pm in Rm 306 in the Hendricks Building a local AA group is meeting. If you know of anyone who would like to attend please share this info.



WELCOME GUESTS!

- Visit the Welcome Table in the Narthex of the Sanctuary for information about the ongoing work, worship and fellowship of this congregation and how you can get involved.
- Attend our "Welcome to WCPC" classes in the Hendricks Building, room 302, 9:45am-10:45am, the last two Sundays in April.
- Speak with one of our staff or go to www.wcpc-tx.org to learn more about becoming a member of WCPC.



The Sanctuary Guild wishes to express its appreciation to all who, by purchasing ferns and hydrangeas to honor loved ones, enhanced the beauty of our sanctuary on Easter Sunday. Please remember to pick up your purchased plants.

COMMUNION SERVERS

Would you like the opportunity to serve communion at WCPC? All confirmed WCPC adults and youth may sign up to serve. If you would like to be a part of this ministry, and did not receive a WCPC Communion Servers invitation on SignUp Genius, please email Nancy Castro at nancyc1254@yahoo.com. Your name and email will be included in the next SignUp Genius communion invitation message.



COME ONE, COME ALL

& BUY! BUY! BUY!

HOW: Donate, Buy or Volunteer

No TV's accepted; Pick up of donation items not available. Donation drop offs accepted beginning April 9

WHAT: RUMMAGE SALE

WHEN: SATURDAY, APRIL 14TH

7am-12 noon

Doors open at 7am. No pre-shopping

WHY: To benefit WCPC Youth & Children camp scholarship funds

Questions?

Contact Jullie Jones at 832-326-6316.

The **Mon. Morning Women's Bible** study group meets Mondays from 9:30-11:30am in Rm 301 in the Hendricks building. New members are always welcome! We are studying Daniel. The only supply needed is your favorite (study) Bible. Contact Tricia Knight (281-367-0490) for info!

CIRCLE OF BLESSINGS - WOMEN'S CIRCLE 2nd Thursday April 12 at 7:00 pm in the parlor

This year we are using the study *The Bad Girls of the Bible, and What We Can Learn from Them* by Liz Curtis Higgs.

Wednesday Study Group Began a 16-week Study on March 28

The Challenge of Jesus, by John Dominic Crossan.

This is a video-based study published by *Faith & Reason*. In *The Challenge of Jesus*, renowned historical Jesus scholar John Dominic Crossan, presents his life's work exploring the matrix of Jesus' unique time and place. Dr. Crossan's presentations are produced in a revolutionary new multimedia format that helps viewers comprehend the dynamic, multifaceted interactions between the Roman Imperial program of conquest and the struggles of occupied Israel in the century in which Jesus acted and taught. Wednesday, 10:00 to 11:30am Hendricks Building Room 301, Everyone welcome!

MISSION OUTREACH

- **ESL Volunteer Orientation Meeting** - Are you interested in volunteering this fall with the ESL program run by Interfaith of The Woodlands on our campus? There will be an orientation meeting this Tuesday, April 17th at 11:15 am in HEB Room 301 B. Please contact Michele Stelter at 281-363-2040 x 7 or mstelter@wcpc-tx.org if you want to attend this meeting.
- **One Great Hour of Sharing (OGHS)**- Contributions to this special offering, which provides relief to those affected by natural disasters, food for the hungry and support toward the self-development of poor and oppressed communities, will be accepted through **April 16th**. Please use the specially marked envelopes in the pew racks or note OGHS on your check made payable to WCPC.
- **Project C.U.R.E.** - On **April 19th**, we will travel to the Project C.U.R.E. warehouse in Houston to sort and pack donated medical supplies to send to countries facing poverty and disease. Carpool to leave from church parking lot at **8:30am**. We will work until noon and then return to church. Sign up in the courtyard after services. Contact Sally Shu at sally.f.shu@gmail.com or 936-273-0370.
- **Presbyterian Children's Homes and Services** - You are invited to their "Annual Hope for Children" luncheon at the Junior League in Houston on Thursday, April 19th from 11:30 am to 1:00pm. If you would like to attend, please contact Erin Michaelis at erintbaker@gmail.com or 832-535-0078.
- **The Gathering Place** - On **Friday, April 20th**, from **10 am to 1pm in Fellowship Hall**. The Gathering Place is a respite ministry for families affected by Alzheimer's disease or other mild dementia. Common Ground, a support group for caregivers, is held from 10:30 to noon in the parlor. Contact Kathy Bray 281-787-6314 or kathyj.bray@gmail.com to attend/volunteer
- **Habitat for Humanity** - The **dedication** of our Habitat House at 1210 Cedar Creek in Conroe is set for **9am on Saturday, April 28th**. **All are welcome to attend the dedication**. If you would like to help with the dedication, please contact Bill Bray at 832-702-6227 or bill.bray@sbcglobal.net.
- **2018 Peru Mission Trip Opportunities** - For more information, see newsletter article or the bulletin board outside of Fellowship Hall. Contact: Gary Chapman at 281-361-5779 or gary.chapman5206@gmail.com.
- **Food Pantry - Special needs for April:** dry and canned soup, dry milk, toilet paper and kleenex **Ongoing needs:** peanut butter, jam, cleaning products (no spray bottles), personal hygiene items, diapers and baby wipes. Bring donations to the pantry in the narthex anytime.

On the **CALENDAR** for this week...

Sunday, April 8	8:30 & 11:00 a.m. Worship, Sanctuary 9:45am Sunday School
Monday, April 9	9:30 am Monday Morning Bible Study, Rm 301 Hendricks Building Moms Group*, Prayer Garden 10:00 am Spanish Class, Rm 302 Hendricks Building 11:30 am Yoga, Sanctuary Narthex 7:00 pm AA, Rm 306 Hendricks Building
Tuesday, April 10	9:30 am Yoga, Sanctuary Narthex 7:00 pm Deacon Team Meeting, Rm 301 Hendricks Building
Wednesday, April 11	10:00 am Wednesday Study Group, Rm 301 Hendricks Building 4:00-8pm Childcare for Rummage Sale Volunteers* 4:15 pm Children's chimes in Sanctuary Narthex 4:45 pm Children's choirs: Alleluia in 305, Angel Voices in 301 Cherubs in 302 Hendricks Building 5:30 pm Heavenly Metal, Sanctuary Narthex 5:30 pm Dinner in Fellowship Hall 6:00pm Youth Bible Study Rm 200 6:15 pm Parenting Teenagers Class, Rm 204 6:15 pm Tween Bible Study, Rm 205 6:30pm Jubilate Bells*, Sanctuary Narthex 7:30 pm Youth Jam Night, Rm 200 7:30 pm Sanctuary Choir*, Choir Room
Thursday, April 12	9:am-12pm Childcare for Rummage Sale Volunteers* 6:30 pm Yoga, Sanctuary Narthex 7:00pm Circle of Blessings, parlor
Friday, April 13	9:30 am Yoga, Sanctuary Narthex 1:00 pm Holy Folders, Parlor 4:00-7pm Childcare for Rummage Sale Volunteers* 5:00 pm Tween and Youth Fellowship/Service, Fellowship Hall* 7:00 pm All Ears Toast and Taste Dinner, Palmer Course
Saturday, April 14	7:00 am Rummage Sale, Fellowship Hall 10:00 am Yoga, Sanctuary Narthex

*Scheduled nursery care. Contact Susan Duncan, 281.363.2040, Ext 6 or sduncan@wcpc-tx.org to confirm time and RSVP for ages & # of children.

SHOW YOU CARE WITH CALL-A-FRIEND

WCPC is looking for a few members to make a short phone call every so often to someone in the congregation who can't come to church. Choose one person to contact by phone to say that the church cares. It's easy, but it makes a difference—for both of you. Prefer to visit in person? We have a Visitation Ministry, and we need your help there, too. Email Mignon Mabry at mwmabry@gmail.com or Tammy Rand at fromaway1958@me.com for details or a call-back.

Help make WCPC look it's best! The Mow and Blow team needs volunteers! Contact: Andy Ward at AndyNon7@gmail.com



SANCTUARY FLOWERS \$50, Dates with no flowers: April 22, 29, June 3, 17, July 1, 15, Oct 14, 21, 28, Dec, 2 Contact Carol Palmquist at 281-367-5166 or RNIPalmquist@aol.com

Automatic Tithing

If you would like to meet your tithing through an automatic transfer of funds from your bank account, forms are at the office or at www.wcpc-tx.org.

Treasurer's Report for FEBRUARY 2018

Worship Attendance

	February	Yr to Date		
Receipts	\$ 91,611	\$ 180,596	April 1, 2018	539
Expenses	\$(82,420)	\$(169,735)	April 2, 2017	229
Over/(Under)	\$ 9,191	\$ 10,861		

The Woodlands Community Presbyterian Church Prayer List

"Be merciful to me, and hear my prayer." Psalm 4:1c

The WCPC Prayer List may be found at the Welcome table. Prayer requests may be added or removed by contacting the church office, Rev. Laura Grice (281.363.2040, Ext 2 or lgrice@wcpc-tx.org) or Kim Petrie at petrie_kim@msn.com.