

Place News

A Word from Rev. Alice Hupp

On June 17th I will be celebrating 38 years as an ordained minister! Wow! When I look back on that day in 1984, yes that does age me, I can still hear my preaching professor, Rev. Dr. Ron Allen, who preached the ordination sermon that day, say that there would be days I would get a phone call in the middle of the night asking, Pastor, can you come? And sure enough there were those calls. Not all of them have occurred in the wee hours of the night, and yet sometimes they come when I least expect them.

I remember, when I was in my church in Auburn, Indiana, I received a call that one of our young adults, Craig, (21) was involved in an industrial accident. He worked in a metal plating company. Someone had used bleach to clean out the tank and it mixed with the chemical in the tank to create a toxic gas. The other four young men in the bottom of the tank cleaning died. Craig tried to reach down to save them from the top, trying to pull them out but soon he too was overcome by the gases. He was alive long enough to become an organ donor.

I think about little Danzen, who at 7 drown at Possum Kingdom and how the members of Park Place jumped into action to be with his mother and family. We were up all night praying, hugging and crying with each other....or the time we got the call that David died in a car crash and how the church once again sprung into action to rally behind the York family....and how just two short years later the church came to rally behind me when my family lost my niece Amanda in a single car crash just before her 19th birthday.

I remember so many saints who have touched my life throughout these years. Many have gone on to be part of the great clous of witnesses...and I miss them all so much!

Seminary never prepared any of us for a pandemic! Who knew that we would need a class on how to maneuver church through such crazy times as these.

Yet I have had some amazing experiences in ministry....the missions we've tackled and the lives who have come to know Jesus through baptisms and confessions...and I'm so touched that in my 38 years, two people have gone into the ministry, Penny and T.J...and I have looked on as a proud parent.

Now, as we look into the future, we are seeing changes and challenges continue...but then again, isn't that's part of it? We are about to open an autism clinic and move into phase 2 of our playground and so much more. What a ride it has been....I can't wait to see what God has in store for us next!

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Park Place Christian Church

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Church Office Hours:

Monday & Tuesday 9-12 Friday 12-4

Submit newsletter articles to the church office by Friday.



Upcoming Schedule: We are DELIVERING again on Fridays!! Please see schedule on page 7.

INTERFAITH'S

Needs for May:



Ramen Noodles Jelly Oats (packets)

Download our App Today!

We recently got the Church Center App and *highly* encourage you to download it or use a PC to sign in and check it out. In the app is our calendar, complete with links to virtual meetings, and a virtual directory.

You can download the Church Center app in your app store and connect to Park Place or visit https://parkplaceccwf.churchcenter.com/home to connect on a desktop or laptop.

CCSW Women's Assembly 2022 About this event

Join the ladies of the Southwest region as we discover new ways to connect! Hear what is happening in the region, connect with your fellow sisters in Christ, and be inspired!

This is an In Person Event June 24 - 25, 2022

Time: Check in start at 4pm Speaker: Rev. Shannon Grubbs

Cost:

After May 24, 2022: \$125 by Deadline Date June 14, 2022.

After May 24, 2022: Saturday Only Fee \$90 by June 14, 2022

Registration Cost and Hotel Information

Registration includes all programming cost, Friday night Supper and Saturday noon Lunch.

Early Bird Registration \$110 by May 24, 2022.

After May 24, 2022: \$125 by Deadline Date June 14, 2022.

Early Bird Saturday Only: \$80 by May 24, 2022

After May 24, 2022: Saturday Only Fee \$90 by June 14, 2022

Hotel Information

Spring Hills Suites by Marriott Dallas-Lewisville 720 E Vista Ridge Mall Dr. Lewisville, TX 75067

Bat 'er Up!!

Hey...who wants to go to a baseball game? We are going to the Texas Ranger's ball game on Friday night, August 12th for a 7:05pm game.

The Rangers will be playing the Seattle Mariners at Globe Life Field.

We will be purchasing the tickets this next week, so reserve your spot by call the church office/Rev. Alice or the Tuckers. We only have 15 spots...and you need to pay your money when you reserve your spot. If youth go, we

will pay half your ticket price.

Tickets will be \$33. * \$15 per car to park



It's A Gir!!

On June 6 at 1:04pm, baby Holland made her appearance, coming in at 8.4oz.

She is having trouble with low blood sugar and isn't eating so Brett and Carly would really appreciate your prayers. She is currently in the NICU where she is being treated.

Grandparents are: Russ & Janet Hallum, Rhonda Woodward

Great Grandmother: Chris Owen

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One Minute Tech

ALERT!



A "Remote Code Execution Vulnerability" was officially recognized by Microsoft on May 30th,2022. It was given the catalog number: CVE-2022-30190. The issue occurs when a malicious actor exploits the Microsoft Windows Support Diagnostic Tool (MSDT), which is a legitimate tool used by Microsoft to allow computers to receive remote desktop support from authorized Microsoft technicians.

The vulnerability exists when MSDT is activated when viewing a website address (URL) embedded in an application such as Microsoft Word, Rich Text Document, or within an Email. The URL does not have to be clicked, only viewed within the document to create the vulnerability. With this access, an attacker can install programs, view, change, or delete data, or create new accounts on the computer in the context of the users' rights. For example, if a user was logged into a computer and using their administrator account, opening one of these infected documents could give the hacker full administrative access to the computer.

Because MSDT is an integral part of all Microsoft operating systems, this vulnerability applies to ALL VERSIONS of Microsoft Windows, including Windows 11. Microsoft was made aware of the vulnerability in April 2022, but they did not officially recognize the severity of the issue until the following month because the attack vector requires the user to interact with an infected document to create the vulnerability. As of this writing, Microsoft states that "Microsoft is working on a resolution and will provide an update in an upcoming release."

What can you do in the meantime? A temporary workaround involves making a backup copy of the registry key that controls MSDT, then deleting the key. After Microsoft issues a permanent fix, the key can then be restored from the backup copy. Temporarily deleting the key does not damage the function or operation of the computer, it only makes it impossible for a remote access session to be initiated. We have already applied this workaround to all the Church's computers, and I would like to offer the same service to each of you absolutely free of charge. Please see me after Worship Services or contact the Church office to pass your contact information to me. As always, if you have questions about any of your tech, I am always here to help!

+Mike+

Meals on Wheels Schedule:

June 10: *Rev. Alice* June 17: *Hamman*June 24: *Mitchell* July 01: *Minniear*

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, June 7th

Newsletter 11:30am Clergy Cluster, FCC Burk

Wednesday, June 8th

7:00pm Choir

Friday, June 10th

10:15am Meals on Wheels

Saturday, June 11th

10:00am History of Western Christianity Class

Sunday, June 12th

10:45am Worship (In Person/YouTube)

Wednesday, June 15th

7:00pm Choir

Friday, June 17th

10:15am Meals on Wheels

Saturday, June 18th

10:00am History of Western Christianity Class

Sunday, June 19th

10:45am Worship (In Person/YouTube)

Our Best Prayer Partner

I don't know about you, but often I come to my prayer time and I find myself speechless. I can not find the words I want to express my heart to God. I lift up names and situations yet I can't fully say to God what I need, what I fear, or what I hope for.

In spite of this failing on my part, I still come to my prayer times daily. I take prayer seriously. If I say I will be praying for someone I feel a true obligation to follow through. Some folks I pray for daily. Some weekly. Some of my former youth have been on my prayer list for over 3 decades.

I can't explain exactly how prayer works, but I have experienced that it absolutely does work! I don't really know how the people that are not immersed in a praying community make it through the day/week/month. So, I also pray for situations, people I see, ambulances that pass my house on the way to the hospital.

While I have often prayed publicly and in groups, in general, I spend most of my time praying in solitude. It can feel somewhat lonely.

For some reason, I had never really thought of the implications of what Paul says in his letter to the Romans: "Likewise the Spirit helps us in our weakness; for we do not know how to pray as we ought, but that very Spirit intercedes with sighs too deep for words." ~Romans 8:26

Then, last year, I taught a 16-week series on Romans followed by my Life Group reading Romans together this past spring.

This verse (along with a few others) really stood out to me as I thought about my daily prayer life. Maybe it is perfectly OK for me to struggle for words because I have the best possible prayer partner: The Holy Spirit! My weakness is strengthened by the Holy Spirit reinforcing my heart and mind as I commune with God in prayer.

Again, I can not explain exactly how this works. But, I have full confidence it absolutely is what is happening as I pray.

What is your daily prayer life like? Do you have set times you pray? Do you feel alone when you pray? The Good News is that you have the same Best Prayer Partner that I have! Lean in with the Holy Spirit and open yourself up to God in new holistic ways because even when you feel weak the Holy Spirit will be sighing on your behalf in a way that goes deeper than words. Thanks be to God!

Peace and Grace Always, Charles Harrison

Youth Happenings for Summer

Park Place youth are on the move this summer!! We can't wait to get started!! Here are just a few things we are planning to do:

Summer Movie Fun on Wednesdays (time TBA)

- June 15 The Boss Baby
- June 22 Angry Birds
- June 29 Scoob!
- July 6 Sing 2
- July 13 Paw Patrol
- July 20 Tom & Jerry
- July 27 Peter Rabbit 2
- August 3 Clifford

Texas Rangers Baseball Game August 12

Plus sign up at Church for: Water Park, Putt Putt, Bowling, Children's Museum, and more! See Charles for details.

Camp Dates:

DC Kids @ Disciple Crossing June 27-July 1st *1st-5th Grade*

DC Youth @ Disciples Crossing June 20-June 24th 6th-12th Grade

Christian Youth Leadership Seminar July 11th-July 16th 9th-11th Grade

@ Disciples Oaks Retreat in Gonzales



In the morning, Lord, you hear my voice; in the morning I lay my requests before you and wait expectantly.

Psalm 5:3

Intercessory Prayer Requests

Members

Billie McInturff
Diana Rhoades
Gaye & Sonny Warren
Harvey Troutman
Linda Burks
Rusty Maley
Scott Family
Weldon Fraker
Wood Family

CONTINUAL PRAYER

Cancer patients
Members & Families of the
armed services
Teachers and schools
Racial issues
War in Ukraine

FRIENDS & FAMILY

Alecia Valdez (Robert)
Alan Boughton (Robert)
Ann Cowart (Cindy)
Aunt Mary (Susan E)
Austin & Bethany Laughlin
(Stephanie & Mike)
Baby Ella Grace (Linda Bo)
Baby Holland Hallum
Bob & Rhonda Elliott (Susan E)
Bobby Gates (Linda Bu)
Bradford Family (Woods)

Charles Sanders (Cindy)
Christie Littlejohn (Sarah W)
Cindy Smith (JoAnn)
Claudia & Husband (Katie)
Cole & Tiffany Scott (Maggie)
Crickett Herrin (Susan E)
Dakota (Sarah W)
Danny Grala (Maggie)
Francis (Randy M)
Dean Nelson (Weldon)
Doug Mackey (Lisa A)
Elizabeth Stoneberger (Weldon)
Eric Peters' Family (Susan H)
Evelyn Lowe (Maggie)

Gage Lunsford (Maggie)
Gerry McAninch (Kathryn)
James Noe (Sarah G)
Jeff Gordon (Candy)
Jennifer Bailey (Maggie)
Jessica Contreras (Susan E)
Joe Bernal (Nathan)
John Paulsen (Susan M)
Jonathan Martz (Randy H)

Gabriel, Whitney, (Tara)

Kevin & Stephanie Biggs (Chris J) Kooper Harman (Linda Bu) Lexie and Josh (Kelley P) Mabel Teddlie (Linda Bu) Margaret Brown (Kathryn)

Joyce Downs (Weldon)

Kevin Cimini (Robert)

Mike King (Sarah W)
Milo Hensley & Family (Candy)
Milton Family (Susan H)
Monte Elliot (Susan E)
Pam Prather Foster (JoAnn)
Pat Lawson (Maggie)
Peggy Mue (Sandra M)
Ray Dickenson Linda)
Rene Haub (Sarah W)
Rev. Chuck Blaisdell (Rev. Alice)
Rev. Coretha Loughridge
(Rev. Alice)

Sarah V. (Robert) Sherry Bailey (Weldon) Shon Funkhouser (Susan E) Ted Beaver (Lisa)

Robert Cabe (Karel)

Upcoming Worship

June 12, 2022

<u>June 19, 2022</u> Father's Day

Scripture: Galatians 5:1, 13-25

June 26, 2022

Scripture: Psalms 8

Scripture: Luke 8:26-39 Sermon: *Legion's Desire*

Sermon: The Fruit of Freedom

Sermon: *In Awe*Preacher: Rev. Alice Hupp

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Preacher: Rev. Charles Harrison

Record of Faithfulness



March 22—May 22, 2022

General Received \$9,896.54

Special Received

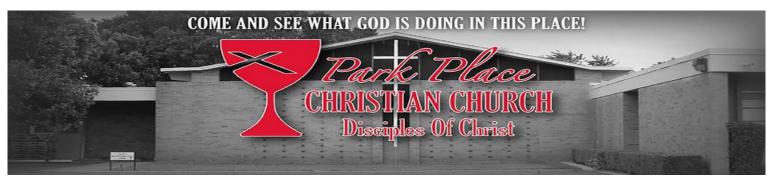
 Royalties
 \$8,960.14

 Playground
 \$ 50.00

 Easter Offering
 \$ 160.00

 Blanket Drive
 \$ 70.00

 Youth
 \$ 55.00



Our Mission - To Glorify God!

- •By dedicating ourselves to God's will
- •By proclaiming Christ's resurrection
- •By loving one another
- •By praying
- •By sharing experiences in both word and deed
- •By being faithful stewards of what God has given us.

Join us this Sunday:

10:45 am Worship Service (in-person and online!)

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Opportunities to Serve

- ◆ Pray ~ see our prayer list and remember our playground project
- Invite ~ family, friends, neighbors to services and events
- ♦ Donate ~ underwear, packaged snacks for Jefferson Elementary School
- ♦ Donate ~ food for Interfaith Food Pantry
- ◆ Participate ~ Christian art class, Faith Formation classes
- ♦ Volunteer ~ help with congregational care or preparing meals Sunday nights
- Encourage ~ fellowship with other believers
- ♦ Remain faithful ~ in attendance & giving
- Give Online ~ to the playground, projects, tithes via the website / Giving



