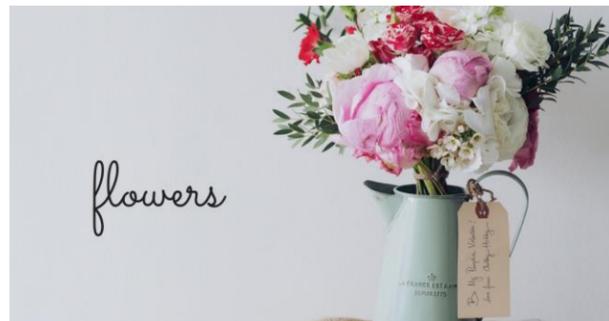




Flowers

It is a New Year and time to order your flowers for any special occasion! Our flower calendar is up in the hallway for you to put what you would like your flowers to be given in honor or memory. We want to celebrate and honor those special days in you and your family's lives. Flowers are \$35 and can be given to the office. If you have any questions please let Emily know at office@chapelhillumc.org.



- Mary Francis Waggoner
- Dorlis Glass
- Kathy Hill – Ruth Fuls
- Lynn & Dixie Copeland – Nancy Hartman
- The Family of Ruth Avery
- Glenda Pinson – Margaret Young
- Terri Moore (health)
- The Family of John Wood (Charlie Wood's brother)
- Corky Wynn – Kelly Patterson



Our Lenten Season

February 20, 2018



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We have begun our Lenten season and are excited for the many opportunities that we have to take part in this time of contemplation and shedding the unnecessary things from our lives. If you have noticed the flyers and bulletin boards, we have many opportunities to get involved and invite any neighbors or friends to join in the fun. Please make sure to check out the board, our calendar, the church website, and the flyers to the many activities that you can join.

Some things that are coming up:

Empty Bowls:

This is the 19th Annual Empty Bowls benefiting the North Texas Food Bank, scheduled for Friday, March 2, 2018 at 10:30 am, where Dallas chefs and restaurants, potters, community partners and donors will help us raise funds for North Texans in need.

Easter Egg Hunt: (with GISD):

The Annual Easter Egg Hunt with our German International School of Dallas on Saturday, March 24th at 2pm. There will be a hunt and lots of fun for all children and families to celebrate the Easter season.

HOLY WEEK

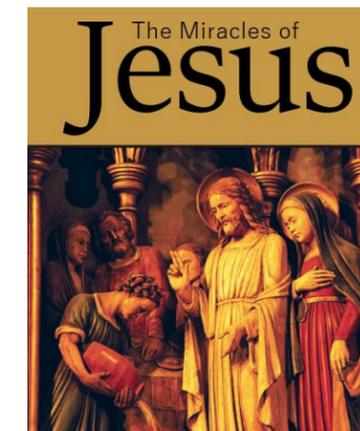
Maundy Thursday – the service will be at 7pm in the sanctuary

Easter Sunday

Easter worship will be an Easter Cantata and Communion filled Worship Celebration starting at 10:30am on April 1st. There is no joke when we say you will definitely want to be here for the Easter Cantata, *A Living Hope: Celebrating the Risen Christ*. Make sure to attend this Easter because it will be one that you remember.

Our Sermon Series

Our Sermon Series for the Lenten season will be going through the miracles of Jesus' ministry here on Earth. Tying into our Lenten study, *Made for a Miracle*, we will be seeing how those miracles relate to our lives and how we might transform our lives into something that proclaims God's glory for all. Join us each Sunday as we go through our series and come to the study on Thursday nights and Sunday mornings. *(more information inside)*



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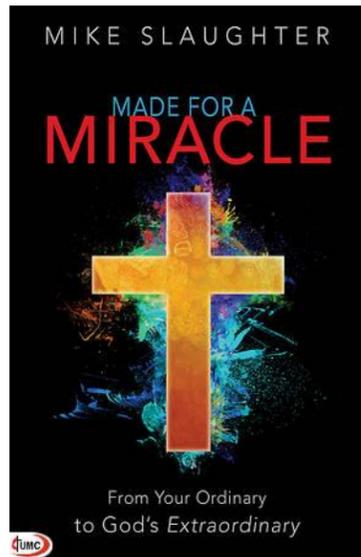
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New Lenten Study

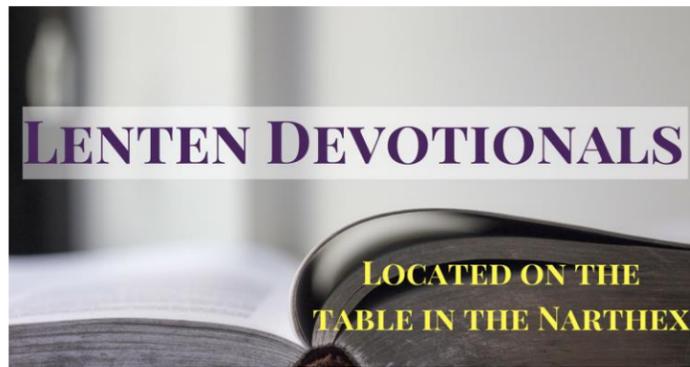
There will be another book study for the season of Lent around Mike Slaughter's book, *Made for a Miracle*. This study surrounds the idea of miracles, our place in them, and how God calls us to help Him. It will delve into our own spiritual gifts and how we can use them to help bring God's glory to our communities.

The study will take place on Sunday morning at 9:15 in Class Menagerie starting February 18th and Thursday night at 7 in the ABC Classroom during the Weekly Bible Study starting February 15th. If you are interested in a copy of the book, the office has copies available for purchase. For more information on the study or to purchase a book, please email the pastor at pastor@chapelhillumc.org or the office at office@chapelhillumc.org.



Attention Crafty People

The Worship committee is wanting to add more banners. We have a design but need helpers to make it a reality. Join Donna H and others. Interested in assembling? Contact Pat Moore ([214-773-1408](tel:214-773-1408)).



Lenten Devotionals

After our Ash Wednesday service on February 14th, our Lenten devotionals will be available for pick up in the narthex for you and your families. They are free for any who wish for them. This year, we will have two different devotionals available, similarly to the 2017 Advent season. We hope that you enjoy this resource during the Lenten season as we grow in our faith together as a church. We hope to see you on Ash Wednesday!

February/March MOP

For the next two months, we will be collecting school supplies for the two schools that are located inside our Circle. There are a few supplies that they need. We hope that you will look over the lists and deposit any items that you can in the MOP box by the end of March.

German International School of Dallas:

- Glue Sticks
- Construction Paper
- Paint brushes/Acrylic Paint

Cabell Elementary:

- Kleenex
- Hand Sanitizer
- Clorox Wipes
- Composition Notebooks

Please help us support the schools in our Circle.



February Usher List

- 4 – Habib & Pat Khoury, Joel & Kim Rangel
- 11 – Tom & Jan Wooldridge, Kathy Scheihagen, Charlie Wood
- 18 – Linda Pace, Cindy Brown, Evelyn Womble, Robert Putnam
- 25 – Tom & Bitsy Laney, Sandy Fletcher, Charles Loper



Chili Cook-Off and Auction

The 3rd Annual Chili Cook-Off with Silent Auction will be held February 25th at 5pm. This event will be supporting our Youth and Mission Teams for their trips this coming summer. The tickets are \$5 per person, and, if you would like to enter your own famous chili recipe, the entry is \$20. Please purchase these at the table in the narthex before or after worship. The best chili will get a trophy.

During the Cook-Off, there will also be a Silent Auction going on. It will have some wonderful items for you to bid on while you are waiting to see who wins the cook-off. All proceeds will be going to our two teams.

This event will be filled with a lot of fun and delicious chili. Hope to see you there with an empty stomach!

Ruth Avery, our beloved member and friend, passed on to be with the Lord this past Tuesday. Plans for a Memorial service are currently being developed, and will be communicated as soon as they are final. Let us keep her family in our prayers.



Tuesday, February 20

9:30 AM Trustees Meeting

Wednesday, February 21

10:00 AM Staff Meeting
6:30 PM Coin Club
7:00 PM Plus 4s Square Dancers
7:30 PM Chancel Choir

Thursday, February 22

8:00 AM CLAY Leadership Teaching
6:00 PM Prayer Team
7:00 PM Weekly Bible Study

Friday, February 23

10:00 AM GISD Gym

Sunday, February 25

9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship
2:00 PM Le Fe Que Vince Al Mundo
5:00 PM Chili Cook-Off

Monday, February 26

10:00 AM Companions in Christ
10:00 AM GISD Gym
11:30 AM Prayer Group

Wednesday, February 28

10:00 AM Staff Meeting
7:30 PM Chancel Choir

Thursday, March 1

1:00 PM Pathway Meeting
6:00 PM Prayer Team
7:00 PM Weekly Bible Study

Friday, March 2

10:00 AM GISD Gym
10:30 AM Empty Bowls

Sunday, March 4

9:15 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Worship
11:30 AM Mission Trip Meeting
11:30 AM UMM Meeting
2:00 PM Le Fe Que Vince Al Mundo
5:00 PM UMYF

BIRTHDAY REMINDER: Please let our church office know your birthdate, mm/dd/yyyy, so your church family can acknowledge your special day. **Your 'year' will remain private:** office@chapelhillumc.org

★ **HAPPY** ★
BIRTHDAY!

Joseph Kim 2/5
Steve Fulls 2/11
Habib Khoury 2/24
Sarah Baird 2/26

Brianna Lopez 2/6
Veronica Law 2/12
Jacob Rangel 2/24
Kathy Scheihagen 2/26

Want something in the Newsletter?

Send your newsletter article to office@chapelhillumc.org by 11am Monday.

Need to reserve a room or get an event on the calendar?

Please fill out an Event Request Form located on our website: chapelhillumc.org, email office@chapelhillumc.org, or in the folders on the table in the narthex

Want to have a bulletin insert or announcement slide?

Look at the standards and procedures in the folders on the narthex table and turn it in by 4pm Thursday.

Please see our full calendar at:
<https://www.chapelhillumc.org/getinvolved/calendar/>