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The Hampton Family
The Gee Family
Nita & Jonathan Horne
Nette
Kurt Maerschel – Confirmand
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– Pastor's Message –



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Disney has released a new show in the streaming universe called the Mandalorian. In an episode of the show, the Mandalorian is suspicious of a droid that once attempted to kill a child he protects. A friend named Kuill who the Mandalorian has asked to keep the child for a time reprogrammed the droid to help care for the child, but the Mandalorian still does not trust the droid. Kuill insists the droid killed because he was programmed to do so. Now the droid is reprogrammed, so he will no longer seek to do harm.

We are all programmed. It is just a matter of how. We know that while we are made in the beautiful image of God we are marred by sin. The good news is we are offered a new program rooted in God's love for all. Since we are not droids, we get to choose which program by which we operate.

In 2020, we will face numerous challenges. A potential church schism. A guaranteed contentious election full of spite and propoganda amidst our cultural divide that causes great suffering to the vulnerable among us. A potential war. Who knows what else?

In the midst of these threats one question is posed to us: which program will we choose?

Grace and peace,

Rev. J.D. Allen

Upcoming Usher List

- 1/5 – Dave & Ilene Oldfield, Larry & Andrea Rains
- 1/12 – Kevin & Kelly Patterson, Tom & Jan Wooldridge
- 1/19 – Craig & Mitchell Davis, Robert Putnam, Linda Pace
- 1/26 – Pat Moore, Kandy Burdette, Sandra Fletcher, Charlie Wood

Human Relations Day – Feb. 2nd



Human Relations Day is a day in which we all recognize the right of everyone to realize their potential as human beings, and as a community. On this Special Sunday, offerings will go toward neighborhood ministries, community development and advocacy, and faith-based volunteer programs.

If you feel called to support these programs, we will have envelopes in the bulletins on Sunday, Feb. 2nd.

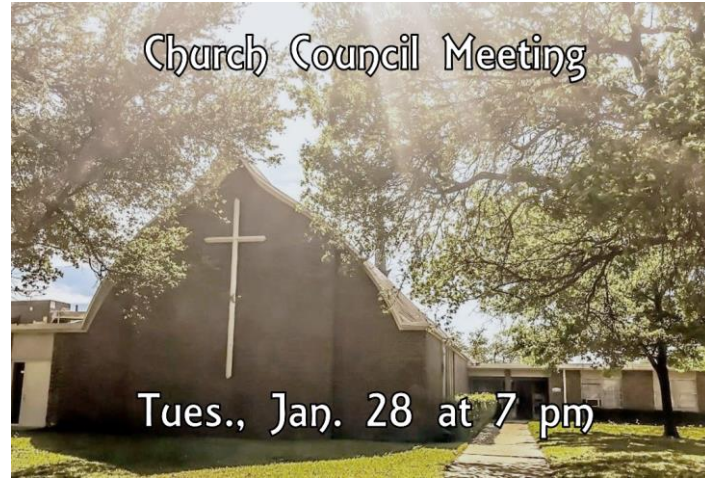
Potluck this Sunday!



Please join us for our monthly 3rd Sunday Potluck! This Sunday at 11:30 after worship, come to the Fellowship Hall for food, fun and friends!

Church Calendar

- Wednesday, January 15th
 - 10:00 AM Staff Meeting
 - 7:00 PM Plus 4's Square Dancers
 - 7:00 PM Chancel Choir
- Thursday, January 16th
 - 1:45 PM Checkout @ Spring Valley UMC
- Saturday, January 18th
 - 1:30 PM Coin Club
- Sunday, January 19th
 - 9:15 AM Sunday School
 - 10:30 AM Worship
 - 11:30 AM Potluck
 - 12:30 PM Outreach Meeting
 - 4:00 PM Children's Choir
 - 4:00 PM Youth
- Tuesday, January 21st
 - 10:30 AM Nurture Meeting
 - 7:00 PM Trustees Meeting
- Wednesday, January 22nd
 - 10:00 AM Staff Meeting
 - 7:00 PM Chancel Choir



Inclement Weather Procedure

In the event of inclement weather our office will close if DISD closes. This is so that our staff and congregation can stay safe during those winter storms that we get every now and again. Please stay safe this winter and bundle up!

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



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| Glen Womble 1/15 | Archie Shivar 1/16 | Jose Ramirez 1/17 | Amy Swanson 1/18 |
| Janis Cogshall 1/22 | Alex Young 1/23 | Barbara Tatum 1/29 | Sarah Bandy 1/30 |

Want something in the Newsletter?
Send your newsletter article to office@chapelhillumc.org by 8am Friday.

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.

Have something to celebrate?
Email the office with your celebration by Monday at 11am so that we can put your celebration in our "Hats Off" section to have everyone know the joy you are experiencing in your life.