

Hamilton Park United Methodist Church

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www.theparkumc.org

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GRAB AND GO

Sun, Aug 1st @ Noon
No Food Service on
Aug 4th & 8th

SAVE THE DATE!

Northeast Volunteer Recognition Ceremony & Taste of Northeast

Thursday, August 12, 2021

5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Food Tasting and Viewing of Tables
6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. Guest Speaker and Presentation of Awards

Guest Speaker: Dallas Police Chief Eddie Garcia

Highland Oaks
Church of Christ

10805 Walnut Hill Lane
Dallas, TX 75238

Taste of
Northeast
Free to our
Neighbors

Enjoy the delicious sampling from
area restaurants.



Presented by:



Recognizing:
VIP Group of the Year
VIP Member of the Year
Neighborhood Association of the Year
Darrell Wood Volunteer of the Year
Multi-Family Person of the Year

RSVP by Monday, August 9, 2021 by contacting:
Officer Bervin Smith, (214) 202-6255 or bervin.smith@dpcd.ci.dallas.tx.us

FREE BACKPACKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES

AUGUST 16, 2021 6:00-7:00 PM

Backpack BLESSINGS!

DRIVE-THRU

Thank you to our sponsors!



Hamilton Park Family

We are making consistent progress on renovating the flooded parts of our church. The CLC has been painted electrical outlets repaired and the floors are down. We are waiting for our contractors to install new baseboards around the floor of CLC room and it will be finished.

The contractors have removed tiles from the Hallways and are starting to put down new flooring that will match what we have in the CLC. We are also installing new fixtures in the Vestibule men's and women's bathrooms.

Finally our brand new pews are being manufactured by a firm in Waco, TX and they should be ready to install in the sanctuary in September. We have added new wiring plugs, wall baffling and speakers to the sanctuary to enhance our musical prayers and worship. God bless the Park! *The Trustee Committee*



Thank you!

The Higher Education Ministry would like to extend thanks to the Members of HPUMC for your continued support to the graduates of Hamilton Park United Methodist Church! Your presence, your financial support, and your continued prayers for success to our graduates are appreciated!

Have a Blessed & Productive Week!

The Park @ Arapaho United Methodist Church
 Every Sunday @ 1:30 pm
 1400 W. Arapaho Rd. Richardson, TX 75080

return to IN-PERSON worship

Different Place

Same God

Our Style of Worship

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/157003954053?aff=efbneb>

Lay Servant Ministries and the Board of Laity

Present the

2021 Annual Gathering of the Laity

- Saturday, August 14, 2021, 9:00 AM until Noon
- Webinar (open to all laity and clergy) –no cost
- Registration required – will open mid-July on conference website
- Featuring Jason Moore of Midnight Oil Productions
- Bring a domino

SET IN MOTION:
Has the Church Left the Building?



Each of us (laity and clergy) have a role in co-creating the next movement of God in our faith communities by taking our ministries beyond the walls of our physical building. We'll be invited to explore how we are like dominos in a rally; **Set in Motion** by the hands of the Holy Spirit.

PRAYER REQUEST

Dorothy Brown-LaSalle	Carolyn Laney	Marilyn Boyd	Helen Bell & family	Yolanda Bailey
Mrs. LaPetta Collier	Mit Lampkin	Brenda Land	Roxanne Forster	Windy Martin
Stephanie Gee	Lawrence Hopkins	Ed and Debbie Dunn	Ashton Smith	Wilma Fowlks
Claudia Claridy	Edrick Laney	Erma Chappell	Jackie Spann	Emma Turner
Shelia Dyson	Sharon Bunton	Candis DeVaughn	Pat West	Mrs. Bertha West
Marjorie Thomas	Linda Boyd	Kelsey Smith	Tyler Goins	The Blakely family
Cynthia Lusk	Yvonne Boyd	Ruth Robinson	Terry Land	Kathy Turner
Renee Dukes	The Vance family	The Rousseau family	Marcia Johnson	Rochester Edmonds
Sharon Turnley	Susan Grant	Karen Harkey	Shawn DeVaughn	Tabitha Fornville

Hear me when I call, O God of my righteousness! You have relieved me in my distress; have mercy on me, and hear my prayer. Psalm 4:1



Congratulations

Jessi!!!!

Ranchview High School alumna **Jessi Grider** will fly to New York City to make her live television debut Thursday, July 29, 2021, on ABC's Good Morning America (GMA). The Class of 2017 graduate is a digital story writer and social team intern at the news station. GMA will air a segment Grider recently produced with her intern cohorts as part of a National Intern Day celebration.



Save The Date!!
The 2nd Annual
"Holiday Festival At The Park"
Hamilton Park UMC
11881 Schroeder Road, Dallas, TX
75243
Sat, December 4, 2021



Calling all members and friends
The 2nd Annual
"Holiday Festival At The Park"
Silent Auction

Everyone is encouraged to donate items for the silent auction fundraiser. It may be a new item you already have or you may know someone who would like to donate items such as sporting tickets, paintings, hotel stays, ceramics, gift baskets, etc.

Contact: Dorothy Lewis
dlewis2200@gmail.com
972-489-4020



Our Children and their Parents are invited to join each Wednesday evening at 7:30 for Bible learning, games, dance, crafts and snack ideas. See you soon!
 Zoom meeting ID 969 8426 3845
 Passcode 11881

Contact Kathy Griffith for more information:
kgriffith@hparkumc.org

Here are opportunities for our children and youth:

Children's Worship, Learning and Faith with Friends:

- ◆ Children's Church with Ms. Ciara on Facebook - Sunday afternoons
- ◆ Faith & Family Wednesdays 7:30pm - zoom 969 8426 3845. (code 11881)

Youth Worship and Devotions - Faith Over Fear:

- ◆ Sunday afternoons 4:00pm - zoom 976 8069 6867 (code 11881)
- ◆ Thursday evenings 8:30pm - zoom 976 8069 6867 (code 11881)

For questions, contact Kathy Griffith:
kgriffith@theparkumc.org

Audio Visual Volunteers Needed
 If you are interested in working with the A/V Team during Sunday morning worship please contact the church office @ 972-235-4633



Media Ministries

STAY CONNECTED:



- Tuesday Night GAP Young Adult Bible Study - 8:00-9:00pm (774-220-4000 / Code: 118 812 or see Facebook for the Zoom information)
- Thursday Prayer 4:00pm-5:00pm - Beverly Galimore (605-475-3200 / Code: 168 199)
- Worship Service - 10:00am (Facebook or Website)

THE UPPER ROOM
 DAILY DEVOTIONAL GUIDE
 Using your smart device
 DOWNLOAD **The Upper Room**

Church Office Hours:
 Monday-Thursday
 12pm-4pm
Emergency contact
Art Mosley 469-951-7842
Giving Statement inquiries
info@theparkumc.org



Have **any news** for "The Park" newsletter?
 email
amosley@theparkumc.org

Mission u Wraps Up for 2021

By Jackie Blalock Robinson

UMW Communications Committee

Each year, United Methodists prepare for faithful living and action by participating in Mission u, a transformative education program that offers study on biblically grounded curricula. These curricula are intended to motivate, inform and enrich our commitment to be in ministry for a more just and equitable world, locally and globally. UMW Mission u, "There's Far More Here Than Meets the Eye," was held virtually this year. It closed July 26th with a beautiful worship service and holy communion. It was extremely successful with over 150 people registered and attending. Hamilton Park's UMW was honored to have one of its members, Dr. Dana Jobe, serve as assistant dean and registrar. Mission u ran from July 6 – July 26.

The Workshops

Three workshops were held. Hamilton Park's own UMW president, Dr. Mary Nickson, led the workshop entitled, **Finding Peace in an Anxious World**. The study used the book of Proverbs and "The Serenity Prayer" as a guide to help Christians find their way through anxiety, worry, and fear and move towards God's peace that surpasses all understanding.

The second workshop was based on the book entitled, **Pushout: The Criminalization of Black Girls**. It was led by Dr. Thalia Matherson. The book follows the plight of criminalized black women and girls that is over-

looked, underreported and under analyzed. The book showed how even with obstacles, stigmas, stereotypes and despair, black girls still find ways to breathe remarkable dignity into their lives in classrooms, juvenile facilities and beyond, and challenges the rest of us to do the same.

The final workshop was **Bearing Witness in the Kin-dom: Living into the Church's Moral Witness Through Radical Discipleship** and was led by Rev. Anna Bundy. The purpose of this study was to help the church and its members discern our call and bear witness to the will of God for a more just world.

The Mission u Mission Project

Each year, Mission u selects a mission project for its attendees and **any others who want to support it**. This year's project raises funds to support the **Jerri Savuto Rescue Center in Kenya** for girls escaping the trauma of FGM. FGM is Female Genital Mutilation. According to the World Health Organization, "female genital mutilation (FGM) comprises all procedures that involve partial or total removal of the external female genitalia or other injury to the female genital organs for nonmedical reasons. FGM is recognized internationally as a violation of the human rights of girls and women."

Your donation will help end the practice of Female Genital Mutilation (FGM) in Kenya and give girls a safe place to go when refusing the painful tribal procedure.

Three Ways to Donate

You can donate three different ways:

1. Paypal Offering Link:
https://www.paypal.com/donate/hosted_button_id=SSSEDJNJYZMEZL
2. Mail Your Offering:
Make your check payable to NTC UMW, indicate "FGM/GRC": on the memo line,
Mail to, Lela Luxen, NTC UMW Treasurer, 1217 Savoy Ln., Richardson, TX 75080
3. Use the GBGM Number: METHODIST CHURCH IN KENYA GBGM ADVANCE NUMBER
Project Name: Alternative Rite of Passage (ARP)
Advance Number: 3020448

How to Join UMW

The Hamilton Park UMW unit meets (currently virtually) monthly on the 4th Saturday. To become a member of the Hamilton Park unit, contact Dr. Mary Nickson at nick5110@verizon.net.

NOTE: The 2016 Book of Resolutions of The United Methodist Church urges the eradication of sexual and gender-based violence. Source: Female Genital Mutilation Fact Sheet (World Health Organization)
<http://www.who.int/mediacentre/factsheets/fs241/en/>

You can learn more about FGM and our Conference Mission Project by visiting the conference website at www.umwnorthtexas.org.

Pandemic to Praise

"After this I heard what sounded like the roar of a great multitude in heaven shouting: "Hallelujah! Salvation and glory and power belong to our God,"

Revelation 19:1 NIV

Our Father the great redeemer, our Savior. Our King of of kings. The one with great mercies.

You God, have parted obstacles and we walked on dry land from the one who was out to defile and kill us but you God rescue us with healing. For this we say...Hallelujah!

When disease wanted us you gave us a way of escape by setting up a standard. For this we say...Hallelujah!
When grief overwhelmed us and we saw no comfort, Your strength came in like a flood and took over our weaknesses. For this we say...Hallelujah!

Thank you Father, it was your words that kept us from panicking in a pandemic. You Lord showed us prayer and supplication is where we would find our strength to praise you in a pandemic. For this we SHOUT... Hallelujah!

Beverly L Galimore. Intercessory Prayer Team