



Resurrection

Metropolitan Community Church

December 11, 2016

+ **Opening Song / Canción de Apertura**

Good Christian Friends Rejoice

Good Christian Friends,
Rejoice with heart and soul, and voice;
Now give heed to what we say:
Jesus Christ is born today!
Ox and ass before Him bow, and
Asleep within the manger now.
Christ is born today, Christ is born today!

Good Christian Friends, Rejoice,
With heart and soul and voice;
Now you know of endless bliss:
Jesus Christ was born for this!
God has opened heaven's door, and
You are blessed forevermore.
Christ was born for this, Christ was born for this!

Good Christian Friends, Rejoice,
With heart and soul and voice;
Now you need not fear the grave:
Jesus Christ was born to save!
Calls you one and calls you all,
To gain the everlasting hall.
Christ was born to save, Christ was born to save!

by Jane Holstein and John M. Neale
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Our Community Gathers / Nuestra Comunidad Se Reúne

Rev. Vickey Gibbs

Announcements / Anuncios

Mark Eggleston

+ **Exchange of Peace / Saludo de la Paz**

Rev. Vickey Gibbs

+ **Gathering Song / Canción de Reunión**

Star Child

Star-Child, earth Child, go-between of God,
Love Child, Christ Child, heaven's lightning rod,
This year, this year, Let the day arrive
When Christmas comes for everyone, Everyone alive!

Spared child, spoiled child having, wanting more,
Wise child, faith child, knowing joy in store,
This year, this year, Let the day arrive
When Christmas comes for everyone, Everyone alive!

by Colin Gibson and Shirley Erena Murray
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+ You are invited to rise in body or spirit. / De pie por favor.

Wonder: Advent Series

Often this season we may wander without intention or even wonder about life's direction, but this focus is on wonder as connection to love and life and awe of the holy. Advent is the season where the holy interrupts the world, where God cries out "enough" and does a new thing in Jesus for the same old reason—removal of any sense of separation between us and God's love. Our world needs the interruption. God cries out "enough" over and over again coaxing us back into wonder, back into the way of kin-dom come.

Un...Time...Ly
Nov 27

Un...Expect...Ed
Dec 4

Un...Predict...Able
Dec 11

Un...Believe...Able
Dec 18

Un...Comfort...Able
Dec 24

Un...Recognize...Able
Dec 25

Disappointed, Rev. David Lose

And so while Matthew's portrayal of John and his doubts is striking, and even startling, maybe it's not so odd to hear about it at Christmas, when we, too, at times, feel stuck between God's promises made and God's promises kept; when we, too, at times, know ourselves to live in between Christ's first coming at Bethlehem and his second in glory; when we, too, at times, disappointed by ourselves, the world, and even God, find ourselves whispering a prayer as desperate as it is ancient and simple: O Come, Lord Jesus, come.

At those moments, we know that whatever our misgivings, whatever our disappointments, God is not disappointed in us and comes to us anyway, eager to join us in our weakness, to hold onto us in our insecurity, and to comfort us in our fear. For God in Jesus came not for the strong and the proud but the weak and vulnerable. God in Jesus, in other words, came for us.

Children's Blessing / La Bendición de los Niños (11 am)

Paul Grunenwald

Special Music / Música EspecialAaron Reines, Flute
and Joel Hammett, Piano*O Holy Night*

Composed by Adolphe Adam, in 1847.

Arranged by Bill Gaither and Gloria Gaither, Copyright 2012 by Spring House Music Group.

Song based on "Minuit, Chrétiens" (Midnight, Christians), a French poem written by Placide Cappeau.

John Sullivan Dwight, a Unitarian minister, created a singing edition based on Placide Cappeau's text.

+ Scripture Lesson / Lectura Bíblica*Matthew 11: 2 - 11*

Cuando Juan escuchó en prisión lo que el Mesías estaba haciendo, envió dos de sus discípulos a decirle: "¿Eres tú el que ha de venir, o debemos esperar a otro?" Jesús les respondió: "Vayan y cuenten a Juan lo que están viendo y oyendo: los ciegos ven, los cojos andan, los leprosos quedan limpios, los sordos oyen, los muertos son resucitados, y a los pobres se les anuncia la Buena Noticia. Bienaventurado aquel que no se escandaliza de mí."

Cuando se fueron, Jesús se dirigió a las multitudes acerca de Juan: "¿Qué salieron a ver en el desierto? Una caña sacudida por el viento? Entonces, ¿qué buscaban? Alguien vestido con ropas suaves? Miren, los que llevan vestiduras delicadas están en los palacios. Entonces, ¿qué fueron a ver? ¿Un profeta? Sí, les digo y más que profeta. Juan es aquel de quien está escrito: "He aquí, que yo envío mi mensajero delante de ti, a preparar tus caminos."

En verdad les digo, que entre los nacidos de mujer no hay nadie mayor que Juan el Bautista; y sin embargo el más pequeño en el reino de los cielos es mayor que él.

One: This is the word of God for the people of God.

All: **Thanks be to God. Amen.**

Anthem / Selección Musical

Angel's Advent Carol
by P. Liebergen

Sanctuary Choir

Sermon / Sermón

Wonder: Un...Predict...Able

Rev. Troy Treash

Sermon Response / Respuesta del Sermón

Joel Hammett

We Offer Ourselves / Nos Ofrecemos

Mark Bock

Invitation to Give / Invitación Para Dar

Angela Whorton

Offertory / Ofertorio

What Child Is This?
Arr. by Dale Warland

Sanctuary Choir

Prayer of Receiving / Oración de Recepción

Angela Whorton

Communion / Comunción

Rev. Vicky Gibbs
Angela Whorton
Rev. Troy Treash

Communion

As we gather, break bread, and tell stories of hope through prayer, song and ritual in the practice we call "communion," we bear witness that "Life is stronger than death. People can change with God's help. And God is worthy of our thanks and praise." All are welcome at the table: you do not need to be a member of this or any church to gather as God's children at the table of Life.

A brief blessing is offered with bread and unfermented juice, available to all. Gluten-free bread is offered at the far right; Spanish blessing offered at the far left.

Please honor this time of sacred community with singing, quiet meditation or prayer that we might each receive the spiritual nourishment we seek ...

Comunción

Al reunirnos, partir el pan, y contar historias de esperanza a través de la oración, el canto y el ritual en la práctica que llamamos "comunción", damos testimonio de que "la vida es más fuerte que la muerte. Las personas pueden cambiar con la ayuda de Dios. Y Dios es digno de nuestro agradecimiento y alabanza. "Todos están invitados a la mesa: no es necesario ser miembro de esta iglesia o cualquier reunir como hijos de Dios en la mesa de la Vida.

Una breve bendición se ofrece con el pan y el jugo, al alcance de todos. Pan sin gluten se ofrece en el extremo derecho; bendición españoles ofrecen en el extremo izquierdo.

Por favor respetar este tiempo de comunidad sagrada con canto, la meditación o la oración silenciosa para que podamos recibir cada uno el alimento espiritual que buscamos.

Communion Songs / Cantos de Comuni3n

Santo, Santo, Santo
by Unknown

More Precious Than Silver
by Lynn DeShazo

I Can Only Imagine
by Bart Millard

Prayer of Thanksgiving / Acci3n de Gracias

Angela Whorton

+ Closing Song / Canto de Salida

Come Thou, Long Expected Jesus

Come, Thou long expected Jesus
Born to set Thy people free;
From our fears and sins release us,
Let us find our rest in Thee.
Israel's Strength and Consolation,
Hope of all the earth Thou art;
Dear Desire of every nation,
Joy of every longing heart.

by Robert J. Hughes and Charles Wesley
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+ Benediction / Bendici3n

Rev. Troy Treash

+ Postlude / Postludio

Sanctuary Choir

Merry Christmas, Merry Christmas
by John Williams and Leslie Bricusse, arranged by Richard Kingsmore

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Worship | Sunday, 9 & 11 am
Children & Youth Worship | Sunday, 11 am
Nursery | Sunday, 9 & 11 am

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Welcome!

If you are attending Resurrection Metropolitan Community Church for the first time, we are glad to have you here! We invite you to join us each week as we worship God and learn more about Christian living in an inclusive way. All are welcome.

Make sure to visit the Concierge Desk, located in our Welcome Area, to receive a gift from us. You will find friendly volunteer hosts waiting to greet you.

Worship Services

Resurrection MCC is proud to offer a variety in our worship services. Our two Sunday services, at 9 & 11 am, are identical in form, however they contain different elements from diverse religious traditions each week.

A Special Welcome to First-Time Families!

Our nursery staff would love to meet you and your infants & children aged one month through three years! The nursery is located to the right of the Sanctuary entrance and is open during both the 9 & 11 am services.

Children and youth aged 4 - 19 years are invited to join our Youth Ministries Program during the 11 am service in the Activities Building (located across the breezeway from our main parking lot). Sign-in begins at 10:45 am. All children must be registered and signed-in to attend. Parents are welcome to join the children for Communion at Noon in the Activities Building. Snack & sign-outs begin at 12:15 pm.

About Us...

Resurrection MCC is a Christian church that follows God's call to justice for all people. We build on a rich history of social justice for, and on behalf of, lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, and queer people. Since its founding in 1968, Metropolitan Community Churches have been at the vanguard of civil and human rights movements as an international advocate for vulnerable people in places where religious orthodoxy, sexism, transphobia and homophobia can result in violence and death. MCC has been on the forefront in the struggle towards marriage equality in the US and other countries worldwide and continues to be a powerful voice in the LGBTQ equality movement. MCC's ministry reaches over 43,000 members in over 250 churches in 22 countries worldwide.

Metropolitan Community Churches are on a bold mission to transform hearts, lives, and history. We are a movement that faithfully proclaims God's inclusive love for all people and proudly bears witness to the holy integration of spirituality and sexuality. Because of our faith we are called to: do justice, show kindness, and live humbly with God (Micah 6:8); explore life's questions with open hearts and minds; raise our voices in sacred defiance against exclusion, whether religious, political or systemic; reach out to those with no hope; equip new generations of remarkable, far-reaching spiritual activists.

Our **MISSION** is to demonstrate God's unconditional love to all people through Christ-like action.

Our **VISION** is to boldly experience, engage, and embody our faith to transform ourselves and the world into the full expression of Christ's inclusive love.

At Resurrection MCC, every member and friend is a minister of the church. We envision a Christian community that values diversity and is as diverse and all-encompassing as creation. Through salvation, service, study, and tithing, each member and friend will live and grow in faith and be spiritually fed. We embrace four core values:

Core Values

Inclusion

Love is our greatest moral value. Inclusion is a primary focus of our ministry. We believe that all people, as they are and where they are, should be welcomed at God's table.

Community

Our deep desire is to offer a safe and open community for people to worship, learn, share, and grow in their faith. We are committed to equipping ourselves and each other to do the work that God has called us to do in the world.

Spiritual Transformation

A message of liberation guides our ministry. We believe that when people are invited to experience God through the life and ministry of Christ, lives are transformed.

Justice

We are committed to uplifting all people and standing with those who suffer under the weight of oppressive systems. We are guided by our commitment to global human rights.



WONDER DEVOTIONALS

November 27 - December 25

Christmas is the story of wonder. Yes, it is the story of what happened on a bright, starlit night some two thousand years ago in the village of Bethlehem, but it is also the story of what is happening right now, right where you are. Without Christmas we could never fully know the wonder of God's love. The wonder of Christmas is that God loved us more than we could imagine and came to live among us so that we could experience God with us.

Join us on our Advent journey of Wonder through the daily devotionals recorded by our members and friends that will be posted to our website.

www.ResurrectionMCC.org/wonder



CHRISTMAS TOY DRIVE TODAY

Welcome Area

Drop off Your Christmas Toy Donations
for Children Ages 4-12

Since 2002, Dee Dee Watters & The First Amendment volunteer group have been providing Christmas toys to children in Houston's Third Ward, Fifth Ward, and neighboring low-income apartments. Please consider bringing a new, unwrapped toy suitable for children ages 4-12 and place it on the counter in the Welcome Area. Your generosity will be a blessing for many children this Christmas!



Christmas Celebration with our Neighbors

With your support, we can provide a reusable insulated bag with all the ingredients necessary for our neighbors to prepare a delicious Christmas meal for their families. Pride Charities is coordinating this effort again this year. Our goal is to collect enough donations of food and cash to assemble 150 bags and there are several ways you can share your love with our neighbors in need:

DONATE FOOD AND CASH TODAY

Gathering Place

1 can of corn, 1 can of mixed vegetables, 1 29 oz. can of sweet potatoes, 1 lb. bag of rice, 1 lb. bag of pinto beans, 1 box of mashed potatoes, 1 box of macaroni and cheese, 1 can of frosting, 2 packets of gravy mix, and a \$25 gift card to Kroger, Walmart, or HEB.

Make a financial donation so that we may purchase items that are not donated. Make checks payable to "Pride Charities," write "Christmas Bags" in the memo line, and place in offering plate. You may also donate online at www.pride-charities.com. Please type "Christmas Bags" in the notes field when paying by credit or debit card.

ASSEMBLE BAGS SATURDAY, DEC 17

9 - 11 am • Activities Building

Create an assembly line to pack each of the food items into insulated bags in preparation for distribution.

CELEBRATION & BAG DISTRIBUTION

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 18

12:30 - 3 pm • Activities Building

Pride Charities and Resurrection MCC join together to celebrate the season with our neighbors. Join us as we distribute Christmas Bags, have holiday snacks, sing, and maybe have a visit from someone familiar!



RMCC Positive: HIV / AIDS SUPPORT GROUP

THURSDAYS

7 pm • Chapel

Few can question the value of support groups in helping you transition from being a person with HIV to a person truly living with HIV. We will provide a safe, non-judgmental environment where people can communicate freely and find the emotional support and education you need to better normalize HIV in your life.

RMCCPositive@ResurrectionMCC.org

VIGIL FOR GUN VIOLENCE VICTIMS



WEDNESDAY
DECEMBER 14
11 am - 1 pm • Chapel

Prayer Vigil and Reading of the Names of those lost to gun violence.

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CAMPUS CARE TEAM MEETING

MONDAY
DECEMBER 12
6:15 - 7:30 pm • Workroom

RESURRECTION NEEDS YOUR HELP!

We are looking for persons interested in stepping up during this Operations transition time. The Campus Care Team is responsible for assessing the ever-changing conditions on our campus and grounds. We meet monthly to plan and execute much needed maintenance projects in and around our church home. Other opportunities in this ministry are hosting Friends By The Fire, Spirit Walks, and Campus Care Days. All are welcome to attend this meeting and see if this ministry is a fit for your Spirit! Dinner served at 6:15 pm

www.ResurrectionMCC.org/campus-care-mtg
Shiv@ResurrectionMCC.org

ALL CHURCH WORK DAY

SATURDAY
DECEMBER 17

9 am - 1 pm • Gathering Place

During All Church Workdays, we get together to love on, clean up, organize, and maintain our church. Join us at 9 am in the Welcome Area to choose an indoor or outdoor project. Lunch and laughs will be held in the Gathering Place from Noon - 1 pm.

Shiv@ResurrectionMCC.org

CHRISTMAS EVE CANDLELIGHT WORSHIP

Saturday, December 24, 7 pm

CHRISTMAS WORSHIP

Sunday, December 25, 11 am

KWANZAA

Wednesday, December 28, 7 pm

NEW YEAR'S DAY WORSHIP

Sunday, January 1, 11 am



Sunday Worship 9 & 11 am • Spanish & Deaf Interpretation 11 am
Children, Youth & Teen Program 11 am • Nursery Available • Handicap Accessible
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Meet Me at the MANGER



At Resurrection MCC we celebrate the gift of God's love every day, all year long.

We celebrate God's love with special joy at Christmas, blessed that long ago God put each of us "at the top of the list" and gave the most wonderful gift to us all - Jesus Christ. Each Christmas, as we gather at the manger to receive the gift of Jesus Christ anew, we come grateful. And this time, we come bringing our gifts too . . .

You're invited to join us . . . Meet Me at the Manger!

It's beautifully simple: This Christmas, as you open your hearts and make a list of your family and friends and the gifts you hope to give this Christmas, give thanks for the blessing of your loved ones and for God's provision which makes it possible for you to have gifts to bring them.

And then put Jesus on the top of the list.

In the candlelit beauty of Christmas Eve, many of us will make a special gift to the ministry of Resurrection MCC in celebration of our relationship with Jesus and his life among us. We will make an offering (beyond our regular giving) in the amount of one dollar more than the cost of the most expensive gift we have on our list. We will place it in a small gift box, and place it in a the basket near the altar on Christmas Eve. For some of us, this is a way of honoring what we value most this season; for others, it's a way to say "Thank you!" or "I love you!" to God. For many of us, it is a spiritual practice, like prayer or fasting. For all of us, it is a joy and a blessing.

We hope you will join us . . . Meet Me at the Manger!
Empty gift boxes are available at all of the Sanctuary entrances.



Santa's Playhouse

SUNDAY

DECEMBER 18

11 am - 1:30 pm • Activities Building

Come meet Santa, have your picture taken, and enjoy some wassail and gingerbread with our Children and Youth Ministry.

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KWANZAA

WEDNESDAY

DECEMBER 28

7 - 9 pm • Gathering Place

Kwanzaa is a week-long celebration held in the United States and in other nations of the Western African diaspora in the Americas. The celebration honors African heritage in African-American culture, and is observed from December 26 to January 1, culminating in a feast and gift-giving. Kwanzaa has seven core principles (Nguzo Saba). It was created by Maulana Karenga and was first celebrated in 1966–67. Join us for our celebration.

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OWLS

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3rd Wednesdays

DECEMBER 21

11:30 am - 1:30 pm • Gathering Place

Join in the fun, food and fellowship of our Older Wiser Leaders Serving (OWLS). Bring your favorite covered dish and join us for games, crafts, informative lectures, fellowship and just plain fun.

OlderAdults@ResurrectionMCC.org
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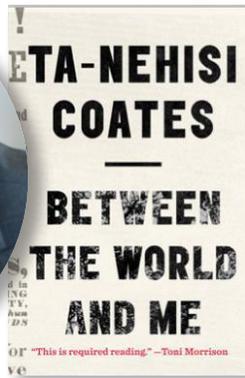
NEW YEAR'S DAY WORSHIP

SUNDAY

JANUARY 1

11 AM ONLY • SANCTUARY

As we transition between years, we make our first act of the new year to worship in community together at 11 am. It is always good to begin with worship. Whatever your resolutions imagined or made, start together in celebration and praise.



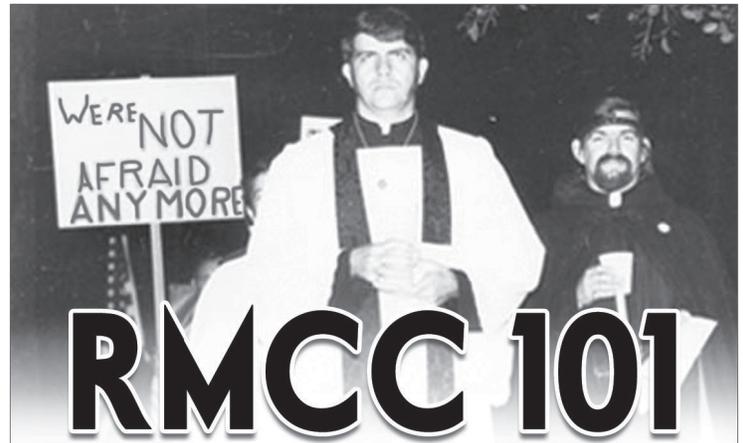
An Exploration of

Between the World and Me by Ta-Nehisi Coates

WEDNESDAYS
JANUARY 4, 11, 18, 25
7 - 8:30 pm • Gathering Place

This profound work offers a powerful new framework for understanding our nation's history and current crisis. Americans have built an empire on the idea of "race," a falsehood that damages us all but falls most heavily on the bodies of black women and men -- bodies exploited through slavery and segregation, and, today, threatened, locked up, and murdered out of all proportion.

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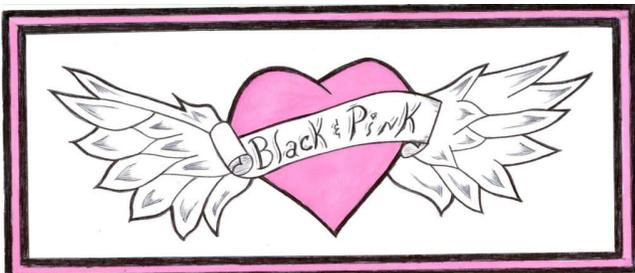


RMCC 101

SUNDAY
JANUARY 8
12:45 - 2:45 PM • CHAPEL

Learn more about who we are at Resurrection MCC in this introductory class. We'll discuss the mission, vision, and values of Resurrection MCC, learn more about our history, and discover the many ways people are making an impact in our faith community. At the end of the class you will be given the opportunity to become a member if you feel God's call on your heart to do so. The class is open to those wishing to become members and those who simply want to learn more about Resurrection MCC. Lunch provided.

Connections@ResurrectionMCC.org

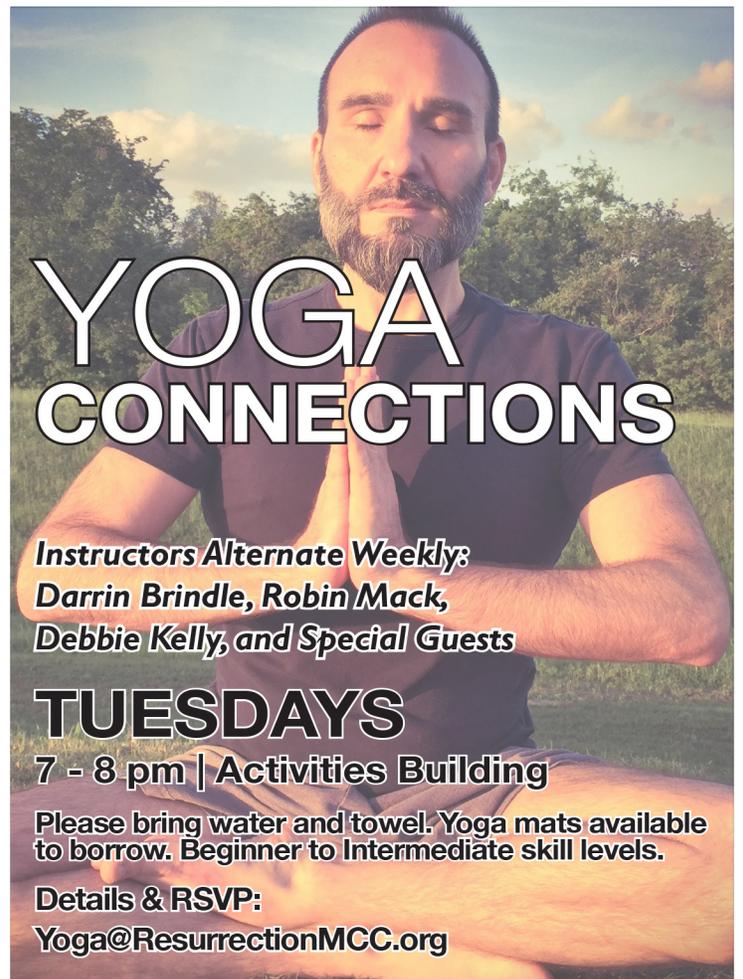


Prison Pen Pal Introductory Meeting

SUNDAYS
JANUARY 8 & 15
1 - 2:30 pm • Gathering Place

Join Free World allies who write and support LGBTQ prisoners. We will work toward the abolition of the prison industrial complex rooted in the experience of currently and formerly incarcerated people. We are outraged by the specific violence of the prison industrial complex against LGBTQ people, and respond through advocacy, education, direct service, and organizing.

Justice@resurrectionMCC.org



YOGA CONNECTIONS

Instructors Alternate Weekly:
**Darrin Brindle, Robin Mack,
Debbie Kelly, and Special Guests**

TUESDAYS
7 - 8 pm | **Activities Building**

Please bring water and towel. Yoga mats available to borrow. Beginner to Intermediate skill levels.

Details & RSVP:
Yoga@ResurrectionMCC.org

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EN ESPAÑOL
A LAS 11 AM.

Sunday Worship
 now interpreted into
 Spanish at 11 am.

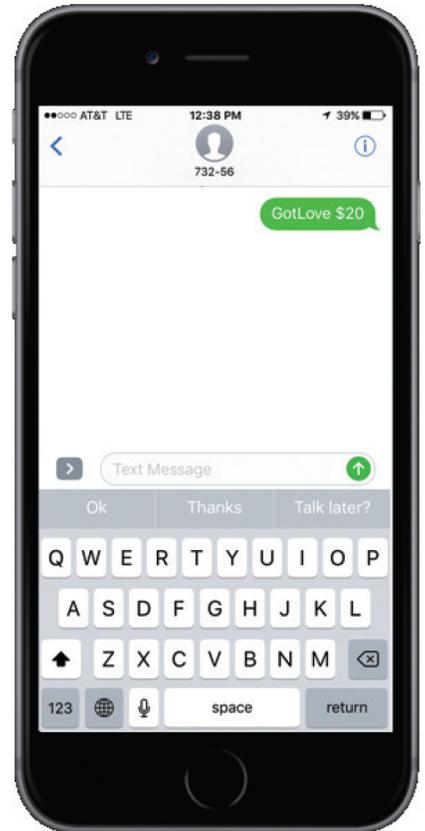
English Assistive Listening
 available at 9 & 11 am



Please pick up an Audio Receiver in the Narthex.

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IN.formation is a peer led support group focused on creating a gender inclusive community for transgender and gender non-conforming individuals, spouses and partners.

Support Meetings are held the 2nd and 4th Monday
 from 7:00 to 8:30 pm
 7:00 pm to 7:45 pm Transgender/GNC Support
 7:00 pm to 7:45 pm Spouses and Partners Support
 7:45 pm to 8:30 pm Both groups meet together

Celebrating Your Birthday!

We would like to send you birthday greetings on your special day so please take a moment to complete your profile in ACS so that we are able to celebrate your birthday with you. It is easy to do. Just go to our Web site at www.ResurrectionMCC.org click on the "My Journey" logo and create or update your profile.

General Fund Giving Report

For YTD Ended December 4, 2016

	Anticipated	Actual
General Offerings	\$769,503.85	\$727,096.46
Fundraising	\$49,359.86	\$45,823.55
Events/Leases	\$129,878.11	\$143,778.18
Total Income	\$948,741.82	\$916,698.19
Variance		(\$32,043.63)
Attendance	Week Ended	YTD Average
Worship	357	397
Programming	159	309
Total Weekly Attendance	516	706

Ministry Plan Need is the weekly amount needed per the budget approved by the congregation to achieve our 2016 ministry plan goals and strategic growth initiatives.

This Week @ ResurrectionMCC.org

This schedule lists open offerings for which all are invited to participate. This is not a comprehensive list of all events on campus.

SUNDAY DECEMBER 11

9:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:00 am	Christmas Toy Drive	Welcome Center
10:15 am	Coffee Talk!	Gathering Place
10:45 am	Generation Faith Teen	Activities Building
11:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:15 pm	Coffee Talk!	Gathering Place
12:30 pm	Brunch Buddies	Welcome Center
1:30 pm	Devotion in Motion	Activities Building

MONDAY DECEMBER 12

6:15 pm	Campus Care Team Meeting	Conference Room
6:30 pm	Toastmasters	Gathering Place
7:00 pm	In.Formation	Nursery

TUESDAY DECEMBER 13

6:00 pm	Praise Team Rehearsal	Conference Room
7:00 pm	Gospel Ensemble Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:00 pm	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Music Room
7:00 pm	Narcotics Anonymous 12-Step Meeting	Chapel
7:00 pm	Yoga	Activities Building

WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 14

11:00 am	Vigil for Gun Violence Victims	Chapel
6:30 pm	Overeaters Anonymous 12-Step Meeting	Chapel

THURSDAY DECEMBER 15

7:00 pm	RMCC Positive:HIV / AIDS Support Group	Chapel
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FRIDAY DECEMBER 16

No Events Scheduled

SATURDAY DECEMBER 17

9:00 am	All Church Work Day	Welcome Center
9:00 am	Christmas Bag Assembly	Activities Building
9:30 am	Overeaters Anonymous 12-Step Meeting	Chapel
1:00 pm	Joy of Djembe Drumming	Activities Building

SUNDAY DECEMBER 18

9:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:15 am	Coffee Talk!	Gathering Place
10:45 am	Generation Faith Teen	Activities Building
11:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
11:00 am	Santa's Playhouse	Activities Building
12:15 pm	Coffee Talk!	Gathering Place
12:30 pm	Christmas Celebration	Activities Building
1:30 pm	Devotion in Motion	Activities Building



COFFEE TALK

**Every Sunday
After Worship
Gathering Place**

Coffee Talk is an opportunity to make friends over conversation and breakfast snacks every Sunday! We hope you will find this as a great way to meet new friends and reconnect with those you already know. Due to a change in our arrangement with a catering group, we are in need of finger foods each Sunday. Please consider bringing and sharing your favorite sweet or savory dish at Coffee Talk. Contact Shiv@ResurrectionMCC.org with questions or offerings.



BRUNCH BUDDIES

TODAY • 12:30 pm

Los Cucos

1111 Studewood St, Houston 77008
www.loscucos.com/heights • 832-962-4472

Join us at a nearby restaurant every Sunday. The restaurant name and address will be printed in this location in the bulletin each week. Whether you're a long-time congregant or a first-time visitor, consider yourself invited to become a Brunch Buddy!

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