



Resurrection

Metropolitan Community Church

May 26, 2013

+ Call To Worship

Andrea Ferguson

One: So how goes it with these kings?
ALL: Saul was good for a while, but David was a second chance.
One: So how goes it with these kings?
ALL: David was good for a while, but needed Nathan to bring him back to earth.
One: So how goes it with these kings?
ALL: David was good as a warrior, but not the one to build the temple.
One: So how goes it with these kings?
ALL: Solomon was good for a while, and he asked for wisdom.
One: So how goes it with these kings?
ALL: Solomon was good as a builder, but more always seemed better.
One: More always seemed better, would there ever be enough?

+ Preparing Our Hearts

Sanctuary

Lord prepare me to be a sanctuary,
Pure and holy, tried and true;
With thanksgiving,
I'll be a living sanctuary for You.

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Our Community Gathers / Nuestra Comunidad Se Reúne

Rev. Dr. Michael Diaz

Announcements / Anuncios

Mark Eggleston

Joel Hammett - Honoring 30 years of Service

Rev. Troy Treash

+ Exchange of Peace / Saludo de Paz

Rev. Dr. Michael Diaz

We Gather

From many places we gather here. This is a high point of our week. We see our friends. We make new friends. And we spend time with The Friend -- the loving Christ who meets us where we are, as we are. In this Sanctuary we worship, and through worship the courage within us is kindled to inspire courageous living beyond this place.

Joel Hammett

Today we celebrate thirty years of music ministry by Joel Hammett. Joel has been our beloved Organist and Sanctuary Choir accompanist. We are so blessed to have this consummate musician. He also teaches in his own music studio here in Houston. Today after the services there will be a reception to honor his commitment to this congregation and Worship Arts Department. Thank you Joel for your faithful service these past 30 years!

+ You are invited to rise in body or spirit.

+ **Opening Hymn / Apertura Canción**

Crowning With Many Crowns

Crowning with many crowns, the Lamb upon the throne.
Hark! How the heavenly anthem drowns all music but its own.
Awake, my soul, and sing of Christ who died for me,
And hail the Lamb as matchless King through all eternity.

Crowning the Son of God, before the worlds began,
And ye who tread where Jesus trod, will crown the Son of Man;
Who every grief hath known that wrings the human breast,
And takes and bears them for thine own, that all in thee may rest.

Crowning the Lord of life, who triumphed over the grave,
And rose victorious in the strife for those Christ came to save.
God's glories now we sing, who died, and rose on high,
Who died eternal life to bring, and lives that death may die.

Crowning the Lord of peace, whose power a scepter sways
From pole to pole, that wars may cease, and all be prayer and praise.
Christ's reign shall know no end, and round the pierced feet
Fair flowers of paradise extend their fragrance ever sweet.

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Contemporary Word

Paula Werner

It truly was the Golden Years. King David had secured Israel's borders. King Solomon could focus on diplomacy, architecture, and temple construction. Solomon was known for his wisdom and ruled over all the kingdoms from the Euphrates River to the Land of the Philistines, as far as the border of Egypt.

These countries brought tribute and were Solomon's subjects all his life. 180,000 conscripted laborers worked for seven years to build the temple. Is there a difference between a conscripted laborer and a slave? Once a slave people are now slave owners? Though wise to begin, it seemed that there was never enough--there could always be more.

+ **Scripture Lesson / Escritura Lección**

Rev. Dr. Michael Diaz

1 Kings 3:5-9, 11:1-6

At Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon in a dream by night; and God said, 'Ask what I should give you.' And Solomon said, 'You have shown great and steadfast love to your servant my father David, because he walked before you in faithfulness, in righteousness, and in uprightness of heart towards you; and you have kept for him this great and steadfast love, and have given him a son to sit on his throne today. And now, O Lord my God, you have made your servant king in place of my father David, although I am only a little child; I do not know how to go out or come in. And your servant is in the midst of the people whom you have chosen, a great people, so numerous they cannot be numbered or counted. Give your servant therefore an understanding mind to govern your people, able to discern between good and evil; for who can govern this your great people?'

King Solomon loved many foreign women along with the daughter of Pharaoh: Moabite, Ammonite, Edomite, Sidonian, and Hittite women, from the nations concerning which the Lord had said to the Israelites, 'You shall not enter into marriage with them, neither shall they with you; for they will surely incline your heart to follow their gods;' Solomon clung to these in love. Among his wives were seven hundred princesses and three hundred concubines; and his wives turned away his heart. For when Solomon was old, his wives turned away his heart after other gods; and his heart was not true to the Lord his God, as was the heart of his father David. For Solomon followed Astarte the goddess of the Sidonians, and Milcom the abomination of the Ammonites. So Solomon did what was evil in the sight of the Lord, and did not completely follow the Lord, as his father David had done.

Anthem

Breann Moya

O Divine Redeemer
by Charles Francois Gounod

Engage / Sermón

Rev. Troy Treash

What is Enough?

Moment of Silence

Rev. Kristen Klein-Cechettini

We Offer Ourselves

Ken Schroeder

Offertory / Ofertorio

Teri Hay
Breann Moya

Take Me Down
Words and Music by Robert Sterling

+ Doxology

Van English

Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow
by Thomas Ken

Communion / Comunion

Rev. Kristen Klein-Cechettini
Andrea Ferguson

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 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 ...

Comunion

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 "comunion", 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 Comunion

I See Our God

I see our God
Seated on the throne, exalted,
And the train of God's robe fills the temple with glory;
And the whole world is filled, and the whole earth is filled
With God's glory.

Holy, holy, holy, Holy, holy, is our God.

I see our God
Seated on the throne, exalted,
And the train God's robe fills the temple with glory;
And the whole world is filled, and the whole earth is filled
With God's glory.

Holy, holy, holy, Holy, holy, is our God.
Holy, holy, holy, Holy, holy, is our God, our God.

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Give Thanks

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More Precious Than Silver

by Lynn DeShazo
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Everything

by Israel Houghton
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Above All

Above all powers, above all things,
Above all nature and all that we can see;
Above all wisdom and all our self made plans
You were there, before the world began.

Above all Dominions, above all thrones
Above all wonders the world has ever known;
Above all wealth and treasures of the earth,
There's no way to measure what You're worth.

Crucified, laid behind a stone;
You lived to die, rejected and alone;
Like a rose, trampled on the ground,
You took the fall and thought of me, above all.

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Prayer

If you are in need of prayer support, you can find prayer partners available during our time of communion or after worship in the right wing of the Sanctuary.

+ **Prayer of Thanksgiving / Acción de Gracias**

Rev. Kristen Klein-Cechettini

+ **Benediction / Bendición**

Rev. Troy Treash

+ **Postlude / Postludio**

Mark C. Brown

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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 - 17 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.

The **MISSION** of Resurrection MCC is to demonstrate God's unconditional love to all people through Christian action.

The **VISION** of Resurrection MCC is to **ATTRACT** people into a relationship with God through radical **INCLUSION** into God's family, transform them to Christ-like **MATURITY**, and **MOBILIZE** them for their life purpose.

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 and resisting exclusion is a primary focus of our ministry. We want to continue to be the conduits of a faith where everyone is included in the family of God, and where all parts of our being are welcomed at God's table.

Community

Offering a safe and open community for people to worship, learn and grow in their faith is our deep desire. 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

Providing a message of liberation from the oppressive religious environment of our day or to those experiencing God for the first time is what guides our ministry. We believe that when people are invited to experience God through the life and ministry of Christ, lives will be transformed.

Social Action

Working to talk less and do more, we are committed to resisting the structures that oppress people and standing with those who suffer under the weight of oppressive systems, being guided always by our commitment to Global Human Rights.

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

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www.ResurrectionMCC.org



THE FIRESTARTER SESSIONS

WEDNESDAYS

MAY 22 - SEPTEMBER 18

7 - 8:30 pm, Gathering Place

Consider yourself specially invited to SHINE! Danielle LaPorte's wild and wonderful "training course for taking the leap of your life," The Firestarter Sessions is all about discovering what success really means to you! It's full of startling questions, illuminating challenges, and passionate permission to rethink your assumptions about what will make you happy! Join us throughout the summer for one, some, or every session of this "soulful and practical guide to creating success on your own terms"! Materials provided each session. Book optional. Learn more at www.bit.ly/RMCC-FSS

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Celebration Choir

Sundays
TODAY
June 9 & 23

10:15 - 10:50 am
Activities Building #104

All our young friends ages 6-14 are invited to join in celebration singing Praise & Worship music. This new group will be lead by Jules Czarnik and Eve Messina. Questions to CelebrationChoir@ResurrectionMCC.org.



JOEL HAMMETT

Celebrating
30 Years of Ministry!

TODAY

Following Each Service, Gathering Place

Joel Hammett, our beloved organist and accompanist, is celebrating 30 faithful years of service! In speaking with him recently, he said, "It's the people and the church that keeps me here." We are blessed to have this masterful organist and pianist in our community. He may be quiet and sometimes shy, but when he has something to say, people listen. Joel is an inspiration and true blessing to this congregation. We wish him tremendous gratitude for his commitment to excellence in worship and his consistent participation in this community

Thank you, Joel!



CRITICAL MASS BIKE RIDE - GOT LOVE?

FRIDAY

MAY 31

6:45 pm - 9:30 pm

Market Square Park, 301 Milam, Houston

Calling all Bicyclists!

Join fellow Resurrection MCC bikers for a Critical Mass Bike Ride - a casual mass bike ride around the city, intended to raise awareness and advocate a bicycle-friendly urban environment. All bikes and skill-levels are welcomed. The ride will last around 2 hours - about 20 miles. Meet at 6:45pm on the corner nearest Congress Ave and Travis St. in Downtown Houston. Look for the GOT LOVE? Resurrection MCC Shirts!

FAQs - www.houstoncriticalmass.com/faq
RevMichael@ResurrectionMCC.org



YOUNG ADULT BRUNCH

ALL AGES WELCOME

SATURDAY
JUNE 1
12 pm - 1:30 pm

Table 19

632 W 19th Street, Houston, Texas 77008

The Young Adults of Resurrection MCC invite those of all ages to join them for a fun brunch and an opportunity to make new friends and reconnect with those you may already know.

Details and RSVP on Facebook.com/ResurrectionMCC or YoungAdults@ResurrectionMCC.org.



IMANI VIDA DRUM CIRCLE

SATURDAY
JUNE 1
2 - 4 pm • Activities Building

“Imani” means Faith in Swahili, and “Vida” means Life in Spanish. Join us as we explore life and faith through drumming! If you like to drum or have an interest in drumming, join us as we make music through all sorts of percussion instruments: hand drums, shakers, rain sticks and even the sound of foot stomping music. Drummers of all skill levels are welcome. No prior drumming experience is required to participate in our circle. We only ask that you bring your desire to be a part of our community drum circle. We meet every first Saturday of the month in the Gathering Place, as well as other locations for other special drumming occasions.

www.meetup.com/drummingcircle
RevMichael@ResurrectionMCC.org

NEWCOMERS WELCOME RECEPTION



SUNDAY
JUNE 2
12:30 pm, Gathering Place

Are you new to Resurrection MCC? If you have begun attending within the past few months, or have returned after hiatus, welcome home! You are cordially invited to attend a reception immediately following the 11 am Worship service with refreshments provided. You'll have the opportunity to meet new folks and some of the ministry leaders and clergy, learn more about Resurrection MCC, and ask any questions you might have.

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SEXUAL SALVATION: QUEER CHRISTIAN SEXUAL ETHICS FOUR SESSIONS

MONDAYS
JUNE 3, 10, 17, 24
7 - 8:30 pm
Gathering Place

Most of Christianity has taught that human sexuality is counter to spirituality. Our series considers what a theology of “sexual salvation,” a sexuality-affirming faith, could look like. Join Rev. Michael and Rev. Kristen and explore what it means for to claim, develop, and personally practice queer Christian sexual ethics - individually and as a community. A basic understanding of the issues regarding homosexuality and the Bible will be assumed and not specifically addressed.

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MORE TO LIFE: BEYOND CANCER SUPPORT GROUP



THURSDAY
JUNE 6
6:30 - 8 pm, Chapel

Living with - and beyond - a cancer diagnosis is many things, including frightening, confusing, and exhausting. Even so, there are those among us who would add spiritually awakening, deepening, and freeing to the list. This monthly connection group is offered by, with, and for persons who have experienced a cancer diagnosis in their lives. Come and share, no matter where you are on the path: recently diagnosed, pre-treatment, post-treatment, somewhere in the middle, or living in remission. We gather to share spiritual and practical encouragement by sharing our stories, our spiritual insights, our ideas and our resources, together bearing witness that cancer is only part of our journey; with God and each other there truly is more to life!

MoreToLife@ResurrectionMCC.org



SUMMER FLIX HOW TO SURVIVE A PLAGUE

FRIDAY
JUNE 7
8 - 9:30 pm
Sanctuary

How to Survive a Plague is the story of two coalitions-ACT UP and TAG (Treatment Action Group)-whose activism and innovation turned AIDS from a death sentence into a manageable condition. Despite having no scientific training, these self-made activists infiltrated the pharmaceutical industry and helped identify promising new drugs, moving them from experimental trials to patients in record time. www.surviveaplague.com



ZUMBA

EVERY THURSDAY
BEGINNING JUNE 6
7 - 8 pm
Activities Building

Beginning Thursdays in June, Zumba fuses fitness, entertainment and culture into an exhilarating dance-fitness sensation. Zumba exercise classes are "fitness-parties" that blend upbeat world rhythms with easy-to-follow choreography, for a total-body workout that feels like a celebration.

Zumba@ResurrectionMCC.org



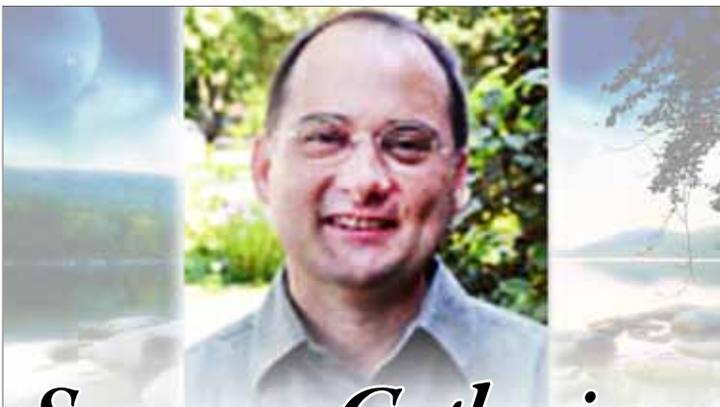
LANDSCAPE & FACILITIES WORK DAY

SATURDAY
JUNE 8
9 - 1 pm
Resurrection MCC Campus

Work Days provide you with a chance to come out and lend a hand to help out your "second home"...your church home. Things don't get done unless we do them...just like your own home.

Please help your church, consider yourself "one of the family" and join us Saturday. We can't do it without your help!

Meet in the Activities Building at 9:00 am to get your project assignment. Lunch served at Noon.



Summer Gatherings with Rev. Troy JUNE 7 - HEIGHTS

If you have not already shared your story and your hope with Rev. Troy, there will be six opportunities on Fridays this summer. Gatherings are limited to 15 people and will be held in private residences in and around Houston. Registration is required. You may bring one guest.

Registered guests will receive an email with the home address. Register online at www.conta.cc/YHDHS9

**Full Schedule of Summer Gatherings:
June 7 & 21, July 12 & 26, August 9 & 23**



BE THE ONE YOU WANT TO MARRY!

SATURDAY
JUNE 8
10 am - 1 pm
Gathering Place

Looking for "Mr. or Ms. Right"? Or to rediscover "Mr. or Ms. Right" in the one you're with? Join Leslie Guditis, Ph.D., for an illuminating workshop on BE-ing The One you want in order to attract The One you're looking for! Uncover the way to more satisfying relationships! Leslie Guditis is a licensed marriage and family therapist and certified family life educator, with years of experience working with couples and families. \$12 registration requested - no one turned away. Light lunch provided.

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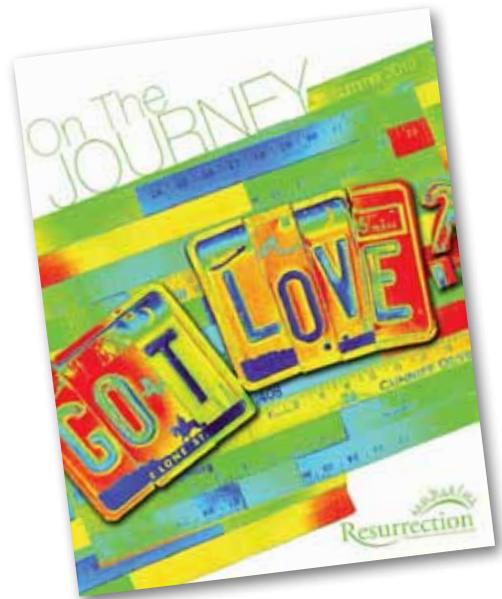
YOGA CONNECTIONS

TUESDAYS

7 - 8 pm | Activities Building

Please bring a mat and towel.
Everyone is welcome to join us
for these free sessions.

RSVP at [Facebook.com/ResurrectionMCC](https://www.facebook.com/ResurrectionMCC)
or for more info email Yoga@ResurrectionMCC.org



On The Journey magazine is full of spiritual development classes, workshops, volunteer opportunities, ministry groups, social groups, and leadership trainings especially designed to meet you right where you are in 2013!

**Available
at all
Sanctuary Entrances**



INSTRUMENTAL — ENSEMBLE —

Weekly Rehearsals on Mondays
7 pm • Sanctuary

Resurrection MCC's Worship Arts Ministry is developing an instrumental ensemble under the direction of Mark C. Brown, Director of Worship Arts, and Kedric Brown, Assistant Director. This group will participate in both Sunday Worship services once or twice a month with optional opportunities outside of worship (Christmas, Holy Week, Concerts). Rehearsals held weekly on Mondays (beginning May 20) at 7 pm in the Sanctuary. This ensemble is a good fit for those who are fair to proficient music readers with knowledge of the basic music notations for your instrument.

MarkB@ResurrectionMCC.org

CHILDREN & YOUTH VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

**ONE 11 AM SERVICE...
ONE SUNDAY A MONTH...
COUNTLESS BLESSINGS!**

**Our Nursery young 'uns ages 1 month - Pre K
would love your care!**

**Our Youth school age kids ages 5 - 12 years
would love your attention!**

**Our Teens ages 13 - 17 years
would love your company!**

Our families would love your love!

Please consider volunteering to become a Nursery Angel, Teacher's Assistant, or Teen Facilitator Assistant today! Our committed Coordinators and Lead Teachers need your eyes, ears, hands and hearts in ministry with them.

**Contact Nursery@ResurrectionMCC.org,
Youth@ResurrectionMCC.org, or
Teens@ResurrectionMCC.org and join us today -
we need you! It's time for YOU to Get Your Blessing!
Questions to RevKristen@ResurrectionMCC.org.**



Employment Opportunities Director of Operations

Resurrection MCC actively seeks to fill the position of Director of Operations to expand upon the good groundwork already in place. Do you love numbers, computers, and people? Do you share our vision of creating a church and world where all are valued? Are you called to the ministry of building accessible systems, transparent accounting, safe buildings, and healthy teams so that faith is free to flourish? If so, you may be a good match! If not, you may know someone this description fits, please let them know about this opportunity to join a team that changes the world every day!

The Director of Operations reports to the Senior Pastor and has primary responsibility for the planning, development, and implementation of the Operations ministry of the church. The Director of Operations serves as the primary point of contact and accountability for finance, facilities, campus development, risk management, information technology, human resources, and office management issues.

Nonprofit salary is dependent upon experience.
Health care is provided.

Resumes should be sent to
RevTroy@ResurrectionMCC.org before May 30
as we hope to fill this position for a June start.

**A detailed job description is available at
www.resurrectionmcc.org/about/employment**

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Flowers in the Sanctuary

Consider donating flowers in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a special day. Email the date and message to Sara@ResurrectionMCC.org or call 713-861-9149 x112.

Board Member on Duty

Manuel Diaz and Eddie Domingue

Board Minutes Available Upon Request.

General Fund Giving Report

For Week and YTD Ended May 19, 2013

Giving (Tithes and Offerings)	Week Ended	YTD Total
Total Amount Received	\$11,773.37	\$345,750.11
Total Amount Anticipated	\$17,980.77	\$350,625.01
Total Giving Variance		\$4,874.90
Weekly Giving Comparison		
Average Amount Received	\$17,730.77	
Cash Flow Need	17,980.77	(A)
Ministry Plan Need	\$17,980.77	(B)
Attendance	Week Ended	YTD Average
Worship	581	539
Programming	89	153
Total Weekly Attendance	670	691

Cash Flow Need

is the minimum amount needed each week to fund our basic ministry obligations: staff, property, operations and debt (i.e., the minimum amount needed to keep the doors open each Sunday)

Ministry Plan Need

is the weekly amount needed per the budget approved by the congregation to achieve our 2013 ministry plan goals and strategic growth initiatives (i.e., the amount needed to make ministry happen)

This Week @ ResurrectionMCC.org

SUNDAY MAY 26

9:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:00 am	Joel Hammett - Anniversary Celebration	Gathering Place
10:15 am	Fisher's Net - Prayer Time	Chapel
10:15 am	Celebration Choir Rehearsal	Activities Building
10:45 am	Youth Ministries Program	Activities Building
11:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:30 am	Joel Hammett - Anniversary Celebration	Gathering Place
1:30 pm	HeavenSound Handbells Rehearsal	Sanctuary

MONDAY OFFICE CLOSED MAY 27

7:00 pm	Instrumental Ensemble Rehearsal	Sanctuary
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TUESDAY MAY 28

4:00 pm	Special Music Rehearsal	Music Room
4:30 pm	Jubilee Theater Leadership Meeting	Gathering Place
5:00 pm	Pride Charities Meeting	Senior Pastor Office
6:00 pm	Praise & Worship Rehearsal	Sanctuary
6:30 pm	Night Court 2013 Rehearsal	Chapel
7:00 pm	Gospel Ensemble Rehearsal	Music Room
7:00 pm	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:00 pm	Rainbow of Hope NA Group	Gathering Place
7:00 pm	Yoga	Activities Building

WEDNESDAY MAY 29

6:00 pm	Pride Band Concert Tech Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:00 pm	The Firestarter Sessions	Gathering Place

THURSDAY MAY 30

No Events Scheduled

FRIDAY OFFICE CLOSED MAY 31

6:45 pm	Critical Mass Bike Ride	
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SATURDAY OFFICE CLOSED JUNE 1

12:00 pm	Pride Band Concert Set-up	Sanctuary
12:00 pm	Young Adult Brunch	Table 19
2:00 pm	Imani Vida Drum Circle	Activities Building
3:00 pm	Houston Pride Band Concert	Sanctuary
5:00 pm	Houston Pride Band Concert Reception	Gathering Place

SUNDAY JUNE 2

9:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:15 am	Fisher's Net - Prayer Time	Chapel
10:45 am	Youth Ministries Program	Activities Building
11:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:30 am	Newcomers Welcome Reception	Gathering Place
12:30 pm	Jubilee Theater Meeting	Work Room
1:30 pm	HeavenSound Handbells Rehearsal	Sanctuary

Fishers Net Prayer Ministry

Fishers Net offers personal prayers on Sundays at the Prayer Wall after the 11:00 am Worship Service. Please email your prayer request to Prayers@ResurrectionMCC.org. **Philippians 4:6-7** do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

CARE FOR OUR ENVIRONMENT

by recycling newspapers, magazines, catalogs and junk mail in the containers in our parking lot. We now have three collection bins as this program grows. We receive cash based on the weight collected. We have moved the dumpsters up front in the parking lot by the apartment complex.



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 Sunday Worship
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 Spanish at 11 am.