



Resurrection

Metropolitan Community Church

August 18, 2019

+ Our Community Gathers / Nuestra Comunidad Se Reúne

Rev. Vickey Gibbs

Announcements / Anuncios

Mark Eggleston

Worship Set / Conjunto de Adoración

Blessed Be Your Name

Blessed Be Your Name, In the land that is plentiful
Where Your streams of abundance flow, Blessed be Your name

Blessed Be Your Name, When I'm found in the desert place
Though I walk through the wilderness, Blessed Be Your Name

Every blessing You pour out, I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in, Lord, Still I will say

Blessed be the name of the Lord, Blessed be Your Name
Blessed be the name of the Lord, Blessed be Your glorious Name

Blessed be Your Name, When the sun's shining down on me
When the world's 'all as it should be', Blessed be Your Name

Blessed be Your Name, On the road marked with suffering
When there's pain in the offering, Blessed be Your Name

Every blessing You pour out, I'll turn back to praise
When the darkness closes in, Lord, Still I will say

(Chorus 2x)

You give and take away, You give and take away
My heart will choose to say, "Lord, blessed be Your Name"
(Repeat 3x)

(Chorus 2x)

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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, as we are. In this
Sanctuary we worship,
and through worship
the courage within us
is kindled to inspire
courageous living
beyond this place.

+ You are invited to rise in body or spirit. / Usted está invitado a levantarse en cuerpo o espíritu.

Your Love Is Extravagant

Your Love is extravagant, Your Friendship, it is intimate

I feel like moving to the rhythm of Your Grace
Your Fragrance is intoxicating in a secret place
Your Love is extravagant

*Spread wide in the arms of Christ is the love that covers me
No greater love have I ever known, You considered me a friend*

Capture my heart again, Capture my heart again

Your Love is extravagant, Your Friendship, it is intimate

I feel like moving to the rhythm of Your Grace
Your Fragrance is intoxicating in a secret place
Your Love is extravagant

(Chorus 2x)

Capture my heart again, Capture my heart again
Capture my heart again, Capture my heart again

Your Love is extravagant, Your Love is extravagant

by Darrell Evans

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Holy Spirit Rain Down

(2x)

*Holy Spirit rain down, rain down
Oh Comforter and Friend, how we need Your touch again*

*Holy Spirit rain down, rain down
Let Your Power fall, let Your Voice be heard*

Come and change our hearts, as we stand on Your Word. Holy Spirit, rain down

No eye has seen, no ear has heard, No mind can know what God has in store
So open up Heaven, open it wide, Over Your church, and over our lives

(Chorus)

Let your power fall, Let Your Voice be heard
Come and change our hearts as we stand on Your word. Holy Spirit, rain down.

by Russell Fragar

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Invocation / Invocaión

Shellye Bradford

One: Listen, all who are fleeing from the Holy One. God is calling us, God has called us together.

Many: O, give thanks to God, for God is good; God's steadfast love endures forever.

One: God is eager to put loving arms around us. God is waiting to satisfy our hunger and thirst.

Many: God fills the hungry with good things. Our thirsting souls are filled to overflowing.

One: Set your minds on things that are above. Put away those things that have cause your soul harm.

Many: God leads us to a new identity, to a new life. We seek renewal in the image of our Creator.

All: Amen.

Special Music / Musica especial

Ketrick Braggs

Everything Must Change

Words and Music by Bernard Ighner

+ Scripture Lesson / Lectura Bíblica

Lilly Chu

Luke 12:13-21

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, ‘Teacher, tell my sibling to divide the family inheritance with me.’ Jesus replied, ‘Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?’ And then to the crowd, ‘Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one’s life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.’ Jesus then told them a parable: ‘There was a rich farmer that had a good harvest. And the farmer thought “What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops? I know I will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry.” But God said to the farmer, “You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?” So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.’

Anthem / Selección Musical

Gospel Ensemble

Halleluja Pelo Tsa Rona

South African Spiritual

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Sermon / Sermón

Rev. Troy Treash

Choosing Jesus - Prosperity

Sermon Response / Respuesta de Sermón

Joel Hammett

We Offer Ourselves / Nos Ofrecemos

Wilburt Sumuel

Invitation to Give / Invitación a Dar

Rhea Jared

Choosing Jesus

Many distractions can keep us from choosing Jesus—work, family, possessions, fear, anxiety, greed, scarcity, competition, busyness. It is an intentional choice to keep our faith prioritized for our spiritual health. With these reading from the Gospel of Luke, we will explore Presence, Prayer, Prosperity and Pathway. Our choices can lead us into greater intimacy with God if we only choose wisely which doors to open and which doors to close. It is really our choice.

August 4
Presence

August 11
Prayer

August 18
Prosperity

August 25
Pathway

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 ...

Comunión

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 "comunión", 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.

Offertory / Ofrenda

Gospel Ensemble

Already Here

by Brian Courtney Wilson
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Prayer of Receiving / Oración de Recepción

Bob Stubblefield

Communion / Comunion

Pastor Joseph San Jose

If you would like to receive Communion, please follow the invitation of the ushers as they welcome each row. If you don't wish to receive Communion, feel free to remain seated. For those that come forward, a server will provide you with bread, grape juice, and a brief blessing. Unfermented juice is served so that all may participate, including those in recovery from alcohol. If you wish to receive a Gluten-free wafer or prefer a blessing in Spanish, please inform the usher so that they may direct you to the appropriate Communion server.

Communion Songs / Cantos de Comuni3n

Joel Hammett

Prayer of Thanksgiving / Acci3n de Gracias

Pastor Joseph San Jose

+ Closing Song / Canto de Salida

Take My Life and Let It Be

Take my life, and let it be
Consecrated, Lord, to Thee.
Take my moments and my days;
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.
Let them flow in ceaseless praise.

Take my hands, and let them move
At the impulse of Thy love.
Take my feet, and let them be
Swift and beautiful for Thee.
Swift and beautiful for Thee.

Take my voice, and let me sing
Always let the praises ring.
Take my lips, and let them be
Filled with messages from Thee.
Filled with messages from Thee.

by Frances Ridley Havergal and Henri Abraham Cesar Malan
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+ Benediction / Bendici3n

Rev. Troy Treash

+ Postlude / Postludio

Take My Life and Let It Be - Reprise

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Worship | Sunday, 9 & 11 am
Servicio en Español | Domingo, 1:30 pm
Nursery | Sunday, 9 & 11 am
Youth & Teens | Sunday, 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 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, your infants, and your children (1 month - 5 years). The nursery is located in the Children's Center and is open during both of our Worship services. Children, youth, and teens (5 - 18 years) are invited to participate in programming held in our Children's Center during our 11 am service. Sign-in begins at 10:45 am in the Children's Center.

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.

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.

Welcome!



Pastor Joseph San Jose

We'd like to welcome
Pastor Joseph to Resurrection MCC!

Pastor Joseph is from MCC Open Table in
Manila, Philippines, and has earned
a fellowship to be with us from
August 9 - November 24.

You can email him at
Joseph@ResurrectionMCC.org.

PRAYER CENTER



The Prayer Center is open for use Sunday through Thursday. Prayer concerns placed on the Prayer Tree will remain on the Tree for a season and then will be ritually offer up to God by the Pastoral Care Ministry. Prayer requests placed in the Prayer Box will be prayed over by the Pastoral Care Ministers immediately after worship.

If you or a loved one is in the hospital or are unable to attend and would like to have a visit from a Pastoral Care Minister, please email PastoralCare@ResurrectionMCC.org. If you have an emergency prayer need, please leave a message at 281-254-8007 and it will be forwarded to the prayer team.



Board of Directors & Lay Delegates

Have your prayers and discernment on ways to share your gifts led you to consider serving on our Board of Directors or as a Lay Delegate? If so, there are three open Board positions (Assistant Treasurer, Clerk, and Resource Development), five Lay Delegate positions, and one alternate Lay Delegate position open for election at the Annual Congregational Meeting this November. The application deadline is August 25, 2019.

Applications are available online:
www.ResurrectionMCC.org/bod
www.ResurrectionMCC.org/ld



Children & Youth SUMMER BREAK

Classes Resume September 8

On Sunday, September 1, our children will receive age-appropriate Bibles to mark the beginning of the new Sunday School Year. (If your family will not be in worship on September 1, your child's Bible will be given to them during their first class.) Our God Liaisons are preparing for their return and are looking forward to sharing their love of a generous God with our children. If you would like to volunteer in this ministry, please email Debbie@ResurrectionMCC.org.

YOUNG ADULTS (YAAS) BOUNDARIES STUDY

BOUNDARIES

THURSDAYS
AUGUST 1 - OCTOBER 31
7 - 8:30 pm • Off-Campus

Ever asked yourself: Why do I feel guilty about setting clear boundaries? What if the boundaries I set hurt the other person? Is it difficult for me to hear "no" from others? What are examples of legitimate boundaries at work and home? How can I have good boundaries online? How can I stay connected while still setting boundaries with my phone? In what ways do I need to set better boundaries? Join YAAS in creating answers that fit you.

YAAS@ResurrectionMCC.org

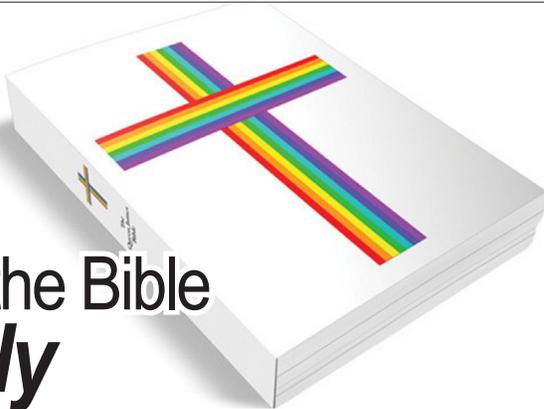


JUSTICE MINISTRY 2020 Strategic Planning Meeting

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24
10 am - 12 pm • Gathering Place

Join us as we plan where our ministry is going and what we want to adopt as our 2020 year-long theme. Light bites will be served.

Justice@ResurrectionMCC.org



What the Bible *Really* Says About Homosexuality

WEDNESDAYS
AUGUST 21, 28
7 - 8:30 pm • Gathering Place

Using the studies of Daniel A. Helminiak and top scholars, we will examine the story of Sodom (where the sin was inhospitality), Jude's decrying sex with angels, and five texts (Leviticus 18:22, Leviticus 20:13, Romans 1:27, I Corinthians 6:9, and I Timothy 1:10).

For pre-reading schedule, please email
RevTroy@ResurrectionMCC.org

Are You Ready for *Marriage?*



STRONGER TOGETHER: A COUPLES' JOURNEY TO DISCOVERY

Wednesdays • Sep. 4 - Nov. 6 • 7 - 8:30 pm
-or-
Sundays • Sep. 8 - Nov. 10 • 1 - 2:30 pm
7 - 8:30 pm • Gathering Place

A willful commitment to make your marriage work will bring more romance, and your marriage will be deeper, fresher, and stronger than you can even now imagine. Sometimes love is hard work, but it's always worth it. Filled with premium fuel for the journey -- including meaningful exercises, hard truths, and conversation starters -- this 10-week workshop will nourish and guide your relationship for the long haul. Register online at www.ResurrectionMCC.org/stronger-wednesdays or www.ResurrectionMCC.org/stronger-sundays

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4T Prosperity Program



WEDNESDAYS
SEPTEMBER 4, 11, 18, 25
7 - 8:30 pm • Conference Room

The mission of the 4T (Tithe, Time, Talent, Treasure) Prosperity Program by Stretton Smith is to teach others to put God first in all that they do, in order to experience miracles and change lives. The program is dedicated to the idea of living an abundant life: Free of the feeling of fear and insecurity, free of thoughts of lack and limitations, and centered in the abundance of God.

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WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11
11:30 am - 1:30 pm • Gathering Place

Join us for our monthly potluck and fellowship as Chris Soriano from Texas Dow Employees Credit Union shares with us about the Studio 55+ Club. TDECU Members who are 55+ enjoy a bevy of enhanced benefits including the Studio 55+ card that offers exclusive discounts from local area business partners (from discounts on eye wear to dining out).

OWLS@ResurrectionMCC.org



CLOTHES CLOSET WORK DAY

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 7
3 - 6 pm • Activities Building

The clothes closet is piled high with bags of donations! Your help is needed to sort, hang, and move the donations from our storage room in the Activities Building to the Clothes Closet. This is also a great opportunity for families, including children ages 10 and up, to be of service to our neighbors. Lunch will be provided. Questions and RSVP to info@pride-charities.org

FRIDAY NIGHT OUT



FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13
7 - 9 pm

The Tuck Room

(Located inside the iPic Theater)
4444 Westheimer, Houston, TX 77027
www.thetuckroom.com

Join us for another Friday evening filled with food, fun and friends. To help ensure that we have adequate seating, we ask that you please RSVP and let us know if you will be attending. As always, friends and family (including children) are welcome!

FridayNightOUT@ResurrectionMCC.org

SIP & Silhouettes

SATURDAY
SEPTEMBER 14

3 - 6 pm • Gathering Place

We provide pre-sketched canvases, paints, brushes, aprons and more. You provide the drinks, food, and friends. Only \$25 per person. Our artist, Soleil, will assist in making this event simple and fun even for people that have never painted before! Everyone leaves with a piece of art that they have created!

Pre-registration requested at www.ResurrectionMCC.org/sip

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FOOD pantry

Our Food Pantry, operated by Pride Charities, is in need of unexpired food donations every Sunday. Please consider bringing a few items on Sunday and placing them in the wagon located near the Welcome Center. You may make a cash donation by writing your check to "Pride Charities" and placing it in the Sunday offering plate. Financial donations are also accepted online at www.Pride-Charities.org. Your continued generosity provides life-sustaining nourishment to the families we serve. Volunteers are needed to help with food distribution. If you would like to sign up to volunteer once a month, please email Info@Pride-Charities.org.

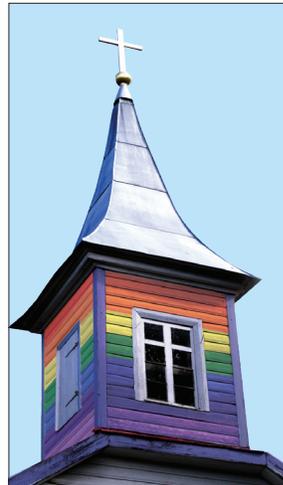


Houston Transgender Unity Banquet

Saturday, September 21
6:30 pm • Sheraton North Houston

The Houston Transgender Unity Banquet is presented by the Houston Transgender Unity Committee (HTUC) and has become the largest Transgender Community event held in Houston each year. The Banquet raises money for scholarships, Houston Pride activities, Houston DOR, annual recognition awards, and small grants. A limited number of seats are available at Resurrection MCC's Platinum Sponsor table. If you would like to assist our Justice Ministry in purchasing a second table, please donate online and indicate Gender Justice in the "optional memo" field.

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Estudio Bíblico en Español

Jueves

7 - 8:30 pm

Sala de Reuniones

Dios nos ama por igual no es sólo un libro, es una invitación para aprender y conversar juntos sobre la orientación sexual en el contexto de nuestras familias e iglesias. Es tiempo de verter luz sobre lo que antes se ha mantenido en oscuridad y secreto. Hay que encender una chispa de entendimiento para ayudar a familias y comunidades a crecer y a vivir juntos reclamando nuestra fe profunda que Dios nos ama, a cada uno por igual. Leerlo y comience un diálogo. Compártalo en su iglesia. Use el recurso, Dios nos ama por igual para reforzar su familia y comunidad cristiana y para tener un mejor entendimiento sobre la orientación sexual.

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Creating a Welcoming Space for Everyone

Resurrection MCC is committed to creating a positive environment for our congregation.

Inclusion and Community are two of the fundamental values of Resurrection MCC. Sexual harassment and other forms of violence strike at the heart of both. Harassment, violence, and bigotry create feelings of fear, uneasiness, humiliation, and discomfort. They are expressions of perceived power and superiority by the harasser over another person. Sometimes, even when our actions are not intentionally hurtful, what we say and do can hurt others or make them feel uncomfortable.

Sexual harassment is a form of sexual violence. Sexual harassment and sexual violence is any unwanted attention of a sexual nature, including:

- Remarks about appearance or personal life
- Unwanted flirtations or advances
- Offensive written or visual depictions like graffiti or degrading pictures
- Touching someone without their permission (groping, grabbing, hugging, petting, biting)
- Unwanted sexual demands, pressure, propositions, or requests for sexual activities
- Graphic comments about an individual's body or dress
- Verbal abuse, including sexual insults and name calling
- Rewards for granting sexual favors or the withholding of rewards for refusing to grant sexual favors
- Sexual assault, rape, and sexual violence

Many Resurrection MCC attendees create and build social and sexual relationships with one another. We want to remind you that if you are considering engaging in sexual relationships, consent is essential. Please be sure that all involved have similar expectations and engage in safe sexual practices. Free HIV & STD testing is provided by Fort Bend County Health Services on the first Sunday of each month from 10 am - 2 pm in the Gathering Place. Female and male condoms are available in our restrooms.

Resurrection MCC is proud to host a beautiful and diverse LGBTQ and allied community where vibrant diversity in sexual orientation, gender identity, and gender expression is welcome. It is all our responsibility to ensure that each member of our LGBTQ and ally family feels welcome and affirmed.

Thank you for your help in ensuring that Resurrection MCC is an environment where all worshippers feel safe, comfortable, and celebrated as members of our extended family. If you experience sexual harassment or violence or feel threatened, please contact Sharri McGlaughting, member of our Board of Director, at Sharri@ResurrectionMCC.org, or you may leave a voicemail at 281-254-8025. Communications will be kept confidential.

SUPPORT GROUPS

Rainbow of Hope

Narcotics Anonymous



Tuesdays • 7 - 8 pm • Chapel

A recovery program that offers hope and freedom from active addiction in a safe space for the LGBTQ community. This group meets weekly to help each other learn a new way of life through sharing their experience, strength, and hope. NA@ResurrectionMCC.org

Nueva Visión

Narcoticos Anónimos (en español)



Miércoles • 8 - 9:30 pm • Capilla

Es un grupo de recuperación de 12 pasos que ofrece esperanza y libertad de la adicción activa en un lugar seguro para personas LGBT. Estos grupos se reúnen para ayudarse unos a otros a aprender una nueva forma de vida, compartiendo su experiencia fortaleza y esperanza. NAespanol@ResurrectionMCC.org

Overeaters Anonymous

Wednesdays • 7 - 8 pm • Chapel



Saturdays • 9:30 - 10:30 am • Chapel

A program of recovery from compulsive eating that is not just about weight loss, weight gain maintenance, obesity, or diets. This support group also addresses physical, emotional and spiritual well-being. OA@ResurrectionMCC.org

re:MIND Depression and Bipolar Support



Thursdays • 7 - 8:30 pm • Gathering Place

Free and confidential support group for individuals living with, or family and friends affected by, depression and bipolar disorders. We help individuals, family members, and friends understand these two difficult, yet treatable, mental disorders. In addition, re:MIND works to educate the public about depression and bipolar disorders, confront social stigma, and advocate for the rights of people living with mental disorders. info@remindsupport.org



LA CASA DE TODOS
 SERVICIO Y ESTUDIO BÍBLICO
 EN ESPAÑOL
 (SPANISH WORSHIP & BIBLE STUDY)

DOMINGOS

1:30 - 3 pm • Chapel

¿Te gustaría conocer más sobre la Biblia? ¿Quieres conocer el mensaje de Dios para tu vida? ¿Sabes que Dios te ama, sin importar a quién ames? El propósito será que por medio de clases dinámicas y prácticas podamos llegar al conocimiento de las verdades espirituales de una manera sencilla, para poder entender, practicar y vivir en la conciencia de que Dios nos ama y no rechaza a nadie por su orientación o por ser diferentes. Buscamos llegar a la comunidad TLGBQ+ Latina, para ir formando una comunidad de fe que responda a sus necesidades y en su propio idioma.

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General Fund Giving Report

For YTD Ended August 11, 2018

Ministry Plan Need is the weekly amount needed per the budget approved by the congregation to achieve our 2019 ministry plan goals and strategic growth initiatives.

Giving (Tithes & Offerings)	Week Ended	YTD Total
Total Amount Received	\$6,708.91	\$424,529.88
Total Amount Anticipated	\$14,330.83	\$458,586.40
Total Giving Variance		(\$34,056.42)
Weekly Giving Comparison		
Average Amount Received	\$13,266.56	
Ministry Plan Need	\$14,330.83	
Attendance	Week Ended	YTD Average
Worship	331	319
Programming	375	367
Total Weekly Attendance	706	686

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 AUGUST 18

9:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:15 am	Coffee Talk	Gathering Place
11:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:15 pm	Coffee Talk	Gathering Place
12:30 pm	Brunch Buddies	Welcome Area
1:30 pm	La Casa De Todos Servicio (en Español)	Capilla

MONDAY AUGUST 19

6:30 pm	Toastmasters	Gathering Place
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TUESDAY AUGUST 20

6:00 pm	Praise Team Rehearsal	Sanctuary
6:30 pm	Sanctuary Choir Rehearsal	Sanctuary
7:00 pm	Gospel Ensemble Rehearsal	Worship Arts Room
7:00 pm	Narcotics Anonymous	Chapel

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 21

7:00 pm	Overeaters Anonymous	Chapel
8:00 pm	Narcotics Anonymous (en Español)	Chapel

THURSDAY AUGUST 22

7:00 pm	re:MIND	Gathering Place
7:00 pm	Young Adults Boundaries Study	Off Campus
7:30 pm	Estudio Bíblico (en Español)	Sala de Reuniones

FRIDAY OFFICE CLOSED AUGUST 23

8:00 pm	Narcotics Anonymous (en Español)	Chapel
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SATURDAY OFFICE CLOSED AUGUST 24

9:30 am	Overeaters Anonymous	Chapel
10:00 am	Justice Ministry Strategic Planning	Gathering Place

SUNDAY AUGUST 25

9:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
10:15 am	Coffee Talk	Gathering Place
11:00 am	Worship Service	Sanctuary
12:15 pm	Coffee Talk	Gathering Place
12:30 pm	Brunch Buddies	Welcome Area
1:30 pm	La Casa De Todos Servicio (en Español)	Santuario

Resurrection MCC is a Gun-Free Zone

Pursuant to Section 30.06, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with a concealed handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a concealed handgun.

Pursuant to Section 30.07, Penal Code (trespass by license holder with an openly carried handgun), a person licensed under Subchapter H, Chapter 411, Government Code (handgun licensing law), may not enter this property with a handgun that is carried openly.

If you see something, say something! If you see someone with a gun or any weapon, please notify an usher, board member, or staff member immediately.



NEXT WEEK: LA HACIENDA

BRUNCH BUDDIES

Down House

1801 Yale St, Houston, TX 77008
713-864-3696 • www.downhousehou.com

TODAY • 12:30 PM

Whether you're a long-time congregant or a first-time visitor, consider yourself invited to become a Brunch Buddy!

BrunchBuddies@ResurrectionMCC.org



COFFEE TALK

**Every Sunday
After Worship
Gathering Place**

Coffee Talk is an opportunity to make friends over coffee, conversation, and breakfast snacks every Sunday in the Gathering Place after Worship! A different kind of communion, to meet new friends and reconnect with those you already know. Please consider bringing and sharing your favorite breakfast finger food at Coffee Talk.