

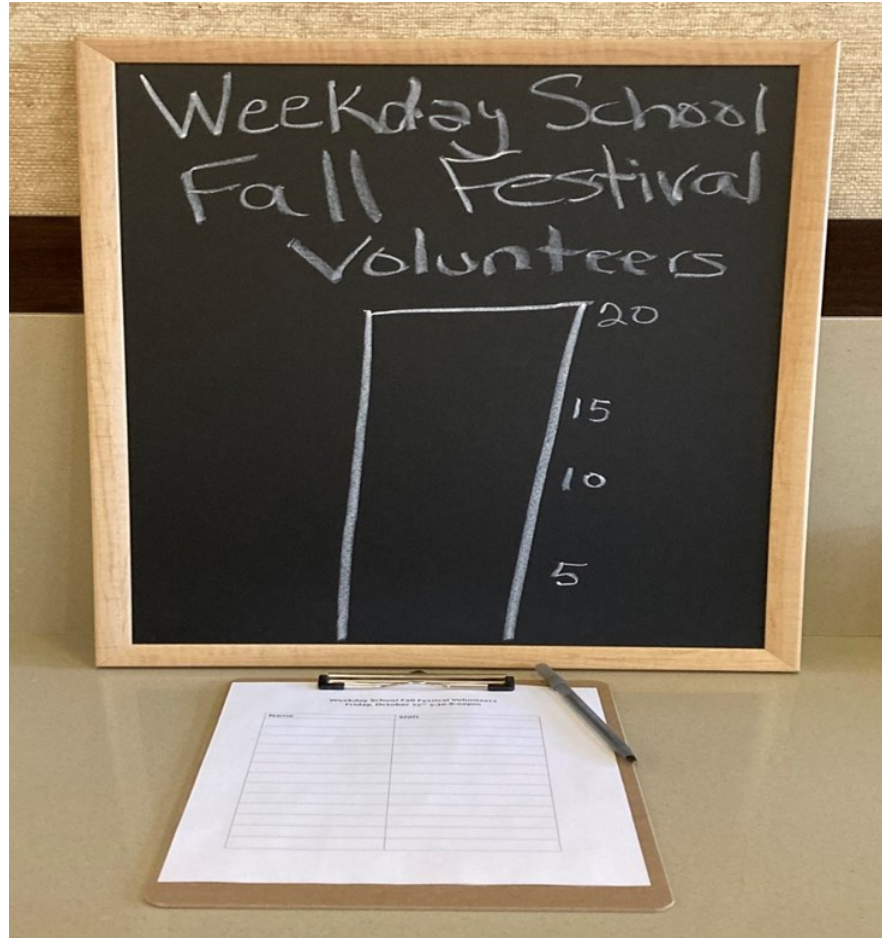


The Messenger

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The Weekday School Fall Festival is Coming Soon!



Will you help us make our goal of 20 volunteers for the Weekday School Fall Festival?

Shifts are in one hour increments
between 5:30 and 8pm Friday, October 25th.

Look for the sign up sheet near the coffeepot on Sunday or contact Laura Healy in the church office.

**Laurel Heights United Methodist Church
Finance Committee Update
Y-T-D August 2024**

	Y-T-D
Contributions Received	\$495,531.69
Other Receipts	\$82,595.33
Total Receipts:	\$578,127.02
Total Expenses:	\$611,685.00
	Behind: -\$33,557.98

Out-of-Office Hours

with Pastor Lisa

October 3

12:00 - 2:00 p.m.

@

Philo Coffee

606 W. French Pl., 78212

MOVIE
ON ROWE PLAZA

LAUREL HEIGHTS UMC

PRESENTS 227 W. Woodlawn Ave. 78212

**INSIDE
OUT 2**



Laurel Heights UMC Mission Committee

CHRISTIAN ASSISTANCE MINISTRY (CAM)

110 MCCULLOUGH, 78215

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY

SAT. OCTOBER 12, 2024

9:00 A.M.

Park between CAM & Grace Lutheran Church

Volunteers will gather at warehouse

For more information, please contact the church at 210-733-7156.

Sign-up to volunteer



Explorers Group of Travis Park UMC invites you to an affirming and inclusive event:

PICKLEBALL COMING OUT HANGOUT

Sat, Oct 12
10am - 1pm

Come as you are and be surrounded by LGBTQIA+ family and allies. Enjoy small bites, play pickleball on the shaded Texas Court, check out Battle Ship, Corn Hole and Jenga, and have a slice of rainbow cake. You don't have to play pickleball to have fun - meet some new friends and hang out! This is a family-friendly event and all are welcome.

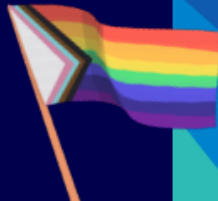


**FREE
EVENT**

RSVP at travispark.org/pickleball

**CHICKEN
N PICKLE.**
SAN ANTONIO

Chicken N Pickle • Texas Court
5215 UTSA Boulevard



You're Invited

IWC 10TH ANNIVERSARY CONCERT

Saturday October 12th
1PM - 4PM

Laurel Heights United Methodist Church
227 W. Woodlawn 78212

Musical works by Copland, Bernstein, Gershwin, and more

South Texas Symphonic Orchestra
Ronnie Sanders, directing

Reception to follow
Please **RSVP** so that we can properly plan.

interfaithwelcomcoalition.org

Cost: Free



hello OCTOBER  2024  Laurel Heights United Methodist Church

S	M	T	W	TH	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

- 11 Movie on Rowe Plaza
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
- 27 Trunk or Treat Decorating Lunch & Youth Gathering 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm
- 31 Trunk or Treat 5:00 pm - 7:30 pm



Young Family Calendar of Events



TRUNK OR treat

LAUREL HEIGHTS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
OPEN HEARTS. OPEN MINDS. OPEN DOORS.

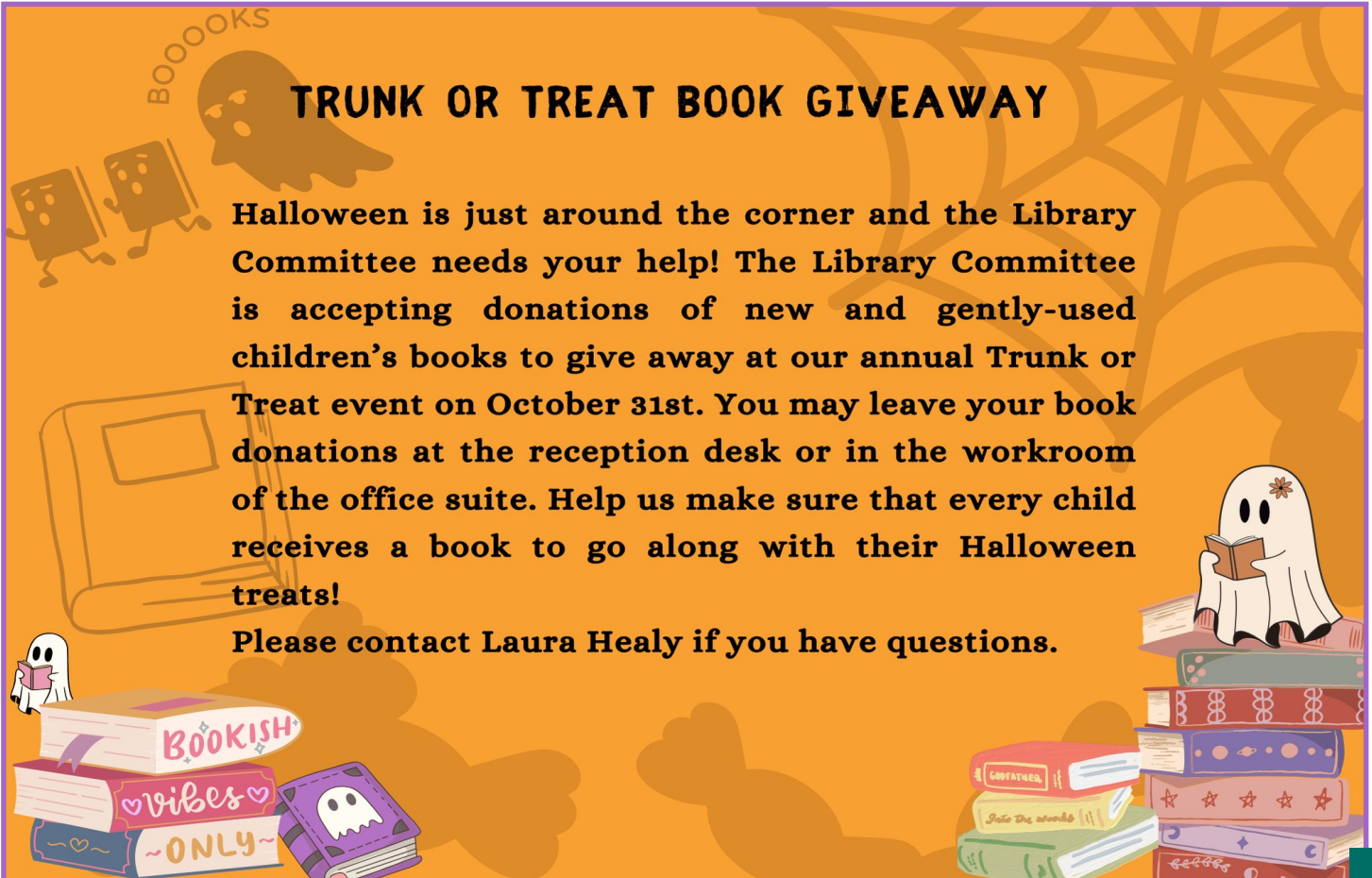
Sunday, October 27th at 12pm
Join us for lunch in the Fellowship Hall.
We will craft and prepare for Trunk or Treat festivities on Thursday in the Mistletoe parking lot.

Thursday, October 31st at 12pm
227 W. Woodlawn Ave.

TRUNK OR TREAT BOOK GIVEAWAY

Halloween is just around the corner and the Library Committee needs your help! The Library Committee is accepting donations of new and gently-used children's books to give away at our annual Trunk or Treat event on October 31st. You may leave your book donations at the reception desk or in the workroom of the office suite. Help us make sure that every child receives a book to go along with their Halloween treats!

Please contact Laura Healy if you have questions.



Church Calendar

Wednesday, October 2

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - *Choir Room*

Thursday, October 3

9:00 a.m. Church Mice

12:00 p.m. Out-of-Office Hours with Pastor Lisa
Philo Coffee, 606 W. French Pl.

6:00 p.m. Tai Chi Class - *Room 312*

Friday, October 4

9:00 a.m. Exercise Class - *Room 305*

Sunday, October 6 - World Communion Day

9:00 a.m. Worship Service - *Sanctuary*

9:30 a.m. Fellowship - *Fellowship Hall*

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship Service - *Sanctuary*

12:15 p.m. Administrative Council Meeting

Monday, October 7

9:00 a.m. Exercise Class - *Room 305*

Tuesday, October 8

9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting - *Laurel Rm*

1:30 p.m. United Women in Faith Mtg. - *Parlor*

Wednesday, October 9

9:00 a.m. Exercise Class - *Room 305*

7:00 p.m. Choir Rehearsal - *Choir Room*

Thursday, October 10

9:00 a.m. Church Mice

6:00 p.m. Tai Chi Class - *Room 312*

Friday, October 11

9:00 a.m. Exercise Class - *Room 305*

6:00 p.m. Movie on Rowe Plaza - *Rowe Plaza*

Saturday, October 12

9:00 a.m. Volunteer Opportunity @ CAM -
110 McCullough Ave.

1:00 p.m. Interfaith Welcome Coalition Concert &
Reception - *Sanctuary & Fellowship Hall*

Sunday, October 13

9:00 a.m. Worship Service- *Sanctuary*

9:30 a.m. Fellowship - *Fellowship Hall*

10:00 a.m. Sunday School

11:00 a.m. Worship Service - *Sanctuary*



United
Women
in Faith

NEW DATE

October 8, 2024

1:30 p.m. Parlor Room

Program

“Food of the Earth”
Food, Faith & Fellowship

Discussion:

Consecration Sunday 10/20/24
Bake Sale 11/24/24

Mission Outreach

SAC Wesley Center
Please bring food pantry-snacks, granola,
yogurts, cheese crackers, etc.

Super Adult Day &

Immunization Clinic

All Are Welcome

October 24th

9:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Fellowship Hall

Flu Shots will be available.

For more information, contact our Wesley
Nurse, Yvonne Garcia at 210.733.7156

Prayer Requests

JOYS AND CONCERNS

Healing:

Lucien Manchester
Richard Parrigan
Gracie Huron
Juan Arturo Gonzalez
William Beuhler
Patrick Farmer
Pat Moss
Donna Semmes
Jay Benson
Jay Sconyers

God's Presence:

For those affected by the COVID-19 virus and homebound members;
the incarcerated; and women and men in our military.



**Lord, in your mercy,
hear our PRAYER**

You can offer a prayer of gratitude
or concern by emailing prayers@mylhumc.org,
through [Facebook Messenger](#),
or calling the church office (210) 733-7156.



10/3

Tara Shaw

*Are we missing
your name
on the birthday list?*

10/4

Peter Carvalhinhos
Justin Clemens
Lali Saucedo

*Please notify the
church office
at 210-733-7156
so we can update our
records.*

10/5

Harold Arnold
Margaret Parsons

*We don't want to miss
anyone!*

10/6

Laura Marty

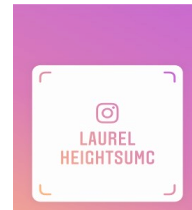
10/8

Bruce Davis
Liz Kromei

10/9

Richard Dugger

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Sanctuary Offering

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Please visit our website:
<http://www.laurelheights.org/give/>

MANY WAYS TO GIVE AT LAUREL HEIGHTS UMC

Text to give:
"LHUMC" 73256

Or use our QR code

<http://www.laurelheights.org/give/>

Church Office Hours

Monday - Friday
9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.



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