### WHITE'S CHAPEL





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# Super Saturday Event Supports **Rise** Against Hunger

On Saturday, July 15, the church will once again team with Rise Against Hunger to package 40,000 meals to help in the fight to stop hunger. The event is done semi-annually at White's Chapel.

eal-packing events, such as the one planned at White's Chapel this summer, are staged to create fortified, dehydrated, shelf-sustainable meals to transport to areas identified as being food insecure. Rise Against Hunger has worked to serve 79 countries packaging over 543 million meals. In 2020 alone, the organization impacted 2.8 million lives.

The event is one that encourages families—especially those with younger children—to serve together in a worthwhile, easily explained and identifiable mission.



## I HAVE DECIDED

We were so excited to celebrate four immersion baptisms last Sunday after the 11 a.m. service. Several baptisms take place at White's Chapel each year, and a Baptism 101 class is offered to help people understand its significance.

This ministry is the recipient of one of our communion offerings each year. This year, the July communion offering will go to Rise Against Hunger. All of the communion money collected for this mission will be used to purchase the materials for the bags.

#### Approximately 40,000 meals will be packaged and shipped globally just from this one day of service.

They may look like simple bags of rice and soy, but Rise Against Hunger meals represent the hopes and dreams of people worldwide, as well as a growing global movement to end hunger by empowering communities, nourishing lives, and responding to emergencies. Volunteers who assemble the bags are the heart of the mission to end hunger, and the millions of meals sent around the globe each year cannot be distributed without these volunteers.

"This is one of the most popular volunteer events we do," explained Kim Stinson. "Because of this, we have been able to increase the number of meals we have packaged in the past from 30,000 to our current 40,000. Part of the popularity, in addition to being a great cause, is that this event allows entire families to work together for a cause that is easily explained to children."

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#### By Cassidy Johnson

Southlake is preparing for a Fourth of July celebration, and WC volunteers are needed to help welcome community members!

Join church volunteers on Monday, July 3, as they share the wonderful grace and hospitality of White's Chapel with the community. At the event, there will be a WC hospitality tent set up in Southlake Town Square, where volunteers will hand out "God is Big Enough" bracelets and

# Volunteers Needed for Southlake Stars and Stripes

red WC tote bags to those attending. Kids will also be able to make soldier cards to show their appreciation to service men and women.

"Stars and Stripes is a time for White's Chapel volunteers to spend a fun, festive evening together sharing stories, red totes, Wesley fans, God is Big Enough Bracelets, smiles, laughter, and love with the community," Dedra Moffat said. "We are having a fun new patriotic photo op for patrons this year, which we anticipate will be a big hit."

The church has been a part of this

event for the last eight years and has offered a chance to write soldier cards for the last few years. Rev. Sterling Smith, Pastor for Missions & Evangelism, believes it's a great opportunity for the church to spread kindness and engage with community members.

"You know, we have a saying that we've used for a long time in Missions around here, 'The church as left the building,' and this is just one of the ways that we do it—just to get out there and

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# Values for Fathers

Editor's note: A member of White's Chapel, Gary Hennerberg, was raised on a farm, straddling the Kansas and Nebraska border. He wrote this tribute for his father, a hard-working farmer, in 2001. He has graciously offered to share it with our congregation for this Father's Day.

#### rom Hennerberg:

I grew up on a farm, and my observations of my dad as a role model is what prompted me to write this message for him on his 75th birthday in 2001 (he lived to 92). In 2004, I submitted it to advice columnist Dear Abby, who picked up the message and ran it on Father's Day. Worldwide readership was in the hundreds of millions and I have a scrapbook of clippings from newspapers all over. You can also watch a video of me reading this



message at my dad's funeral here: www.hennerberg.com/fathers-dayvalues.

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# Fathers

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#### Make Hay When the Sun Shines

When it's sunny, and the forecast looks good, it's time to bring out the equipment and take advantage of the circumstances of the day. Not every day is sunny, and not every day in life brings opportunity. I learned from you that when times are good to make the most of it.

#### Sharpen Tools on a Rainy Day

When it rained and we couldn't go to the field, we used our time wisely by sharpening tools, doing maintenance, or other tasks that would give us a jump start on the season. I learned from you that those rainy days are actually a gift from God to refresh, renew and make us better.

#### Do Two Things at Once

You taught me to have two things going at the same time. Some tasks don't require constant monitoring and a second task can be started before the first task is completed. That's the art of multi-tasking, and the ability to get twice as much done in the same amount of time. I learned from you that by multitasking I can double my effectiveness.

## Keep Machines Cleaned and Maintained

We washed the machinery and conducted routine maintenance as

an automatic ritual. It made them look years younger than their actual age, and cost less money to operate in the long run. That attitude you instilled in me continues today with an ethic to take care of my belongings and treat them with respect.

#### **Stay Between the Lines**

A clean field requires staying between the rows when cultivating it. When you stray outside the rows, you'll needlessly destroy precious crops. I stay within the lines in my personal life and do what's right for my business associates. I learned from you to be careful not to do anything that would destroy what we cultivate.

#### Take the High Road

An improper act shouldn't result in an improper response. Better to take the high road and be able to hold your head up with pride knowing that you did the right thing. I learned from you that often the best response is silence, and that good fortune returns when you treat people with respect.

#### Go To Church Every Sunday and Trust God

We went to church every Sunday. It's a lifelong habit you instilled in me. With my trust in God, I'm able to step back and recognize a greater power. Trusting God reinforces the real priorities of life and family. And just as importantly, it has given me the freedom to know that at the end of the day, and at the end of time, everything will be all right.



REGISTER AT WHITESCHAPEL.ORG

# Rise

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As a result of the increase in packaged meals, an increase in volunteers has also become a factor. The need has risen from 150 volunteers to 200.

Because of the help of dedicated volunteers, Rise Against Hunger is able to send these meals to various locations around the world.

The organization has five international locations in Italy, India, Malaysia, Philippines, and South Africa. These locations connect passionate volunteers with worldwide communities including Belize, Burundi, Cambodia, Dominican Republic, Democratic Republic of Congo, Ghana, Haiti, Honduras, India, Kenya, Liberia, Madagascar, Malawi, Mali, Nicaragua, Niger, Philippines, Senegal,



Sierra-Leone, Singapore, Somalia, South Africa, South Sudan, Uganda, Ukraine, Vietnam, and Zimbabwe.

For the upcoming Super Saturday, setup volunteers will meet at 8 a.m. in Evans Hall to help unload the supplies from trucks and set up packing stations. Starting at 9 a.m., volunteers will actively participate in the fight against hunger by measuring and packaging meals for those in need. Approximately 40,000 meals will be packaged and shipped globally just from this one day of service. The registration link for this Super Saturday of Service is available on the church website. Families, friends and church groups are encouraged to attend. Children four years old and older are welcome to help their parents serve. All participants must wear closed-toed

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shoes. Contact Dedra Moffat.



	June Week 1 Week 2	2023 \$167,786 \$231,823	2022 \$151,610 \$169,206
FINANCIALS	MTD Actual MTD Goal	\$399,609 <u>\$384,364</u> \$ 15,245	\$320,816 <u>\$363,584</u> \$(42,768)
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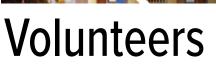




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be a part of a big community event like this," Smith said.

On the day of the event, White's Chapel volunteers will hand out bracelets, fans and WC tote bags, oversee the soldier card station, stuff bags with Herald newspapers, and greet people attending the annual celebration. One of the most important parts of the job, though, is interacting with people and offering a friendly smile to those who walk by.

"It gives us the opportunity to bring the people and spirit of WC to the streets of Southlake, Moffat shared. "It is a great way to connect and meet people who may never visit our church."

Volunteers will help leaders prepare for the event from 9 to 11 a.m. on Saturday, July 1. The time will include getting booth giveaways ready while enjoying music, breakfast munchies, and fellowship. Volunteers will meet at 11:15 a.m. on Monday, July 3 to transfer items to Southlake Town Square and set up for the event. There are various shifts available: 5–7 p.m., 7–9 p.m., and 9–11 p.m. Volunteers are especially needed for set up and tear down. People can sign up on the church website for a time slot that best works with their schedule.

Participants are encouraged to bring sunscreen, a hat, and a water bottle to their shift. Family members, 8 years old and older, can participate. People are welcome to attend Southlake Stars and Stripes after their volunteer shift is over.

In past years, Southlake Stars and Stripes has featured balloon artists, live entertainment, a stilt walker and juggler, strolling characters, temporary tattoos, REGISTER ONLINE AT WHITESCHAPEL.ORG

inflatable corn hole, midway games, fun yard games, and food trucks. Then, the event concludes with a fireworks celebration. This year, the festival will be held from 5 to 11 p.m.

"It feels like a celebration of freedom with a night of family-friendly fun," Moffat said. "Thousands gather in Town Square to participate in the outdoor celebration that features live music, family-friendly activities, and a variety of festive foods. One could describe it as a big patriotic party-all culminating in a colorful fireworks extravaganza at the end of the night."

There will be a shuttle service from White's Chapel to Southlake Town Square for anyone to use on the day of the event. It will run from 2 p.m. to midnight. For more information about Southlake Stars and Stripes or where to park, go to <u>www.visitsouthlaketexas.com/</u> <u>stars-and-stripes/</u>.

"We love doing these kinds of events to remind our community that our church, White's Chapel, is a part of the fabric of the community," Smith said. "We're basically there to help people have a good time and do something wonderful by making these soldier cards. If we get someone who is looking for a church or has questions about our faith, we are also able to have those conversations."

For more information about volunteering with White's Chapel, please contact Dedra Moffat at dmoffat@ whiteschapel.org or sign up on the church website. You can find the sign-up page by going to the event listed under "Events & Registrations" and clicking "Events." There, you will find the church calendar and Southlake Stars and Stripes will be listed on Monday, July 3. The volunteer link is included in the event description.



#### **7th Grade Trip**

Last week, WC Students took the new class of seventh-grade students on our first trip of the summer, 7th Grade Trip. Over the three-day trip, students got to know each other through team-building activities and climbing on an indoor ropes course.

Students also had fun during latenight activities, including roller skating, bowling, and playing arcade games. One of the students' favorite places to visit was Hawaiian Falls, where they could go down different water slides and float down the lazy river, and most students ended the day playing a few rounds of beach volleyball.

In between fun activities, students returned to White's Chapel in the evenings to get their first few opportunities to experience a typical WC Student worship service. This time included lots of food, time to hang out with everyone, games, and worship. During this time, students also got an opportunity to get to know the WC Students Staff and some of the incredible student leaders who will serve as some of their small group leaders throughout the school year.

While serving as the first WC Students event of Summer 2023, the trip marked the Class of 2029's first steps in their journey with WC Students. Previous students have spoken about how the time they spent on this trip helped them form the memories and authentic community that kept them engaged at White's Chapel through middle and high school.

Overall, the new seventh graders had a blast on the 7th Grade Trip, and our staff had a fantastic time getting to know the Class of 2029! We are so glad they are a part of WC Students, and we can't wait for all of the amazing experiences we will have with these students throughout their time with us!

#### Middle School Mission Trip

WC Students also completed this year's Middle School Mission Trip to Conway, Arkansas, near Little Rock, Arkansas. Middle school students arrived at White's Chapel early on Monday morning to embark on a long day of travel up to Hendrix College, where the students stayed for the week.

During the trip, students would start the day bright and early at 7:30 a.m. with breakfast and loading lunches before heading to work sites. This year, our work sites consist of various projects, ranging from lawn care and painting to working with a facility specializing in working with differently abled adults who live there. These service opportunities were some students' first times serving in a missional capacity, and it was incredible to watch them embrace the opportunity to serve others.

In the evening, students participated in games, devotional time, and worship to connect with their community and the Lord. The theme for this year's Middle School Mission Trip was Things You Don't Know About the Bible, which looked at familiar and lesser-known stories in the Bible through a new lens and

perspective. Students also participated individually through one of WC Students' favorite things—blindfolded worship. It's a time when each student is blindfolded during worship, providing them an opportunity to stop worrying about everyone around them and allowing them and meet with the Lord freely, in their own way. We have seen God move in incredible ways through students during blindfolded worship, and it's one of our staff's favorite ways to watch students grow in their relationship with God. While the days were long and sleep throughout the week was limited, our students and staff had a truly incredible time on Middle School Mission Trip, and we are looking forward to High School Mission Trip in just a few weeks!

# Classic Adult Fellowship

#### Fun with Classic Adult Fellowship

Classic Adult Fellowship, or CAF, is a great group for those 55 or better that love the Lord, new adventures, and great fellowship.

The group will keep the fun going all summer; we do not stop programming! Every month, CAF hosts a movie, luncheon, and sometimes a special outing.

The monthly movie for June was "On a Wing and a Prayer" on Amazon Prime. Recommended by a few staff members, the group loved the true story of a father's faith journey through some scary moments on a plane! Two thumbs up on this one!



Our recent luncheon in May featured the sport taking over courts everywhere —Pickleball! Jerry and

Linda McDermott, Pickleball players as well as instructors, were here to show us how it's done. Not only were we given lessons, but we were also encouraged to get





was set up in Evans Hall! Several were able to try the sport in a safe space and have personal instruction on how to hit. In addition to Pickleball, several in the group played around with the Corn Hole boards set up around the room. One thing is for sure, CAF knows how to have fun and try new things!

We took a trip to Terrell in May, and it was a huge hit! If you find yourself wanting an interesting day trip, it's worth the drive to visit The British Flying School Museum where the US taught not only American pilots during WWII, but British as well—right here in Texas! Following the museum, everyone enjoyed fresh fruit, ice cream, and famous barbeque at Ham Orchards. God provided a gorgeous day and the group provided wonderful fellowship with over 50 in attendance!

#### What is on the calendar?

Here are some upcoming events:

#### June 20 & 21 | 8:30 a.m.–Noon Senior VBS is BACK!

VBS isn't just for kids, Classic Adult Fellowship is hosting VBS for seniors! Complete with Bible stories, crafts, games, songs, fellowship, and even Kool-Aid! Food Truck Fellowship will follow the second day with Cousins Main Lobster Truck and Easy Slider hamburger truck. We had a ball last year and anticipate even more fun this summer. *Registration is currently full, but everyone is welcome to join us at noon on June 21 for food truck fare!* 

#### June 30 | 11 a.m. (10:30 a.m. check-in) | Evans Hall Cheeseburger in Paradise Luncheon

Featuring (yes) cheeseburgers and a live Jimmy Buffet tribute music. Reservations are recommended to plan

Reservations are recommended to plan for enough seating and food. Contact Director Laurie Williams to attend.

## 7TH GRADE TRIP















#### July 6 | 1:30 p.m.—CAF Monthly Movie | Rawlins Hall

Movie TBD—come watch a movie together with fresh popcorn, drinks, candy, and fellowship—FREE of cost!

#### Mailing List

Spring/Summer Newsletters are complete and have lots going on! To be added to the mailing list, please contact Director Laurie Williams and plan to be a part of the fun!

Director Laurie Williams lwilliams@whiteschapel.org

## INGREDIENTS

- 1/2 pound bacon
- 2 heads fresh broccoli
- I small red onion
- 3/4 cup raisins
- 3/4 cup sliced almonds
- I cup mayonnaise
- · I quarter cup white sugar
- · 2 tablespoons white wine vinegar

## DIRECTIONS

1.) Cook bacon until crisp and crumbly. Let cool.

2.) Cut broccoli into bite-size pieces. Cut onion into thin bite-size slices. Combine with bacon, raisins, and almonds. Mix well.

3.) To prepare dressing. Mix mayonnaise sugar and vinegar together until smooth.

4.) Stir into salad. Chill before serving.

You may add extra broccoli if desired. You may also use alternate nuts.

Broccoli Samer Salad

# COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS

**Community Awareness Outreach** with the Poiema Foundation Saturday, June 24 | 9 a.m. Meet at WC Welcome Doors

Each month outreach teams of trained volunteers distribute posters of vulnerable, missing minors to strategic business locations throughout our local area to bring awareness of missing children. Businesses are encouraged to call the tip line on the poster if they see one of the missing children. Each team consists of an experienced team leader, a driver, a data collector, and a prayer warrior. A one-time training is needed before participating in an outreach but can be completed by zoom. Contact Melissa Z. for more information.

Melissa Zimmerman | Zimmerman.five@gmail.com

#### WC Women Readers Book Discussion Monday, June 26 | 1 p.m. EH Room 2235

"Claudia, Wife of Pontius Pilate" by Diana Wallis Taylor is the book for June's discussion. We hope you will join us!

Tugged this way and that by fate's indifferent hand, Claudia's life is adrift-until she meets Lucius Pontius Pilate and becomes his wife. When they move to the troublesome territory of Judea, she does what she has always done: makes the best of it. But unrest is brewing and Claudia will soon find herself and her beloved husband embroiled in controversy and rebellion. Might she find hope in the mysterious Jewish Rabbi everyone seems to be talking about?

Let this epic story whisk you through marbled palaces, dusty marketplaces, and idyllic Italian villas as you follow the unlikely path of a woman who warrants only a passing mention in one of the

Gospel accounts, but whose story, as told by Diana Wallis Taylor, is one worthy of legend. Janey Bond | bondcrew@icloud.com



#### Brunch-O WC Women's Summer Brunch Thursday, July 20 | 10 a.m. **Evans Hall**

Join WC Women this summer for a morning of fun and fellowship! If you love Bunco or have never played, sign up today for a huge women's game in Evans Hall. Our hope is to bring women together to make new friends and laugh! Brunch will be served as the games are being played. Again—Bunco skills are not necessary—just a great attitude! Prizes will be awarded! Cost is \$15 per person and childcare is available when registering through our website. Rev. Joy Roberson | jroberson@whiteschapel.org



**Next Patriot House Celebration is** Thursday, June 29! Sign up online.





SUNDAY

**BRUNCH**-8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

SANCTUARY SERVICE 9:30 & 11 a.m.



## Saturday, June 24

Compassionate **Listening** Training

9:30 A.M. - 1:30 P.M. | ADULT ED ROOM 3103 | RAWLINS HALL



## Rebuilding Divorce Recovery Workshop

Begins Wednesday, June 28 6-8 p.m. | Evans Hall Room 2236





# **Prayer List**

Karen Achterberg, Mike Amick, Libby Assenheimer, Floss Barham, Carol Barret, Walt Barret, Jerry and Diane Bates, Emily Bibza, Bethia Blomquist, Ruby Buffalo, Marty Casada, Connie Center, Phil Chaffins, Pam Conley, Bill Cook, Jim Cox, Marie Crump, Agnes Davidson, Roy De Costa, Levi Dietz, Wilma Dykman, Dennis Eaton, America Ellis, Mark Fidler, Trae, Travis and Tessa Francis, Diane Franks, Sam Fryer, Roland Galyean, Karen Gilmer, Jane Grazer, Curtis Griffith, John Guthrie, Judith Hallam, Courtney Harman, Kay Hasseltine, Maxie Hays, Joe and Jan Hennig, Joy Holekamp, Linda Huffhines, Roy Ingram, Kitty Johnson, Sally Keating, Tom Kelly, Linda Kurtz, Gary Lackey, Connie Lamb, Sam Lapp, Carol Lloyd, Bonnie Mart, Leslie Matthews, Jenny McNew, Bobbie Miller, Buddy Mincey, Thomas W. Morris, Diana Perez, Alyssa Phillips, Barbara Pico, Kathy Pierce, Chase Pitcher, Charles Price, Jim and Mary Renner, Chris Rhoades, Kim Rhodes, Megan and Brayden Robison, Johnnie Ruth Rogillio, Jeri Russell, Christopher Salas, Bill Sellmeyer, Nancy Shepherd, Angie Smith, Bertha "Dicy" Smith, Gayle Sorenson, Steve Swanston, Jasper Talley, Jenny Thornell, Bill Thornton, Charlene Wahrmund, Linda Watts, Meegie L. Wheat, Dianne Willliams, Dick Williams, Ken Williams, Barry Johnson, Helen Wilson, Leigh Winzeler, Johnnie O. Yellock II, Nancy. Recent Deaths: The Family of Joyce Billingsley, The Family of Barbara Booth, The Family of Clara Clark, The Family of Karen Crosser, The Family of Angela Davis, The Family of Brian Estes, The Family of Anne Ford, The Family of Virginia Fry, The Family of Margaret Harber, The Family of Wayne "WayJ" Irwin, The Family of Delores Leonard, The Family of Dick Morgan, The Family of Jason Stone, The Family of P.K. Thomas.

You may submit prayer requests at whiteschapel.org/prayers.html

APEX arts league. presents ireno A Celebration of American Piano Music Featuring Pianists... Angelo Rondello & Jonathan Levin JULY 2, 2023 SUN @ 4:00 PM Grace Chapel @ White's Chapel 185 S White Chapel Blvd, Southlake, TX 76092 \$25 Adult \$20 Senior/APEX member \$10 Children/Student Tickets at apexartsleague.com or at the door.

WAYS TO GIVE AT WHITE'S CHAPEL



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