

# THE POINT

OCTOBER 2017 NEWSLETTER

## CITY POINT UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

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Church Office Hours: Monday-Thursday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. Closed on Fridays



**Saturday, October 14**  
8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Please join us for  
Church work day.

Danishes and bagels  
provided.

For more information  
contact  
Shawn Bridegam,  
Trustee Chair



**General Meeting**  
**Officer Installation**  
**Pledge Service**

**Sunday, October 15**  
2:30 p.m.

*Duncan Family*  
*Life Center*

All invited!

For more info contact  
Linda Harden  
[UMWomen@citypointumc.org](mailto:UMWomen@citypointumc.org)



**SUNDAY,**  
**OCTOBER 29**

12:00 p.m.  
Reeves Fellowship Hall  
Benefits 2018 3rd-7th grade  
Glen Lake Campers

Fire up the Crock Pot and get creatin'! It's time for the City Point UMC Children's Ministry annual chili cook off and auction. Prizes will be awarded. Braggin' rights are on the line. Bring your appetite and your wallet. There will be yummy chili and awesome items to bid on.

Contact Sharma Castillo  
for more info.

Rev. Dr. Jeff May  
*Senior Minister*  
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Rev. Amy Tate-Almy  
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*Organist*  
[Candiss@citypointumc.org](mailto:Candiss@citypointumc.org)

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*Nursery Coordinator*  
[CPNursery@citypointumc.org](mailto:CPNursery@citypointumc.org)



**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5**

Don't forget to set your clocks back before going to bed that Saturday night. Enjoy the extra hour!

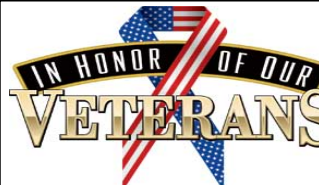
This is also a great time to change the batteries in your smoke alarm and carbon monoxide detectors.

Check and replace light bulbs outside to better see with it getting dark early.

If you need help changing the batteries or light bulbs, please let the church office know and we can have someone come do this for you.



All Saints Sunday is **November 5**. It is the day on which we remember and give thanks for all those Christians who have died and are now part of the church triumphant. In the words of the apostle Paul, they have, "fought the good fight, finished the race, and kept the faith and now they have received their reward in heaven." On this day, we remember them and give thanks for the life they lived on earth and the life they shared with us. This is our day to reflect, remember and give thanks for them.



**Sunday, November 12**

We would like to recognize our veterans during worship on November 12. If you are a veteran we would love to have a picture of you along with dates/locations you served. We will have these on the screens that Sunday.

You can send this information to Laurie Thompson in the church office by no later than Monday, November 6.

For more information contact the church office.

**NOVEMBER**  
**NEWSLETTER**  
**DEADLINE**  
3:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 18  
Online and Mailed  
Wednesday, October 25

# JOYS AND CONCERNS



## Prayer List

The complete prayer list is printed each week in the Sunday bulletin. To add someone to the prayer list please fill out the prayer request information in the Sunday bulletin insert and place in the offering plate, contact the church office at [info@citypointumc.org](mailto:info@citypointumc.org) or call 817-284-9371.

### CHURCH FAMILY

DANEL GILLARD  
DON HAMILTON

### FRIENDS AND FAMILY

JILL DAVISON (friend of Heather Rudzik)  
KAREN LIPSEY (Suzan Harmon's sister-in-law)  
STEVEN HARMON (Suzan Harmon's son)  
ROGER WEBB (friend of Mary & Jack Knowles)  
ROGER STEPHENS (Dorothy Stephens' son)  
ANNA (Amparo Hinson's daughter)  
CLAUDEAN HARRISON (friend of Lynda Homer)  
AMY FARMER (Kit and Roger Heard's mom)  
GEORGE KUCHENMEISTER  
(family of Janet Kuchenmeister)  
LISA MILLSAPS (Bonnie Doss' niece)  
DONNA IRVIN (friend of Char Hudak)

HURRICANE VICTIMS & RELIEF WORKERS  
EARTHQUAKE VICTIMS & RELIEF WORKERS  
WILD FIRE VICTIMS & FIREFIGHTERS

*Expressions of love and sympathy are extended to Julie Nguyen and family in the passing of her mother.*



The 3rd Annual Ladies Retreat will be held at Stillwater Lodge in Glen Rose, October 7-8. There is still time to sign up but time is running out. Please keep the Ladies Retreat in your prayers. For more information contact the church office, Suzan Harmon or Dande Snowden.



## BIRTHDAY FUN-D

*Happy Birthday to the following contributors to the Birthday Fun-d.*  
Mildred Bennett



*If your October birthday is not listed please contact the church office.*

<u>October 2</u>	<u>October 13</u>
Tracie Wilkins	Mona Bailey
<u>October 5</u>	Beth Doty
Karen Bridegam	<u>October 14</u>
Phil Cromeans	Sue Haynes
<u>October 8</u>	<u>October 26</u>
David Wynn	Leigh Ivey
<u>October 9</u>	<u>October 27</u>
Jim Sharp	Jana May
<u>October 10</u>	Heather Rudzik
Julie Nguyen	<u>October 29</u>
<u>October 11</u>	Louise Phillips
Jesse Hackfeld	Tim Truman
<u>October 12</u>	<u>October 30</u>
Louis Murray	Marletta Tucker
Dakota Rudzik	



## ***New Members***

***City Point UMC welcomes the following new member.***

**Bonnie Doss**

### GRIEF



### SUPPORT GROUP

City Point's grief ministry has been active for over two years now. We meet the second Monday of the month in the Duncan Family Life Center from 12:30 to 2:00 pm for lunch, prayer, dialogue and support for those dealing with the loss of a loved one. It is open to anyone and if you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact Amy at [amy@citypointumc.org](mailto:amy@citypointumc.org). This is a safe place to cry, laugh, share memories or simply listen. Our next meeting will be held **October 9 at 12:30 p.m.**

# MISSIONS INFORMATION



Thank you to everyone who gave to UMCOR/US Disasters/ Hurricane Harvey. Your generosity resulted in us sending \$3,229.00 to UMCOR! That amount will make....

- ⇒ 50 Flood/Cleaning Buckets *or*
- ⇒ 216 Heath/Hygiene Kits *or* a combination of both!

Thank you for your giving missional hearts.

## Binion Sonic Drinks

On Thursday, October 19 our Sonic team will be delivering drinks to the teachers at Binion Elementary. If you would like to help come to Reeves Hall at 9:30 a.m. For more information contact Marletta Tucker or the church office.



## Binion Coats

We are collecting coats for the children at Binion Elementary. You can bring a new or gently used coat to the church, or you can make a donation to Binion Ministries/coats.

**Ready, Set, Bag!**

**FOOD PACKING FOR COMMUNITY MEAL!!**

**Sunday, November 12**

**5:00 p.m. - Reeves Fellowship Hall**

**COMMUNITY MEAL**

**FOOD BAG**

Canned Meat  
Instant Potatoes  
Mac & Cheese  
Canned Veggies  
Peanut Butter  
Soup or Chili  
Spaghetti Sauce  
Spaghetti Noodles

Community  
Meal



**4th Annual Community Meal**

**Wednesday, November 15**

Mark your calendars for this year's Community Meal.

You can start purchasing items for the food bags or you can donate \$10.00 towards a grocery bag.

For more information contact Sharma!

# KIDZ

# KLUB

## Christmas Program Practice

Join us for practice after church.

Lunch will be provided.

After church until 1:30 p.m.

We will practice in choir room!

Sunday, October 8

Sunday, October 22

Sunday, November 5

Sunday, November 26

There will be one Saturday practice  
on December 2, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m.

The Christmas Program will be on  
Sunday, December 3 during the  
morning worship service.

## Movie Night

**Friday, Oct. 27**

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Reeves Hall/  
Movie Room

For ages  
K-5th grade.  
Pizza and fun

for all!  
**FREE!!!**



# YOUTH

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## Youth Hangout

## Youth Fellowship

### Wednesday nights

6:30 - 7:30 p.m.

October 4, 11, 18, & 25

Join us at 5:30 p.m.

for dinner in Reeves Hall.

Bring a friend to do homework,  
play games and fellowship.

### Sunday afternoons

After worship - 2:00 p.m.

Youth Fellowship and Worship

October 8 & 22.

Lunch will be provided.

Bring a friend.



# CPUMC WOMEN



City Point UMW is pleased to make an additional gift to mission through the Burning of the Candle at the Central Texas Conference UMW Annual Meeting in honor of:



Rev. Dr. Jeff May  
Sharma Castillo  
Mike Almy

Rev. Amy Tate-Almy  
Jack Teddlie  
Louis Murray

Laurie Thompson  
Jack Hinson  
Jack Knowles

**Thank you to these active and generous members of the City Point family of faith!**

UMW are actively involved in the community and in the life of the church. Some of the many ways the UMW supports local, national, and worldwide mission efforts are...

### At CPUMC

- ◆ Donation of gift baskets for the Chili Cook-off for camperships for children
- ◆ Money to purchase books for the Grief Support Group
- ◆ Gifts for graduating seniors
- ◆ College scholarships for two graduating senior girls
- ◆ Gifts for homebound and slippers for nursing home patients
- ◆ Kitchen linens

### In the community

- ◆ Support for Binion Elementary – school supplies, jackets, teacher appreciation, volunteers at school and the Clothes Connection
- ◆ United Community Centers – Thanksgiving baskets, donations for technology and general fund
- ◆ Donations for NEED, Presbyterian Night Shelter, Community Enrichment Center
- ◆ Personal items for women released from NRH jail
- ◆ Center for Evangelism and Church Growth, UMC – annual share

### In the world

- ◆ Panama Mission – money for stoves and community health, 50 dresses and 25 shorts
- ◆ Child and Maternal Health initiative in developing countries
- ◆ Annual pledge to mission and additional giving

## UMW Recognition Sunday - September 25

Thank you to everyone who helped make Sunday's UMW Recognition Service a success! Thank you for your support with your attendance, those that wore red, for bringing things for the altar, singing in the choir, supporting the planning process or that quick prayer hoping no one would trip going up the stairs. Most of all thank you to Rev. Amy Tate-Almy for preaching, Sharma Castillo from the Children's Moment, Nancy Kirkland, Karen Murray and Mary Knowles for leading and to Allison Ward, Candiss Krug, Sharma Castillo, Jana May and the choir for the wonderful music. Congratulations to our Special Mission Pin recipients, Rev. Dr. Jeff May, Rev. Jeannie Trevino-Teddlie, Candiss Krug and Ronda Hantz, each of you are very appreciated!

Thank you for blessing us today!  
Linda Harden, UMW President and the City Point UMW

**RAINBOW  
CIRCLE**  
Thursday, Oct. 5  
11:30 a.m.  
DFLC

**INEZ REEVES  
CIRCLE**  
Tuesday, Oct. 10  
9:45 a.m.  
DFLC

**CRAFTS  
FOR MISSION**  
Night Group  
Thursday, Oct. 12  
7:00 p.m.  
Room 104

**CRAFTS  
FOR MISSION**  
Day Group  
Tuesday, Oct. 24  
10:00 a.m.  
Room 104



# AROUND THE CHURCH



**CITY POINT UNITED METHODIST MEN**

*Helping Men Grow In Christ, So Others May Know Christ*

**FOOD, FUN,  
FELLOWSHIP, AND SERVICE**

**NEXT MEETING: November 5**

**UMMen will not meet in October**

**7:45 A.M. Duncan Family Life Center**

**ALL MEN ARE INVITED**

**For more information contact Louis Murray at  
[UMMen@citypointumc.org](mailto:UMMen@citypointumc.org)**

## HURRICANES/NATURAL DISASTERS



Hurricane Harvey's recent arrival on the Texas coast reminds all of us of the devastation that such disasters cause. The United Methodist Men invite all members of our church (male and female) to join us on **Wednesday, October 11 at 6:30 p.m.** to hear our own Hugh Underwood, who is a member of the Texas Task Force 1, share his first hand experiences of Harvey and other natural disasters in Texas. Texas Task Force 1 is a first responder to such disasters.

Come at 5:30 p.m. and have dinner and stay for the presentation in Reeves Fellowship Hall or come at 6:30 p.m. All are welcome.



Ladies of the church are invited to join us for lunch at 12:00 p.m.

**October 16: Don Pablo's**  
5121 Rufe Snow Dr., NRH

**November 20: Hunan Wok**  
5142 Rufe Snow Dr., Suite 121, NRH

R.S.V.P. Linda Peterson  
or the church office



*Dinner is at 5:45 p.m. on Wednesdays  
in Reeves Fellowship Hall*

**October 4:**

*Beef Gyros with Tzatziki Sauce,  
Green Beans, Greek Salad,  
Pita Bread, Fire Feta*

**October 11:**

*Herb Roasted Pork, Oven Baked  
Potato, Garden Salad, Dinner Rolls*

**October 18:**

*Slow-cooked Chicken Tetrazzini,  
Wild Rice, Caesar Salad, Flatbread*

**October 25:**

*Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy,  
Green Beans, Salad Bar, Garlic Bread*



**SPECIAL OFFERING SUNDAY, OCT. 15**

**United Methodist Student Day** is one of six church wide Special Sundays with offerings of The United Methodist Church. United Methodist Student Day calls the church to support students as they prepare for life in uniting faith with knowledge. The special offering provides scholarships for qualified United Methodist applicants.

**Lydia Patterson Institute** is a Methodist Christian college-preparatory school located in El Paso, Texas, United States. Founded in 1913, it offers programs for Spanish-speaking children, primarily from Juarez, to attend high school in the United States and attend an American undergraduate university. All high school classes are taught in English, and the school is accredited by the Southern Assoc. of Colleges and Schools.