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Spring Branch Presbyterian Church
1215 Campbell Rd | Houston, TX 77055

SEPTEMBER
 2026

relationships matter
GOD • ONE ANOTHER • WORLD



From the desk of Pastor Mark...

Not sure everyone knows this, but both of my parents were teachers; my mother mostly taught elementary school, but she was also a school librarian for every level of school (including college). My father taught high school business classes and some college seminars. So, I come by my teacher DNA honestly.

My father used to say that even years after he quit teaching and went into other lines of work, he used to get a feeling in late August/early September that he had to get ready to teach school. When he used to tell me this – and I was still teaching – he also used to say, “But I guess that school bell isn’t loud enough to wake up this old dog and get me going.”

I understand that no teacher can effectively teach forever. Both my parents were fine teachers, but when each of them retired, they were very content to move on to other things.

I understand exactly what my father meant. When I became a minister and accepted my first call in 2011, I noticed with some shock that it was first time I was not heading to school as a student or a teacher since 1960... 51 years straight!

And yet... I love being the pastor to a church. I still get to teach, but I also add other duties that I enjoy such as planning, preaching, organizing committees, writing newsletters (like this one), meeting with people, visiting the sick, and hanging out with the 200+ children in our Presbyterian Academy. I have also discovered that many of my former students have reached out to me via social media, and my current job as the Senior Co-Pastor of Spring Branch PC. Our church is right in the middle of the Spring Branch ISD, so I’m not hard to find.

But... should I be worried? Is there anything I’m doing wrong because I occasionally look back at my teaching days and get a little nostalgic? I don’t think so... it’s not like I’m recreating myself as Lot’s wife and looking back longingly at what I used to do instead of where I am going now (Genesis 19:24-26).

I think I’m safe in the knowledge that I always tried my best when I was a teacher. I loved that job and I loved my students – in every grade that I taught. I truly believe the Lord blessed me in those jobs, and they helped to shape who I am today. I also praise him today for putting me at Spring Branch PC, where I get to do all sorts of things that make me very happy.

So, like my father used to say, perhaps this old dog isn’t going to react that strongly to the school bell ringing, but perhaps that’s because the Lord has other things for him to do. Amen!

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP SERVICE

— ✦ —
“Christ in Action:
Many Lamps But
the Same Light”



— ✦ —
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9TH
6:30 PM

— COME WORSHIP WITH US! —

Dear Church Family,

We're excited to give you an update on the Contemporary Worship Service! Starting in October, the Contemporary Worship Service will be moving to a weekly format! This special gathering will now take place every Wednesday at 6:30 PM in The Gathering Place through the end of the year (with the exception of the Wednesday before Thanksgiving).

It's the perfect midweek opportunity to pause, reset, and be refreshed in God's presence. Experience uplifting music, heartfelt messages, and interactive activities in a welcoming environment. This is a great opportunity to connect with others and deepen your faith.

Please make sure to mark these dates down on your calendar, and make plans to join us!

October 7th	October 14th	October 21st	October 28th
November 4th	November 11th	November 18th	December 2nd
December 9th	December 16th	December 23rd	December 30th

We hope that this different style of service may encourage people to attend who may not be as engaged in traditional worship. The worship team, including the Co-Pastors, is excited about continuing this service. It will not replace any worship service currently offered, but instead will give an additional and unique opportunity for people to praise and learn about God.

The services feature:

- ♥ Live praise bands
- ♥ Uplifting and relevant messages
- ♥ Communion
- ♥ Interactive activities
- ♥ A time for spiritual renewal and connection



Make it a full evening! Come early and enjoy Wednesday Night Supper at 5:45 PM with the church community, then stay after for worship (childcare provided). We encourage you to bring your friends and family – there's something for everyone, and all are welcome.

We can't wait to worship with you and see how the Holy Spirit moves through this vibrant service. Let's come together, grow in faith, and lift our voices in praise!

With joy and anticipation,
The Worship Team

Missions of the Month

The Mission of the Month for September is CarePartners. They provide support, education, resources, and respite to caregivers, and quality care to those individuals living with memory loss, Alzheimer's, or Dementia.

Some of their services include A Dementia Day Center, The Gathering Place, Common Ground, and Second Family. CarePartners collaborates with faith groups and



community organizations and over 1,200 volunteers all over the Houston area. Our Gathering Place program meets on the third Monday of each month. Our volunteer team works together to provide a joyful time for everyone. We provide a half-day activity program created to encourage socialization and engagement. Participants enjoy



music, creative expression, physical and wellness activities, and a delightful lunch. Interested in becoming a volunteer? Reach out to Sarah Dikeman or Jacquie Ballesteros.



September Mission Updates & Opportunities

SBPC Hot Meals on Weekends – This vital program is struggling from a dip in SBPC volunteer participation. It is so easy to participate, and it's a meaningful experience for the deliverers as they witness the gratitude from the recipients of the meals each month. The 4th Saturday of each month we look for individuals to deliver meals to shut-ins. Sometimes we assume that a program is just going to float along without everyone's help. SBPC has 2 routes, so we usually need a total of 2 pairs of volunteers each month. **Please** contact Lu Taylor or use the online signup if you are interested in volunteering to deliver meals for one month this year.

Academy Trunk or Treat on October 16th – be sure to sign up to participate in this fun annual event in the parking lot by sponsoring a decorated car and handing out treats. The event is from 5:30-6:30pm. Reach out to Renee Henry if you are interested.



Seafarers Christmas Shoe Box Packing and Wrapping – this annual and fun event will take place in the Fellowship Hall during the Sunday School hour on November 29th. Please bring any donations to the church office collection bin by November 22nd. Please let Laurie Mitchell know if you are interested in delivering the boxes to the Seafarer's Center.

Mission of Yahweh Summer Snack Drive – Thank you to all who brought healthy snacks this July! And thanks to the Nanneys who delivered a full trunk load of goodies to the mission!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers play a vital role in how we deliver care and support.

Volunteer Opportunities:

- ✓ Gathering Place Program
- ✓ Dementia Day Center
- ✓ Caregiver Conference
- ✓ Common Ground
- ✓ Volunteer Ambassador



Email us at info@CarePartnersTexas.org to learn more about these volunteer opportunities



CarePartners

The logo for Messy Church, featuring the word "Messy" in a large, white, stylized font with a red splatter background, and the word "Church" in a smaller, yellow, sans-serif font below it.

Messy
Church

Sept 3 @
5pm



I am the light of the world!



Messy Church is back?
First Thursdays?
5pm
Fellowship Hall
Now where are my acorns?

Sept 3, Oct 1, Nov 5, Dec 3



Wednesday Night Supper @ 5:45 PM!



Taking reservations has helped us to reduce food waste in the kitchen and improved our meal planning. We plan to continue the reservation process, but will also take walk-ins as long as we have extra food to serve. If you'd like to attend, please email Kay at: kay@craig-heidt.com.

Don't let a missed RSVP keep you away!
All are welcome!

Sept. 2 — Hamburgers

Laurie Mitchell

Sept. 9 — Spaghetti & Meatballs

Jan Fitts

Sept. 16 — Tacos

Don & Barbara Tremble

Sept. 23 — Pork Tenderloin

Jim Kunkel & Lu Taylor

Sept. 30 — Baked Potatoes

Presbyterian Women

All proceeds benefit the mission/scholarship fund!

Prices for the supper are as follows:

Adults (age 13 & up) \$5.00

Children (ages 1-12) \$2.00

Family w/children ages 1-12 \$12.00

(immediate family only please)

We are now accepting credit card payments at Wednesday Night Supper!



Children's Sunday School Class meets **1st & 3rd Sundays of the month** at 9:30am in the Children's classroom in The Gathering Place.



Presbyterian Women this Month

PW at a Glance

PW MODERATORS on 9/2 at 9:30 a.m. (Conference Room)

PW BOARD MEETING on 9/2 at 10:15 a.m. (Conference Room)

PW UNWIND will meet on 9/8 at 6:00 p.m. at Treebeards (9655 Katy Freeway).

THE HORIZONS Evening Bible study using **ZOOM** will be on Tuesday, 9/8 at 7:00 p.m.

PW DAY CIRCLE meeting on 9/9 at 9:30 a.m.

Join us at 9:30 a.m. in the Conference Room for our first Circle Meeting of the year. If you would like to join by Zoom, please contact Patti Nanney for an invitation. We will have a salad luncheon in the Fellowship Hall afterwards. Please bring a salad to share.

Lesson 1 Video: www.springbranchpres.org/united-through-christ-bound-to-each-other.

ZIP TRIP to Houston Toy Museum on 9/16 at 9:30 a.m. Reservations Required.

HAPPY HANDS will meet on 9/23 at 9:30 a.m. in the Conference Room.

BIBLE STUDY BOOKS for 2026-2027 (*United Through Christ, Bound to Each Other*) are available in the Church Office. The cost is \$14.

PW DIRECTORIES are available in the Church Office.

SINCE 1978

TREEBEARDS

DOING *Southern* FRESH

The Unwind group will meet for dinner on Tuesday, September 8th, at 6:00 PM at Treebeards (9655 Katy Freeway). Please note that this is a Tuesday, as the first Monday is Labor Day. Please RSVP, only if you plan to attend, to Jacquie Ballesteros at 713-305-1114. We hope to see you there!



Join us for Presbyterian Women's
Bible Study on Zoom

UNITED THROUGH CHRIST, BOUND TO EACH OTHER

SECOND TUESDAY OF THE MONTH

7:00 pm

Meeting ID: 842 9809 4677

Passcode: 552459

Email Sarah Powell,
mrspowelltobe@yahoo.com, for
more details

Hope to see you 9/8/2026

Happy Hands will meet on Wednesday,
September 23rd, at 9:30 AM in the
Conference Room. We'll be stuffing and
stitching. If you have other projects to work
on, bring those as well. Hope you can make it!



The Gathering Place will meet on Monday,
September 21st, at 10:00 AM! The theme
for this month is *Fiesta!* Please see Jacquie
Ballesteros or Sarah Dikeman if you are
interested in helping out.



WELCOME FALL



LOOK OUT FOR ALL THE KIDS!...

They are all around us! Drive slowly while in our parking lot. Keep them safe and beside you while in our school.



UP COMING EVENTS

**JOIN US ON FRIDAY FOR
our fun!...**

HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR

**TRUNK OR
TREAT!
Friday, Oct. 16
5:30-6:30 PM**



**MUST REGISTER TO PARTICIPATE.
MORE INFO WILL BE POSTED.**

**COME AND DINE WITH US
ON WEDNESDAYS!...**

**Let our church friends cook and
do the dishes for you for a small
fee. \$5 per person,
\$2 per child,
\$12 per family.**

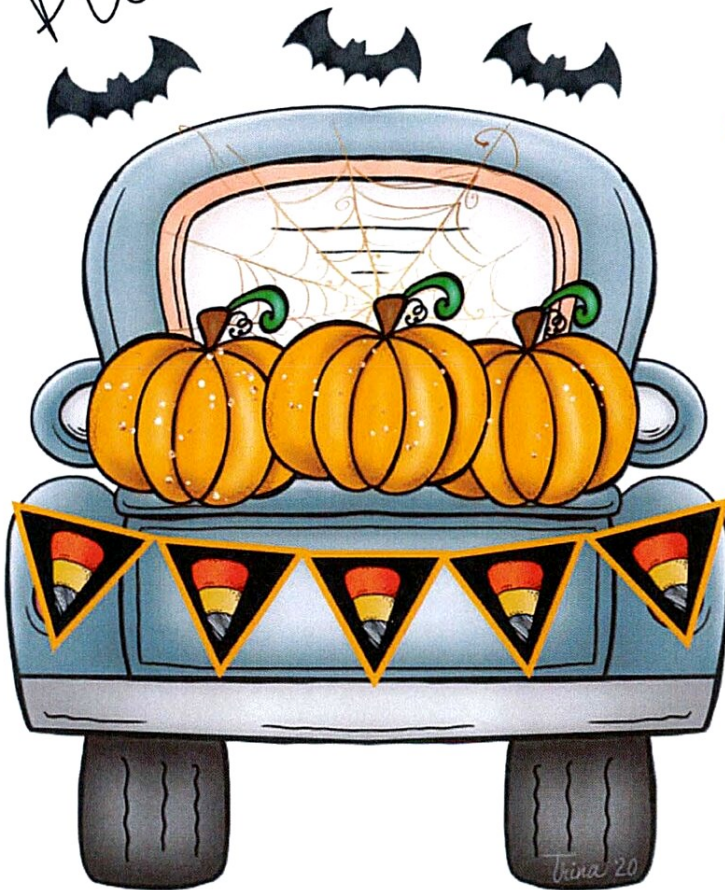


Church Dinner



**Also, all are
welcomed to
attend our
Sunday Worship
at 10:50 am.**

Please JOIN US FOR A Spooktacular



HALLOWEEN TRUNK TREAT

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16th

5:30-6:30

SBPA event!

Please register by filling out and returning this form by October 2nd

PLEASE PRINT

FAMILY NAME _____

NUMBER ATTENDING _____

EMAIL _____

PHONE _____

☐ OUR FAMILY WILL PROVIDE A TRUNK OR TREAT VEHICLE

1. Non-scary, family-friendly decor and costumes, please.
2. Please arrive to decorated vehicle by 4:45 PM.
3. An adult must remain with the vehicle at all times.
4. Vehicles must remain on site until 6:30 PM.
5. You will need to provide all treats for you to hand out.
6. Car Type: Car SUV TRUCK OTHER

Email questions to : academy@springbranchpres.org

SBPC YOUTH

Fall 2026



**AUG
30**

Dairy Ashford Roller Rink
1:00 PM*
Retro cool with ice cream.

**SEPT
20**

Activate Houston
2:00 PM*
Games to test your body and mind.

**OCT
11**

Top Golf
2:00 PM*
Golf and snacks, need we say more?

**NOV
7**

Houston Food Bank
Time TBD*
Helping our neighbors.

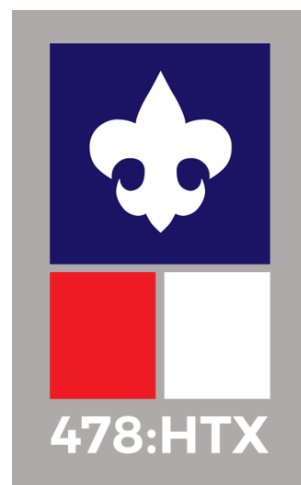
*time to meet in church parking lot
For event details and to let us know you're
coming, check in with Savannah!





Please join family, friends, and congregation members on Sunday, September 13th, right after our 10:50 AM worship service as we celebrate those in our church community born in September. Linger for conversation, fellowship, and light snacks.

If you are interested in learning more about Boy Scout Troop 478, please join the Troop on Monday evenings from 7:00-8:00 PM at the Scout Hut. The Troop is always looking for new scouts to join!



Spring Branch Presbyterian is excited to welcome Girl Scout Troop 124182 back after a summer break! The next Troop meeting is on Wednesday, September 9th. Regular meetings are the 2nd and 4th Wednesday of each month, from 5:00-6:00 PM in the Gathering Place.



We would be glad to have you join us at our upcoming troop meetings to learn how to get involved. If you would like to get more information, or have any questions, please contact Karen Dikeman at girlscouts@springbranchpres.org.

SBPC holds the charter for Cub Scout Pack 552. The Pack is made up of 5 Dens, each which typically meet two times a month. For more information, or to join, please email Scott Tackett (Cubmaster) at: cubscouts@springbranchpres.org.



On August 23rd, Troop 478 gathered at the Spring Branch Presbyterian Church Fellowship Hall for the Summer Court of Honor. The event saw ten rank advancements and seventy-two merit badges awarded, the welcoming of a new Scouting Family to the Troop, and official release of the 2026-2027 program calendar.

Welcome to Matthew Hogg!

Before the awards, the Troop took a moment to welcome its newest member, Matthew Hogg. Every Court of Honor is a recognition of where Scouts have been. A new Scout joining is a reminder of where the program is going. Welcome to Troop 478, Matthew!



Rank advancements

Ten Scouts earned rank advancements at the August Court of Honor, spanning Scout through Life.

72 merit badges awarded

The bulk of this summer's merit badge work was earned at Camp Alexander in Colorado, with additional badges completed independently before and after camp. In total, nineteen Scouts were recognized with a total of 72 merit badges.

What a Court of Honor is, and why it matters

Scouting America designates the Court of Honor as the formal ceremony through which a troop publicly recognizes the achievements of its Scouts. The Guide to Advancement is clear that recognition is not optional. It is a core part of how the program develops young people. When a Scout's accomplishment is witnessed by family, fellow Scouts, and community, the achievement becomes real in a way that a quiet handshake cannot replicate.

The August Court of Honor carries particular weight because it closes the summer program and opens the troop year simultaneously. The Scouts recognized here did their work at 8,600 feet in Colorado, on whitewater in Browns Canyon, and on a mountainside at 2:00 a.m. That is not a figure of speech. The Court of Honor is where the troop stops to say so out loud, in front of the people who matter most.

Congratulations to all

To every Scout recognized on August 23rd, and to the families who made it possible: well done. The year ahead starts now. Full Throttle at Camp Strake is September 18th. The troop is ready.

Summer camp at Camp Alexander: A week none of us will forget!

Eighteen Scouts and eleven adult leaders made the trip from Houston to Colorado's Eleven Mile Canyon for a week at Camp Alexander.

The send-off

The troop departed Houston on June 6th, the trailer loaded and the crew ready for the long haul to Colorado. Twenty-nine of us, headed for a camp that is celebrating its 80th year of welcoming Scouts (since 1946).

Arrival at Camp Alexander

The troop arrived Sunday, June 7th, and settled into camp. Camp Alexander sits at 8,600 feet in Eleven Mile Canyon. As a part of the Pike National Forest, campers experienced real Colorado granite, a lake typically fed by snowmelt (that was a little low due to ongoing drought conditions), and the South Platte River running through the property. 2026 marks the camp's 80th summer, a milestone that says something about how many troops have made this same trip over the decades.

The camp runs eleven program areas spanning aquatics, climbing, shooting sports, nature, outdoor skills, and more, with real rock climbing on actual granite rather than a man-made wall. It is the kind of setting that makes a week of merit badge work feel like an expedition rather than a checklist.

Friday: whitewater on Browns Canyon

Friday took the whole troop off camp property for a whitewater rafting excursion through Browns Canyon on the Arkansas River with River Runners. Class II-III rapids, plenty of splashing, and smiles on every face that came back through the canyon. One boat went over with Scouts and adult leaders alike getting a little extra excitement and some genuine “head up, toes up” practice in the current. Everyone made it back on the bus intact, soaked, and full of stories that will get told and retold for years.

Closing campfire

The troop made it back to camp Friday just in time for dinner and for Senior Patrol Leader, Noah Kiger, to help lead the closing campfire program for the entire camp, which included a Troop 478 skit. Leading a camp-wide closing program is no small thing, and it is exactly the kind of leadership opportunity that summer camp creates for Scouts who are ready for it.

The full trip, by the numbers

Roughly 1,800 miles of driving. Two gracious churches that opened their doors along the way (First Presbyterian in Amarillo, New Hope Presbyterian in Wichita Falls). Rest area sandwiches and a few fast food stops. A week of camp at 8,600 feet with side quests that pushed everyone a little further than they expected to go. Eighteen Scouts and eleven adult leaders, all in it together. That is a Troop 478 summer.



A Note About Worship from Neal Dikeman

I joined Worship Team this year. When you are not at worship on Sunday, or Wednesday night, you are noticed, and missed.

I get my joy and grounding for the next week from your presence at our church. And I'm not alone in that. My week is better when I spend that hour in worship with you and I'm betting yours is, too.

I buy you donuts every week (this is my main job), because someone else used to, and I don't want breakfast or coffee to be even a small reason you missed, and maybe be a small reason you or your family came.

Why do we worship? Because God asks us to, and we need it and each other to be our best selves.

Spring Branch Presbyterian Church, in the last year, ran 114 worship services. 52 regular traditional Sunday Services, 3 special services, 41 Worship on Wednesdays for Academy students, 8 monthly Messy Church Family Services, and 10 monthly Christ in Action Contemporary Worship Services. That's 12,000x last year a person was in communion with Christ and each other at Spring Branch Presbyterian Church.

The Christ in Action Contemporary Worship Service boosts our worship attendance each week it runs. It is a worship service with elements you will not find in a run of the mill contemporary service. Like our brand of Messy Church, it is uniquely Spring Branch, thanks to Megan, Ethan, Savannah, Mark, Donald, and others. Starting in October, we are expanding it to weekly on Wednesdays at 6:30pm.



I hope to see you at any of our upcoming worship activities... and I'll commit to more Kolaches not just donuts.

Neal Dikeman

An Acolyte Training Class will be held on Sunday, September 20th, at 10:15 AM in the Sanctuary. The class is for all children and youth, even those who have previously had training. Please meet Marguerite Priest in the Narthex at 10:15 AM. Please let Marguerite Priest (mepriest@hotmail.com) or Pastor Savannah (savannah@springbranchpres.org) know if your children/youth plan to attend.

Also, we would love to have your children/youth sign up to be acolytes please! Here is the link to the sign up: [LINK](#).

The logo for Acolyte Ministry. The word "Acolyte" is written in a large, red, serif font. A golden censer, a long-handled incense burner, is positioned diagonally across the word "Acolyte". Below "Acolyte", the word "Ministry" is written in a smaller, dark grey, serif font.

Acolyte
Ministry

The Church Office & Academy will be closed on Monday, September 7th, in observance of the Labor Day Holiday.

*"Come to Me, all you who labor and are heavy laden,
and I will give you rest."*

- Matthew 11:28

**WE WILL BE
CLOSED
LABOR DAY**

Did you know that you can help the church by doing your grocery shopping at Randalls? By giving our Good Neighbor Number (1140) at the checkout line when you shop with your Remarkable Card, a portion of the proceeds will be contributed to the church.



If you are purchasing something for reimbursement by the church, please take a tax exempt form from the Church Office with you. You can keep it in your car, purse, or wallet! Help us save a few dollars the next time you make a purchase for the church. Thank you!



The World Communion Sunday Offering works to ensure all God's people flourish as God intends through ministries working for racial justice, gender justice, peacemaking, global witness, and ecumenical and interfaith relations. By giving to the World Communion Sunday Offering, we work to share Christ's peace with one another, beyond our doors, beyond our community, and across boundaries.

Ways to Give:

- Through your congregation (World Communion Sunday, October 4th)
- Donate by credit card online at pcusa.org/give/wco
- Text GIVEWCO to 41444

BEAUTIFY THE CHURCH



Would you like to beautify the Sanctuary on Sunday mornings while honoring a loved one or commemorating a special occasion? The 2026 Flower Sign-Up Calendar is located in the Narthex. If you are currently worshiping from home, but would still like to sponsor flowers for a Worship Service, you may signup digitally by using this form: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30E084CABAC2BA1FA7-60848516-2026>, or email jorida.vakiari@springbranchpres.org. **The cost per arrangement**

is \$65.00. Special arrangements vary and should be requested EARLY! Checks should be written to SBPC and mailed to the Church Office (Attn: Jorida) or placed in the offering plate on Sunday mornings.



SBPC Hot Meals on Weekends – The 4th Saturday of each month we look for individuals to deliver meals to shut-ins. We have 2 routes, so we usually need a total of 4 volunteers each month. Please contact Lu Taylor if you are interested in volunteering to deliver meals one month. Or go to this [LINK](#) to sign-up online!

FRIDAY EMAIL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Would you like to receive our weekly announcements via email every Friday? Sign-up by visiting our Church website, www.springbranchpres.org.

sign up for our
Mailing List

Church's Prayer Chain List?

The email prayer chain is open all who would like to pray for those individuals in need of prayer. If you would like to be included in the email prayer chain as a prayer warrior or if you have a prayer request for an individual, contact swdmmd@dikeman.net. It is requested that prayers be for your family members, or extended families and friends who are in need of prayer.



DANA JOHNSON & TEAM
invite you to join us for our

FIRST TIME
HOMEBUYER
WORKSHOP

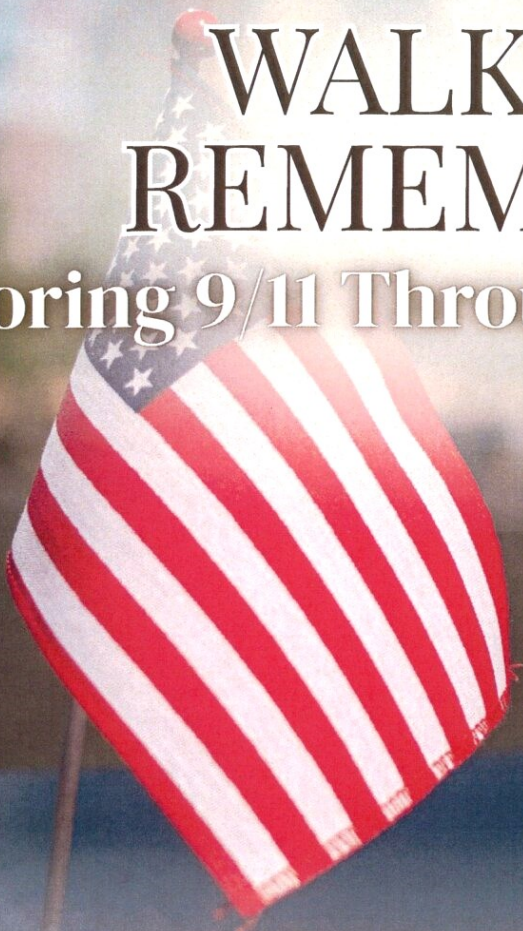
THURSDAY
SEPTEMBER 10TH
AT 6:30 PM

The Original Carrabba's
1399 S Voss Rd,
Houston, TX 77057

For details or to RSVP, please reach out to Victoria Kissinger at **713-419-9390**.

This relaxed, informative evening will walk you through what the home-buying process really looks like. Whether you're hoping to purchase soon or simply want to feel more prepared. No pressure, just clear guidance and honest conversation.

Bring your questions, invite a friend, and enjoy an evening designed to help you feel confident and informed when the time comes to buy your first home.



WALK TO REMEMBER:

Honoring 9/11 Through Community

“2,200 Steps”

The 2,200 steps represent the 110 flights of stairs in the World Trade Center towers. This is the ascent that FDNY firefighters undertook on September 11, 2001, to rescue those trapped.

Saturday, September 12

Opening Ceremony Begins 9:00 AM

Walk Begins 9:30 AM | Concludes 10:30 AM

Heights Funeral Home

1317 Heights Boulevard

Houston, Texas | 77008

(713) 862-8844

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HURRICANE PREPAREDNESS



The International District would like to remind everyone that Hurricane Season is upon us. We all need to be smart and plan ahead for all kinds of disasters: natural, man-made, technological and terrorist related. In Southeast Texas, however, the most likely disaster scenario is a Hurricane.

BEFORE THE HURRICANE

- Monitor local TV or AM 740 KTRH
- Check supplies; especially water
- Fuel Vehicles & Generators
- Cover Windows with Plywood
- Bring in all objects that could become missiles
- Take pictures of property & contents for insurance purposes

DON'T FORGET THE PETS!

Pet disaster kits should include: medications, first aid kits, sturdy leashes and collars, carriers to transport pets safely, current photos with owner or family members, food, potable water, litter/pan, muzzle, can opener, and toys.

**5 GALLONS
OF WATER,
PER PERSON,
PER DAY.**

STOCK EMERGENCY SUPPLIES

>> *at least 72 hours worth* <<

- First Aid Kit
- NOAA Radio & Batteries
- Flashlight & Batteries
- Extra Eye Glasses
- Bottled Water & Non-perishable Food
- Clothing & Bedding
- Toilet Paper & Personal Hygiene Items
- Medications & Prescription copies
- Cash & Credit Cards
- Photo ID & Important Documents
- Baby & Elderly Necessities

Make a check list of necessary pre-hurricane preparations and review with your family.

Review it again when there is a storm in the Gulf. Discuss evacuation plans with your family.

Check Radio 740 and local television media for updates on zones being evacuated.

Make sure your home insurance policy is current and remember that standard policies may not cover flood/ wind damage.

For more information,
visit the Harris County Office of Emergency Management website at:
hcoem.org



www.SBMD.org



Kaylee Earnest	9/1	Kamden Walters	9/15
Mark Plunkett	9/6	Chad Carpenter	9/16
Luca Tacchi	9/6	Del Kennedy	9/16
Pam Blacklock	9/7	Dylan Mancilla	9/17
Lisa Merritt	9/7	Steve Blair	9/19
Ricardo Salgado	9/9	Warren Ballesteros	9/20
Garth Heitshusen	9/12	Ashley Powell	9/20
Lee Matthews	9/13	Shannon Hassett	9/24
Lindsey Craig	9/15	Jake Miller	9/26
Katie Fairchild	9/15	Sarah Dikeman	9/30
Ruden Vakiari	9/15		

Happy Anniversary!



David and Jennifer Fuller	9/1
Gary and Laurie Mitchell	9/2
Gabe Perez and Floyd Christopher	9/3
Richard Machain and Margie Wedemeyer	9/14
Stephen and Bunnie Lezon	9/22
Savannah and Jordan Goodman	9/30

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31	1	2	3	4	5
		10am - Flexercise (GP) 5:30pm - Special Olympics: Bocce Ball 6pm - Basketball (GP)	9:30am - PW Moderators (CR) 10:15am - PW Board Meeting (CR) 5:45pm - WNS 7:30pm - Mission Team Meeting (Zoom)	10am - Flexercise (GP) 1pm - Pastor Mark's Bible Study (Zoom) 5pm - Messy Church (FH) 5:30pm - Special Olympics: Bocce Ball 6pm - Fairbees (GP)		6pm - CENTI Church Service (GP) @
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20	21	10am - The Gathering Place (FH) 3:30pm - WOW (S) 6pm - Special Olympics: Volleyball (GP) 7pm - Boy Scouts (Scout Hut)	9:30am - Happy Hands (CR) 5pm - Girl Scouts (GP 1, 2, 3, 4) 5:45pm - WNS	10am - Flexercise (GP) 1pm - Pastor Mark's Bible Study (Zoom) 5:30pm - Special Olympics: Bocce Ball 6pm - Fairbees (GP)	25	26
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