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WORSHIP AND MINISTRY NEWS

A NOTE FROM DRIES

One of my highlights every week is the "Time for Fellowship, Joys, and Concerns" after worship on Sundays. In many ways, it encapsulates the nature of worship as an ongoing dialogue between parishioners, the world, and God. One of the aspects I love most is that the conversation takes us out of our silos and broadens the discussion. To hear the perspectives of siblings we don't have enough opportunities to talk to is transformative.

For February, we will be intentional in broadening our conversation as we contemplate the vibrancy of our congregation. The Annual Meeting of the Congregation has been called for Sunday, Feb. 7, 2021, at 11:00 am via Zoom during the "Time for Fellowship, Joys, and Concerns." Amid coronatide, we will change our meetings' format slightly to preserve the integrity of our denomination's polity and at the same time, honor the "Time for Fellowship, Joys, and Concerns." On Sunday, February 7, we will only review the annual budget that Session has approved, elect officers, and vote on the Pastor's Terms of Call. In the month to come, we will receive and discuss the various committee reports, so that we can be in discussion with the committee chairs.

I am looking forward to being in conversation with you and want to remind you that your presence is needed to cultivate the voice of our congregation.

Many Blessings,
Dries

OUTDOOR WORSHIP - SUNDAYS AT 8:00AM

Join us for a meditative experience on the grass facing Bushnell Ave. Follow the safety guidelines and please bring your own chair.

ONLINE WORSHIP - SUNDAYS AT 10:00AM

Join us for worship each week lead by Dries Coetzee and assisted by Dhawn Martin. Music provided by Mary Lowder, Keith Martinez, and the Choral Scholars. Church members take turns sharing in the time for children, moments for mission, and liturgies. Guest speakers and special visitors also add to the line up of some services.



Online Service Links:

[CLICK HERE FOR ZOOM WEBINAR](#)

[CLICK HERE FOR YOUTUBE LIVE](#)

Dial-In Numbers:

346-248-7799, 669-900-6833, 301-715-8592, 312-626-6799
Enter Webinar ID: 209 945 961

Added Security:

Worship services are password protected. [Contact Anastasia](#) for the password. Please note, the password is the same week after week.

ANNUAL CONGREGATION MEETING

The Annual Congregational Meeting of University Presbyterian Church, San Antonio, is called for Sunday, Feb. 7, 2020, at 11:00am via Zoom during the Fellowship Time. The purposes of this meeting

are to review the annual budget, to elect officers, and to vote on Pastor's Terms of Call.

Throughout the remaining February Sunday Fellowship Times, we will receive the various committee reports, and hear from the committee chairs.

COMMUNITY NEWS AND HAPPENINGS

SOUPER BOWL OF CARING

The UPC Youth Ministry will be partnering with the MOJ Committee to participate in the 2021 Souper Bowl of Caring, a fundraiser that works "to use the energy of the NFL's Super Bowl to mobilize youth in a united national effort to care for people in their local communities who are hungry and those in need." – Souper Bowl of Caring Vision. This year we have chosen to donate our proceeds to the House of Neighborly Service's Food Pantry, a non-profit organization which has been working hard to help those most affected by the pandemic.



To participate, send money to UPC with "Souper Bowl" in memo line through the month of January or bring non-perishable food items or financial donations to UPC parking lot on Sunday, Jan. 31 from 4pm-5pm, for the youth group's drive thru collection.

The your are very excited to participate in this and give back to the San Antonio community! Check out the Tackle Hunger website, <https://tacklehunger.org/#> for more information, or [contact Hannah Cooley](#) if you have questions!

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

This year's Habitat for Humanity home build will run for seven weeks, starting January 30. We need volunteers! Each Saturday, Jan. 30-Feb. 13, from 8:00am-3:00pm, we hope to have 2-3 UPC volunteers on site. You can learn as you go, and we'll keep a healthy social distance the whole time. [Click here to sign up to volunteer](#). The build site is on the south side of town, in the Rancho Carlota subdivision (13801 Watson Rd, 78073). [Contact Leslie Ellison](#) for info. Let's build better, together!

As always, we also welcome donations to fund next year's home. Please give to the church, with "Habitat Cluster" in the memo line.

I/CAN SMALL GROUP MEETINGS

The Interfaith/Community Action Network (I/CAN) will hold at least two Small Group Meetings a month (every 2nd and 4th Monday evening) until voting begins, and we want you to be part of the conversation. You can help our local Family Action Agenda be more inclusive. [Click here to register for the meetings](#). Zoom meeting link will be sent upon registration. [Contact Nancy Campbell](#) or [contact Joseph Luedecke](#) with questions. Looking forward to talking!

WOMEN'S BOOK GROUP

Monday evening January 25, the UPC Women's Book Group will meet virtually via ZOOM at 7:00pm to discuss *A Long Petal of the Seaby* Isabel Allende. All are welcome.

Let the church know if you want to be added to the mailing list. Instructions for joining the virtual gathering are sent out a day before.



SHAWL MINISTRY

The pandemic continues - and so do we! 2020 forced a lot of innovations and adaptations, but a resolute crew of 15 knitters, crocheters and one weaver persisted to produce shawls, lap robes, and baby blankets. We were proud when the deacons asked us to produce a blanket to wrap each new cherub born into the church and grateful for their donation. With suspension of in-person worship services, distribution of shawls required that we mobilize. Home delivery of shawls was instituted and December saw the inception of the highly successful "Taking Shawls to the Street Event."

As we rebuild our inventory, shawls will continue to be provided. To request a shawl or to join this very active and welcoming group, [contact Caryl Gaubatz](#).

GOT MASKS?

Several UPC members are keeping busy helping others by making masks and now that it is necessary to wear a mask in most places, there is a larger need. [Click here](#) for a request form/questionnaire to have masks made for you and your family.

PRAYER FLAGS AVAILABLE FOR ALL

The prayer flag makers have made prayer flags available (for free) for each deacon to give to folks in their parish who have suffered a death or other severe occurrence in their life, as well as for those who are experiencing a joyous event - a birth, wedding, graduation, etc.

However, the flaggers decided to tell all members of UPC to take or mail a flag to others, outside UPC, that may be comforted. [Contact the church office](#) to set up a time to retrieve a flag.

OPPORTUNITIES TO CONNECT DURING THE WEEK

Sunday Outdoor Worship - 8:00am

Join us for a meditative experience on the grass facing Bushnell Ave. Follow the safety guidelines and please bring your own chair.

Sunday Virtual Worship - 10:00am

[Click here for the Zoom Webinar](#), [click here for YouTube Live](#), or call 346-248-7799 with meeting ID 427 660 200. You can also watch the service later at your convenience on [YouTube here](#).



Sunday Joys, Concerns & Prayers Fellowship Time - 11:00am

We miss the personal connection when we watch services online. Not seeing each other in worship takes away a critical connection we have come to love about worshipping at UPC. Join Dries after worship for sharing your joys and prayer. [To Join Click Here](#) or dial 346-248-7799 and enter Meeting ID 742 807 278.

Meditation Tuesdays: Centering the Week with Dawn Martin - 10:00am

Whether you've never meditated or are a transcendental sage, join us for communal meditations. Together we will breathe in new possibilities for how we shape our days, setting intentions that nurture peace, generosity, and compassion. We will open the hour with centering prayer and wisdom literatures from diverse traditions, and then move into the contemplative. [To Join the Zoom Webinar, Click Here](#).

Tuesday Discerning Worship with Karen Jensen and Dries Coetzee - 2:00pm

Worship is about so much more than just a sermon. Join a discussion lead by Karen Jensen and joined by Dries as we discuss the upcoming Sunday's Scripture and make it relevant to our lives. Through art, poetry, and meditation, we explore the multi-facetedness of God's word for our time. [Contact Karen Jensen to receive Zoom invite](#).

Wednesday Zoom Knit-In - 7:30am

All knitters and crocheters are welcome to join. For further information, [contact Caryl Gaubatz](#). Even though we may not be able to enjoy each other's physical presence, we realize the need to remain a "knitted-together" community. Plus there are real psychological benefits to working with one's hands: the repetitive motions of knitting activate the parasympathetic nervous system, calming the "fight or flight response." (*British Journal of Occupational Therapy*, 2013). [To Join Click Here](#).

Wednesday Midweek Check-In and Prayer with Dries - 9:00am

These are trying times. Not being with each other removes the sense of connection. Join Dries for a midweek check-in and prayers as we cultivate a community of faith that seeks to nurture and support one another through life's trials and triumphs while we minister to the brokenness in the world. [To Join Click Here](#).

Thursday Theology 101 with Dawn Martin - 7:00pm

Deepen your faith with Dawn Martin as you engage in a theological conversation. Dawn has taught courses in Philosophy and Theology, Civil Engagement, Peace and Power, and Utopias and Dystopias, at Drew University, St. Mary's University, and Hanover College. Her areas of academic study include political theology and peace-making. [To Join Click Here](#).

Saturday COVID-19 Bereavement Support Group - 10:00am

This weekly online support group is for those who have lost loved ones to COVID-19. This informal group will be held one hour a week and is limited to 20 people. [Contact Joseph Luedecke, LMSW for more](#)

SESSION AND COMMITTEE REPORTS

SOLAR PANEL PROJECT

The solar panel carport construction in the church parking lot will run from January 19-February 5. This project was envisioned by the church's Earthcare Taskforce and Facilities & Operations Committee as a way to reduce our carbon footprint. Once the solar panels are operational, they will produce around 90% of our campus' electricity. The project has been in the works for over a year and the congregation held a special fundraiser to pay for part of the cost. The remainder will come from rebates from CPS and from electricity savings over the next ten years.

SESSION MEETING HIGHLIGHTS - DECEMBER

- **Pledges and 2021 budget**- The Session conditionally approved the 2021 budget, based on the pledges already received. The budget includes funds to cover expenses in areas like cleaning, which have increased in response to cleaning and sanitizing guidelines. If you have pledged, the Session thanks you. If you haven't, they ask that you give what you can so UPC can continue its mission to the community in 2021.
 - **Annual meeting on Feb. 7** - The Annual Congregational Meeting will be held at 11:00am, Sunday, Feb. 7 in a brief segment of the post-worship "Prayers and Concerns" fellowship hour on Zoom. This brief meeting will allow UPC members to vote on the slate of Ruling Elder and Deacons for the 2021-2024 term, and other business decisions mandated by the PC-USA. However, traditional updates from committee chairs will be conducted over the month of February in small doses during that same weekly fellowship hour.
 - **Covid-19 response**- Continuing discussions about pandemic-related concerns are being addressed through regular meetings of the Pandemic Advisory Group, a special UPC task force. The group forwarded recommendations to Session related to requests for in-person activities, such as memorial services or baptisms. The Session agreed to continue to limit these actions at UPC, as San Antonio is still reporting high rates of positive tests, hospitalizations and deaths. The group will re-send the COVID guidelines and procedures to the congregation and community to re-commit to the goal of keeping everyone healthy and safe.
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ONLINE GIVING / STEWARDSHIP

Thank you for keeping up with your pledge or donating extra to the UPC Covid-19 Response Fund. Continue to mail checks to the church office or click on the link below for online donations.

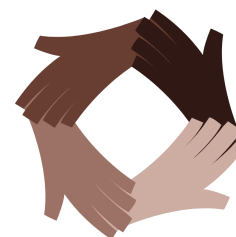
DONATE NOW

We've received 113 pledges for a total of \$536,456 towards the goal of \$549,709. That leaves us \$13,253 short of our target. There is still time to make your 2021 pledge commitment to UPC. Regardless of membership status all are invited to support University Presbyterian Church. [Send an email to the treasurer](#) with your pledge amount.

NEWS FROM YOUR MOJ COMMITTEE

The Mission, Outreach and Justice committee would like to encourage each of our UPC siblings to take some time out of the challenging issues of the day to reflect and contemplate on some of the exciting opportunities and resources that are available to each of us this month and next. With MLK day right around the corner and Black History month in February, there are a variety of activities and content available:

1. Check out the new Anti-Racism Resources page on our UPC website under the "get Involved" header. Articles, websites, podcasts and much, much more. There is something for everyone and this is a great place to start when contemplating what it means to be a Matthew 25 congregant.
2. The SoL Center has some relevant and timely classes this month (Dream Week) and throughout the Spring. Check them out at www.sourceoflightsa.org.
3. It may be only virtual this year, but the city of San Antonio is committed to the 2021 MLK, Jr. march and celebration. See ways you can participate virtually and or enjoy the content on their



**ANTI-RACISM
RESOURCES**

website page at www.sanantonio.gov.

4. Call to Action: Get out of the house and show your support. We are encouraging UPC individuals and families to go by our "Black Lives Matter: To God and To Us" sign and take their photo. Post it to social media and send in your photo to upcsa@upcsa.org for a digital collage on our UPC website and during a Sunday service.
5. Remember, there are many ways for each of us to reflect our own commitment to being actively engaged in the world through Matthew 25 commitments of:
 - Building Congregational Vitality
 - Dismantling Structural Racism
 - Eradicating Systemic Poverty

ALTERNATIVE GIFT MARKET WRAP-UP

Even though we had to hold our annual gift market electronically, we should feel good about the overall results. The total number of AGM donations were down from last year but the total of money collected increased. (AGM total was \$16,154 with 38 contributors.)

The online ordering was a learning curve but we made it work! Thank you for your participation and we look forward to having a combined in-person and online event in 2021.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Thanks to all who kept up with their pledges in 2020 and to the many new members and visitors who have made donations. UPCC and the church allocated most of the funds for the SBA Paycheck Protection Loan in support of staff employment. Expenses continue to be lower than planned though we have been upgrading technology. We currently have a surplus of \$88,435. We have a healthy balance in most of the special funds which are non-operating funds, usually designated for a particular purpose. The overall balance in the special funds account is \$424,982 which includes a very generous anonymous donation of \$125,000 which will be used to seed some campus improvements focusing on making the sanctuary more audio/visual friendly. The solar panel project is moving forward and should be completed by the end of the year. The SoL Center offers interfaith adult education and has an operating budget of \$34,825 and separate endowment accounts.

Financial Report for November 2020 - Operating Budget				
	YTD Actual	YTD Budget	Difference	Total Budget
Revenues				
Pledge Income	\$472,999	\$498,202	-\$25,203	\$543,493
Reimbursements	\$23,653	\$62,602	-\$38,949	\$68,804
Other	\$130,669	\$21,739	\$108,930	\$54,349
Total Revenues	\$627,321	\$582,543	\$44,778	\$636,047
Expenses				
Mission, Outreach & Justice	\$54,507	\$61,050	\$6,543	\$63,500
Stewardship & Finance	\$1,768	\$917	-\$851	\$1,000
Personnel	\$363,358	\$375,893	\$12,535	\$411,622
Christian Education	\$4,059	\$7,563	\$3,504	\$8,250
Worship & Arts	\$5,415	\$7,058	\$1,643	\$7,700
Facilities & Operations	\$105,617	\$120,414	\$14,797	\$134,270
Welcome & Fellowship	\$983	\$4,079	\$3,096	\$4,450
Session	\$5,791	\$4,771	-\$1,020	\$5,255
Total Expenses	\$541,498	\$581,745	\$40,247	\$636,047
Net Total	\$85,823	\$798	\$85,025	

In addition to operating funds and special purpose funds, we also have Endowment Funds which are funds invested for the long term that help support programs of the church and The SoL Center. The current market value of UPC Endowments is \$612,577 and the book value is \$414,773. The current market value of SoL Endowments is \$147,979 and the book value is \$105,061. Endowments are invested and only the earnings or a percentage of the current value may be used regularly.

COVID-19 RELIEF FUND

The COVID-19 pandemic continues, and so does UPC's drive to respond through the COVID-19 Response Fund. Our church community has contributed approximately \$28,000, so thank you! So far, \$21,000 has been given to community nonprofit organizations serving those most impacted by the pandemic. \$3,500 has been given to families in our midst that are in need of assistance.

If you or someone you know needs some extra help with rent, utilities/internet, groceries, healthcare expenses, transportation expenses, childcare expenses, or other essentials, please reach out to your Deacon or [Pastor Dries Coetzee](#) (UPC) or to [Cindi Catlin Gaskins](#) (UPCC). A subcommittee will review and respond to these requests confidentially and as quickly as possible.

Thank you for all you have done-and all you will continue to do-to help UPC respond to this crisis with compassion and in alignment to our Mission and Welcome Statement. Your generosity to the COVID-19 Response Fund and by maintaining your UPC pledge makes that possible. There is always time to contribute! We will continue to respond faithfully as long as the need exists.

CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND COLLEGE MINISTRY

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY NEWS

Children's ministry is in a strange state during the COVID-19 pandemic. While church staff and volunteers want to minister to and support children and families, they do not want to burden them, as many families are already overwhelmed with distance learning, working from home, and limited childcare availability.

The Christian Education Committee is continuing to explore this situation and consider what type of programming we would like to offer for children and families in the fall. If you have suggestions, opinions, or questions, please [contact Children's CE Committee Chair, Melissa Almsted](#)

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

Weekly Gatherings

The youth continue to meet most Sunday evenings via Zoom and one Sunday evening a month in person. In addition, kids can "Hang with Hannah" at the Quarry Starbucks. [Click here for a schedule.](#)

Souper Bowl of Caring

UPC Youth Ministry will be partnering with the MOJ Committee to participate in the 2021 Souper Bowl of Caring. Youth are asking congregants to send money to UPC with "Souper Bowl" in memo line through the month of January or to bring non-perishable food items or financial donations to UPC parking lot on Sunday, Jan. 31 from 4pm-5pm, for their drive thru collection.

COLLEGE/YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

Pastor Dries and others are re-imagining what college and young adult ministry could look like at UPC. Todd McGraw established a vibrant college ministry group in his tenure at UPC, and Dakota Kohfield maintained it. Members continue to meet online and are looking forward to redefining its young adult ministry to foster inclusion. If you'd like to be a part of this conversation, [please contact Dries.](#)

UNIVERSITY PRESBYTERIAN CHILDREN'S CENTER

SCHOOL NEWS

UPCC registration for currently enrolled families and church members begins January 5th and open registration begins January 19th.

The Children's Center is open all year. The qualified, nurturing and experienced staff has a long average tenure of more than 12 years, and provides a developmentally appropriate curriculum. UPCC has been NAEYC accredited continually since 1987. In 2017, the "Explorers' Backyard (preschool age outdoor space) received recognition as a Nature Explore Certified Outdoor Classroom. UPCC serves infants, toddlers, and preschoolers (from 7 ½ months through age 5), Monday-Friday, from 7:30am-5:30pm, with part-time and full-time care options. Every class features low teacher-child ratios and small group sizes, and uses nature-inspired infant/toddler and preschool playgrounds. Children also experience music, motor skills, Spanish and spiritual enrichment activities, and the Center often hosts special community visitors and events.



[Contact the school office](#) for more information or registration details.

THE SOURCE OF LIGHT CENTER

DREAMWEEK 2021

Happiness—A Human Right?

with Melanie DeMore, Dr. Karina Gil, Jim Harrington, and Dr. Rachel Pearson

Schedule: Sunday, January 24; 3:00-4:30pm

(3:00-4:00pm—Discussion; 4:00-4:30pm—Breakout Group Discussions)

Tuition: Free; registration required by Jan. 17

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

UPCOMING CLASSES

The SoL Center is offering online programming (meetings and webinars via Zoom) in the Spring. [Click here](#) for class descriptions and instructor bios.

“Getting into Good Trouble”:

Hearing Voices in the Hebrew Bible on Civil Disobedience conversation between Dr. Francisco García-Treto and Dr. Dhawn Martin

Schedule: Two Mondays; Feb. 1 and 8; 7:00-8:00pm

Tuition: \$10 before Jan. 25, \$15 after (scholarships available)

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

Health and Wellness: The Do’s and Don’ts of Weight Loss with Dr. Nazli Uppal

Schedule: Three Tuesdays; Feb. 9, 16, and 23; 7:00-8:00pm

Tuition: \$20 before Feb. 1, \$25 after (scholarships available)

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](#)

CONGREGATIONAL UPDATES

CONGREGATIONAL NEWS

Sympathies

It is with great sorrow that we share the passing of these UPC community members:

- Jim Ireland on Dec. 28, 2020
- Susan Langan on Dec. 11, 2020
- Anna Barbara Neuenschwander on Jan. 1, 2021

We pray prayers of celebration and gratefulness for their lives, and prayers of thanksgiving that for them death is past, pain has ended, and they has entered the joy and wholeness of God.

Partnership of Prayer

Over 160 people are currently united in praying for others as needs arise. If you would like to participate or if you have a prayer request, please [contact the church office](#) or [contact Kate Wilson](#).

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays

1-Yomira Rodriguez
2-Arlene Aguilar
3-David Williams
5-Abel Garcia
6-Miriam Ellison
6-Howard Hovde
6-Bryan Grubbs
7-Cynthia Lyle
8-Betty Fritz
9-Dave Gaskins
10-Margaret Cathey
11-Bob Harris
11-Frank Seaman
13-Paula Henderson
15-Francisco Mar
16-Lois Heger
18-Lorna Shinkle
18-Marlo Anderson
18-Victoria Beaver
20-Miriam Martinez
20-Dries Coetzee
22-Patty Nicholson
22-Shawn Curbow
22-Andrew Wilson
25-Andrea Anthony
26-Emlyn Harris
28-Amy Shaw
30-Marian Higgins
31-Audrey Nicholson

Anniversaries

1-Molly Roth & Alfredo Villareal
8-Bonnie & Bill Simons
15-Carolyn & Don White
22-Safira & Christian Carpenter
28-Lenna & Ed Baxter

GIFTS & MEMORIALS

UPC Memorial Fund in Memory of Jim Ireland

Thurman Adkins
Bernice Buxbaum

UPC Memorial Fund in Memory of Susan Langan

Bernice Buxbaum

UPC Memorial Fund in Memory of Jack Flanagan

Susan Flanagan, Patrick Flanagan, & Dara Smith

UPC Special Donations Fund in Honor of Carol Brown

Mary & Wayne Brown

Sue Adkins Choral Music Fund

Thurman Adkins

SoL Center Programming Fund

Lynn & Sam Stahl

SoL Center Programming Fund in Honor of Dhawn Martin

Jan & San Williams

SoL Center Adkins Endowment Fund

Thurman Adkins

UPCC COVID-19 Response Fund

Bonnie Flake and Francisco Garcia
Kristen G. Smith
The Strybos Family
Nancy & Mark Vaughn
Lydia & Matthew Piper
Marcia & Ted Ayres
Lorna & Jim Shinkle

UPCC Good Shepherd Scholarship Fund

Cindi Catlin Gaskins & Dave Gaskins

PEOPLE SERVING YOU

STAFF

Anastasia Bernal - Church Administrator
Allan Catlin - Facilities & Event Steward
Cindi Catlin Gaskins - Children's Center Director
Andries Coetzee - Pastor
Hanna Cooley - Youth Ministry Director
Mary Lowder - Organist
Dhawn Martin - SoL Center Director
Keith Martinez - Choral Music Director
Leroy Sebesta - Music Administrative Assistant
Maggie Sorrell - Children's Music Director
Frank Villalpando - Custodian

SESSION

Ruling Elders - Committee Serving

Melissa Almsted - Christian Education, Co-Chair (Children)
Cathy Bray - Worship & Arts, Co-Chair
Robert Browning - Christian Education, Co-Chair (Adults)

Terry Fried - Stewardship & Finance, Chair
Keith Kendall - Mission Outreach & Justice
Hanna Kuykendall - Worship & Arts, Co-Chair
Melinda Louden - Mission Outreach & Justice, Co-Chair
Art Nicholson - Facilities & Operations and Co-Clerk of Session
Ariel Simpson - Personnel, Co-Chair
Sally Smith - Christian Education and Nominating, Chair
Don White - Facilities & Operations, Co-Chair
Andrew Wilson - Mission Outreach & Justice, Co-Chair

Non-Session Members - Committee Serving

Ben Henderson, Facilities & Operations, Co-Chair
Sandy Nicholson - Church Treasurer
Betsy Pasley - Co-Clerk of Session
Melissa Richard - Welcome & Fellowship, Chair
Lou Williams - Personnel, Co-Chair

DIACONATE

Deacons - Parishes and Assignments

Carol Brown - Northwest Parish, Vice-Moderator
Margaret Cairnes - Olmos Parish
Bonnie Flake - Northwood Parish
Marlyn Gibbs - Windcrest Parish
Paula Henderson - Castle Hills North Parish
Linda Ireland - Northeast Parish
Cynthia Smith - College Student Parish, Treasurer
Anne Pearson - Alamo Heights Parish
Carlos Rodriguez - Fredericksburg Parish
David Sanders - University Parish
Nancy Vaughan - Moderator
Janice Zitelman - Stone Oak Parish, Secretary



UNIVERSITY
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San Antonio, TX

UPC'S MESSAGE TO YOU

*Wherever you may be in the journey of faith, UPC welcomes you.
We are a community where honest questions are valued
and where faith is considered a process, not an arrival.*

*Affirming that every person has worth as a unique creation and a child of God,
we welcome into full participation people of every age, sex,
race, color, ethnicity, culture, immigration status, political affiliation,
economic condition, physical and mental ability, marital status,
sexual orientation, and gender identity and expression.*

*If you are passing through, we extend God's blessings to you as you continue on your way.
If you are seeking a home, we invite you to join us in the adventure
of serving Jesus Christ in a challenging world.*