

Dear friends,

The sun is out, the temperature is rising, and it is time to refresh your commitment to "soul care". Whether you are needing to stretch your mind, meet new friends, share your talents with others, or immerse yourself in the creative arts, HPUMC and Encore (the ministry devoted to adults ages 70+) offer a variety of ways to connect, grow and serve. I look forward to seeing you soon!



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Tower Arts Concert: An American Music Celebration



Sunday, May 26 | Sanctuary | 6:00 - 7:30 PM

One of the most popular concerts in the series, our annual Memorial Day Weekend performance featuring the Chancel Choir and members of the Dallas Symphony Orchestra, continues to thrill and inspire audiences with the distinctive sounds of American hymnody and spirituals while honoring the dedication of the men and women who have given the ultimate sacrifice for the freedoms we share. For ticket information, click here or go to http://www.hpumc.org/.

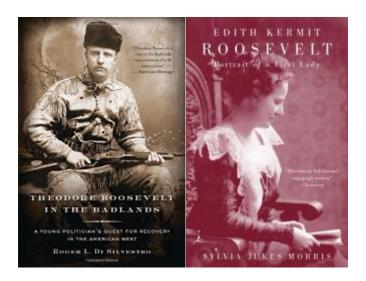
One Big Serve!



Sunday, June 2 | Great Hall | 9:30 -10:30 AM

One Big Serve is an opportunity for all of our adult Sunday morning classes (and individuals looking to join a class) to come together in the spirit of service. We'll hear from community leaders about childhood poverty, including its effects and our role as a church to respond. The session will also include a mission project, packaging poverty relief kits. *Please bring one new book for a local child in need.* It will be an action-packed hour that will leave you thinking about additional ways we can help relieve poverty and restore hope.

2019 Rejebian Summer Series



Reviewer Lurline Morrow Presents: The Lives of Edith and Theodore Roosevelt Wednesday, June 5 | Wesley Hall | 7:00pm – 8:00pm

The popular Rejebian Series - an HPUMC tradition of more than 65 years - provides free, live entertainment that is open to the public. The Rejebian series includes some of Dallas' best-known book reviewers as well as entertainers, public service speakers, and authors on national book tour. These free events all begin at 7:00 pm in Wesley Hall.

No reservations required.

Don't miss an optional dinner each Wednesday at 5:30 pm in Great Hall. You can pay by cash or check at the door (\$13). Please make reservations for the dinner so that we know how much food to prepare. If possible, make your reservations by noon the Tuesday before each dinner by calling the **Dinner Reservation Line at 214.523.2240**.

http://www.hpumc.org/rejebian/

1st Thursday Lunch and Programs

Ike: Countdown to D-Day



Thursday, June 6th | Tolleson Family Activity Center | 11:30 AM

In recognition of the 75th anniversary of D-Day and the Battle of Normandy, we will show the popular 2004 film *Ike: Countdown to D-Day* starring Tom Selleck. The film centers on the difficult decisions General Eisenhower made leading to up to D-Day. Our program will be held in our new Tolleson Family Activity Center! Hope you'll join us for an afternoon to pause and reflect on the importance of D-Day while experiencing the newest addition to the HPUMC campus. RSVP for the optional \$10 lunch at warnerlauri@hpumc.org or 214.523.2246.

Life Resource Classes



The summer schedule is out and there are more than a few great classes to consider. Register here. Here are just a few . . .

Summer Scripture Series - How Did We Get the Bible Discussions led by Rev. Walt Marcum

How Did We Get the Old Testament – June 11, 6:30 – 8 PM How Did We Get the New Testament – July 9, 6:30 – 8 PM Ancient Manuscripts and Our Bible - August 13, 6:30 – 8 PM

Women's Bible Fellowship - Summer Book Series

June book - The Next Person You Meet in Heaven, by Mitch Albom July book - Borrowed Courage, by Tova Sido August book - The Road Home, by Richard Paul Evans

Acrylic Paint Pour

The trend of Pour Painting means that it's easy for you explore your artistic side and create custom artwork. The result is a colorful, abstract piece of art. This class includes paints, pouring mediums and canvases. Monday, July 29, 6:30 - 8:30 PM

Encore hosts Game Day!



Thursday, June 13 | Room 391 | 11:30 AM – 1:30 PM

Bring your lunch and your competitive streak to Game Day. Rummykub and Mexican Train are two of the games we'll have ready to go. Bring your lunch and a few friends for a fun afternoon of laughs and spirited play. Don't know the games? No worries, we'll teach you. RSVP to Lauri at warnerlauri@hpumc.org.

Serving Opportunities



Food Distribution: We'll be heading to East Dallas by bus to help with bagging and distributing fresh produce to the patients and neighbors at the Agape Clinic on Thursday, June 27, 8:30 AM– 12:30 PM. The spots are limited to 16 so reserve your bus seat with Lauri soon at warnerlauri@hpumc.org.

Belong Weekday Programs: Do you want to have fun during the day? Do you have a heart for serving? Belong disAbility Ministry offers a variety of day classes for adults with disabilities in the Tolleson Family Activity Center. There are a variety of classes ranging from Bible study, Bible journaling, drawing, voice, drama, games and yoga. Classes are typical one hour in length, Monday through Thursday. Instructors teach and lead the classes and volunteers serve as a second set of hands so there is no experience needed. We welcome your wisdom and caring heart. Please contact Melanie Lucido at 214-523-2177 or lucidom@hpumc.org.

Grief Share: Small group facilitator: Share God's love to those in great sorrow and help them through their grief through small group discussions. Grief Share meets the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays 6:30-8:30pm and is led by Dr. Jana Rentzel. The group breaks into small groups after a lesson and has discussion. The small group leader simply helps to facilitate the discussion. Please contact Pastor Camille May at mayc@hpumc.org

Journey: Journey is a weekly, faith-based program to provide respite for caregivers of people with early stage Alzheimer's and dementia, by providing structured care for their loved ones. We would love to have servers (age 18+) engage in fun, individualized care, pre-planned activities, and events in the Tolleson Building. Servers are paired with a participant during a 4 hour period, which includes lunch. Serve weekly, bi-monthly or monthly on Thursdays, 10 a.m. - 2 p.m., starting September 5th. Training provided. For more information, please contact Trissie Osborn at Osbornt@hpumc.org