



Dear friends,

Welcome to Encore and our bi-monthly digital newsletter! Encore is HPUMC's ministry for older adults and its purpose is to help enrich the mind and spirit while in supportive community. Join us as we care for each other and grow to become more deeply devoted followers of Jesus Christ. All are welcome!



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## **1st Thursday Lunch and Programs**

### **Book Feast & Swap!**

July 11th | HPUMC Library | 11:30 AM

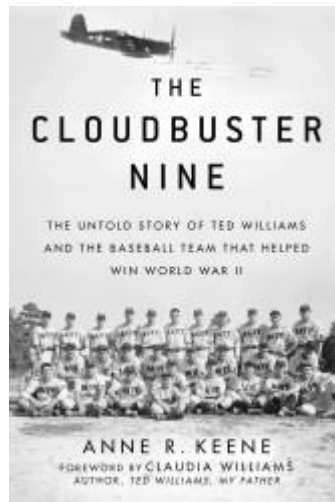


Summer is the perfect time to pick up a few reading suggestions from your friends and favorite library, the HPUMC Library. Amy Berry, our library coordinator, will talk about the popular titles and you'll have a chance to show off your latest favorite book. We'll also have a **Book**

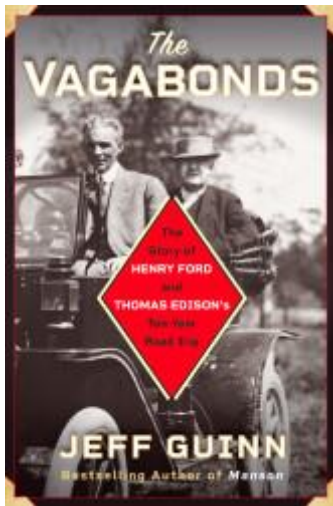
**Swap.** Give away a book and take home a new (to you) book. Our Literary Lunch begins at 11:30 AM in the church library. RSVP for the \$10 lunch at [warnerlauri@hpumc.org](mailto:warnerlauri@hpumc.org) or 214.523.2246.

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## **2019 Rejebian Summer Series Wesley Hall | 7:00pm – 8:00pm**



Anne Keene Introduces Her Book, *The Clodbuster Nine*  
*Wednesday, July 3*



Author Jeff Guinn Presents: *The Vagabonds*  
Wednesday, July 10



Author Leila Meacham Presents: *Dragonfly*  
Wednesday, July 17

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/>

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## Pickleball!



Stay in shape in the cool air of Tolleson Family Activity Center by trying your hand at Pickleball. It's the new craze for active seniors combining many elements of tennis, badminton and ping-pong. It's easy to learn, but can develop into a quick, fast-paced, competitive game for experienced players. Contact Lauri Warner if you have questions. Hope to see you on the Pickleball court!

### Showcase Sessions

July 17 | Tolleson Family Activity Center | 5-7 PM  
August 7 | Tolleson Family Activity Center | 5-7 PM

This is an opportunity to see the game played and try it with others that are just learning the game.

### Regular Pickleball Gym Time

Mondays and Wednesdays beginning August 19 | 1-3 PM

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## Encore hosts Game Day!



*Thursday, July 18 | 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](mailto:warnerlauri@hpumc.org).

## Mark Your Calendars



Join the Encore community for movies and lunch every Thursday in August. Get out of the August heat and spend your Thursday afternoons with friends at the movies!

August 1 - AVALON

August 8 - A Double Feature! THE NARROW MARGIN & RISING FROM THE RAILS

August 15 - HOLIDAY

August 22 - QUEEN OF KATWE

August 29 - LONG TIME COMING: A 1955 BASEBALL STORY

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## Serving Opportunities



**Altar Guild** - This honorable serving opportunity requires a heart to help prepare communion for the sanctuary on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday every month. Try it on Sunday morning, July 8th at 9:10 - 9:35 to see if you enjoy the experience. Please contact Susan Rogers at [Rogers@hpumc.org](mailto:Rogers@hpumc.org).

**Chance's Pie and Coffee Shop**, located in the Tolleson Family Activity Center, will be staffed with individuals with disabilities. They will be baking pies, serving coffee, and learning hospitality skills. We are looking for assistants to help them learn these skills in their training program, which will run from July 15 - August 16, from 9 AM to 12 noon. If you are interested in help develop these skills, please contact Melanie Lucido at [lucidom@hpumc.org](mailto:lucidom@hpumc.org) or call 214-523-2177.

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## **Encore Travel** *both near and far*

### ***Monet at The Kimbell***

Tuesday, August 27, 2019

9:30 AM – 4:00 PM

Travel by motor coach to Ft. Worth to visit the Monet exhibit at the Kimbell Art Museum. After the Kimbell visit, you can choose to eat at one of the museums or hop back on the bus for a short ride to Chef Tim Love's Woodshed Smokehouse. Spots are limited. Send checks to HPUMC, c/o Lauri Warner, 3300 Mockingbird Land, Dallas, TX 75205. Direct questions to [warnerlauri@hpumc.org](mailto:warnerlauri@hpumc.org).

Monet exhibition ticket + transportation = \$38 per person

Transportation only = \$30 per person

### ***Crystal Bridges Museum with Lurline Morrow***

September 18-20, 2019

The popular book reviewer Lurline Morrow is hosting a motor coach trip this fall to Bentonville, Arkansas which will include Crystal Bridges Museum of American Art, the special exhibit Color Field, and the local Frank Lloyd Wright home. Fee is \$405 + hotel. Contact Lurline at [drlmorrow1@sbcglobal.net](mailto:drlmorrow1@sbcglobal.net) for all the details.

### ***Texas State Fair Day Shuttle***

Thursday, Oct 3, 2019

Let's go to the fair! All those 60 years old and better get in free. Contact Lauri at 214.523.2246 or [warnerlauri@hpumc.org](mailto:warnerlauri@hpumc.org) to reserve a spot on the shuttle. There's room for 14 riders on each run so when making reservations leave your desired departure times and your cell phone number.

Depart from HPUMC

9:30 AM

10:30 AM

11:30 AM

Depart from Fair Park

1:00 PM

2:00 PM

3:00 PM

### ***Gangsters and Ghosts Tour hosted by Richard Stanford***

Thursday, October 17, 2019

10:00 AM – 4:00 PM

Interested in discovering Dallas from the perspective of our legendary criminals? Journey through the sinister world of crime from the point of view of our most colorful residents. Murder and mayhem, fast living and quick cash; see where the brazen made their mark and where a few are buried (along with their secrets). Spots are limited. \$30 covers transportation but not lunch. RSVP to Lauri at [warnerlauri@hpumc.org](mailto:warnerlauri@hpumc.org)

### ***Renoir at The Kimbell and The Remodeled Amon Carter Museum***

Wednesday, November 13, 2019

9:30 AM – 4:30 PM

Travel by motor coach to Ft. Worth to visit the Renoir exhibit at the Kimbell Art Museum and wander the newly remodeled Amon Carter Museum. For lunch you can choose to dine at one of the museums or hop back on the bus for a short ride to one of Richard's culinary finds. After lunch, we'll

tour one of Ft. Worth's finest historic homes, Thistle Hill. Spots are limited. Send checks to HPUMC, c/o Lauri Warner, 3300 Mockingbird Land, Dallas, TX 75205. Direct questions to [warnerlauri@hpumc.org](mailto:warnerlauri@hpumc.org).

Renoir exhibition ticket + Thistle Hill tour + transportation = \$68 per person  
Thistle Hill tour + transportation = \$50 per person

**[Journeys of Paul Cruise](#)** (Rome, Athens, Corinth, Taormina, and Malta)  
October 20-31, 2019

**[Holy Land Adventure](#)**  
January 13 - 23, 2020

***Western Canada Explorer featuring Vancouver, Victoria and Whistler***  
August 14 – August 22, 2020

A few of the highlights we'll experience in the Canada's Golden Triangle are gondolas, grizzly bears, Butchart Gardens, and Victoria's famed foodie tour. Look for the full itinerary and pricing in the next newsletter. In the meantime, mark your calendar for the information meeting on Tuesday, September 18<sup>th</sup> at 2pm at HPUMC.