

The Lord himself  
goes before you  
and will be with you;  
he will never leave you  
nor forsake you.  
Do not be afraid;  
do not be discouraged."

DEUTERONOMY 31:8



# 2021 SENIORS

Scott Askins

Collin Beene

Brayden Blasingame

Tim Brandenburg

Megan Caughfield

Scarlett Coco

Kailey Drum

Major Friesland

Samantha Gerber

Nathan Heitmann

Taylor Hickman

Mary Alice Hirst

Hannah Kelley

Travis Kelly

Allie King

Jenna Knox

Amy Langford

Mary Cate Losher

Hannah Pace

Austin Payne

Colby Stone

Ryan Taylor

Libby Tharp

## YOUTH AND CHILDREN

**Senior Sunday** - April 25 - Stop by the tables in the Family Center after worship, wish them well, and highlight a favorite verse in their bibles.

**Mother-Daughter Pajama Party** -Saturday, May 15  
6:00-7:30 p.m. - Pajamas, Pizzas, and Pinterest Party  
Cost is \$5 per person with a family cap of \$15. Dress in your favorite PJs, enjoy pizza with your daughter, and craft-it-up! Please pre-register on Realm.

## BAPTISMS

**Houston Bryan** - 3400 Chapelwood Dr., Sunnyvale,  
TX 75182-4006

# GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Nursery Volunteers Needed** - Contact **Lauren Palmer** if you are able to help - [lauren@saturnroad.org](mailto:lauren@saturnroad.org)

**Child Care Workers** - Now hiring spring/summer childcare workers. Please contact **Lauren Palmer** at [lauren@saturnroad.org](mailto:lauren@saturnroad.org)

**Special Needs Classroom** - Volunteers needed to assist during service or class. Contact **Sheri Tharp** @ [slackermom@yahoo.com](mailto:slackermom@yahoo.com) or 206-354-2735

**VBS 2021: Noah** - We will be telling the story of Noah which is really the story of God's faithfulness. We would love to have people join in the fun of bringing the Bible story to life in our traditional VBS musical.

Contact **Tama Barnes** with any questions.

972-977-5451

[tamabarnes@verizon.net](mailto:tamabarnes@verizon.net)

**Grief Seminar** - Wednesday evenings - May 5, 12, & 19 - Led by **Danny Mack** - Register through Realm - Space is limited.

## SHOWERS

**Drive-By Wedding Shower honoring Luke Maynard and Emilie McBrayer** - Sunday, May 2 - 2:00 to 3:30  
Home of **Stephanie Codara**, 2809 Regents Park Lane, Garland - Registries: Amazon and Walmart  
Luke is the son of **Mark** and **Andrea Maynard**.

## BIRTH

Congratulations to **Ric Jamison** on the birth of his granddaughter, **Eleanor Kate Sullens**, who was born on April 16 to his daughter, **Elizabeth**, and son-in-law, **Howie Sullens**. Eleanor weighed 7 lbs. 5 oz. and was 20" long.

## OUR SYMPATHY IS EXTENDED TO

Friends and family of **Doug Gaddis**, who passed away on April 12.

**Elizabeth** and **Charquantis Robinson** and their family on the death of Elizabeth's sister and Charquantis' aunt, **Jessie Murray**.

Former members **Marla** and **Kent Treat** and their family on the death of Marla's father, **Joe Toby**, who passed away on April 13.

**Steve** and **Carol Tipton** and their family on the death of Steve's sister, **Charlotte Kent**, who passed away on April 21.

## KEY SCRIPTURES:

1 Timothy 4:12

Isaiah 58:11

Matthew 5:16

## APRIL'S THEME SCRIPTURE:

I pray that the eyes of your heart may be enlightened in order that you may know the hope to which he has called you, the riches of his glorious inheritance in his holy people, and his incomparably great power for us who believe.

Ephesians 1:18-19

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## LAST WEEK

Weekly Budget Amount	\$40,000
Contribution	29,221
YTD Average Contribution	36, 344



**Join Us  
for a Drive-By**

# *Wedding Shower*

**Honoring  
Luke Maynard & Emilie McBrayer**

**Sunday, May 2 2:00 to 3:30**

**2809 Regents Park Lane  
Garland, TX 75043**

**Registry  
Walmart & Amazon**





Christian Care  
Communities and Services



*Cory Macdonald, Attorney presents*

# Senior Living & the Fair Housing Act: Requirements and Best Practices

April 21 | 11 AM-12 PM | Zoom Virtual Event

**RSVP: [christiancarecenters.org/series-fair-housing](https://christiancarecenters.org/series-fair-housing)**

**Social Work CE – Meets the Texas Behavioral health  
Executive Council's CE criteria for 1 contact hour**

Cory Macdonald specializes in representing health care and senior housing providers, focusing on representing nonprofit providers. Cory is general counsel to LeadingAge Texas and represents Texas on the LeadingAge Legal Committee. Cory assists providers in most aspects of operations, including regulatory and Fair Housing Act compliance, licensure and certification, agreements and disputes with residents and family members, and contracts with vendors. With his focus on nonprofit entities, Cory regularly works with Boards of Directors on governance processes, including updating governing documents and following IRS best practices for tax-exempt organizations.





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**CCC&S INVITES YOU TO JOIN US**

**Voices of Adult Children**  
How to Communicate between  
Senior Parent & Adult Child

**Speaker: Missy Buchanan**

**April, 29, 2021 | 7-8 pm**  
**Virtual Event**



*"Missy is the rare soul that understands, truly understands, older adults: their fears, struggles and hopes." -- Robin Roberts of Good Morning America*

In this webinar, Missy will share personal experiences with her own aging parents in addition to wisdom gleaned from Lucimarian Roberts, the mother of Robin Roberts.

**Topics include:**

- Including aging parents in conversation and decisions about their lives... and why it's so important
- Learning how culture has shaped perspectives on aging
- Facing the fears of aging, together
- Learning to talk so that the other generation can "hear" you
- Anticipating the mixed-up emotions
- Acknowledging and embracing the challenges of being the "sandwich generation"
- Moving forward together with grace while facing the uncertainties

**RSVP: [christiancarecenters.org/voices-of-adult-children](https://christiancarecenters.org/voices-of-adult-children)**

# Thank You

Dear Church Family,

When Jesus faced the reality of the end of His life, He went to the garden of Gethsemane with His disciples. He took only Peter, James and John to pray with Him. Together with them, He said, "My soul is very sorrowful, even to death. Remain here and watch with me" Matt. 26:38

While we were vacationing in Jan. 2020, a car accident left Paul paralyzed from the shoulders down. He did not recover, but suffered for 14 months in that state. During that time his faith grew. As the days passed and hope for recovery grew dim, He encourage us by saying these words, "If I can lay here and keep the faith, you can stand there and keep the faith."

We would like to express our deepest gratitude for all the acts of kindness you all have blessed us with during the months we were there in Dallas and after we returned home in March 2020. The heartfelt expressions written in the cards and text messages that we have received from your congregation during these past 14 months was a reminder that someone was praying for us that day and there were many days I needed that reminder. We want to again express our sincere appreciation for all the love and spiritual support that has been given to us during the past 14 months...especially from Jan. to Mar. 2020. Also, thank you for the continuous stream of prayers for the past 14 months and support during this most difficult situation. We will always remember the love that was given to us during these challenging months by your congregation.

A very special appreciation goes to Richard and Yvonne Cox. They have been my daily spiritual "fuel" that got me through each day. Talking to them at the end of each day...they listened, talked, cried...together...and hearing Richard's voice pray for Paul and I each day gave me the strength and encouragement to face the next day. Thank you, Mr. Bingham, for your weekly text. Always the scripture that you would send was just what I needed that day. I often would go back and re-read them and still do when my "fuel" is running low.

You all watched with us and remained with us during this most challenging time and for that we are deeply grateful.

Your love has given us great joy and encouragement...Philemon 7

**Denise Linton and Family**

# AUDITORIUM SEATING



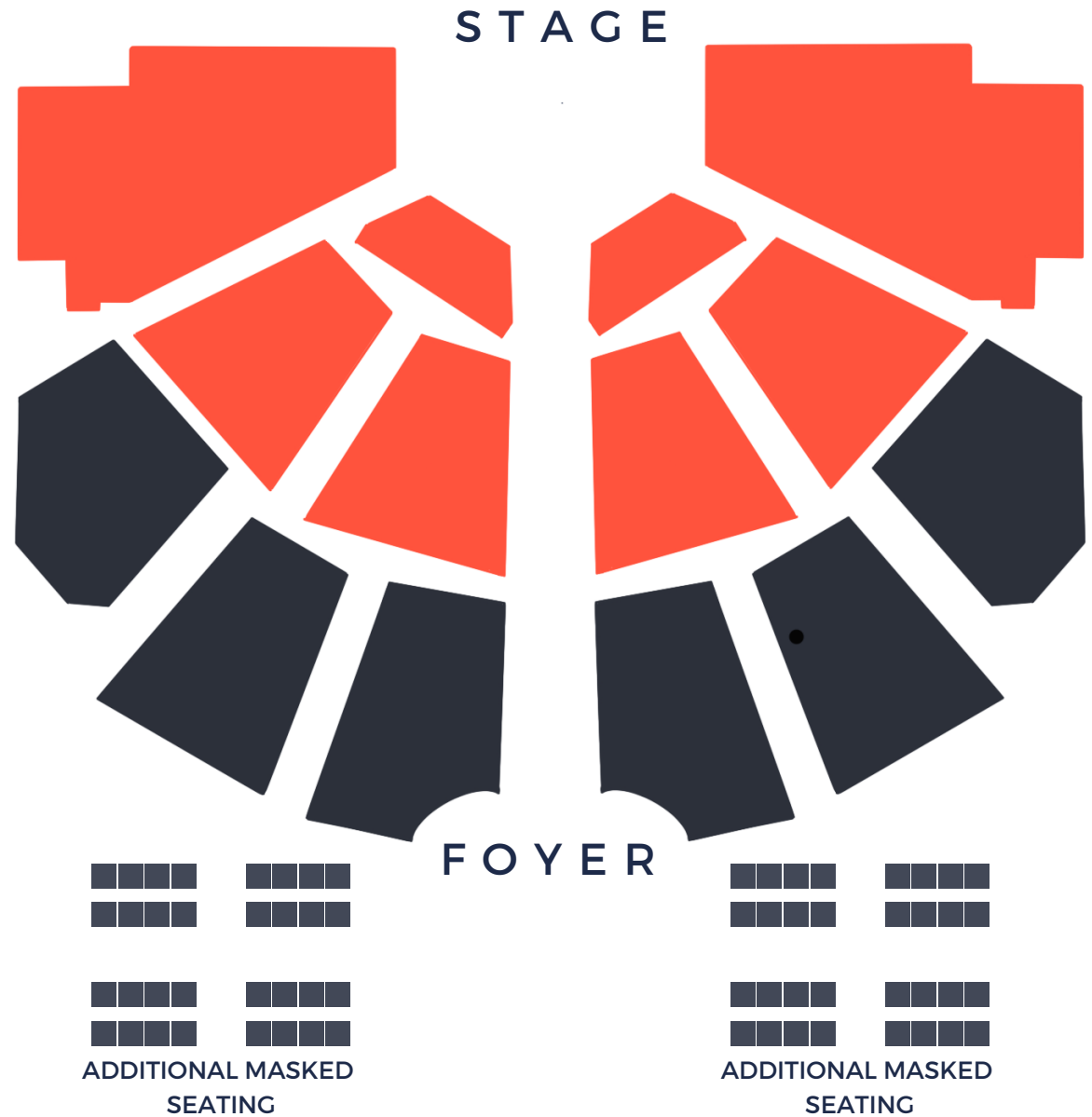
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Masks & Distancing

# OVERFLOW AREAS

- Chapel Masks & Distancing
- Room 141/142 Masks Optional



# BIBLE CLASSES

## ADULT

God in Our Interruptions	Auditorium	Gary Bingham	Same as worship
The Book of James	141/142	Gary Edmonds/Jim Smith	Masks Optional
Engagement as Disciples	Chapel	Eddie DeShong	Masks Optional
Core Values	CYP	Jeff & Cindy Payne	Masks Optional
Following Christ	Old Library	Clark Welch	Masks Optional

## CHILDREN

Birth-18 Months	Cradle Roll	Sally Anderson	Teachers Masked
18 Months-New 2's	New 2's Room	Jeanette Clothier	Teachers Masked
2's and 3's	Kinder Room	Deidre Durant	Teachers Masked
4's	4's Room	Lauren Palmer	Teachers Masked
K-2nd Grade	131 (4th Gr. Room)	Amy Bacon	Masked
3rd-5th Grade	3rd Grade Room	Sharon Campbell	Masked

## YOUTH

MS/HS	Teen Center	Kevin McKee & Kevin Pugh	Masks Optional
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# Mending a Broken Heart Help in Our Grief

Wednesday Nights, May 5<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>

7:00pm



Please register on Realm or call Stephanie  
at the church office







## Creating Life-Changing Conversations

In the face of dramatically changing demographics as the world arrives in our neighborhoods, churches have an opportunity like never before to reach the world with the Good News of Jesus!

**FriendSpeak** is a ministry that helps our international neighbors improve their English while studying one-to-one with an American friend! Come and find out how you can participate in this exciting way to share your friendship and faith!

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"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn from me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls. For my yoke is easy and my burden is light." Matthew 11:28-30