

THE VOICE
ST. CHRISTOPHER'S THIS WEEK
APRIL 4, 2021

THE SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION
EASTER SUNDAY

Today's Hymns

Prelude

Processional –

Gospel Processional:

Gospel Recessional:

Offertory Hymn

Communion Hymn

Communion Hymn

Recessional –

Postlude

“Jesus Christ Is Risen Today” (vs 1-4)

“The Day of Resurrection!” (vs 1,2)

“The Day of Resurrection!” (vs 3)

“At The Lamb’s High Feast We Sing” (vs 1-4)

“He Is Risen!” (vs 1-4)

“Come, Ye Faithful, Raise The Strain” (vs 1-4)

Organ

Hymnal 207

Hymnal 210

Hymnal 210

Organist

Hymnal 174

Hymnal 180

Hymnal 199

Organ

Calendar:

Monday, April 5th – Easter Monday-Office Closed

Thursday, April 8 – Preschool Board Meeting – 4pm

Upcoming Events:

May 1st: Parish Cleanup workday !!!

May 23rd: **Pentecost Sunday! St. Christopher’s 52nd Anniversary Celebration with the opening of the time capsule! POC: Jayne Doxsey**

June 20th: **Visit by Bishop Hector Monterosso**
If interested in Confirmation, please contact the office

St. Chris’s Preschool is open!!!

Call them or visit their webpage.

- Registration - 18 months through Kindergarten - is ongoing.
- Sign up online,
<http://www.stchrisps.com/admissions.html>
- Tue, Wed, Thur, 8:45-2:15pm (before and after school care available!)
(254) 526-8380
<http://www.stchrisps.com>
stchristopherps@gmail.com

We are registering for Summer Camp & VBS!
Fall 2021 flyers will be out soon!

Fr. Steve’s New Office Hours

With our recent water damage comes a chance to reimagine and update our Church and School campus. We have a God given opportunity to re-think how we do the Holy work of being the “Church”.

So, Fr. Steve has new office hours beginning Wednesday, April 7!

Appointments are available until 6:00 PM. Call the office to set yours!!

Let’s talk! The Kingdom is calling us!

Birthdays

April 6th – Teresa VanMeter

April 6th – Ross Nolan

April 8th – Mari Hess

April 9th – Heather Peacock

Anniversaries

April 4th – David & Pam Gray

April 8th – Fr. David & Terri Hoster

Plan to Be part of Our Big Celebration !!!!

St. Christopher's was founded on January 6, 1969 and we're throwing a party!

Come celebrate our past and our future!

Clear your calendar for **May 23, 2021! Watch as we open our 1996 Time Capsule.**
Join us as we celebrate our first 50 Years and Envision Our Next 50 Years!

Come join us for an outdoor worship and a reception!

Feel free to bring your memories and your imagination for the next 50 years!

Check out our Mini-Outreach Auction!

We need tents and ice-filled chests
If you have an ice chest to loan the Church ,
please contact the church office.
Thanks!

April Outreach Ministry

Habitat for Humanity

Please contribute your donations of paper goods, to help support lunch services for work crews building Habitat homes. Habitat can always use donations of building supplies, or volunteers in the ReStore or on a work crew.

Ministry Schedule

Altar Guild:

April 4th – Team C (Easter Sunday)
April 11th – Team D

Readers/Lectors:

April 4th – Barnett Carthey, Michael Blomquist (Easter Sunday)
April 11th – Jayne Doxsey, Penny Gillespie
April 18th – Dave & Holly Miller
April 25th – George & Judy Van Riper

VOD:

April 4th – Jay Sproul (Easter Sunday)
April 11th – Holly Miller
April 18th – Michael Blomquist
April 25th – Steve Bodkin

Ushers:

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April 11th – Jayne Doxsey, Penny Gillespie
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Ushers/VODs:

Please: VODs will model Covid safety protocols, light the altar candles before, and extinguish them after, each service, count attendance, and turn on/off the lights. Please count offertory receipts, with our Treasurer, and sign the form after the service. Ushers will bring the elements from the back to the altar during the offertory and help lead people up to communion.

Please Support St. Christopher's !!

Your Time, Treasure, Talent, and generous support are vital as we recover from our water damage!!!

Thanks, y'all!!

When ordering from Amazon, go to www.smile.amazon.com and enter St. Christopher's Episcopal for the charity of your choice. A portion of sales will go to St. Chris.

A "HUGE" THANK YOU TO *LUIS GONZALEZ*, FOR SERVING US ALL AS OUR NEW VOLUNTEER TREASURER! LUIS HAS WORKED SO HARD, THESE PAST WEEKS, RE-ORGANIZING OUR FINANCIAL OFFICE AND HELPING IN OUR TRANSITION!

AND OUR ORGANIST, JAMES "MAC" MCLENDON WILL SOON BE BACK LIVE EACH SUNDAY!
WELCOME BACK MAC!!!

COME HOME TO ST. CHRISTOPHER'S !!

Fr. Steve's Thoughts ...

We are all working so hard, to meet the changes and challenges that (no pun intended!) flow from our experience with Snowmageddon and broken water pipes. Yet, in the midst of the fatigue and pressure, it is a joy to see St. Christopher's boundless potential to be a big part of God's good work, in and around Killeen.

Better lighting, Better Seating and Better Access? Works in Progress! Food Truck Friday? Talk with Beth Bodkin! A community garden and improved grounds for the preschool? Talk with me or with Becca, at the Preschool. See that nice new flower area by our North doorway? Say Thank You to our Boy Scout troop!

There is so much good *God stuff* happening right now at St. Christopher's. Why not join in with us, and make a difference for God's Kingdom?

Pax et bonum,

-Fr. Steve

Easter Day- Easter falls on the first Sunday after the first full moon after March 21, and is the most important holy day throughout Christianity. Easter celebrates the resurrection of Jesus Christ — the central belief of all Christians and the focal point of their faith. Theologians agree that the New Testament claims that Jesus was resurrected by God the Father, three days after the Romans crucified Jesus, circa 30 AD. Christians believe that that they, too, will experience resurrection in heaven.



Easter 2019



Managing Coronavirus in the Diocese of Texas – April 2021

For more information, see the Diocesan website:
<https://www.epicenter.org/health-resources/>

Or visit the Bell County Health Department's Website:
https://www.bellcountyhealth.org/retail_food/covid-19/index.php

Please consider how you can financially support St. Christopher's as it recovers from Snowmageddon! Every gift really matters!! Yours in Kingdom Service, Fr. Steve

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