



Creekside Connect - Week of June 24, 2018

"THANK YOU" to all who participated in our recent VBS! "Jesus rescues!"

Adult Class this Sunday, July 1 in the cafe. "The Bible Doesn't Say That" Addressing common cliches that appear on some Christian bumper stickers, refrigerator magnets and memes.

- Week 4 lesson - What does the Bible say about the statement, "Everything happens for a reason."

We have been blessed with more babies and need to separate the "Cuddlers & Crawlers" from the "Walkers & Toddlers". Please help us care for them by signing up to serve in either nursery.

Room 2 - 0 months to walking (Child will promote when they begin walking.)

Room 21 - Walkers to 36 months (Child will promote the Sunday following their 3rd birthday.)

Nursery Volunteers:

Nursery Room 2: Sunday, July 1st: Linda Crum & Elaine Culp

Nursery Room 21: **Sunday, July 1st: 2 volunteers needed**

Nursery Room 2: Sunday, July 8th: Joe Anna Dickerson & Stephanie McSpadden

Nursery Room 21: Sunday, **July 8th: 2 volunteers needed**

Please sign up through [SignUpGenius](#).

Men's Bible Class: Will NOT meet this Tuesday, July 3rd.

Ladies Class: Tuesday, July 3rd, we will meet at the new PANERA in Waxahachie at 11:30 a.m. Located at 1308 N. HWY 77, next to Olive Garden.

SAVE THE DATE- Sunday, JULY 15th

An important and exciting meeting for parents whose children participate in Kids Church as well as anyone who has volunteered in this ministry or would like to be involved. Immediately after service we will meet in the café. Please rsvp to let us know you will be joining us!

Food and childcare will be provided.

Student Ministry:

Upcoming Events:

June 30-July 6: McAllen Mission Trip

August 5: Interns last day

Creekside's Mobile Food Pantry is catching fire

The Waxahachie Daily Light recently reported "Creekside Church in Midlothian is broadening its local ministry programs to include a once-a-month food service to area citizens needing assistance." The program is Mobile Pantry, a work started in May at Creekside. On June 16 the second Mobile Pantry Saturday more than doubled the number of neighbors who were served in May, and we're continually tweaking and expanding our process.

We had 44 volunteers, we served 39 households with more than 77 people! The sweetest families came through the doors; several we saw again at VBS!

One mom of four who came posted on Facebook the following:

"We came out this morning and everyone was so nice and helpful, my kids were a little overwhelmed at how sweet and friendly all the volunteers were. I think every one of them made an effort to speak to us. As a family of 6 on one small income, it's hard to keep food in the house (especially in between paychecks), this extra help is so very much appreciated. Thank you to everyone involved in this ministry!"

Also, this quarter's UrbanWell Magazine should be hitting Maypearl, Midlothian and Waxahachie homes any day now. Check it out to see **Creekside as the magazine's quarterly church spotlight!** Also, **BIG SHOUT OUT** to Patty Hullett and her Waxahachie Daily Light article on the mobile pantry!

Now for July.

The next Mobile Pantry is July 21 and we're going to change things up a bit. We are going to continue deploying teams to deliver more food to neighborhoods and apartment complexes to help increase awareness and serve more families. We will set up "extra mobile" mobile pantries at different locations.

The Ladies of Creekside are being invited to a women's conference in Midlothian that same day, so we're hoping we can get **AS MANY MEN AS POSSIBLE TO COVER THE JULY PANTRY** in order to free up the women to attend the conference.

We can't thank you enough for the number of volunteers coming out, the amount of love being shown and the servant atmosphere that is being created. We will get busier and busier with each month so please keep coming!!!

We pray blessings over each of you, which we know is promised, because if you help the poor, you're lending to the Lord and HE WILL repay you! (Proverbs 19:17).

Danny and Anna Hammonds

Missionaries

Keep those serving on the mission field in your prayers. Better yet, send them a word of encouragement!

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MaryAnn & Shaun Cooper (PBT) - shaun.cooper@pbti.org; maryann.cooper@pbti.org

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Attendance: 302

Bible Class: 127

	<u>Weekly</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>	
Offering	10,374	299,887	Children's Offering: \$23
Budget	11,596	289,900	\$3,012 (In Children's Fund)
Over (Under)	(1,222)	9,987	
Average per Week		Year to Date	12,158