Melcome to CREKSIDE CHURCH









LOVE GOD, LOVE PEOPLE

Welcome to Creekside.

Whether church is a lifelong experience or today is your first time, or perhaps you walked away years ago, Creekside Church is a great place for you to get connected and be accepted.

What you get *out* of an experience is based on how much you put *into* that experience. I would like to encourage you to engage this morning with wide eyes, open ears, and a stretched heart - as you just might leave here differently than you came in.

Welcome to Creekside!

Pastor George & Kristen



Upcoming Happenings

GROW IN COMMUNITY | JOING A GROUP | SIGN UP

Want to feel at home at Creekside? Join a Group! Whether it's Bible or book studies, photography, quilting, coffee chats, or walking groups—there's something for you. In-person and online options make it easy to jump in. Don't wait—find your group and sign up today!

OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD | WINTER OUTREACH

We're excited to join Operation Christmas Child this year. In partnership with Samaritan's Purse, we're helping to share God's love with children in need around the world. Here's how you can get involved: donate items for shoeboxes (*supply lists available at Guest Central*) and drop in bins on Sunday or during office hours, join our Packing Party on Saturday, November 8 at 10:00 a.m., or pack a shoebox at home and drop it off at Creekside by November 16. Let's bring joy and the hope of the Gospel to children across the globe! Questions? E-mail monique@creekside.org.

BAPTISM ORIENTATION | TODAY

Baptism is a powerful and joyful step in your faith journey—a chance to publicly declare your relationship with Jesus and what He's done in your life. And here at Creekside, we love to celebrate that with you! *Our next baptisms will take place on Sunday, October 12 at 9:00 & 10:30 a.m.*, and we'd be honored to cheer you on. If you're ready to take this exciting step, join us today. Meetings will take place after each service in the conference room. We'll walk you through what baptism means and what to expect. Let us know you're ready—and let's take this next step together!

SAMS BREAKFAST CLUB 55+ | OCTOBER 17 | RSVP HERE

Join us at our fourth Senior Adult Ministry's Breakfast Club. Come enjoy a relaxed morning of delicious food, friendly conversation, and meaningful connections with others 55 and better. From 9:00–10:30 a.m. Breakfast is on us! Bring a friend and make it a morning to look forward to. RSVP by clicking on RSVP above. **Questions?** Reach out to Pam Schmitz at pamschmitz@hotmail.com.

MENS BREAKFAST | OCTOBER 18 | SIGN UP HERE

Join us for a special time where men can come together to learn and reflect on how God sees us and what He expects from us as men. We can achieve a "recalibration" to become better men as leaders, as fathers, and as husbands. Real men sharing real stories about a real God. Saturday, October 18 from 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Upcoming Happenings

TRUNK OR TREAT | OCTOBER 31 | I WANT TO VOLUNTEER

Join us for a candy-filled night at our annual Trunk or Treat on October 31! Bring your candy bucket or pillowcase and enjoy a fun, safe community event. We'll have a special sensory-friendly time from 5:30–6:00 p.m. for friends who need a calmer space, followed by festivities from 6:00–8:00 p.m. with inflatables, a DJ, photo booth, free food, and plenty of candy. Volunteer_to be a trunker, join the serving team, or drop off candy donations in bins on Sundays or during office hours. We can't wait to party with you!

CELEBRATE RECOVERY | MONDAY NIGHTS AT 7 PM | LEARN MORE

Here at Creekside, we believe that life isn't meant to be lived alone, and that the Christian life invites us into living in community as we not only celebrate our victories but also face our personal struggles. That's why we're excited to provide a beautiful community for courageous strugglers through the ministry Celebrate Recovery. This is an encouraging and safe place to open up about our struggles and begin the healing journey. **We meet on Mondays from 7:00-9:30 p.m.** here at Creekside. E-mail recovery@creekside.org if you have questions.

HAIRCUTS FOR HARVEST | NOVEMBER 15

Join us for Haircuts for Harvest—a **fun and meaningful way to support Creekside's Annual Harvest Offering!** For just \$30, get a fresh trim (men, women, and kids welcome) from our talented team, using their gifts to bless others. We're also **teaming up with Celebrate Recovery for a bake sale**—so come enjoy some sweet treats while giving generously to our church and community. **Spots are limited, so reserve your time slot today!** Save the date, spread the word, and let's make an impact together!

Children & Youth

KIDZ CLUB | WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

Kidz Club Season 4! Kidz Club is for kindergarten through 5th grade kids and brings all the fun, friends, and faith-based teaching that you get on a Sunday morning to a Wednesday night. With experiments, special guests, theme nights and so much more, this is a club you want to be in! This fun opportunity to connect with families midweek provides an additional avenue for students to form healthy. Christian friendships to last a lifetime, learn how to apply biblical principles to everyday situations, memorize Scripture they have studied, and develop life skills in a safe and fun environment. Grab a couple of your friends and join us on Wednesdays at 6:00 p.m.

CYC HOLY GHOST PARTY

The Holy Ghost Party is back! Our spooky season celebration is happening on Wednesday, October 29. We've got it all planned out! All we need is you and your friends. Come dressed to win the Costume Competition. AND any new friends have a chance to win The Impossible Shot, a chance for glory, and a great prize. Come party with CYC 180°!

BE INFORMED OF UPCOMING CYC EVENTS | CLICK HERE

- CYC Youth Group Wednesday nights @ 6 PM
- CYC Jr. High & Sr. High small groups Various days/times

VISIT GUEST CENTRAL

We have Bible Reading Plan Bookmarks, Sermon Note Sheets and Creekside Merchandise. We look forward to assisting you and fielding any questions you may have.

BIBLE READING PLAN BOOKMARK

If you are looking for a schedule to read the Bible every day, we have a handy bookmark that will take you through the entire Bible in one year! Imagine reading the same passages each day along with your fellow Creeksiders! You can pick up a current month's bookmark at Guest Central any Sunday or CLICK HERE to download one

Giving

GIVING AT CREEKSIDE

Giving is part of our worship to God. Whether you're tithing out of obedience to Malachai 3:10 or giving sacrificially beyond your tithe, your gift will help us spread the good news of the Gospel to our community and beyond. Here at Creekside, no matter what you give, we encourage you to give with gratitude and love for Jesus. We've made giving to Creekside simple, even while you're on the go! Choose your favorite way to give confidentially.

- Text creeksidechurch to 77977
- Online at creekside.org/give
- Through the Creekside Church Martinez App
- Via cash or check...just drop it in giving stations near the rear exits on Sundays or mail

Get Connected

CONNECTION CARD | FILL OUT HERE

NEWSLETTER | SIGN UP TODAY

Sign up and keep up-to-date on what is happening each week.

DOWNLOAD OUR APP | CLICK HERE

VISIT OUR WEBSITE | Creekside.org

Explore what is going on and how you can get connected.

MEET OUR STAFF | CLICK HERE

If you have questions for any of our staff, feel free to reach out and email them or call our church office to speak with them.