

Our mission:

To seek, nurture, and equip people to be committed disciples of Jesus Christ

CUMBERIAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OUTLOOK

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STEVE'S SENTIMENTS

Anniversaries. Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Lubbock has celebrated several recently: In February of this year, the 200-year anniversary of the birth of this denomination; in May, 48 years since Pastor Emeritus Sam Estes' first sermon at this church; also in May, 40 years since the tornado destroyed the building on Tenth and Avenue O; and only two years back, the 100th anniversary of the establishment of this congregation in Lubbock.

There are also Biblical anniversaries: Passover to celebrate the miraculous delivery from Egyptian slavery; Pentecost to celebrate both the blessing of a new harvest and the beginning of Spirit-empowered ministry among Christians; Resurrection Sunday to celebrate the fact that Jesus has power over all sin and death!

Anniversaries, although commemorating an event in the past, serve their greatest purpose when they cause us to be thankful to God for His blessings and trust God for what's ahead! I am so thankful to God that Joy and I are able to celebrate 30 years of marriage in June. We literally could not begin to count all of the blessings God has given to us and our family! But with a heart full of thankfulness, we are even more excited about what He has for us in the future – and we know, from past experience, God is faithful!

Let's together give thanks to God for how He has blessed this congregation in the past. and pray about and anticipate the blessings God has for us as we continue to serve Him in new ways in the future.

~Pastor Steve Doles



Prayer Clinic Tuesdays 6:30 pm with Pastor Steve

I will be leading a prayer clinic on Tuesday evenings at 6:30 at Cumberland. We'll cover a variety of subjects for prayer and explore different avenues of prayer. These one-hour sessions will include some explanation of prayer types and practices—but they will not just be lectures on prayer. We'll "practice" praying by praying for current situations in our church. We'll cover the prayer requests from Sunday and also choose specific prayer targets for each evening. Plan to join us if you would like to learn more about prayer and put it into practice.

Prayer

Health/Recovery

Martha Payne (cataract surgery)
Brooke (Don Cranford's granddaughter's classmate—brain infection)
Jo Kizziah's mother (knee replacement)
Monty and Cindy Chitwood's son-in-law Jeff
(appendectomy)
Joan Baumann (skin grafting)
Jerrie Pridmore
Virginia Kinslow's sister Pat (Hospice)

Sympathy

Family of Sally Brehm Family of Gib Hillis

Shut-ins & Caregivers

Roscoe and Dorothy Buckalew Virginia and Gordon Downum Naomi Hillis Coach Cal and Doris Lowry Raymond and Ann McLaren Jena Pierce Etta Powell Bob and Susan Stack John Thurman

Kingdom Work

Cumberland Presbyterian Church Ministries of Cumberland

- Pantry of Care
- Family Promise
- Ollie Baucom Circle
- Grace Circle CPWM
- Tuesday Bible Study (on summer break)
- Prayer Clinic
- Cumberland Presbyterian Achievers
- Cumberland Visiting Ministries
- The Session and Diaconate



Concerns

Other Congregations:

6 June - St. Luke's Central Lubbock- Will Cotton Second Baptist - (seeking a pastor)

A Crown of Eternal Life - Gladys Mae Smith

13 June - Community Christian - John Givens Church of the Nations - Roy Davis Compassionate Heart Ministries - Juan Gutierrez

Overton Park Fellowship - Jeff McCreight 20 June - South Park Baptist Church -Doug Kello Bethel - Ismael Para

<u>27 June</u> - Freedom Fellowship - Ruben Lara True Worshippers COGIC - Robert Griggs



FOSTER/ADOPTIVE PARENTS NEEDED

There are previously abused children of all ages who long to find a place where they can experience healing. Well equipped, compassionate foster-parents may be the only shepherd these children ever know. Benchmark Family Services is a faith based, non-profit, private agency that is committed to helping children find the homes they need, but we need quality foster/adoptive parents to make it happen. Please call or come by our Lubbock office:

Mike Walton Faith Based Recruiter 4920 South Loop 289, Ste 100 Lubbock, TX 79414 806.281.8465

mike.walton@benchmarkfs.org

Jas 1:27 "Pure and undefiled religion before God and the Father is this: to visit orphans and widows in their trouble, and to keep oneself unspotted from the world." NKJV

CONGRATS TO OUR GRADUATES

Michael Dennis Lubbock Christian University

Kaitlyn Dennis Southwestern University

Tyler Fanning
Texas Tech University

Tyler Hill University of Texas

Rebecca Kennedy Monterey High School

Lauren Lear Coronado High School

Dylan Lewis
Flower Mound High School

Jordan Sims Monterey High School

Will Stewart Lubbock High School

Shyla Walton Texas Tech University

June Birthdays 2—Mary Lewis 6—Mary Lo Thurman 12—Russell Montgomery 14— Janet Williams 16—Alice Davis 21—Jessica Williams Bacon 21—Etta Powell 22—Elaine Mitchell June Anniversaries 2—Gordon and Virginia Downum 4—Don and Pat Dennis 14—Steve and Joy Doles 15—Larry and Janet Williams 24—Michael and Bettie Woodruff 25—H. Lynn and Glenda Mercer

Thank You's

Dear Cumberland Church,

The family of Sally Brehm wishes to express their sincere appreciation for the kind acts of sympathy at her passing. Thank you for the cards, notes, prayers, food, the funeral dinner, and many memorial gifts given on her behalf.

Sincerely, ~Kate DeLavan and the Sally Brehm family

Dear Church Family,

Joy and I would like to thank you for the monetary gifts that you slipped to me following a late service last month that went toward a new engine for our Suburban. It was totally unexpected but greatly appreciated!

God bless you! ~Pastor Steve

Ollie Baucom Circle invites all women of the Church to their June meeting on Monday, June 21, 2010 at 11:30 a.m. at a local restaurant TBA.

Receive a Blessing from Afar

Share! Your Heart & Home

The SHARE! Student exchange program is seeking local volunteer families for international exchange students for the 2010/2011 school year. Host families provide a bed, meals, as well as friendship, understanding and a genuine desire to share the American way of life with a youngster from overseas. The students hope to arrive this August, speak English, are covered by medical insurance and have spending money for their personal expenses. For more information about hosting, Contact

Yvette Coffman, SHARE! Director 800.941.3738 sharesouthwest.org.

JUNE 2010						
Sun	Mon	Tue 1 6:30 Prayer Clinic w/ Pastor	Wed 2 11:00 CPA Buns Over TX 12:00 Games 7:00 Choir	Thu 3	Fri 4	Sat 5
8:30 Coffee House Worship Communion 9:30 Sunday School 10:30 Coffee Break 10:55 2nd Worship Communion	6:30 Session Meeting (Library) Deacon Meeting (Fellowship	6:30 Prayer Clinic w/ Pastor	11:00 CPA Buns Over TX 12:00 Games	6:30 Grace Circle Library	10:00 am Caregiver's Support Group	12
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	Steve &	Joy Doles and Ker	n Smith will all be	out of town June	11-19.	

BEREAVEMENT MEALS June 2010

CPC wishes to take this opportunity to thank each and every one of you who have so graciously and willingly given of your time, talent and resources to this program of serving meals for the families of deceased members.

This service began December 2000, with two separate groups serving meals. We do not have the man power to have two groups at this time, so we are down-sizing to a single group. We **love** doing this! It is **rewarding** but **WE NEED HELP!**

Serving a meal to the family of a deceased member involves:

- Coordinating the meal by calling 12-15 people to prepare an assigned dish.
- Two hours of setting up Estes Center prior to the meal (cleaning and setting tables, and usually done the day before).

Ordering chicken the day before the meal.

On the day of the service:

- At least 4-6 people arrive around 10:00 a.m. to make tea and coffee, receive the prepared dishes as they arrive and set up the steam table. Dessert and Jello salads are placed on individual plates. Glasses are filled with ice for tea and water. Those that set up also bring one of the prepared dishes.
- Pick up the chicken 30 minutes before meal is served.
- Serve the dinner.

Clean up after the meal.

Often times these four to six people are at the Estes Center from 10:00 a.m. until 3:00 p.m.

We serve a planned menu; each one who prepares a dish uses the same furnished recipe each time a meal is served. Casserole containers are furnished that will fit in the steam table. Only one person is needed to bring bread, so you may be asked to bring any one of the dishes listed below.

If you are willing to **serve the Lord** in this way, please fill out the form below and put it in the basket on the table in the narthex. You may check more than one job. We need this information as soon as possible. If it is more convenient, you may call your choice to:



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If you would like to donate flowers for the sanctuary in honor or memory of someone, please sign up in the narthex or call the church office. Cost is \$37.50.

Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Pastor: Dr. Steven D. Doles
Pastor Emeritus: Reverend Sam R. Estes
Worship Director: Ken Smith
Choir Director: Carolyn Hefner
Organist: Sue Suttle-Smith

Visit our website for up-to-date information, photos, schedules, and sermon and Bible study information and more at www.cpclubbock.com.

<u>Elders</u>	<u>Deacons</u>
Diana Akins	Richard Adams
Karen Caldwell	Candy Baack
Tom Martin	Mike Cushman
Billy Mitchell	Scott Fanning
Ken Smith	Teresa Hill
Susan Stack	Karen Reid
Nilah Turner	Donna Stewart
	Bill Turner
	Sherry Walton

WEEKLY EVENTS					
<u>Sundays</u>	8:30 9:30 10:30 10:55	Coffee House Worship-Fellowship Hall Sunday School classes Coffee break in Fellowship Hall Worship in Sanctuary			
<u>Tuesdays</u>	6:30	Prayer Clinic			
Wednesdays	11:00 12: 00 7:00	CPA's Lunch at Buns Over Texas Games in the Fellowship Hall Choir			