

The Nall Call

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He is not here; he has risen
just as he said. Come and see
the place where he lay.

Matthew 28:6



Happy Easter!

He is risen! What wonderful joy to
know our Savior lives!
Wishing you a blessed and
Happy Easter!

Discipleship Corner by Ty and Kristi DeMint



“And they devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and the fellowship, to the breaking of bread and the prayers.” Acts 2:24

We can do this in our every day lives by:

- Sharing and responding to God’s word
- Worshipping in spirit and song
- Fasting and praying with another
- Practicing generosity

This month, we invite you to integrate one of these into your lifestyle outside of the church walls. We would love to hear how this impacts your life!

Contact us at mcprayer@gmail.com to share!

Wednesday Night Dinner

Join us on Wednesdays at 5:00 PM in the CLC for Wednesday Night Dinner! Below are the upcoming menus. We hope to see you there!

April 12—Chicken Salad on Croissant, Chips, Salad, Lemon Cake

April 19—Meatloaf, Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Peas, Rolls, Salad

April 26—Pork Roast & Gravy, Rice, Applesauce, Salad, Bread, Sherbet

May 3—Taco Salad, Refried Beans, Strawberry Shortcake

May 10—Hot Dogs and Hamburgers, Potato Salad, Baked Beans, Chips, Cheesecake



JOY Luncheon

Seniors, join us the second Thursday of each month for our JOY Luncheon at 11:30 AM! This is a wonderful time of fellowship for the seniors at NABC. Please bring a potluck dish to share, or \$5 at the door. There is always entertainment to enjoy as well! Neighbors, friends and family members are all welcome to join! Our next JOY Luncheon will be April 13th. We look forward to seeing you there!

Easter Worship Music

As we celebrate Easter, here are some wonderful pieces of music to worship to!

- **Low In The Grave He Lay (Up From the Grave He Arose)**
- **There Is A King—Elevation Worship**
- **O Praise The Name—Shane & Shane**
- **Sunday Is Coming—Phil Wickham**
- **Glorious Day—Passion**
- **Jesus Paid It All**

Vacation Bible School by Lizzy Bishop

It's the most wonderful time of the year...Vacation Bible School! This year, Vacation Bible School will be June 11-15th! Twists and Turns is a celebration of how following Jesus changes the game. This year, kids will learn that Jesus guides them through all the twists and turns that life has for them. No matter what happens in life, Jesus is there to help them take another turn! It's so important for kids to have not only the knowledge of Jesus Christ, but to have a relationship with Him as well. Vacation Bible School helps to lay very important foundational truths for those who do not yet know Jesus, as well as helping those who do know Him along their journey.

Every year it takes a team of people to make Vacation Bible School happen. This week is an intentional time to invest in the lives of the kids at Nall Avenue Baptist Church and the surrounding community. It makes a difference when kids see loving adults take time to teach, play, sing, be silly and share the word of God. If you are interested in volunteering for Vacation Bible School, please reach out to Lizzy Bishop to get connected. It's time to get in the game!



Mission Corner by Gerrie Orr

The Santa Fe Trail Elementary Carnival is returning this spring and they are very excited for this beloved event that brings our community together. The carnival will be Friday, May 5, from 5:30 to 8 PM at Santa Fe Trail. SFT can use our help to make this event a success! Here are some ways you can help:

Donate your time

There are opportunities to volunteer to help with set-up, game monitoring and tear down. We'll have face painting and games that all need to be volunteer-led, so there will be lots of openings for 30 minute slots throughout the night.

Donate Supplies

These items are needed for some of the games:

Soda Pop Toss: need 2-liter bottles of soda, lemonade, juice, etc.

Cake Walk: Need baked goods

Help with a few connections

They would like to do a touch-a-truck area at the event. Do you have or know of someone who has a cool old truck or neat car that you would be willing to park near the school that evening for attendees to check out?

If you have an idea of something that would give an opportunity to make connections such as balloon artist or photo booth, let us know.

If you have connection opportunities, questions, or are able to volunteer, please contact Gerrie Orr at 314-971-1216.



A Letter From Christ First Counseling Center



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AND ASSOCIATES

Thank you to all who attended our Lunch and Learn for Christ First Counseling Center back in March! We hope that you found the information valuable and that you have been able to utilize their services, share their mission with someone who could use it, or found a way to support their ministry. We wanted to share a letter received from Christ First Counseling Center with you:

Greetings Friends,

It was such a joy and honor to speak with you last month at the lunch and learn and share more about our ministry and how we are working to meet the mental health needs in our community by providing high quality, compassionate care with highly trained counselors. I enjoyed talking with you during and after the event as you raised excellent questions about how mental health is being viewed and handled in today's society. You might remember a statistic I mentioned that in 2021, 80 thousand individuals did not seek out counseling services because of the cost. While we accept most insurances to help individuals and families who are able to use these benefits covered services, there is still a great need to serve a population who otherwise cannot afford it. This is why we began our Community Impact Grant. This grant allows for those who are unable to afford services to receive financial help so they can still receive care.

We also have a branch of our ministry dedicated to providing soul care for local business and ministry leaders called Renovate. Through the Renovate ministry, attendees will be given opportunities to grow and deepen their walk with the Father through retreats, group classes and one on one mentoring. In the 2 years since launching Renovate, we have been able to serve 164 individuals.

I would humbly ask that you consider giving to CFCC's Community Impact Grant Fund or the Renovate Ministry. God has been doing amazing things through CFCC and we need partnership from local community members like you to continue the Father's work here. We also need prayer partners who can lift our ministry, counselors and support staff up in prayer on a daily basis as we are on the front lines of some serious spiritual warfare in our culture.

If you would like to learn more information, join with us in prayer, or feel led to give to CFCC, please let us know through the following avenues:

-To learn more about how CFCC is impacting your local community, please let us know at cfcc@christfirstcounseling.com to receive our quarterly newsletter.

- Please let us know how you are praying for our ministry to contacting us also at cfcc@christfirstcounseling.com.

- If you would like to give to CFCC directly online, please visit the donation page on our website at www.christfirstcounseling.com.