

THE VOICE
ST. CHRISTOPHER'S THIS WEEK
APRIL 11, 2021
THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Today's Hymns

Prelude		Organ
Processional –	<i>“Christ Is Alive!” (vs 1,2,5)</i>	Hymnal 182
Gloria		Hymnal S-280
Gospel Processional:	<i>“Child of The Light (vs 1,2)</i>	Hymnal 490
Gospel Recessional:	<i>“Child of The Light” (vs 3)</i>	Hymnal 490
Offertory Hymn		Organist
Sanctus	<i>“Holy, Holy, Holy”</i>	Hymnal S-130
Fraction Anthem	<i>“Christ Our Passover”</i>	Hymnal S-154
Communion Hymn	<i>“We See The Lord” (vs 1-4)</i>	SOP 78
Communion Hymn	<i>“Glorify Thy Name!” (vs 1-3)</i>	SOP 209
Recessional –	<i>“Alleluia, Alleluia!” (vs 1-3)</i>	Hymnal 178
Postlude		Piano

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**
Interested in Confirmation?? Please contact the office!!

Saturday, May 1st Clean-up/workday
9:00-2:00

We need helpers/workers/volunteers!

Organize! Beautify!

Kiss it and say good-bye!

- Time to take a good look at the entrance and around St Christopher's after Snowmageddon.
- Look in nooks, crannies, boxes and files inside.
- Find out what is actually in the storage shed.
- Please bring gardening tools, work gloves, large trash/leaf bags! Paper shredders, too!
- Lawn chairs for comfort! We will provide topsoil, mulch, new plantings, bottled water and encouragement!
- POC Judy Van Riper (254) 258-7856
jvanriper46@gmail.com

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>
stchristophers@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 great opportunity to re-think how we will be the "Church" in Killeen.

Fr. Steve has set for **Wednesdays!**

He'll take appointments until 6:00 PM. Call the office to set yours!!

Birthdays

April 14th – Hortense Callendar

April 16th – Matt Hess

April 16th – Mason Sproul

April 17th – Holly Smith Miller

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 11th – Team D, April 18th – Team A

Readers/Lectors: April 11th – Jayne Doxsey, Penny Gillespie
April 18th – Dave & Holly Miller
April 25th – George & Judy Van Riper

VOD: April 11th – Holly Miller
April 18th – Michael Blomquist
April 25th – Steve Bodkin

Ushers: April 11th – Jayne Doxsey, Penny Gillespie
April 18th – Dave & Holly Miller
April 25th – George & Judy Van Riper

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 ...

As we focus on rebuilding and reimagining the lighting, the seating and the work of our Nave and Education Wing, we are searching for the Lord's leadership. How can we better seek, reach and serve the City of Killeen and Bell County? St. Christopher's boundless potential is yet to be fully understood! What does God ask of us today?

Better lighting, Better Seating and Better Access are Works in Progress! Food Truck Friday and a community garden, with an improved playground for the preschool.

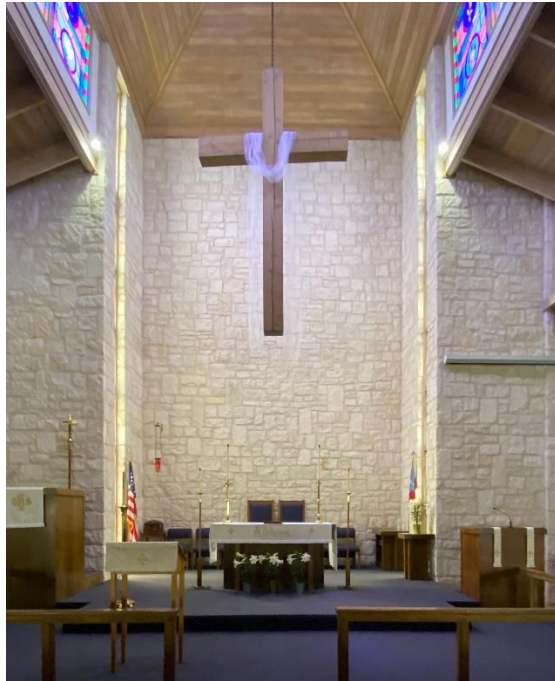
There's so much good, *God stuff* happening here, *right now*. Join us! Make a difference for God's Kingdom!

Peace and health!

-Fr. Steve



Easter 2021



Managing Coronavirus in the
Diocese of Texas – April 2021

For more information, see the
Diocesan website:

[https://www.epicenter.org/health-
resources/](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](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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