

THE VOICE
ST. CHRISTOPHER'S THIS WEEK
APRIL 18, 2021
THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Today's Hymns (some of the hymns are dedicated in memory of Sacchia Gonzalez)

Prelude		Piano
Processional –	“Morning Has Broken!” (vs 1-3)	Hymnal 8
Gloria		Hymnal S-280
Gospel Processional:	“Be Thou My Vision” (vs 1,2)	Hymnal 488
Gospel Recessional:	“Be Thou My Vision” (vs 3)	Hymnal 488
Offertory Hymn	“There’s Something About That Name”	Organ
Sanctus	“Holy, Holy, Holy”	Hymnal S-130
Fraction Anthem	“Christ Our Passover”	Hymnal S-154
Communion Hymn	“How Great Thou Art” (vs 1-4)	SOP 413
Communion Hymn	“They’ll Know We Are Christians!” (vs 1-4)	SOP 239
Recessional –	“Shine, Jesus, Shine” (vs 1-3)	Maranatha 259
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!!

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!

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

We need helpers/workers/volunteers!

- Who: You
- What: Cleanup/workday
- When: Saturday, May 1, 9:00-2:00
- Where: Inside and out at St. Christopher's
- Why; It needs some loving attention
- How: Working together
- Added bonus: Pizza!
- POC Judy Van Riper (254) 258-7856
jvanriper46@gmail.com

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 18th – Phil McCullough

April 19th – Gary Gillespie

April 22nd – Peg Jones

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

<u>Altar Guild:</u>	April 18 th – Team A, April 24 th – Team B
<u>Readers/Lectors:</u>	April 18 th – George & Judy Van Riper April 25 th – Dave & Holly Miller May 2 nd – Barnett Carthey, Penny Gillespie May 9 th – Michael Blomquist, Jayne Doxsey
<u>VOD:</u>	April 18 th – Michael Blomquist April 25 th – Steve Bodkin May 2 nd – Larry Taylor May 9 th – Judy Van Riper
<u>Ushers:</u>	April 18 th – George & Judy Van Riper April 25 th – Dave & Holly Miller May 2 nd – Barnett Carthey, Penny Gillespie May 9 th – Michael Blomquist, Jayne Doxsey

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.

The Men's Prayer Breakfast will be starting back up!
We are looking at tentative dates of May 8th & 22
More info:
Contact Barnett Carthey:
bcarthey@gmail.com or
Phone: 254-289-3656

****We have many name badges leftover from when we put back up the boards. Please look at the badges on the table in the Parish Hall and see if you know any of the names and whether some of the families may have moved away.**

Thoughts about Sacchia Gonzalez...

It has been 2 years since Sacchia passed away on Thursday, April 18, 2019, after a courageous fight with cancer. She was 42 years old. Her parents are Luis and Judith Gonzalez. Sacchia was born in Ponce, Puerto Rico and into a culture that instilled an early love of music and dance that shaped her life for decades to follow.

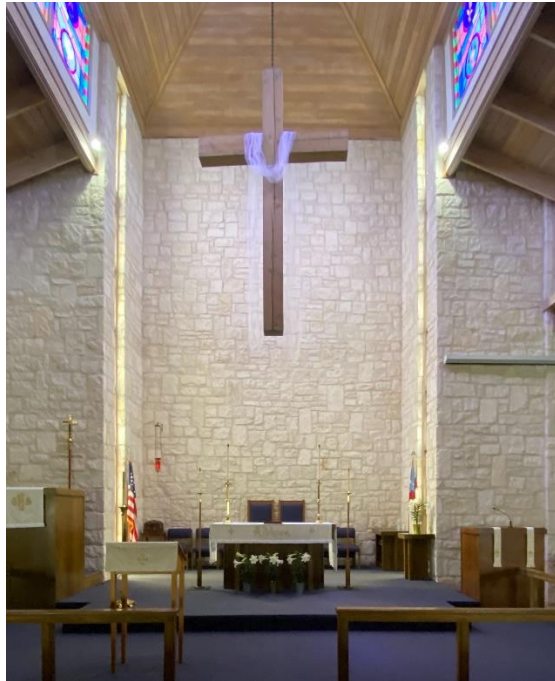
Sacchia found her passion in dance and her calling in helping others through fitness. She was known for her contagious spirit, living life through experiences, meeting new friends, and making a difference in the lives of others. She left a hole in this world that will never be filled. She touched many lives and created lasting memories within the St. Christopher's family.

(Excerpts taken from her Memorial Service and obituary)

In Christ's Love,
Debbie Hargreaves



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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