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# Welcome



**Pastor John Mark & Jeana  
Caton**

Cottonwood Family,

It was a busy summer at Cottonwood Creek, and now we welcome fall! This Fall Guide will provide you with information about everything coming up in this new season.

After a long summer of repairs, Cottonwood Creek's building is back to being whole again, as construction has been completed. We thank everyone for your patience and prayers throughout the season of rebuild. Care Groups, Kid Care, AWANA, and Creek Student Ministry small groups and home groups return this fall, as well as our upcoming fall sermon series. Fall Festival will take place in October for the entire community, and The Gift is in full-force in November. Finally, celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ with us this Christmas season!

Thank you so much for being a part of the Cottonwood Family. Here's to the last chapter of 2019 being an amazing one.

Blessings,

*John Mark & Jeana Caton*

## WORSHIP TIMES

Saturday / 5:00p

Sunday / 9:30a & 11:00a

Wednesday / 6:30p

## LIFE GROUPS

Saturday / 6:00p

Sunday / 8:00a, 8:30a, 9:30a & 11:00a

## HOME GROUPS

Meet throughout the week in local homes.

## PRAYER SERVICE

Tuesday / 6:00p / C128

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# Cottonwood Creek in 6 Steps



## 1

### **ATTEND A WORSHIP SERVICE**

Worship services are what bring the entire Cottonwood Creek Family together on weekends! All of our services are filled with fellowship, amazing worship, incredible teaching, and close-knit community through Life and Home Groups.

Weekends at Cottonwood Creek are a great way to kick off your week ahead and focus you on what matters most in life: honoring God. Through attending a Worship service, you will learn a little more about what Cottonwood Creek's mission is about: welcoming the next person through the doors.

Join us at one of our Worship Services:

Saturday at 5:00p  
Sunday at 9:30a & 11:00a  
Wednesday at 6:30p



# 2

## VISIT A LIFE OR HOME GROUP

Community is crucial to the body of Christ. As the body of Christ, we are called to be perfectly united in mind and thought. 1 John 1:7 tells us, "But if we walk in the light, as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus, His Son, purifies us from all sin." Cottonwood Creek encourages and invites you to be a part of our Life Groups and Home Groups.

Life Groups meet on Saturday night and Sunday mornings. Each group is composed of people in the same walks

of life, from newlyweds and young married couples with children, to empty nesters. Home Groups are essentially the same thing as Life Groups, but they meet throughout the week in church members' homes. These groups are specifically intentional with having accountability with one another and drawing close to one another outside the church walls.

To get involved with a Life Group or Home Group, visit [cottonwoodcreek.org/groups](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/groups) or text GROUPS to 77978.

## 3

CONNECT WITH  
OTHER MINISTRIES**Marriage Ministry**

## All Married Couples

The Cottonwood Creek Marriage Ministry exists to instill the sanctity and importance of marriage by equipping couples with the knowledge of God's Word and its application. Through support groups, personal counseling, Bible studies, marriage events, and more, the purpose of this ministry is to build your marriage on God's Word so you will have a long and healthy relationship with your spouse.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/marriage](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/marriage)

**Creek Kids**Nursery - 5<sup>th</sup> Grade

Children of all ages can interact and fellowship with others their own age while learning about the Lord. Our mission is to love, serve, and reach families to help lead the next generation to real faith in Christ.

**Saturday / 5:00p**

**Sunday / 9:30a & 11:00a**

*Preschool children stay both hours.  
Elementary children stay one hour.*

[cottonwoodcreek.org/creekkids](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/creekkids)

**Student Ministry**6<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

Our mission at Cottonwood Creek Church and the Creek Student Ministry is to Love God and Love Others. It is our prayer that our students are transformed by the Gospel of Jesus Christ, that they participate in the expansion of the Kingdom of God, and that they continually grow in their faith and identity in Christ.

**Sunday / Middle School (6<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>)**

*9:30a Worship - Chapel*

*11:00a Theology Class - C128*

**Sunday / High School (9<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup>)**

*9:30a Theology Class - C128*

*11:00a Worship - Chapel*

[cottonwoodcreek.org/csm](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/csm)

**College + Young Adults**

## Enrolled in College or Ages 20 - 30

Our College + Young Adult Ministry offers a fun and encouraging atmosphere for those who are stepping out into the college world or workforce. We offer Life Groups and Home Groups, as well as fun activities such as camping, sports, game nights, and more!

**Thursday / 7:00p / Table Two:Fifteen**

**Saturday / 5:00p / Worship Service**

**Sunday / 11:00a / Life Group / A238**

**Sunday / 6:00p / Home Group / Allen, TX**

[cottonwoodcreek.org/college](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/college)





## Women's Ministry

### All Ages + Stages

Our Women's Ministry strives to unite women in an uplifting, positive, and Christ-like environment. The aim of this ministry is to grow together, serve one another, and build strong relationships with the Lord and one another. The women of Cottonwood Creek are here to walk alongside you, pray with you, and share in all that life has to offer. This ministry offers Bible studies, events, serving opportunities, and Life Groups throughout the year.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/women](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/women)

## Men's Ministry

### All Ages + Stages

Our Men's Ministry at Cottonwood Creek aims to equip men with the strength and discipline to live the lives God has called us to. We want to be a spiritual blacksmith shop - to come alongside the men in our church and help sharpen and encourage each other as we navigate challenges. From quarterly Men's Breakfasts and Bible studies to Ski Trips and Fishing Retreats, there is something that all men can connect with in this ministry.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/men](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/men)



## Senior Adults

### 65 Years +

Our Senior Adults Ministry has much to offer for those ages 65+ who love others and love to serve. Our ministry is committed to encouraging and affirming continued growth in wisdom and in faith, while also making opportunities for fellowship and service with others.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/sr-adults](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/sr-adults)



## Sports

### 3 Years - Adults

The purpose of the Cottonwood Creek Sports Academy is to bring glory to God by showing kids and adults how athletics is a way to express worship. We believe things like integrity, teamwork, and character are integral to the development of not only the athlete, but also the heart behind the jersey. We offer year-round competitive and recreational programming for indoor volleyball, beach volleyball, boys and girls basketball, summer camps, and adult fitness.

[cottonwoodcreeksports.org](http://cottonwoodcreeksports.org)

## Care Ministry

### All Ages + Stages

We have many different Care Groups whose mission is to walk with you through whatever life throws at you.

**Celebrate Recovery** / overcoming any hurt, hang-up, and habit that we all struggle with.

**DivorceCare** / a group of people who will walk alongside you through one of life's most difficult experiences.

**DivorceCare 4 Kids** / a place where children will learn how to deal with the emotional and physical pains of divorce.

**Grief Share** / a special support group designed to help individuals deal with their grief and loss.

**Cancer Care** / a group that seeks to offer God's hope and love through spiritual, emotional, and practical support for cancer patients and their families.

**Warriors of Faith** / for those who have served in the Armed Forces. This group seeks to offer God's hope and love through spiritual, emotional, and practical support.

**Woven** / a ministry that comes alongside those in our church who are currently or are interested in both fostering and adopting, as well as supporting orphans.

**Parkinson's Support** / a group that talks about each other's concerns, discusses common symptoms, and how to cope with the challenges.

**Grace Groups** / for individuals struggling with anxiety and depression, as well as the family and friends supporting them.

**Stephen Ministry Training** / this training will teach you comprehensive training, including how to provide care to individuals who have experienced a crisis.

## Worship & Arts

### All Ages + Stages

The Worship & Arts and Tech Ministry is a place to learn, laugh, be creative, serve, and belong. The team is an all-inclusive, high energy, passionate, and creatively gifted group of worshippers. Their worship is heartfelt and centered around the joy of the Lord and a heart of gratitude. Whether running a camera, lights, or singing in the choir, this is a ministry to be involved in.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/wa](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/wa)



## Faith@Home

### All Ages + Stages

Faith@Home is a quest for authentic faith. A faith that is lived out in our daily activities, is modeled in our homes and communities, and passed down to the next generation. At Cottonwood Creek, we want to come alongside and help you on your faith journey. We believe that true "Authentic Faith" is one that thrives both inside and outside the walls of the church building. It is not something that can be compartmentalized or only demonstrated on Sunday mornings.

Resources are available for every stage of life online or at the Faith@Home Wall in the Lobby.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/faith-at-home](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/faith-at-home)

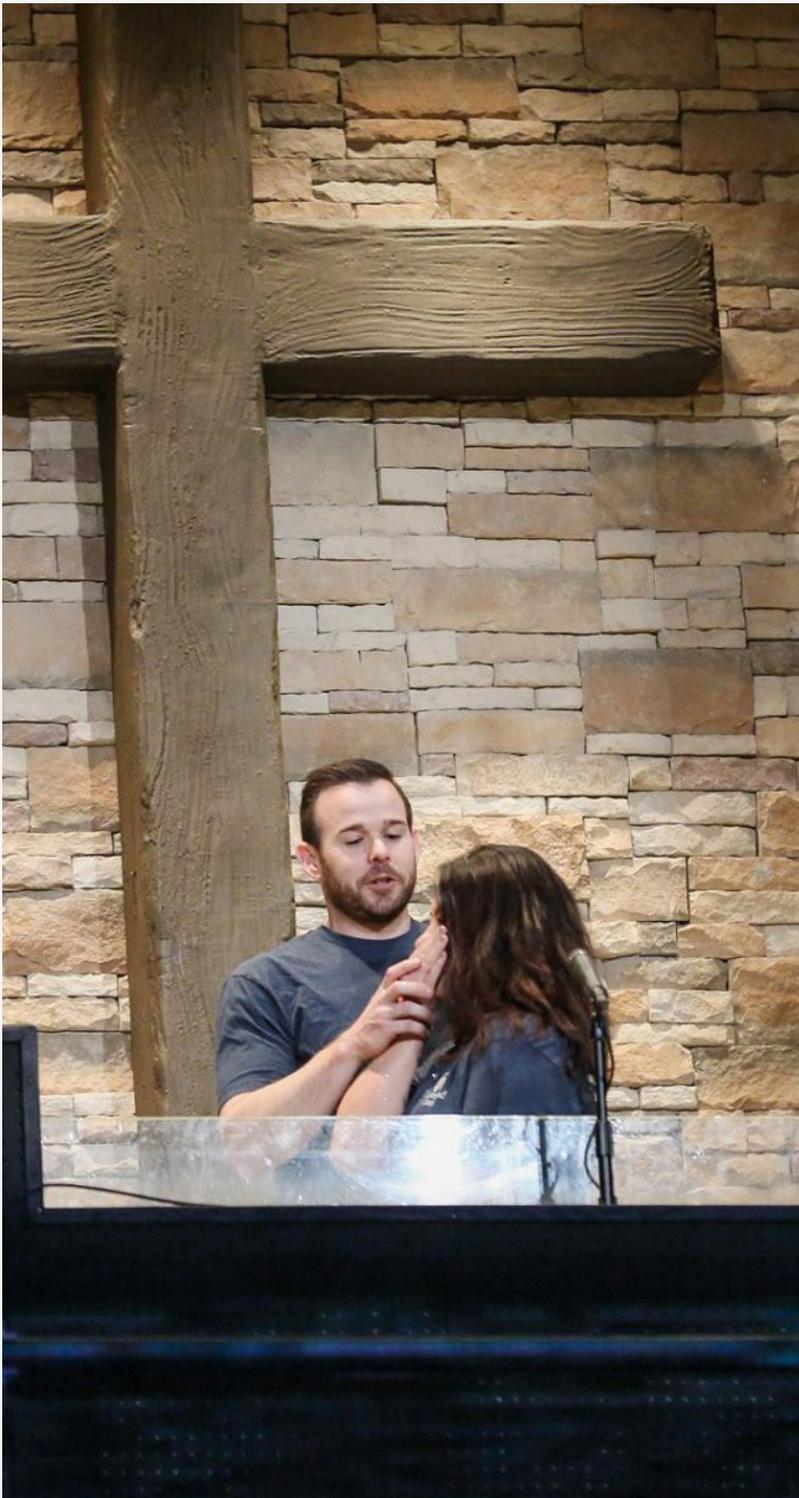


## Missions

### All Ages + Stages

Cottonwood Creek On Mission has been blessed to engage with people in countless opportunities, both in service and sharing Jesus Christ. Our passion is to encourage every person connected to our church, from guests to members, to live out their lives "On Mission!" Missional living is a spiritual decision to live out faith in actions that take place on the local, national, and international level. It is so much more than an event; it is a lifestyle we all should embrace.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/onmission](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/onmission)



# 4

## **ATTEND A MEMBERSHIP WORKSHOP**

Membership Workshops are the key part of becoming a member of Cottonwood Creek. The Cottonwood Creek Family is what God uses to sustain His Kingdom. At these workshops, you learn what Cottonwood Creek is all about, what we believe, and what it means to reach the next person through the doors. If you have any questions about Cottonwood Creek, they will be answered here and you will get the opportunity to know the staff more personally.

Register for a Membership Workshop by visiting online at [www.cottonwoodcreek.org/membership](http://www.cottonwoodcreek.org/membership). Complete the videos, share your testimony, and fill out the service form. Once you complete this checklist, you will have access to register for Membership Workshop, and then attend on the date that you select.

# 5

## SERVE WITH YOUR CHURCH FAMILY

As followers of God, we are called to be the hands and feet of Jesus Christ. We are to serve the way He served when He walked on earth. At Cottonwood Creek, there are endless possibilities for just that! Whether you are spending time with our Creek Student Ministry, participating in mission trips with our On Mission team, or leading a Life Group, there are so many ways to embrace your inner servant's heart and serve with the Cottonwood Creek Family.

Volunteering at Cottonwood Creek is a very rewarding experience. Don't miss out on the joy of impacting someone's life for Christ. Text the word SERVE to 77978. After that, you'll receive a return text with a link to click. The link will be a short form to fill out about your volunteering interests. Once you've completed and submitted the short form, you're all set to begin your serving adventure! You can also go to [cottonwoodcreek.org/serve](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/serve) for more info. Questions? Contact our Connections Minister, Will Chapman, at [will.chapman@cottonwoodcreek.org](mailto:will.chapman@cottonwoodcreek.org).





# 6

## **INVITE FAMILY, FRIENDS, NEIGHBORS AND STRANGERS**

The Cottonwood Creek Family is made up of people from all walks of life. The one thing that we have in common is that we all trust that Jesus Christ is the Savior of our lives. We love God and love others.

Sometimes, it can be intimidating when you invite someone to church. However, it doesn't have to be! Cottonwood Creek offers many events throughout the year that are open to anyone and everyone. If you know of a family with children, invite them to Fall Festival or if you know a married couple, invite them to one of the Marriage Ministry events. If you know a single person, invite them to go to Worship Service and Life Group with you. This is a perfect opportunity for them to meet new people and get plugged into a great community.

Stop by the Connect Wall on Saturdays and Sundays for more information on getting connected at Cottonwood Creek.



## WHAT'S COMING UP AT COTTONWOOD CREEK?

### **Celebrate Recovery**

Every Monday, 7:00p, Chapel

#### **CARE MINISTRY**

This biblical program helps us overcome any hurt, hang-up, and habits that we all struggle with.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/cr](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/cr)

### **Men's Bible Study**

Every Tuesday, 6:00a, Worship Center Atrium

#### **MEN'S MINISTRY**

Every Tuesday morning, join fellow men of Cottonwood Creek for Bible study. Each week is a time of study and fellowship led by Pastor John Mark.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/mensbiblestudy](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/mensbiblestudy)

### **Prayer Service**

Every Tuesday, 6:00p, C128

#### **CHURCHWIDE**

Join the Cottonwood Creek Family for a weekly time of prayer. If you would like to speak to someone about a prayer need, text the word PRAYER to 77978, and someone from our staff will contact you.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/prayerservice](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/prayerservice)

### **Table Two:Fifteen**

Every Thursday, 7:00p, Chapel

#### **YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY**

Join other college-age and young adults every week for worship, teaching, fellowship, and coffee!

[cottonwoodcreek.org/table](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/table)

### **AUGUST**

#### **CSM Small Groups - Middle School**

Wednesdays, Starting August 21, 6:00p, Cottonwood Creek Church

#### **STUDENT MINISTRY**

Small Groups are for students who want to make new relationships and strengthen old relationships with their peers. We take them through a Bible based curriculum and encourage fellowship between the students.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/csm-groups](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/csm-groups)

#### **CSM Home Groups - High School**

Wednesdays, Starting August 21, 6:30p, Area Homes

#### **STUDENT MINISTRY**

Home Groups are for students who want to make new relationships and strengthen old relationships with their peers. We take them through a Bible based curriculum and encourage fellowship between the students.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/csm-groups](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/csm-groups)

#### **One Way Class**

Wednesday, August 21, 6:30p, A205

#### **CREEK KIDS MINISTRY**

This class is for children who have accepted Jesus Christ as their Savior or have questions. No registration required.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/oneaway](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/oneaway)

#### **Baptism Sunday**

Sunday, August 25, 9:30a & 11:00a, Worship Center

If you would like to learn more or sign up to be baptized, visit online at:

[cottonwoodcreek.org/baptism](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/baptism)

### **AWANA**

Sundays, Starting August 25, 4:00p

#### **CREEK KIDS MINISTRY**

AWANA walks alongside kids in their faith journey through exciting scripture memorization and Bible study, fun games, and engaging large group sessions.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/awana](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/awana)

#### **Women's Bible Study Kickoff**

Tuesday, August 27, 6:30p, Chapel

#### **WOMEN'S MINISTRY**

Ladies, come for a night of desserts, coffee, delightful conversation, and learn more about the upcoming studies.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/kickoff](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/kickoff)

### **SEPTEMBER**

#### **Mission of the Month: Vega**

#### **MISSIONS MINISTRY**

Join us as we reach out to Vega Elementary! Become a REACH mentor, adopt a classroom and help to meet their needs, volunteer to help with field days, and more!

[cottonwoodcreek.org/mom](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/mom)

#### **Cancer Care**

Sunday, September 1, 12:30p, C128

#### **CARE MINISTRY**

This group seeks to offer God's hope and love through spiritual, emotional, and practical support for cancer patients and their families.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/cancercare](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/cancercare)

## Entrusted

Tuesdays, Starting September 3, 6:30p, B118

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

In this 6-session study, you will be encouraged to guard what God has entrusted to you and pour into future generations.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies)

## Divorce Care

Wednesdays, Starting September 4, 6:30p, A256

### CARE MINISTRY

This 13-week course walks alongside you during one of life's most difficult experiences.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/divorcecare](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/divorcecare)

## Divorce Care 4 Kids

Wednesdays, Starting September 4, 6:30p, A125

### CARE MINISTRY

This 13-week course provides a place where your children will learn how to express their emotions appropriately and develop coping skills.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/dc4k](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/dc4k)

## Grief Share

Wednesdays, Starting September 4, 6:30p, B118

### CARE MINISTRY

This 13-week course is for people grieving the death of a loved one or any other life situations that bring deep grief.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/griefshare](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/griefshare)

## Parkinson's Support

Thursday, September 5, 6:00p, C128

### CARE MINISTRY

This group meets to talk about each other's concerns, discuss common symptoms, and how to cope with the challenges.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/parkinsons](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/parkinsons)

## Precepts: 2 Thessalonians

Thursdays, Starting September 5, 6:00p, A205

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

This study in Thessalonians will help you to fully understand what God says about the last days.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies)

## Legacy

Thursdays, Starting September 5, 6:30p, A216

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

In this 6-session study, examine the character and actions of women in Scripture to inspire and challenge you to leave a gospel-centered legacy.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies)

## Fresh Spirit For Moms

Two Fridays a Month, Starting September 6, 9:30a, Worship Center Atrium, \$85 or \$115 with childcare

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Fresh Spirit for Moms is a ministry designed to provide moms of all ages an opportunity to connect with each other and take a little break from the busyness of motherhood.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/freshspirit](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/freshspirit)

## Financial Peace University

Sundays, Starting September 8, 4:15p, C128, C129

### CHURCHWIDE

This course will teach you how to take control of your money and invest for the future. Cost includes one FPU kit. Register and purchase materials online.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/fpu](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/fpu)

## Stephen Ministry Training

Sundays, Starting September 8, 6:00p, C128

### CARE MINISTRY

This training will teach you comprehensive training, including how to provide care to individuals who have experienced a crisis.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/care](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/care)

## Elevate Volleyball Academy

Mondays, Starting September 9, 4:30p, Gym, \$110

### SPORTS MINISTRY

Join us for 16 sessions of working on important volleyball fundamentals through skills, drills, and games.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/elevate](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/elevate)

## Adult 4v4 Sand Volleyball League

Mondays, Starting September 9, 5:30p, Sand Volleyball Courts

### SPORTS MINISTRY

Join our very first 4v4 adult sand volleyball league. Come out for Monday night fun, fellowship, and volleyball!

[cottonwoodcreek.org/sandvolleyball](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/sandvolleyball)

## Grace Groups

Mondays, Starting September 9, 7:00p, Chapel

### CARE MINISTRY

Grace Groups aim to build community for individuals living with, or those supporting someone living with, a mental health struggle. The group will worship together and break off in guided small groups through a curriculum.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/gracegroups](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/gracegroups)

## Finding God Faithful

Tuesday, Starting September 10, 9:30a, A202

### WOMEN'S MINISTRY

Trace the path of Joseph's life in the Book of Genesis to observe how God's sovereignty reigns, even in our darkest moments.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies)

## JOYUS Luncheon

Tuesday, September 10, 11:30a, Worship Center Atrium

### SENIOR ADULTS

This monthly get together is for our senior adults. Please bring a side or dessert to share with the group!

[cottonwoodcreek.org/joyus](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/joyus)

## Worship Choir Rehearsal

Wednesday, September 11, 6:30p, C128

### WORSHIP & ARTS MINISTRY

Come join the Creek Choir! We rehearse and sing 1-2 times per month and enjoy monthly fellowships! Wednesday's rehearsal is for September 15 and 22.

[worship@cottonwoodcreek.org](mailto:worship@cottonwoodcreek.org)



## **Lil' Praise**

Wednesdays, Starting September 11, 6:30p, \$35

### *CREEK KIDS MINISTRY*

Lil' Praise is where your preschooler will learn more about God through singing and playing musical instruments.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/creekkidspraise](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/creekkidspraise)

## **Creek Kids Praise**

Wednesdays, Starting September 11, 6:30p, \$50

### *CREEK KIDS MINISTRY*

Does your child love to worship? Then, Creek Kids Praise is the place for them! Your child will sing songs, gain experience in playing musical instruments, and learn more about the love of God through scripture and reading the Bible.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/creekkidspraise](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/creekkidspraise)

## **Living By Faith**

Thursdays, Starting September 12, 9:30a, A200/201

### *WOMEN'S MINISTRY*

Faith is far more than a belief system; biblical faith infuses all parts of life. Come learn about six women in the Bible who illustrate what it means to live by faith.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/womensbiblestudies)

## **Getaway Night**

Friday, September 13, 7:00p, Worship Center

### *MARRIAGE MINISTRY*

Every marriage needs a Getaway Night! Come out for a night of music, laughter, speakers, and more. We are thrilled to have special guests: Matthew West, Willie and Korie Robertson (from the AE tv show, Duck Dynasty), and Dan Seaborn.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/getawaynight](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/getawaynight)

## **Big Daddy Weave Concert**

Saturday, September 14, 7:00p, Worship Center

### *WORSHIP & ARTS MINISTRY*

Come out for a night of worship with Big Daddy Weave and Creek Worship. To purchase tickets or volunteer, visit online.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/bigdaddyweave](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/bigdaddyweave)

## **Woven**

Sunday, September 15, 4:00p, C128

### *CARE MINISTRY*

We strive to be a ministry that comes alongside those in our church who are currently or interested in fostering and adopting, as well as supporting orphans.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/woven](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/woven)

## **2:52 Soccer**

Mondays, Starting September 16, 5:00p, Soccer Pad

### *SPORTS MINISTRY*

2:52 Soccer is back for the fall season! Grab your friends and come play in our fun league.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/252soccer](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/252soccer)

## **Midweek Chapel**

Wednesdays, Starting September 18, 6:30p, Chapel

### *CHURCHWIDE*

Midweek Chapel exists for two reasons. First, each week the Cottonwood Family will take a book of the Bible and go through it. Second, Midweek Chapel is a time to get away from the busyness of life, and come back to the simplicity of real worship. This is a time for you to unplug and refocus.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/midweek](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/midweek)

## **Warriors of Faith**

Wednesday, September 18, 7:00p, A232

### *CARE MINISTRY*

This ministry is for those who have served in the Armed Forces that seeks to offer God's hope and love through spiritual, emotional, and practical support.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/warriorsofffaith](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/warriorsofffaith)

## **One Way Class**

Wednesday, September 18, 6:30p, A205

### *CREEK KIDS MINISTRY*

This class is for children who have accepted Jesus Christ as their Savior or have questions. No registration required.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/oneway](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/oneway)

## **Prepare & Enrich Marriage Mentor Training**

Saturday, September 21, 9:00a, B116

### *MARRIAGE MINISTRY*

This one-day seminar will teach you tools and tips on how to pour into fellow couples, how to build them up, and encourage them as they walk together in their marriage.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/mentortraining](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/mentortraining)

## **Is This The One?**

Sundays, Starting September 22, 9:30a, A224

### *MARRIAGE MINISTRY*

Are you considering marriage in your future? This four-week class to learn how you can set yourself up for success.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/theone](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/theone)

## **Before We Say I Do**

Sundays, Starting September 22, 7:00p, C128

### *MARRIAGE MINISTRY*

This biblical pre-marital course is designed for newly engaged and seriously dating couples. Sessions will cover how to start and keep your marriage strong.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/ido](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/ido)

## **Baptism Sunday**

Sunday, September 29, 9:30a & 11:00a, Worship Center

If you would like to learn more or sign up to be baptized, visit online at:

[cottonwoodcreek.org/baptism](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/baptism)

## **OCTOBER**

### **Mission of the Month: Fall Festival**

#### *MISSIONS MINISTRY*

Help serve at Fall Festival by donating candy and serving at this exciting event.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/mom](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/mom)

### **Worship Choir Rehearsal**

Wednesday, October 2, 6:30p, C128

#### *WORSHIP & ARTS MINISTRY*

Come join the Creek Choir! We rehearse and sing 1-2 times per month and enjoy monthly fellowships! Wednesday's rehearsal is for October 6 and 20.

[worship@cottonwoodcreek.org](mailto:worship@cottonwoodcreek.org)

## **Parkinson's Support**

Thursday, October 3, 6:00p, C128

*CARE MINISTRY*

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[cottonwoodcreek.org/parkinsons](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/parkinsons)

## **Cancer Care**

Sunday, October 6, 12:30p, C128

*CARE MINISTRY*

This group seeks to offer God's hope and love through spiritual, emotional, and practical support for cancer patients and their families.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/cancercare](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/cancercare)

## **JOYUS Luncheon**

Tuesday, October 8, 11:30a,  
Worship Center Atrium

*SENIOR ADULTS*

This monthly get together is for our senior adults. Please bring a side or dessert to share with the group.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/joyus](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/joyus)

## **Woven**

Sunday, October 20, 4:00p, C128

*CARE MINISTRY*

We strive to be a ministry that comes alongside those in our church who are currently or interested in fostering and adopting, as well as supporting orphans.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/woven](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/woven)

## **Warriors of Faith**

Wednesday, October 16, 7:00p, A232

*CARE MINISTRY*

This ministry is for those who have served in the Armed Forces that seeks to offer God's hope and love through spiritual, emotional, and practical support.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/warriorsofffaith](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/warriorsofffaith)

## **One Way Class**

Wednesday, October 16, 6:30p, A205

*CREEK KIDS MINISTRY*

This class is for children who have accepted Jesus Christ as their Savior or have questions. No registration required.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/oneway](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/oneway)

## **Fall Festival**

Saturday, October 26, 4:00p

*CREEK KIDS MINISTRY*

Fall Festival is jam packed with fun, from inflatables and games, to food trucks and costumes, there's something for the entire family to enjoy.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/fallfestival](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/fallfestival)

## **Baptism Sunday**

Sunday, October 27, 9:30a & 11:00a,  
Worship Center

If you would like to learn more or sign up to be baptized, visit online at:

[cottonwoodcreek.org/baptism](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/baptism)

## **Worship Choir Rehearsal**

Wednesday, October 30, 6:30p, C128

*WORSHIP & ARTS MINISTRY*

Come join the Creek Choir! We rehearse and sing 1-2 times per month and enjoy monthly fellowships! Wednesday's rehearsal is for November 3 and 17 and December 8.

[worship@cottonwoodcreek.org](mailto:worship@cottonwoodcreek.org)

## **NOVEMBER**

### **Mission of the Month: The Gift**

*MISSIONS MINISTRY*

There are many ways you can be a part of The Gift. From donating blood and hair, to filling a box for Operation Christmas Child and packing seeds, there is a place for everyone to serve.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/mom](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/mom)

### **Parkinson's Support**

Thursday, November 7, 6:00p, C128

*CARE MINISTRY*

This group meets to talk about each other's concerns, discuss common symptoms, and how to cope with the challenges.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/parkinsons](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/parkinsons)

## **Cancer Care**

Sunday, November 3, 12:30p, C128

*CARE MINISTRY*

This group seeks to offer God's hope and love through spiritual, emotional, and practical support for cancer patients and their families.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/cancercare](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/cancercare)

## **JOYUS Luncheon**

Tuesday, November 12, 11:30a,  
Worship Center Atrium

*SENIOR ADULTS*

This monthly get together is for our senior adults. Please bring a side or dessert to share with the group!

[cottonwoodcreek.org/joyus](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/joyus)

## **Breathe: Night of Worship**

Tuesday, November 12, 7:00p,  
Worship Center

*WOMEN'S MINISTRY*

Ladies, join us for a night of worship, prayer, and an encouraging word.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/breathe](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/breathe)

## **Creek Worship Workshop**

Saturday, November 16, 2:00p, Worship Center

*WORSHIP & ARTS*

Interested in serving with the Technical Arts Team or Vocal Team/Choir? Breakout sessions cover lighting, sound, camera, and Pro-Presenter. Vocal seminar led by Bridgette Hammers.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/worship](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/worship)

## **The Gift**

Sunday, November 17, 9:30a & 11:00a

*MISSIONS MINISTRY*

There are so many ways you can be a part of The Gift. From donating blood and hair, to filling a box for Operation Christmas Child and packing seeds, there is a place for everyone to serve.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/thegift](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/thegift)

## **Woven**

Sunday, November 17, 4:00p, C128

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[cottonwoodcreek.org/woven](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/woven)



### **Warriors of Faith**

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*CARE MINISTRY*

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[cottonwoodcreek.org/warriorsofffaith](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/warriorsofffaith)

### **One Way Class**

Wednesday, November 20, 6:30p, A205  
*CREEK KIDS MINISTRY*

This class is for children who have accepted Jesus Christ as their Savior or have questions. No registration required.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/oneway](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/oneway)

### **Baptism Sunday**

Sunday, November 24, 9:30a & 11:00a,  
Worship Center

If you would like to learn more or sign up to be baptized, visit online at:

[cottonwoodcreek.org/baptism](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/baptism)

## **DECEMBER**

### **Mission of the Month: Angel Tree & Coat/Shoe Drive**

*MISSIONS MINISTRY*

Provide Christmas for a child in need from our Angel Tree and drop off your gently used coats and shoes for our coat and shoe drive.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/mom](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/mom)

### **Christmas Choir**

*WORSHIP & ARTS MINISTRY*

Come be a part of the Christmas Choir! We will rehearse December 11 and 18 and sing with the Worship Team during services on Saturday, December 21 and Sunday, December 22. For more information, contact:

[worship@cottonwoodcreek.org](mailto:worship@cottonwoodcreek.org)

### **Cancer Care**

Sunday, December 1, 12:30p, C128  
*CARE MINISTRY*

This group seeks to offer God's hope and love through spiritual, emotional, and practical support for cancer patients and their families.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/cancercare](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/cancercare)

### **Parkinson's Support**

Thursday, December 5, 6:00p, C128  
*CARE MINISTRY*

This group meets to talk about each other's concerns, discuss common symptoms, and how to cope with the challenges.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/parkinsons](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/parkinsons)

### **Wally Jolly Christmas Show**

Friday, December 6, 7:00p,  
Worship Center

*WORSHIP & ARTS MINISTRY*

Get in the Christmas spirit with the Cottonwood Family and WAY FM! Austin French will be headlining the evening with Creek Worship as the evening's opener! To purchase tickets or volunteer, visit online.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/wallyjolly](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/wallyjolly)

### **JOYUS Luncheon**

Tuesday, December 10, 11:30a, Worship Center Atrium

*SENIOR ADULTS*

This monthly get together is for our senior adults. Please bring a side or dessert to share with the group!

[cottonwoodcreek.org/joyus](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/joyus)

### **Woven**

Sunday, December 15, 4:00p, C128

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### **One Way Class**

Wednesday, December 18, 6:30p, A205  
*CREEK KIDS MINISTRY*

This class is for children who have accepted Jesus Christ as their Savior or have questions. No registration required.

[cottonwoodcreek.org/oneaway](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/oneaway)

### **Warriors of Faith**

Wednesday, December 18, 7:00p, A232  
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[cottonwoodcreek.org/warriorsofffaith](http://cottonwoodcreek.org/warriorsofffaith)

### **Baptism Sunday**

Sunday, December 29, 9:30a & 11:00a,  
Worship Center

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