

SPRING Easter Festival

Saturday, April 7 | 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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BEN & ROBBIE'S Dip Night




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HOLIDAY DINNER

on November 11, 6:00 p.m.

per person

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EASTER SUNDAY APRIL 8

8:00 AM AND 10:30 AM

with Bible studies and Children

FLOWERS ON THE CROSS

Children 12 and under: \$1.00
Adults: \$2.00
Please bring your own basket
of flowers with you
Children 12 and under: \$1.00
Adults: \$2.00

THE HEART OF GOD BEATS FOR THE PEOPLE OF THE WORLD.
WHO WILL TELL THEM ABOUT IT?

SALTILLO, MEXICO WEDDING TRIP

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| coffee | Cappuccino | Café Latte | Tea |
|---|--|--|---|
| Breakfast Blend French Roast French Roast Decaf | \$2.00 Cinnamon Mocha French Vanilla | \$2.50 Amaretto Caramel Chocolate Hazelnut French Vanilla | \$1.25 Earl Grey Greens Special of the Day |
| | Hot Cocoa | \$1.25 | |

The Metropolitan Church of Christ

GO DEEP

THE ULTIMATE BAPTISM EXPERIENCE

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Reach higher.

Challenge Weekend and Lock In For Grades 5 and 6

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FIRST SERVE

Volunteer for 30 days. That's it.


If you like it, keep doing it
if it isn't your cup of tea—don't come. It
You can't say something nice out.
No strings attached.
We promise.

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FLIPPIN' flip flop frenzy

Bring flip flops that work to help the victims of Hurricane Katrina.

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live for more

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The MET

enjoying family, living life

live for more

Connecting people each day
in the real Jesus in a real way

The MET

we're sorry we missed you.

At The MET we know there's an opportunity
to live for more than what our world has to offer.

We hope you visit with us again and discover what
new means to your life.

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you'll be invited!

Wednesday Evenings
@ The MET

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going beyond!
summer missions 2008
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Worship



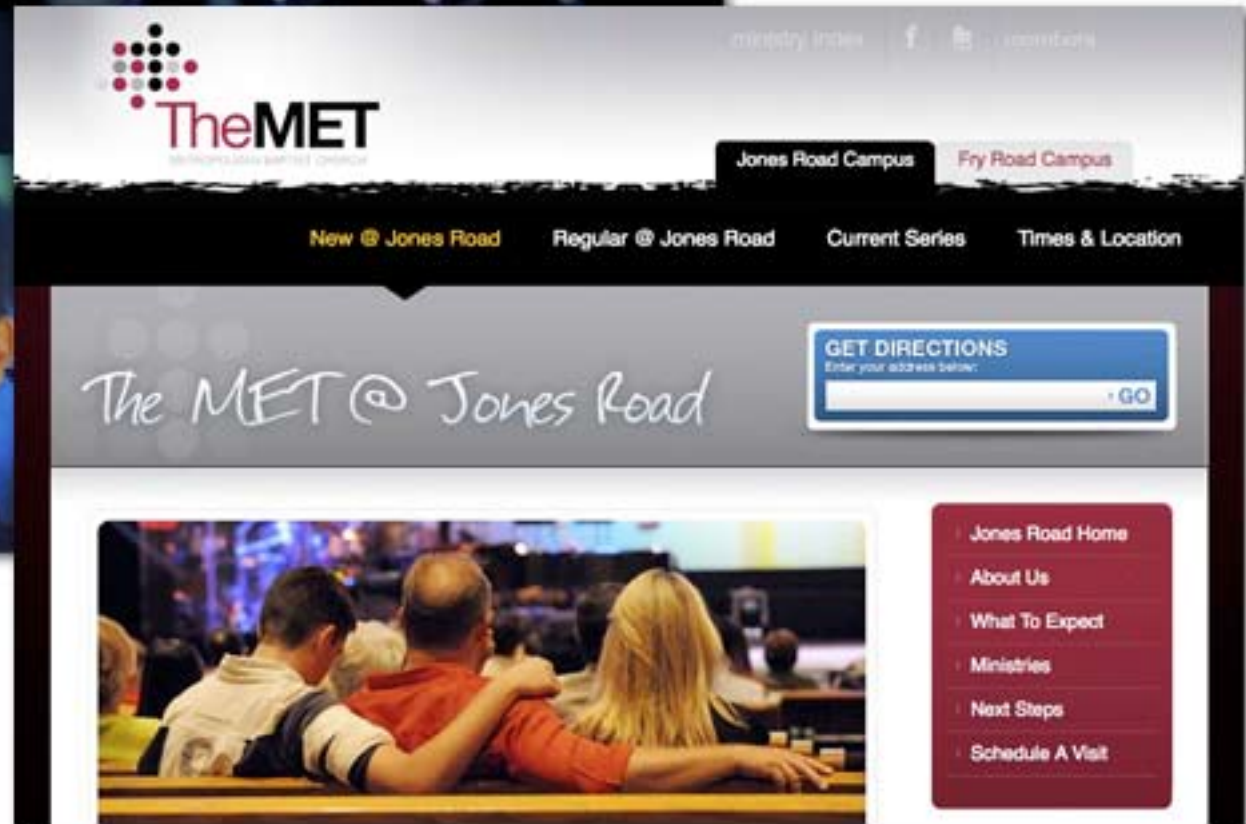
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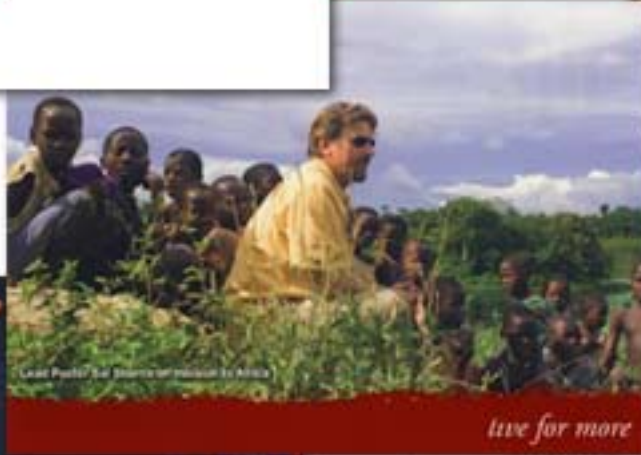
Serve



Connect
Each Day







Connecting people each day
to the real Jesus in a real way.

agreed to be doing given our assignment? Our mission answers
calls our call to "make disciples" Matthew (28:19-20) in language

SERVE
Discover the Joy of Living Your Purpose


Knowing why you were created is part of the journey that God has planned for you. We all have the opportunity to make an impact, to change the world each and every day in our corner. God created you for a purpose that you can know through loving others through mission and ministry. Once you belong at The MET, discover real life by serving your fellow man.



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to the real Jesus in a real way.*



*Wednesday Evenings
@ The MET*



life groups

life groups guide and campus map



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METROPOLITAN BAPTIST CHURCH

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Sal Sterns, Lead Pastor



going **beyond!**

summer missions 2008
evangelism in ecuador



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summer missions 2008
evangelism in aguascalientes, mexico



going **beyond!**

summer missions 2008
evangelism in hays, montana

summer missions 2008
aguascalientes, mexico | july 11-18

Trip Purpose:
Evangelism, VBS, medical and food ministries

Pray for:

- Safe and uneventful round trip travel
- The Holy Spirit to prepare the Mexican people's hearts for His message
- The MET team to genuinely display the love of Christ to the Mexican people through its ministry work
- Team members to be humbly aligned with God's Spirit and will for this trip

...Lack, I tell you: Watch your ears, and see that the fields are white for harvest.
(Luke 4:32)

*please use this card as a reminder
to pray for our mission teams serving in Aguascalientes.*





Fry Road Campus Direct Mail



enjoying family, loving life



making a difference, meaningful impact



We invite you to learn what it means to live for more beginning **Sunday, February 8** as we open The MET @ Fry Road in Cypress at Hopper Middle School.

From live teaching, phenomenal worship, specific environments to teach biblical foundations to Preschoolers and Children in a fun and engaging way, a Student Lounge for our teens and great coffee and connections around, The MET @ Fry Road will help your family live for more!

The MET @ Fry Road
Hopper Middle School
7911 Fry Road
Cypress, TX 77433

live for more

Sundays 9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

For more information visit us at
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you're invited!

...ives at a pretty fast pace today and it
...where we can look up and wonder, "Wh
...importantly, "What did I make of the tr
...there's an opportunity to *live for mo*
...ffer. Consider this your invitation to hi
...what more means in your life.

What to expect at The MET:

- Real people who are expecting you and
- A fun and safe place for your preschooler
- A relaxed atmosphere where you can co
- Incredible multimedia and live music.
- Relevant teaching grounded in the Bible

life groups

- Sundays
8:15, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.

worship

- Sundays
8:15*, 9:30, 11:00 a.m.
*classic service



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live for more



gratitude card



door hanger

next step



name: _____

address: _____

city: _____ state: _____ zip: _____

home phone: _____ cell phone: _____

email: _____

best contact time: morning afternoon evening

children/ages: _____

I commit to pray for the Jones and Fry Road campuses. I would like to learn more about The MET @ Fry Road.

I am interested in attending The MET @ Fry Road. I will attend The MET @ Fry Leadership Rally on September 7.

I am interested in serving at The MET @ Fry Road. (Please check all areas of interest.)

Life Groups Children Students Tech/AV Set Up/Break Down Worship First Touch

Parking Whatever I currently serve at The MET in this area: _____

(Please use the back of this card for any questions about The MET @ Fry Road.)

connect card



letterhead, envelope,
business card





Is it possible



to connect 400,000 children and teenagers to Christ?

God has laid a plan in our heart. Through our association with the Fellowship Foundation and other missionary partners who operate excellent youth camps all over the world, The MET sees its role as a bridge. This bridge will help send about 100,000 youth and their teachers around the world to these life-changing camps over the next 10 years. So far, we have seen over 40% of those who attend these camps.

These 100,000 youth will be sent to 100 countries in 100 cities. They will be mentored by 100,000 teachers and workers around the world. This is a vision that is being realized.

• Our Big Give offering will provide every child with the chance to attend camp & receive the life-changing message of the Gospel.


Cambodia
Pakistan
Philippines
Columbia
Mexico
Japan

big give

The MET living the value of *Unapologetic Evangelism* – **Indescribable**



What if there was a road



that led to safety, shelter, food, education and love for 200 children who live daily without basic necessities?



Last year The MET received a God-sized vision, and your overwhelming response allowed the road to be completed. In early 2008 The MET purchased land in one of the poorest areas of Kenya to establish an orphanage for 200 children who were orphaned because of AIDS. With the gifts given to the Big Give, The MET finds a grateful that the 200 children will receive the message of the Gospel.

A heavenly Father and a place to call home – Indescribable

Road Safety Fence Security Entrance Residence Hall Feeding Center

Just over the border in Kenya, Kenya. The MET is spending \$1,500 a month to provide food, shelter and clothing for 200 children in 2008. The MET needs to build a church and provide drinking water for close to one million people in an impoverished area of Kenya, Africa.

• Big Give gift of \$100 will provide meals for 10 people for one month at one of our feeding centers.

big give



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BigGiveAtTheMET.org

And in their prayers for you their hearts will go out to you, because of the surpassing grace God has given you. Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!
 (2 Corinthians 9:14-15 NIV)

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big give Garage Sale Drop Off

Leader Guide
teaching curriculum

week one
sunday, november 23

big give

six-week emphasis
November 23 - December 23

sign

teaching curriculum



respond...

Online Big Give Member Mission/Mission
 100% 100% 100%

Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____
 State: _____
 Zip: _____

Member Name: _____
 Member ID: _____
 Member Type: _____
 Member Since: _____
 Member Status: _____
 Member Address: _____
 Member City: _____
 Member State: _____
 Member Zip: _____

Please Print and Mail to: (Do not staple or fold)

How to Give for more

How to contribute and receive a real and eternal gift through Jesus

1. Admit you are a sinner. For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. (Romans 3:23)
2. Understand that without salvation, you will die. The wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life through Jesus Christ. (Romans 6:23)
3. Accept the gift of grace. For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith—and this is not due to your merits, it is a gift from God—received by faith, as they are mentioned in Ephesians 2:8-9.

To accept the free gift of grace, you must:

1. Believe that Jesus died on the cross for your sin. God loves you and has sent His only Son to die for you and all sinners. (John 3:16)
2. Confide your sin. If you confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. (1 John 1:9)

Prayer of Dedication

God, I want to live for you. I realize that I'm not perfect and am dependent on You because of my sin. I make the commitment for my sin to death, just that Jesus died in my place and I am forgiven through His sacrifice. I accept the gift of grace and offer my thoughts, Jesus and change to live for You. Amen. In Jesus Name, Amen.

If you are unable to receive a physical offering, please let us know that the offering was made on the first day of the offering period.

Big Give At The MET.org

The MET

201-261-1000 | 201-261-1000

South Field Campus
 13000 South Road | Houston, TX 77059

Big Give Campus | Houston Mission Station
 201 Big Give Road | Houston, TX 77059

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INDISCRIABLE

worship guide

HOW CAN I make a difference?

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Serve in a **National or Community mission endeavor** in 2009!

MET Members Share Their Joy in Serving:

 There is nothing like seeing the kids in these families when they get a new home – when they realize they have a team of their own. I believe it my duty to give back and God has given me the talent and skills to do something.
Bob Young, Habitat for Humanity volunteer

 The relationship we have with the Native Americans is so important. It opens up the opportunity to share the Gospel with them as we return each year. Our prayer is that they see Jesus in us as we serve and minister to them. I look forward to renewing old friendships and making new friends next year.
Lisa Johnson, Habitat mission volunteer

The sacrifices we make as a family to bring others to God are invaluable.
Robbie Johnson, Habitat mission volunteer

*Connecting people each day
to the real Jesus in a real way.*





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Your BIG GIVE GIFT will make an eternal difference.

Habitat for Humanity

Families in need. Homeless citizens committed to their faith – and hungry. Native Americans curious to learn about Christianity. Americans needing help. The Community and National missions of The MET have much to accomplish.

We **Indescribable gifts** to the Big Give these missions will continue to connect people each day to the real Jesus in a real way.

Check out BigGiveAtTheMET.org for additional stories, photos and tips on increasing your offering.



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Fine Arts |  The**MET**



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3 ways to register:
online | METfinearts.org
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Whether you are advanced or a beginner, The MET Contemporary School of Fine Arts is the perfect place to begin, supplement or develop your musical or performing arts talents.

- Group and private lessons for all ages available for both instrumental and performing arts
- Classes taught by artistic professionals

3 ways to register:
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 stop by | 12000 Jesse Road

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 Reach Your Potential

Register early and pay your first month's tuition and registration fee to be automatically entered in a drawing to win a Wii™ game system. Early Registration begins May 13. Visit the website for more details.

You must be present at Orientation on August 17, 7:00 p.m. to win.

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Optional Activities for Summer



Swing into action!

In addition to our regular summer camp programming, KIDConnect is now offering tennis and swimming lessons by professional instructors.

Nothing beats the summer heat like swimming! We offer an olympic-size swimming pool and lessons are age-graded from 5 - 12.

Tennis lessons are given by our knowledgeable instructors and divided by skill level. Reserve your child's spot today!



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Summer Camp



Less, Fun and Friends!

Fill your children's summer days with excitement galore! KIDConnect's Summer Camp program. With one of the best facilities in the Cypress area, we are able to offer swimming lessons, basketball, science labs, art, ball, cooking classes, field trips and more!

Space is limited, so don't delay. Sign your child up today for one of the most comprehensive summer camp programs available. Check our web site for details.



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Holiday Camps and In-Service Days



What's Happening!

Use the long days off from school with friends, fun, field trips and more! KIDConnect has special programming available during school holidays to keep minds and bodies active and keep boredom at bay.

Fill the most of your child's day off from school with fun, games brimming with excitement and adventure! Check our web site for details.



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Ages 5 - 12 • Field Trips • Cooking Classes**

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Join us for
gardening gala
Young Preschool 18 months - Older 2's
Check your child's calendar for details

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TheMET Weekday Preschool

you are **cordially invited**
to attend the lamb school open house

Tuesday, September 30
Parents, please join us from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. in your child's classroom for a fun open house event. We will also be hosting a Book Fair in the Atrium at this time.

We look forward to seeing you!

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2009
18 months-Older 2's
gardening gala

Come see what's happening!

preschool program
for 18 months - 5 years

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the weekday early education program of The Metropolitan Baptist Church

Concepts & Themes:

Preschool Theme Weeks - Bridge

Themes: Neighborhood/Community, Friends, My World Day & Night, Christian Society/Work

Letters: L, K, E, A, T, I (Focus on and Pre-K); E, S, D, R, B, X (Pre-K)

Numbers: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 (Pre-K); 2, 5, 8, 9, 6, 7 (Pre-K and Pre-K)

Colors: Blue, Yellow, Green, Orange, Black, Purple (Focus on Pre-K)

Shapes: Circle, Triangle, Rectangle, Star (Pre-K); Square, Triangle, Rectangle, Circle, Star (Pre-K and Pre-K)

Foreign Preschool, 18 Months - 2 Years

Themes: Christian Night, Moon & Stars, Christian Day, Books & Songs, Christian Water, Weather, Nails & The Hair

Colors: Red, Yellow, Black, Brown, Blue, White

Shapes: Square, Circle, Star, Rectangle, Triangle

Welcome!

We are so excited to have your child at Lamb School! We have gotten off to a great start! Children are making friends, schedules are becoming easier, and learning is so much fun. We are so thrilled about engaging your child in many interesting and fun activities.

Remember to help your child be successful at school by trying some of the following: Plan the night before so that school mornings go smoothly. Send your child to school after a peaceful morning.

Speak about school in a fun and positive manner. "You are going to have such a good time at school!" Remind your child that you love them and that you will return to pick her/him up after her/his has completed all the fun things at school.

Remember to pack a change of clothes EVERY DAY in your child's backpack. If your child cries at drop off time, remember that periods of crying will get shorter each day.

Questions & Answers

ABOUT SECURITY CARDS

What does my security card do?
Your security card opens the magnetic locked doors and also keeps a record of your entry into the children's learning areas. Halls are enter and exit only.

Do I need to swipe my card every day?
Yes. Please do not follow another parent in the door without swiping your card. Please be patient with us as we try to implement the Security Card Policy. Your child is very important to us too!

Other Stuff

Sept 11: No School.
Enjoy the Labor Day holiday with your family.

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for Open House. Take this opportunity to allow your child to show off all they have been learning. Teachers will be there to answer questions and share with you some of what a typical day at school is like. Your child will be there to show off all they have been learning. The book fair will be open for shopping Grandma and Grandpa.

Teacher's Door

Teachers will be located at each teacher's door both at drop off and at pick up times. This will be the point of contact for any questions regarding enrollment in the program, contact the office at 291.890.4875.

This program (on September 3). This program extends your preschooler's day until 2:00pm. We have limited spaces available for enrollment in the program. For more information regarding enrollment in the program, contact the office at 291.890.4875.

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