

Healing Holidays- *Making Your Grief Count*

Grief during the Holidays is always challenging, and even more so in this past year. The season of the holidays renews memories, family ties, and traditions. We become painfully aware that our loved one is no longer present. Learning to navigate a changing world combined with the sorrow of our loss causes us to grieve on many levels. How do we allow ourselves in these times to “make our grief count” and find our resilience?

These workshops will help participants learn self care and coping skills to prepare for the holidays. This will help families to embrace their grief, while strengthening characteristics of resilience. Participants will use the holidays to discover how their loved one can live on into their life story, using this special time to continue to heal.

October 9, 2022

Sunday, 6:30pm-8:00pm

Woodlawn Baptist Church

15315 Huebner Rd., San Antonio, TX 78248

Presenter: David Kauffman, Musician

“Journey Through Loss with Story and Song”

October 13, 2022

Thursday, 6:30pm-8:00pm

Pride Center San Antonio

1303 McCullough, Suite 160, San Antonio, TX 78212

Presenter: Darwin Huartson, M. Div., BCC

Contact: Darwin Huartson, 210-227-8221

October 19, 2022

Wednesday, 10:00am-11:30am (Bi-lingual)

St. Thomas More Catholic Church

4411 Moana Dr., San Antonio, TX 78218

Presenter: Chaplain Harry Miller, B. Div.

Contact: Church Office, 210-655-5070

October 21, 2022

Friday, 10:00am-12:00pm

St. Dominic Catholic Church (Molcahn Hall)

5919 Ingram Rd., San Antonio, TX 78228

Presenter: Lucy Ziegler, MA, LPC

Contact: Esther De La Garza, 210-771-8690

October 25, 2022

Tuesday, 11:30am-1:00pm

Cordi-Marian Sisters (Las Fuentes Hall)

11624 Culebra, San Antonio, TX 78253

Presenter: Reverend Emily Davis, Chaplain

Contact: Veronica Flores, 210-798-8220 ext. 11

October 26, 2022

Wednesday, 10:00am-12:00pm

Holy Spirit Catholic Church

Family Center 2nd Floor-St. Cecilia Conference Rm.

8134 Blanco Rd., San Antonio, TX 78216

Presenter: Celeste Miller, MA, LPC

Contact: Sandy Williams, 937-215-806

October 29, 2022

Saturday, 2:30pm-4:30pm

St. Joseph Catholic Church-Honey Creek

St. John's Hall

25781 Hwy. 46, Spring Branch, TX 78070

Presenter: Darwin Huartson, M. Div., BCC

Contact: Judy Pawelek, 210-279-2799

November 3, 2022

Tuesday, 6:30pm-8:00pm

Pride Center San Antonio

1303 McCullough, Suite 160, San Antonio, TX 78212

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November 3, 2022

Thursday, 7:00pm-8:30pm

St. Matthew's Catholic Church

Monsignor McDonald Family Center-Room. 104

10703 Wurzbach Rd., San Antonio, TX 78230

Presenter: Bruce Orey

Contact: Bruce Orey, 210-478-5036

November 5, 2022

Saturday, 10:00am-11:30am

Bio Bridge Global

Donor Pavilion off First Park Ten Blvd.

6211 IH 10 West, San Antonio, TX 78201

Presenter: Susan Smith, MS

Contact: Susan Smith, 210-757-9248

Porter Loring Mortuaries & Cremation Services offers these workshops free of charge throughout the community and you are invited to attend one that is convenient for you. Please see back side for additional workshops being offered.

November 5, 2022

Saturday, 10:00am-12:00pm

Holy Trinity Catholic Church

Faith Formation Bldg. 2nd Floor-The Gathering Rm.
20523 Huebner Rd., San Antonio, TX 78258

Presenter: Molly O'Phelan, PhD

Contact: Christi, StephenMinistryHTsat@gmail.com

November 9, 2022

Wednesday, 7:00pm-8:30pm (Bi-lingual)

El Salvador Church

201 Odell St., San Antonio, TX 78212

Presenter: Veronica Ibarra, MS, FT, BCC

Contact: Sonia Serna, 210-829-4877

November 9, 2022

Wednesday, 2:00pm-3:30pm

St. Paul Community Center

1201 Donaldson, San Antonio, TX 78228

Presenter: April Moxley, LMSW

Contact: Virginia Valenzuela, 210-733-7152 x123

November 10, 2022

Thursday, 1:00pm-2:30pm

Christ Episcopal Church

501 Belknap Place, San Antonio, TX 78212

Presenter: April Moxley, LMSW

Contact: Karen Von Der Bruegge, 210-736-3132

November 12, 2022

Saturday, 9:00am-11:00am (Bi-lingual)

St. Ann Catholic Church

1334 W. Ashby, San Antonio, TX 78201

Presenter: John Robles

Contact: Virginia Villarreal, 210-643-4196

November 12, 2022

Saturday, 10:00am-12:00pm

St. John Neuman Catholic Church

6680 Crestway Dr., San Antonio, TX 78239

Presenter: Molly O'Phelan, PhD

Contact: Maggie Medina, 210-602-1633

November 13, 2022

Sunday, 3:00pm-5:00pm

Emanuel's Lutheran Church

206 North Travis St. Seguin, TX 78155

Presenter: Darwin Huartson, M. Div., BCC

Contact: Donna Simmons, 830-556-3542

November 13, 2022

Sunday, 11:00am-12:30pm (lunch served)

The Rock United Methodist Church

1784 E. Loop 1604 South, St. Hedwig, TX 78152

Presenter: Deana Kirby, LPC, BCC

Contact: Deana Kirby, 210-859-2366

November 16, 2022

Wednesday, 3:00pm-4:30pm

Christ Lutheran Church

6720 Broadway, San Antonio, TX 78209

Presenter: Celeste Miller, MA, LPC

Contact: Carolyn Dufelmeier, 210-416-1596

November 17, 2022

Thursday, 7:00pm-8:30pm

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Catholic Church

16075 North Evans Rd., Selma, TX 78154

Presenter: Cindy Libera

Contact: Sister Leonita, 210-651-6913

November 19, 2022

Saturday, 10:00am-11:30am

Brookhill Baptist Church

531 Utopia Lane, San Antonio, TX 78223

Presenter: Veronica Ibarra, MS, FT, BCC

Contact: Dawn Frieda, 210-333-4947

November 30, 2022

Wednesday, 6:00pm-7:30pm

St. David's Episcopal Church

1300 Wiltshire, San Antonio, TX 78209

Presenter: Celeste Miller, MA, LPC

Contact: Mary Olive Judson, 210-218-7700

December 7, 2022

Wednesday, 10:00am-11:30am

Alamo Heights UMC (Room W100)

825 E. Basse Rd. San Antonio, TX 78209

Presenter: Celeste Miller, MA, LPC

Contact: Leah Jayne, 210-826-3215 ext. 111

December 8, 2022

Thursday, 6:30pm-8:00pm

Pride Center San Antonio

1303 McCullough, Suite 160, San Antonio, TX 78212

Presenter: Darwin Huartson, M. Div., BCC

Contact: Darwin Huartson, 210-227-8221

December 13, 2022

Tuesday, 6:00pm-8:00pm

Abode Contemplative Care

8619 Post Oak Lane, San Antonio, TX 78217

Presenter: Chaplain Edwin Sasek

Contact: Mary Thorsby, 415-271-4974

December 13, 2022

Tuesday, 10:00am-11:30am

Dellcrest Church of Christ

1550 S. WW White Rd., San Antonio, TX 78220

Presenter: Darwin Huartson, M. Div., BCC

Contact: Joyce Robinson, 210-896-6762