

VSACT Meeting Minutes September 16,2020

Presenters

❖ **Revered Joseph Solomon**

The Refuge Outreach House of Prayer / Greater Copperas Cove Network

Services Offered

- Mobile Food Pantry following all of CDC regulations and guidelines, distributing food once monthly visit website link below for dates and times.
- Thanksgiving Giveaway Program serving for 26 years the Bell County area
- House of Women Shelter for women and children located in Copperas Cove
- Men's Addition Recovery Program Shelter for men located in Killeen

Greater Copperas Cove Network

- The meetings are held quarterly this upcoming meeting will be, September 21,2020 at 2:00pm. If you would like to attend via Zoom to speak, and learn about what other organizations have planned for the year.

*Contact Mrs. Maureen Jouett at BEITZ for further details. *

Rev. Joseph Solomon contact information below:

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Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/RefugeCorporation/>

National Suicide Prevention Month

❖ **Ms. Cartrenna Colbert**

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https://www.mentalhealth.va.gov/suicide_prevention/

National Suicide Prevention Lifeline 800-273-8255

Make the Connection: <https://www.maketheconnection.net/>

Community Provider Toolkit: <https://www.mentalhealth.va.gov/communityproviders/>

Coaching into Care: <https://www.mirecc.va.gov/coaching/>

Contact and Event information listed in the chat box.

- **LaMencia Hill, M. Ed, MBA, LPC-S**
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Temple Low Vision Clinic

Coordinator: Tara Travland

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VIST Clinic Hours: 7:30-5:00 Monday – Thursday, 8:00-4:30 every other Friday

- **Holly Doggett:** Good morning. There will be a new series of NAMI **Homefront online classes starting in October**. This free, 6-week program is for loved ones of service members dealing with a mental health condition.

<https://nami.org/Support-Education/Mental-Health-Education/NAMI-Homefront>

Homefront online classes dates and times

Eastern Evening: October 7 – November 11

Wednesdays, 6:30 – 8:30 pm ET (5:30pm CT, 4:30pm MT, 3:30pm PT)

Eastern Daytime: October 6 – November 10

Tuesdays, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm ET (9:00am CT, 8:00am MT, 7:00am PT)

Pacific Evening: October 5 – November 9

Mondays, 6:30pm – 8:30 pm PT (7:30pm MT, 8:30 pm CT, 9:30 pm ET)

Central Evening: October 6 – November 10

Tuesdays, 6:30 – 8:30 pm CT (5:30pm MT, 4:30pm PT, 7:30pm ET)

holly.doggett@cedarcresthospital.com for more details

*The presenters were great, and on behalf of our VSACT Members thank you! *