Healing Place Staff Pastors

Christina Fitzgerald has her master's degree in counseling, Marriage, and Family. She is Prepare/Enrich certified and certified by the American Association of Christian Counseling as a Mental Health Coach. Christina is

passionate about counseling and uses her gift of compassion when walking people through life's challenging circumstances. She has been married for 9 years to her husband Ray, and they have a blended family with 2 daughters. They were married at Cross Timbers and have been attending since 2003. She has struggled with the loss of a parent at a young age. She also has struggles with depression, anxiety, infertility and overcommitment.



Brian Hackney is the Director of the Healing Place and is also a founding Pastor of Cross Timbers Church. Brian is a Certified Mental Health Coach through the American Association of Christian Counselors. He is also certified through Life Innovations as a Prepare/Enrich marriage and pre- marriage counselor. Brian loves sharing the insight and wisdom he has gained in his own 34-year marriage journey, as well as working with over 3000 couples over the last 30 years of ministry. Brian and his wife Jamie have 3 adult children and 4 grandkids. They lost their 3rd child, Corban, at 2 years of age and have experienced the deepest depths of grief, and all that comes with it. Through allowing God to heal the broken parts of their heart, their marriage not only survived, but is thriving



today more than ever! Brian's compassion and empathy for others is born out of his own pain. Besides grief work, he has done extensive work with men who have anger issues and addictions related to father wounds, couples in crisis (infidelity, abuse, addiction), as well as family mediation. Brian is currently scheduling privately. Please email thehealingplace@crosstimberschurch.org

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Kayla Schroeder has been married for 39 years and they have two adult children. All the years of marriage have brought about a real world understanding of what it takes to have a lasting love. They have been through seasons when the marriage seemed like it would surely end but recovered by re-engaging and recommitting to each other. Kayla is certified with A.A.C.C. as a Mental Health Coach. She is also certified by the Association of Biblical Counselors and by Prepare and Enrich as a premarital counselor. She has been



in crisis counseling with women for 16 years. She has led healing groups such as "Rooted" and "Surrendering the Secret." She loves offering hope to all ages of women and teens who struggle with unhealthy habits, living problems and coping mechanisms that are damaging. In the past she herself has suffered depression and anxiety. Kayla is passionate about seeing people overcome alcoholism, depression, anxiety, and daunting grief and other dysfunctional coping methods. She believes healthy "self-talk "and changing your own daily "script" can lead to breakthrough.



Juan Vasquez and his wife Janice have been married for 16 years and have 7 children, including his nephew and his precious angel JuJu, who lives with Down Syndrome. Juan is a Professional Licensed Counselor Associate in Texas and earned his Master's in Mental Health Coaching from Colorado University. Juan is passionate about marriage and believes that marriage is a gift from God for us to experience the dynamics of God's relationship to us. He

went through his own separation and divorce, so he understands marriage is hard and takes effort and work. He addresses living with problems in a holistic way to include addressing mind, body, soul, and general wellness. Juan approaches wellness with reframing thoughts. Meeting with men, women, and teenagers, he offers ways to help with cognitive distortions and holistic healing.