



Candace Payne "The Simple Joys"

Move over Hans Solo and Luke Skywalker!
Chewbacca is here...viral internet sensation "**Chewbacca Mom**" that is...

*Friendship Community's 46th Anniversary Dinner
November 1, 2018 @ Shady Maple*

A stay-at-home mom from Texas, Candace Payne became a viral sensation when her Facebook Live video of trying on a Chewbacca Mask became the most-viewed Facebook Live video in history (170+ million views). She has appeared in more than 3,000 media outlets including Good Morning America, The Late Late Show with James Corden, Entertainment Tonight, The New York Times, and PEOPLE. Candace is the author of two books: Laugh It Up and Simple Joys (releasing fall 2018) and the small group curriculum, Defiant Joy. Candace shares her message of joy with audiences across the country through regular speaking engagements in churches and at conferences.

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*JOF denotes Journey of Friendship, the organizational, quarterly newsletter. 15,000 in circulation.

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Will you and your guests be joining us for dinner and entertainment?

- Yes, please contact me with my reservation details and dietary restrictions.
- No, but enclosed is my tax-deductible contribution to support your mission work.

**All proceeds benefit Friendship Community, a Christian ministry
Cultivating Capabilities of Individuals with Intellectual Disability and
Autism in Lancaster and Lebanon counties. THANK YOU!**



In a galaxy far, far away, you may find Stormtroopers or Jedi, but in the Friendship Community galaxy, a force of love, laughter and humor will be with you.

Hello Friend,

In 1972, Friendship Community was the first organization in Lancaster County to open a community residential home for Individuals with intellectual disabilities. Since then, we have expanded services to include home based services, day programs, advocacy, job and vocational skills training, community integration and much more. These value-added services for hundreds of Individuals over the years could not have happened without businesses, churches, foundations and general supporters.

Last year, you generously sponsored this charity event benefiting over 200 Individuals who are currently living or enrolled in our programs. Because of you, we raised \$57,138 (net), which happened to be a record-breaker. **THANK YOU!**

Would you, again, please consider sponsoring the November 1st event? Information is on the reverse side.

We keep our expenses to a minimum as effective stewardship is very important to us. Over 800 guests typically attend this evening, consisting of a delicious meal, our featured speaker, success stories of Friendship Community, and of course, wholesome, light-hearted entertainment.

Charlotte, Jessica and Cheryl (right) are housemates living in Lancaster. Like all those we serve, your sponsorship helps to encourage their spirit, discover their passions, realize their abilities and **IMPACT THE WORLD WITH THEIR CAPABILITIES!**

Thank you for your prompt reply to our request. We hope you will join us and see how your generosity is making a difference in our community.



Gratefully,

Gwen Schuit

CEO