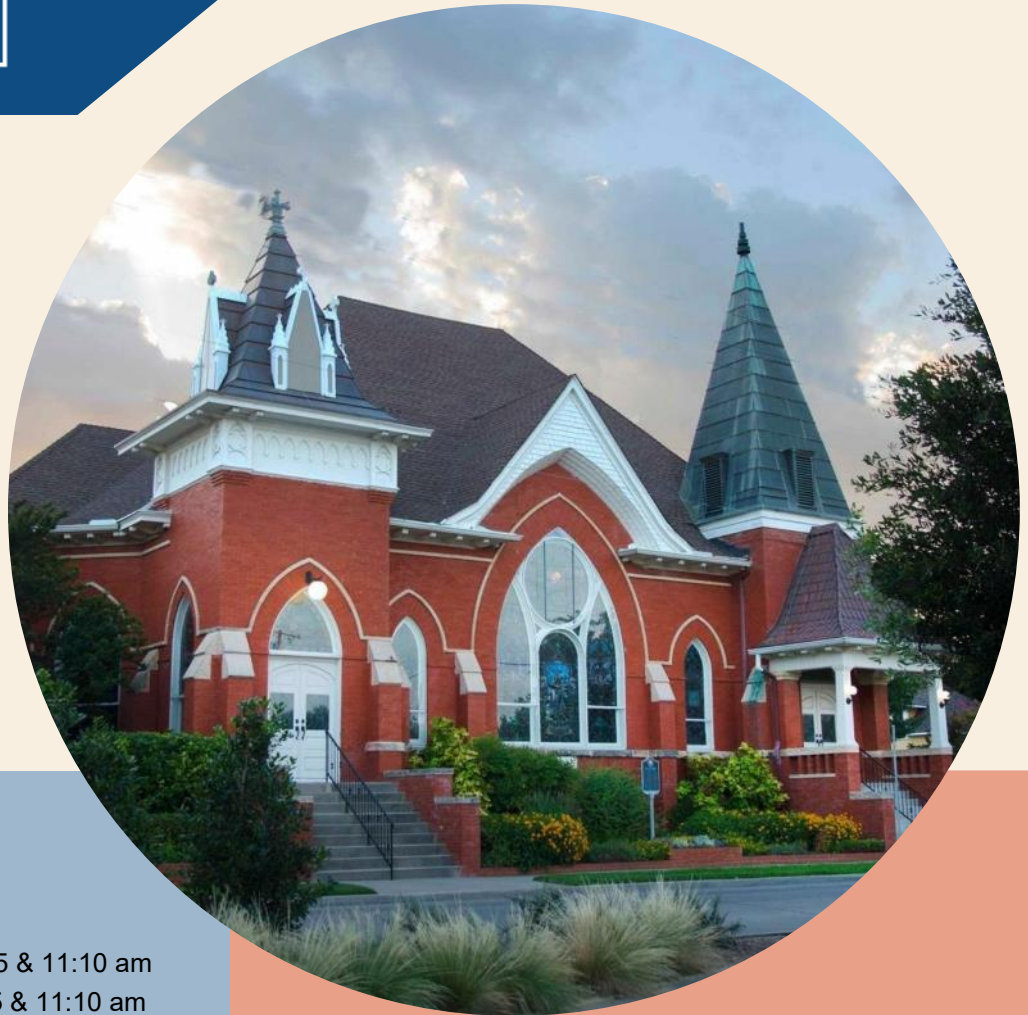




Sharing  
the heart  
of Christ  
from  
the heart  
of McKinney



## SUNDAYS

- **Sanctuary Traditional** 8, 9, 10:05 & 11:10 am
  - **Wellspring Contemporary** 10:05 & 11:10 am
  - **Contemplative Prayer** 9 am in Room B205
  - **Nursery** 8, 9, 10:05 & 11:10 am
  - **Children** 9 & 10:05 am, Children's Choir at 9
  - **Youth** 10:05 am & 5 pm at the Hub
  - **Adult Groups** 9:00, 10:05 & 11:10 am
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- **Chapel Communion** Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

## INFORMATION

- **Information Center** in main foyer
- **Nursery** 1st floor south end of the building
- **Children** 2nd floor south end of building
- **Refreshments** in the Dyer hallways
- **Elevator** south end of the building
- **Youth** across the street at The Hub
- **Restrooms** in main foyer
- **Shuttle bus** for remote parking

*Welcome!*

Welcome to First United Methodist Church!  
God loves you and so do we!

We are a church where everyone is loved, accepted, and welcomed. Our mission is to share the heart of Christ from the heart of McKinney.

Please use this bulletin and our website to learn more about worship, groups, events, and ways to connect in faith. Ushers, greeters, and the team at the welcome desk are here to assist with any needs you may have.

We are glad you're here!

**WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS****\*CALL TO WORSHIP**

You have called us to be your people, O God.

**We shall love the Lord our God.**

You have called us to be your church, O Lord..

**We will shine like light and share God's love with the world.**

**\*OPENING HYMN** No. 529 "How Firm a Foundation"

**\*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH** No. 883

**We are not alone, we live in God's world. We believe in God: who has created and is creating, who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh, to reconcile and make new, who works in us and others by the Spirit. We trust in God. We are called to be the church: to celebrate God's presence, to love and serve others, to seek justice and resist evil, to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen, our judge and our hope. In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.**

**\*GLORIA PATRI**

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost: as it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.**

**PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER**

**Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.**

**CHORAL RESPONSE**

Chancel Choir

**OFFERING**

*You may place your offering in the collection plate as it comes by, in the boxes at the exits, give online at [sharingtheheart.org/give](http://sharingtheheart.org/give), text "sharingtheheart" to 73256, or mail a check to First UMC, 315 N. Church St., McKinney, TX 75069.*

**ANTHEM**

"Like as the hart desireth the waterbrooks"  
by Herbert Howells  
Chancel Choir

*Like as the hart desireth the waterbrooks, so longeth my soul after thee, O God. My soul is a thirst for God yea, even for the living God.*

*When shall I come to appear before the presence of God?  
My tears have been my meat day and night, while they daily say unto me  
Where, where is now thy God?*

**\*DOXOLOGY** No. 94

**Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!**

**\*HYMN**

"Step by Step"

Oh God, You are my God and I will ever praise You (repeat).

I will seek You in the morning and I will learn to walk in Your ways. And step by step You'll lead me and I will follow You all of my days.

**SCRIPTURE**

Matthew 5:43-48

This is the Word of the Lord:  
**Thanks be to God.**

**SERMON**

"Scripture"

Dr. Thomas O. Brumett

**\*CLOSING HYMN** No. 368

"My Hope Is Built"

**CONGREGATIONAL BENEDICTION**

Choir: You have heard my word proclaimed. Millions yearn to know my name. Hear me as I call again. Whom shall I send?

**\*Congregation: Here I am Lord. Is it I, Lord? I have heard you calling in the night. I will go, Lord, if you lead me. I will hold your people in my heart.**

**\*BENEDICTION**

**May the Lord bless you and keep you.**

**May the Lord make his face to shine upon you, and be gracious unto you.**

**May the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace. Amen.**

**POSTLUDE**

"Ah! Jesus Dear"  
by Johannes Brahms  
John Emory Bush, organist

*\*Please stand as you are comfortable.*

*Flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God, and in loving memory of Joan Matthews from her family.*

Welcome! Thank you for joining us today!

Please use the tear-off form to let us know you are here or sign in online at [SharingtheHeart.org/Resources](http://SharingtheHeart.org/Resources)



Online resources:

- Attendance
- Prayer Request
- Giving
- Newsletter sign up
- Bulletins
- How to Join



Scan with your phone camera!

## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### STEP BY STEP: LENT 2023

We are on a journey together. The world is full of different paths. Where are we going? What roads do we choose? And how do we walk them?

Check our Lent page [www.sharingtheheart.org/lent](http://www.sharingtheheart.org/lent) for all sorts of ways to participate such as weekly video devotionals, family activity calendar, written devotionals, and more! You can also order Easter Lilies to support Grace Children's Hospital.

### HOLY WEEK & EASTER

Grab some postcards at the front desk and invite people to our Easter events!

Our Holy Week and Easter schedule is online at [sharingtheheart.org/Easter](http://sharingtheheart.org/Easter)

### EGGstravaganza

**Saturday, April 8th** from 3-5pm at the Hub. Invite your friends for egg hunts, food, and fun!

You can also donate wrapped candy or sign up to volunteer. Find out on the *New + Upcoming* page.

### MISSION OPPORTUNITIES

We are collecting items and monetary donations this month. More info and links to give on the Lent page.

*Feeding Friends & Families:* make a donation to help purchase Easter hams this month for those experiencing food insecurity in McKinney

*Youth & Kids:* donate supplies for kits for UMCOR (list is on the Lent page).

[www.sharingtheheart.org/lent](http://www.sharingtheheart.org/lent)

**GUEST WIFI:** Network: FUMC Guest Password: sharingtheheart

## GENEROSITY

### DID YOU KNOW?

First UMC and Melissa UMC had 42 youth and adults on mission trip serving in Tahlequah, OK. Your generosity helps our youth be the hands and feet of Christ.

### WAYS TO GIVE

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Text "sharingtheheart" to 73256  
Secure online portal  
Offering boxes at the doors

**Your Gift Makes a Difference!**

## ATTENDANCE CARD Please complete, tear off, and place in the offering plate or box. Thank you!

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Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Service attended:  8:00  9:00  10:05  11:10  Sanctuary  Wellspring  First Time Guest  Returning Guest  Member

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
 cell  home

Children Attending (names & ages) \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/St \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Update my info  Send weekly email newsletter  Preferred Contact:  Email  Phone  Adult age group:  18-24  25-34  35-44  45-54  55-64  65+  Guest/Relative of \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ (over)

Please Sign In  
We're glad you are here!

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_

Prayers requested for (name) \_\_\_\_\_

This person is:  self  friend  relative  other \_\_\_\_\_

Prayer need (include info as needed) \_\_\_\_\_

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Pastors only |  Add to published prayer list | Would you like a pastor to contact you?  Yes  No

I would like information about: Name \_\_\_\_\_

Nursery  Faith, being a Christian

Children's Ministry  Generosity / Stewardship

Youth Ministry  Bible Study

Adult groups  Melissa UMC Campus

Music Ministry  Help with personal issues

Becoming a member  Usher/Greeter

Other \_\_\_\_\_ -Service Time: \_\_\_\_\_ (over)



## STAY CONNECTED

For the latest news and events, subscribe to the weekly church newsletter, "The Echo," online at **SharingTheHeart.org/Newsletter**

## SOCIAL MEDIA

Engage with us on social media for up to date information and deeper connections.



Facebook.com/FUMCMcKinney  
 Instagram.com/FUMCMcKinney  
 Twitter.com/FUMCMcKinney

# Worship Online

-LIVESTREAMED SERVICES-  
 -VIDEO DEVOTIONALS-  
 -SERMON LIBRARY-

[www.sharingtheheart.org/media](http://www.sharingtheheart.org/media)

## PRAYER REQUESTS Please remember these names in your prayers

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| <p>† Karen and Kyle Klassen and family on the loss of their father Vernon Klassen</p> <p>† Kyle Voigt and family on the loss of his mother</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Abigail Wolf</li> <li>• Amber Caperton</li> <li>• Ashley Mulligan</li> <li>• Ben Jackson</li> <li>• Bennie Scott</li> <li>• Bill McManus</li> <li>• Bob Lindley</li> <li>• Brenda Freund</li> <li>• Brittany Few</li> <li>• Bryson Pounds</li> <li>• Cariann Bradford</li> <li>• Carol and Gera Crampton</li> <li>• Carol Grimes</li> <li>• Cara Wong</li> <li>• Carl Ferry</li> <li>• Carolyn Curfman</li> <li>• Carolyn Morris</li> <li>• Cathy Christensen</li> <li>• Cathy Wiser</li> <li>• Catrina Hartgers</li> <li>• Charlotte Kirwin</li> <li>• Chris Griego</li> <li>• Christina Woodard</li> <li>• Chuck Bray</li> <li>• Cindy Halderman</li> <li>• Cindy Moreland</li> <li>• Cliff Carly</li> <li>• Colleen Askew &amp; family</li> <li>• Corral family</li> <li>• Daniel Buffard</li> <li>• David Piper III</li> <li>• David Thompson</li> <li>• Debbie Stone</li> <li>• Debbie Thom</li> <li>• Dick Schlough</li> <li>• Don Childs</li> <li>• Donna Use'</li> <li>• Dorothy Tormos</li> <li>• Doug Boos and family</li> <li>• Doylene Bryant</li> <li>• Ed Heuer</li> <li>• Eileen Lavine</li> <li>• Elaine Taylor</li> <li>• Emily McArdle</li> <li>• Gail Lewis and family</li> <li>• Gary and Peggy Rima</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Gretchen Vaughn</li> <li>• Hattibel Maggard</li> <li>• Heather Knowlton</li> <li>• Hudson Luby</li> <li>• Jacob Moore</li> <li>• Jason Russell</li> <li>• Jerry Gayler</li> <li>• Jim Bray</li> <li>• John Faulk</li> <li>• John and Linda Gregoire</li> <li>• Joyce Enozio</li> <li>• Judy Cox</li> <li>• Julie Gladney</li> <li>• Julie Teague and family</li> <li>• Justin Piper</li> <li>• Kafui Todjro</li> <li>• Kaley and Jairo Martinez family</li> <li>• Karen Linstrum</li> <li>• Katherine Smith</li> <li>• Keen Moody</li> <li>• Kelly Martinez</li> <li>• Kelly Strander</li> <li>• Kendra, Daraugh and Ellie Jo O'Haire</li> <li>• Keyes Stephen Groh</li> <li>• Kim Harbeck</li> <li>• Leah Bouldin</li> <li>• Lili Santee</li> <li>• Linda Dawes</li> <li>• Lisa Rima</li> <li>• Maelyn Hager and family</li> <li>• Magdalena Lovejoy</li> <li>• Maggie Bridge</li> <li>• Marilee Crawford and family</li> <li>• Marti Kale</li> <li>• Matthew Wieble</li> <li>• Melissa Candelaria</li> <li>• Michael and Amber</li> <li>• Michael Buchanan</li> <li>• Mina Zaheri</li> <li>• Mona Jarvis</li> <li>• Neal Settle</li> <li>• Norma Guajardo</li> <li>• Norman Andersen</li> <li>• Paul (Woody) Woods</li> <li>• Paula Graham</li> <li>• Perry Waller</li> <li>• Robert Ramsower</li> <li>• Robin Hughes</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ruth Hendricks</li> <li>• Ruth Russell</li> <li>• Sandie Ross</li> <li>• Seth McAdams</li> <li>• Sharon Scott</li> <li>• Shauntina Batiste</li> <li>• Shelgwen &amp; Charles Jones</li> <li>• Sherri Whatley</li> <li>• Steve Splawn</li> <li>• Steven Harris</li> <li>• Susan Cunningham</li> <li>• Sydney Lavine</li> <li>• Ted Ward</li> <li>• Terry Segress</li> <li>• The Ringley family</li> <li>• Tom Chandler</li> <li>• Tyler Piper</li> <li>• Val and Lori Jeter</li> <li>• Wanda Ford</li> <li>• People affected by Hurricanes</li> <li>• Students, Teachers, school staff</li> <li>• Ukraine and Russia</li> <li>• Rev. David &amp; Cindy Ceballos, Missionaries in Panama</li> <li>• Friends in care facilities</li> <li>• Everyone affected by the Coronavirus and Variants</li> <li>• Families experiencing job loss</li> <li>• Church families in transition</li> <li>• Those experiencing homelessness</li> <li>• Grace Children's Hospital in Haiti</li> <li>• Melissa United Methodist Church</li> <li>• Caldwell Elementary School</li> <li>• Military service members including:<br/>                     Capt Scott Adler, Capt Libby Adler, Sofia Lerma Alarcon, Jose Almaguer, Marc Belo, CPL Matthew Broker, CT12 Abigail Bums, CPT Aaron Bush, CPL Bradley Bush, AFC Drew Causey, Chaplain Capt Adam Cavalier, 2nd Lt Vincent Chavez, Capt Ryan Clark, PFC Paul Corfalone, Sgt Martin Damian DeLeon, Gy Sgt Jim Ellsworth, Kevin English, Patrick English, James Evans, Lt Col David Faulk, PFC Mac Fouk, MSG Brian Franck, PFC Cody Furstenberg, Charlie Gilbert, LC CPL Robert Gray, ETN2 Cory Halberstadt, Pvt John Wesley Holder Jr., LT Mark Jbeily, Lt Col Jim Johnston, Ryan Kidd, Avery Montana Krast, Lt Ryan Lubin, Alec Mack, Capt John Martin, Lt Logan McQuerry, Maj Richard Milam, Maj Chuck Miller, AFC Kevin G. Persons, Jr., MSGT Tyler Renshaw, 2nd Lt Austin Rine, SPC Blake Robertson, Bobby Sanders, SR4 Nick Schofield, Colby Seamster II, Chap MAJ Tim Shepherd, Jonathan Spiegel, CW2 Ryan Thurgood, Mark Townson, Specialist Zach Vernier, Lt. Jr. Grade Anderson Sumner Camp, SR Caelan Matthews, Specialist AnnMarie Kessler, Preston Walker.</li> </ul> |
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Please submit updates and new prayer requests to [www.sharingtheheart.org/pray](http://www.sharingtheheart.org/pray)  
Thank you.

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