

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  Finding a place to serve

Other \_\_\_\_\_ (over)

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

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

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

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

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

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**PRAYER REQUESTS** Please remember these names in your prayers

- † Keith Melcher and family on the loss of his mother, Viola Melcher
- † Christine Henry and family on the loss of her husband, Charles (Chuck) Henry
- † Zach Nicholson and family on the loss of his grandfather, Lynn Davis
- Abel
- Anita Nance
- Beckett Duty
- Bob Tomes
- Brenda Freund
- Carol and Gera Crampton
- Cathy & Chris Christensen
- Dan
- Debbie Stone
- Dick Schlough
- Dorothy Whitfield
- Freddy Garza
- Huntly Shelton
- John Burkhardt
- Judy Cox
- Judy Davis
- Julius Pentecost
- Karen Linstrum
- Karla Connally
- Kaydance Westerheid
- Keen Moody
- Ken Smith
- Kiafa Tilford
- Loretta Anderson
- Lucille Henbest
- Marti Kale
- Michael Garza
- Michael Wenger
- Michelle Van Deventer
- Mike Quinn
- Norman Andersen
- Pamela Mercier
- Pascale family
- Patsy Payne
- Perry Waller
- Phil Kohrs
- Roger Williams
- Sean Flynn
- Shauntina Batiste
- Sherry Kirwin
- Trevor Dutton and family
- Victor Hernandez
- Viola Cleo Bradshaw
- Zane Sadler
- 9-10U Red Sox and coaches
- Victims of war
- Texas firefighters
- Peace for all
- Israel and Palestine
- Ukraine and Russia
- Families affected by shootings in the USA
- People struggling to cope day to day
- Rev. David & Cindy Ceballos, Missionaries in Panama
- Friends in care facilities
- Families experiencing job loss
- Church families in transition
- Those experiencing homelessness
- Grace Children's Hospital in Haiti
- Melissa United Methodist Church
- Caldwell Elementary School
- Military service members including: Capt Scott Adler, Capt Libby Adler, Sofia Lerma Alarcon, Jose Almaguer, Marc Belo, CPL Matthew Broker, CT12 Abigail Burns, CPT Aaron Bush, CPL Bradley Bush, AFC Drew Causey, Chaplain Capt Adam Cavalier, 2nd Lt Vincent Chavez, Capt Ryan Clark, PFC Paul Confalone, Sgt Martin Damian DeLeon, GY Sgt Jim Ellsworth, Kevin English, Patrick English, James Evans, Lt Col David Faulk, PFC Mac Foulk, 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 Summer Camp, SR Caelan Matthews, 2LT AnnMarie Kessler, Preston Walker

Please submit updates and new prayer requests to [www.sharingtheheart.org/pray](http://www.sharingtheheart.org/pray) Thank you.

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March 17, 2024



- 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** 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, Choir at 4 pm
  - **Adult Groups** 9, 10:05 & 11:10 am
  - **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!



# SANCTUARY WORSHIP

5TH SUNDAY IN LENT

8:00, 9:00, 10:05 & 11:10 am

March 17, 2024

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### PRELUDE (9:00, 10:05 & 11:10)

"Let There Be Peace On Earth"

by Sy Miller and Jill Jackson, arr. by Ricky Lombardo  
Flutes of the Spirit; Paul Stephens, director

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

Lord, help us as we love one another.

**Right Here. Right Now.**

For we are called to be your church.

**Right Here. Right Now.**

### \*OPENING HYMN No. 170

"O How I Love Jesus"

### \*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.

\* You are invited to stand as you are comfortable.

Flowers at the altar today are given to the glory of God and in celebration of my beloved Cathryn (Cat's) birthday, with love, from Jon.

### ANTHEM "O Saviour of the world" Sir John Goss

Chancel Choir

O Saviour of the world,

Who by thy Cross and precious Blood hath redeemed us,

Save us and help us, we humbly beseech thee O Lord.

Amen.

### \*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 OF PREPARATION No. 593 v. 3

"Here I Am, Lord"

### SCRIPTURE

I John 4:7-16

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

### SERMON

"Love"

Dr. Thomas O. Brumett

### INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

Persons desiring to join First United Methodist Church are invited to come forward during the singing of the hymn and meet with a pastor to be received into membership.

### \*CLOSING HYMN No. 2223 in The Faith We Sing

"They'll Know We Are Christians by Our Love"

### 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

**GUEST ORGANIST:** Grady Coyle

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



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## WHAT'S HAPPENING

### ARE YOU NEW HERE?

Welcome! We want to get to know you! Stop by the welcome desk or fill out the attendance form so that we can reach out and help you get connected.

Are you receiving the newsletters you want? We have our main newsletter, *The Echo*, plus Children's, Youth, and Melissa UMC. We can also mail a print version. Email [caitlin@sharingtheheart.org](mailto:caitlin@sharingtheheart.org) to get signed up.

### HOLY WEEK AND EASTER

We are an Easter people! Visit [sharingtheheart.org/easter](http://sharingtheheart.org/easter) to find info on Holy Week and Easter services. Information cards are available at the front desk for you to share with friends, neighbors, or family!

### LILIES FOR GRACE

TODAY is the last day to buy "virtual lilies" to support Grace Children's Hospital in Haiti. Your donation is a wonderful way to remember or honor a loved one. Visit [sharingtheheart.org/lent](http://sharingtheheart.org/lent) to purchase. You can also fill out a form in the hallway.

### RIGHT HERE, RIGHT NOW: LENT 2024

Stop by the front desk for printed resources for you or a friend!

Visit [sharingtheheart.org/lent](http://sharingtheheart.org/lent) for video and written devotionals, mission opportunities, mindfulness activities, and more. This Lenten season, we pray that Jesus will show us how to be the Church – Right Here, Right Now. We are called together to pray, to serve, to worship, to learn, and to love one another!

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## GENEROSITY

### DID YOU KNOW?

This week 50 McKinney/Melissa Youth spent their Spring Break doing mission work in our community! They also visited some of our homebound members with cookies! Well done!

### WAYS TO GIVE

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

**Your Gift Makes a Difference!**

# Please Sign In

We're glad you are here!

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

Service attended:  8:00  9:00  10:05  11:10

Location:  Sanctuary  Wellspring

First Time Guest  Returning Guest  Member

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

cell  home

Children Attending (names & ages) \_\_\_\_\_

City/St \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Adult age group:  18-24  25-34  35-44  45-54  55-64  65+

Preferred Contact:  Email  Phone  Guest/Relative of \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship of \_\_\_\_\_ (over)

Welcome to our guests! How did you hear about us? \_\_\_\_\_

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