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John 12:1-8

January 17, 2021

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We all have big hearts and want to live generous lives, but there is often a seemingly infinite gap between our intentions and our actions. We often think, "If we only had more resources we could give more." Maybe making a big difference has a lot to do with the little things. That is the idea behind our series *Small Things, Big Difference*.

Small Things, Big Difference is a commitment to making small, manageable, incremental acts of generosity and watching how the changes really add up. Intentional God-focused actions will make a big difference in your life and others. Small things in the hands of an almighty God can be used to change the world!

We are glad you have chosen to worship with us. If you are new, please feel free to ask questions, be yourself, get connected, and let us know if there is anything we can do to make your experience most memorable.

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Your financial gift can make a BIG DIFFERENCE for the mission and ministry of First United Methodist Church McKinney.

Please visit www.sharingtheheart.org/grow to find out how to give and to fill out your commitment card!

Altar Flowers

If you would like to purchase flowers for the altar in honor or memory of someone, there are dates available for 2021.

Cost is \$50

Please email Monica for more information.

monica@sharingtheheart.org



BE ON THE LOOKOUT!



Watch your email for your End of Year contribution statement the week of January 18th.

QUESTIONS?
EMAIL RMILLER@SHARINGTHEHEART.ORG

ATTENTION FAMILIES OF 6TH GRADERS!

CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION

WHAT: Come learn about Confirmation!

WHO: 6th Graders and AT LEAST one parent per student.

WHERE: We will meet under the Pavilion at the Hub. There will also be a virtual meeting for those who would prefer meeting online.

**JANUARY 24, 2021 | 4:00PM
FOLLOWED BY A COMEDY
SHOW @ 5:00PM!**

Questions? Missing our youth emails? Contact Deidre at dimthurn@sharingtheheart.org or at (972) 841-6028

RESCHEDULED!

COMEDY SHOW

& SPRING SEMESTER KICK OFF

SUNDAY, JANUARY 24

6TH GRADE CONFIRMATION ORIENTATION 4-5 PM

COMEDY SHOW 5-6 PM

7TH-12TH GRADE PARENT MEETING 6-7 PM

Join us on the 24th for our Rescheduled Spring Semester Kick-Off and Comedy Show. We will gather under the pavilion behind the Hub for a great (socially distanced) evening of laughter, games, and information.

Come find out what your Youth Ministries are up to this spring and summer!

Confirmation Orientation for 6th grades is at 4 PM, the Comedy Show begins at 5 PM, and there is a parent and youth meeting for 7th - 12th graders at 6 PM.

Small Things, Big Difference: Fragrance of Faith

Today's scripture: John 12:1-8

Sermon Notes

1. What is your greatest possession? What one thing do you value the very most?
2. Read John 12:1-8
3. Mary used her greatest possession (a type of perfume/ointment worth a year's wage) to honor Jesus by washing his feet. Would you be willing to give your greatest possession to honor Jesus? Why or why not?
4. Would you be willing to give a year of your wages to honor Jesus? Why or why not?
5. Is there anything in your life that you value more than Jesus? If so, how could you give those things to Jesus?
6. Spend time in prayer.



“Like” our Facebook page and be sure to check-in online! For every new “like” and “check-in” we receive, we will provide three meals to hungry kids!

That's right! Your simple check-in helps spread the word about Wellspring and feeds kids. This is a simple click of the button that can have a big impact. Scan the QR code with your smart phone camera to be taken to our Facebook page.

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Standard text messaging rates may apply

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PRAYER REQUESTS



IN OUR PRAYERS

† The family of James Benoy
† Juanita Arceneaux and family on the passing of her uncle Javier A. Cardona Suarez
† Mitch Bird and family on the passing of his mother Judy Bird
† Ruth Hendricks and family on the passing of her son Steve Hendricks

- Chris Yoehle
- David Franck
- Gaither Day
- Jon Day
- Judy Cox
- Kenneth (Josiah) McDowell
- Lorraine Brown
- Marion Morgan
- Mary Purtle
- Noah Foster
- Pat Anderson
- Ron Wiese
- Sherry Kirwin
- Stephanie Kircher
- Tina Cristino
- Wanda Hunter
- Wyatt Skaines
- Zach Williams
- Rev. David and Cindy Ceballos, Missionaries in Panama
- Chad & Nancy Bradley, Missionaries in Ethiopia
- All our members in care facilities
- Everyone affected by the Coronavirus
- Families experiencing job loss
- 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, 1st Lt Joe Beeby, Marc Belo, CPL Matthew Broker, CT12 Abigail Burns, CPT Aaron Bush, CPL Bradley Bush, AFC Drew Causey, 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 Cody Furstenberg, Charlie Gilbert, LC CPL Robert Gray, ETN2 Cory Halberstadt, CPT Josh Hewett, Pvt John Wesley Holder Jr., Lt Mark Jbeily, Lt Col Jim Johnston, Ryan Kidd, Avery Montana Krast, Lt Ryan Lubin, Alec Mack, Lt Logan McQuerry, Maj. Richard Milam, Chap MAJ Tim Shepherd, Maj Chuck Miller, AFC Kevin G. Persons, Jr., MSGT, SFC Tyler Renshaw, 2nd Lt. Austin Rine, Bobby Sanders, SR4 Nick Schofield, Colby Seamster II, Jonathan Spiegel, CW2 Ryan Thurgood, Mark Townson, Specialist Zach Vernier, CPL Mike Wilkes, Jose Almaguer, SPC Blake Robertson. Wilkes, Jose Almaguer, SPC Blake Robertson.