

Wellspring

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

REOPENING

“Am I going Forward or Backward”

Ephesians 3:10-16

A Noteworthy New Normal

April 11, 2021

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The world is beginning to reopen...stores, restaurants, theatres, schools, and offices are coming alive again. Although the church, the work of Christ in the world, never closes, we have not been able to worship in person. As things reopen and people begin to reunite, consider these questions, “What do I want to reopen myself to?” and “What would the perfect reopening look like?”

Our Reopening series will consider these questions and dig deeper into the idea of reopening Christianity. How would we reopen? What would it look like? What would we do? How can we be a stronger and more sincere representation of who Jesus is? How will our “new normal” be centered on Christ?

We’re so glad you’re here! We are a church where you can come as you are – you don’t have to have your whole life put together to be a part of our community. 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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WELCOME TO FIRST METHODIST MCKINNEY

We're glad you're here! This page has information to stay connected. Take it home and put it on your fridge. Share the heart of Christ from the heart of your home!

Worship Resources

All of our worship resources are available online at this time. Please scan the QR code with your phone's camera to access the website or visit

www.sharingtheheart.org/resources

ATTENDANCE

Please let us know you're here!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Share a joy or concern here.

JOIN THE CHURCH

Start the process of becoming a member.

NEWSLETTER

Sign up for all of our communications.

GIVING

There are many ways to give.



STAY CONNECTED

Give - Serve - Share

We
Need
You!



Volunteer Opportunities to Share the Heart of Christ. Visit the News + Events page to learn more!

HELLO
my name is

Friend

We would like everyone to wear their nametags. This helps us greet each other - especially since we'll be wearing masks!

Don't have a nametag?
Email stisdell@sharingtheheart.org

Nursery
Help

Want to work in our nursery during the 10:05 service?

Email Ms. Jane and let her know!
jmills@sharingtheheart.org

Children's
Sunday
School



We need volunteers to teach and help with Children's Sunday School! In-Person classes start 4/11.

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CDODD@SHARINGTHEHEART.ORG

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Sermon: Are you going backwards or forwards? Scripture: Philippians 3:10-14

Sermon Notes

Early in the pandemic, Dave Hollis said, "In the rush to return to normal, use this time to consider which parts of normal are worth rushing back to." Great statement!

1. At this moment, do you spend more time longing for the ways things were before the pandemic or looking ahead to the new opportunities post pandemic?
2. Read Philippians 3:1-16.
3. Where does the author, Paul, place his value?
4. What is the goal he is pursuing? Why is this goal important?
5. As the world reopens what goals do you want to pursue and why are they important to you?
6. What will you do to keep Christ at the center of your goals?
7. Spend time praying for the future and new opportunities to experience and share the love of Jesus.



“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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IN OUR PRAYERS

Please pray over these names this week.

† Sherry Wichman and family on the loss of her mother Janell Hobbs

- Celia Simpson Bragg
- Charlotte Boring Womack
- David Franck
- David Johnson
- Elaine Parent
- Erika Bazan
- Floyd
- Gaither Day
- Garrel Dean
- Gillian
- Holly
- Jerry Harbert
- Jon Day
- Judy Cox
- Kathy Parker
- Holly Fitzgerald
- Karen Fitzgerald

- Lauren Eubanks
- Lee Tipoff
- Lorraine Brown
- Mark Kinney
- Marion Morgan
- Marti Kale
- Mary Lewis
- Mary Purtle
- Melissa Elementary School community
- Pat Anderson
- Reba Valdez
- Rusty and Marian
- Savanna Bragg
- Sherry Kirwin
- Skylar Hicks
- Stephanie Kircher
- Steve Parry
- Tina Cristino
- Wanda Hunter

- 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, CTI2 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, Capt John Martin, Msg Brian Franck.