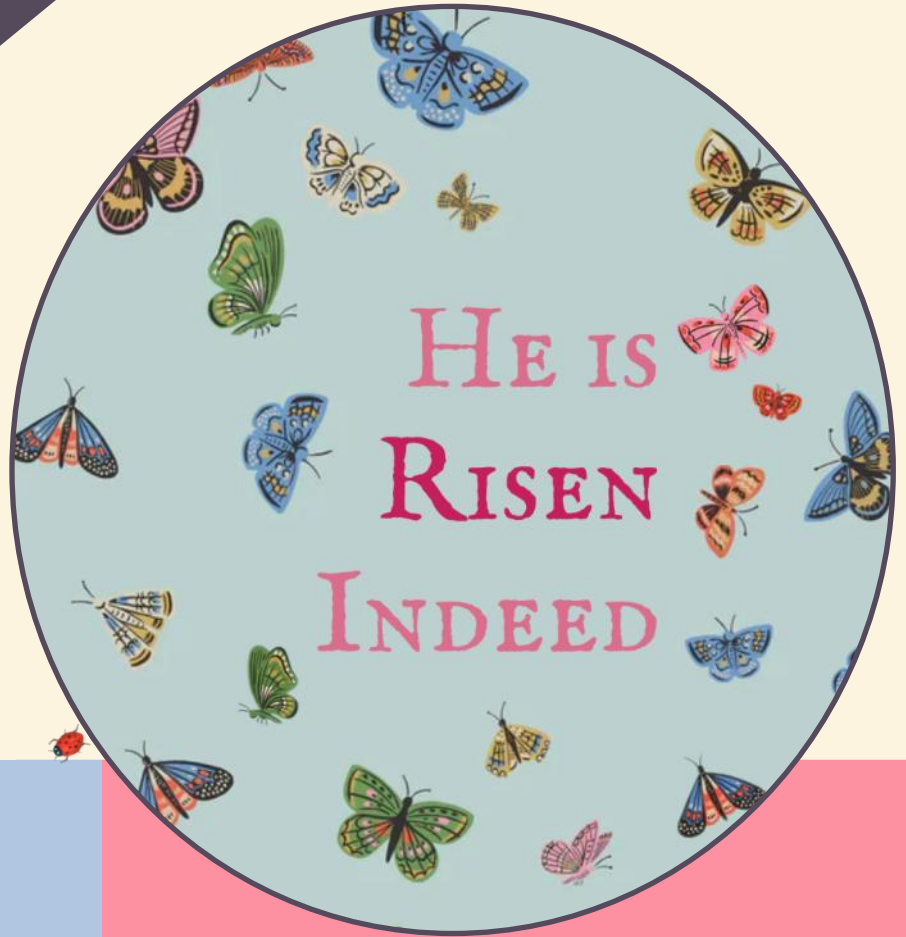




Sharing  
the heart  
of Christ  
from  
the heart  
of McKinney



## 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** 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

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- **Chapel Communion** Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

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- **Melissa UMC** 9:00 and 11:00 am

## 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
- **HEART Special Needs Ministry** information for accommodations at the Welcome Desk



*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

4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

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

May 11, 2025

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

The power of sin has been cancelled.

**Christ the Lord is risen today!**

The chains of death have been broken.

**Christ the Lord is risen today! Alleluia!**

### \*OPENING HYMN No. 408

"The Gift of Love"

### A MOTHER'S DAY PRAYER

Dear God, we gather as your church and give thanks for those who have been mothers to us. We pray for mothers who encourage us to do our best, equip us for the possibilities for the future, teach us the way of love. We pray for mothers who struggle against terrible odds, weep for their children, hope when hope seems lost. We pray for all women, created in the image of God, blessed by the Spirit, empowered to transform lives. In the power of God's love we pray. Amen.

### \*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE No. 143

"On Eagle's Wings"

And God will raise you up on eagle's wings, bear you on the breath of dawn, make you to shine like the sun, and hold you in the palm of God's hand.

**BAPTISM** (9:00) Messiah Dikoma Igwe  
son of Cornelius Igwe and Shelby Wohlgemuth

### 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, 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 "The Lord is my Shepherd"

by Will Todd

Chancel Choir; Eduardo Rojas, piano



*The Lord is my Shepherd; therefore can I lack nothing.*

He makes me lie down in green pastures and leads me beside still waters.

Though I walk through the valley of death, I will fear no evil;

*for you are with me; your rod and your staff comfort me.*

Surely your goodness and loving mercy shall follow me all the days of my life, and I will dwell in the house of the Lord

### \*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. 177

"He Is Lord"

### SCRIPTURE

2 Timothy 1:3-7

This is the Word of the Lord:

**Thanks be to God.**

### SERMON

"The Gift"

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. 557

"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"

### \*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 "Trumpet Tune in B-flat Major"

by John Stanley

John Emory Bush, Organist



\* Please rise in body or in spirit.

*Flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God and in honor and memory of mothers everywhere.*

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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your phone  
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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. Stay in the loop with all the great stuff that's happening. Email [caitlin@sharingtheheart.org](mailto:caitlin@sharingtheheart.org) to sign up.

### GET YOUR 'BOOTIES' TO CHURCH CAMPS

We are collecting diapers and wipes for Baby Booties Diaper bank from May 1-18.

Drop off your donations at the bin by the front doors any time! Help babies and toddlers in need in Collin Co.!

### VOLUNTEER FOR VBS

We need all kinds of helpers! Do you like art? Snacks? Being a crossing guard? Being a friend? We have a place for you to HAVE FUN on this Road Trip! Childcare (3 and under) provided for all VBS Volunteers! Sign up at [SharingtheHeart.org/vbs](http://SharingtheHeart.org/vbs)

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

It's time to register for VBS! [SharingtheHeart.org/vbs](http://SharingtheHeart.org/vbs)

Morning VBS Session: This session is for ages 4 (by 9/1/25) through current 5th Graders. June 16th-19th from 9am to 12 pm.

Evening VBS Session: This two-day session is for current kindergartners through current 5th graders. June 16th and 18th (Monday and Wednesday) from 6:00pm-8:00pm.

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

## GENEROSITY

### DID YOU KNOW?

Our Blood Drive on Sunday, April 27,  
collected 26 total units.  
26 X 3 = 78 lives saved.  
That gives us a total of 10,846 lives  
saved since 2000!

### WAYS TO GIVE

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



Text "sharingtheheart" to 73256  
Secure online portal  
Offering boxes at the doors  
Credit card kiosk in the hallway

**Your Gift Makes a Difference!**

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

DATE:

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

Name

Email

Phone

Name

Email

Phone

☐ cell ☐ home

☐ 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+

Relationship of ☐ (over)

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

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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 ☐ Finding a place to serve

☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_ (over)

Please do not tear here.



## STAY CONNECTED

For the latest news and events, sign up for the weekly church newsletter, "The Echo," at **SharingTheHeart.org/Newsletter**

## SOCIAL MEDIA

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



Facebook.com/FUMCMcKinney  
Instagram.com/FUMCMcKinney



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## PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember these names in your prayers

† Joy Anderson and family on the loss of her husband, Bradley Anderson  
† Mark Long and family on the loss of his mother, Rebecca Long

• Bev Holm  
• Bob Granger  
• Carlie Jo Johnson  
• Carol and Gera Crampton  
• Diane Hastings  
• Debbie Stone  
• Ed  
• Emily  
• Frankie Gavin  
• Gayle Tippet  
• Isabella Mackenna  
• James Hodgson  
• Jim Justice  
• John Burkhardt  
• John Monroe  
• Judy Cox  
• Judy Davis  
• Karen Linstrum  
• Karla Connally  
• Lilia Adame  
• Lillian Harris  
• Marie Howle  
• Marti Kale  
• Michael & Jenna Widener  
• Nicholas Harrell  
• Nora Connelly  
• Pastor Abe and family  
• Pastor Courtney Schultz and family  
• Perry Waller  
• Petronellah Chidzikwe  
• Richard Anderson

• Riley Aguilar  
• Sandra Bryant  
• Sean Edward  
• Seth M  
• Shauntina Batiste  
• Stephen Parry  
• MISD & all public schools  
• Our country  
• Students & teachers  
• Children suffering from anxiety  
• Public education  
• All children  
• World peace  
• Victims of war  
• Israel and Palestine  
• Ukraine and Russia  
• Families affected by shootings in the USA  
• People struggling to cope day to day  
• Prison Ministries  
• Rev. David & Cindy Ceballos, Missionaries in Panama  
• Families 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,

AFC Drew Causey, Chaplain Capt Adam Cavalier, Capt Vincent Chavez II, 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 CMDR Mark Jbeily, Lt Col Jim Johnston, Ryan Kidd, Avery Montana Krast, Lt Ryan Lubin, Alec Mack, Capt John Martin, 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, Chap MAJ Tim Shepherd, Jonathan Spiegel, CW2 Ryan Thurgood, Mark Townson, Lt Zach Vernier, SR Caelan Matthews, 1LT AnnMarie Kessler, A1C Preston Walker

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