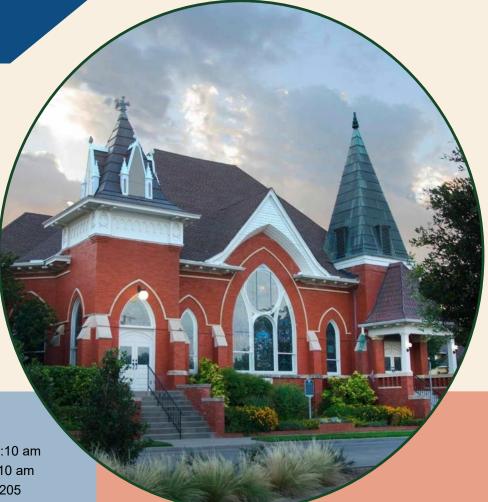


Sharing the heart of Christ from the heart of McKinney



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
- Chapel Communion Wednesdays at 6:30 pm
- Melissa UMC 10:00 am (3851 McKinney St in Melissa)

INFORMATION

- · Information Desk 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 accommodations information at the Information 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!

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

August 10, 2025

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Blessing of the Backpacks

God, you wired us with wonder and delight. Life is so amazing that we cannot help being learners and students.

Bless our children as they begin a new school year.

Bless our teachers, librarians, administrators, and coaches.

Bless our college students on their way.
Bless us all that we may continue to grow and learn and see the wonder of each day.
In all we do, empower us to see the beauty and dignity of all your children. Amen.

*Opening Hymn No. 377 "It Is Well with My Soul"

*Affirmation of Faith No. 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. 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 boxes at the exits, give online at **sharingtheheart.org/give**, text *Sharingtheheart* to 73256, or mail a check to First UMC, 315 N. Church St., McKinney, TX 75069.

ANTHEM "He Watching Over Israel" from *Elijah*by Felix Mendelssohn Chancel Choir

He, watching over Israel, slumbers not, nor sleeps. Shouldst thou walking n grief languish; He will quicken thee.

*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" (sing twice)

SCRIPTURE Mark 1:1,14-20

This is the word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.

SERMON "Invitation" 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. 733 "Marching to Zion"

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

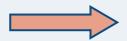
"Fanfare" by Francis Jackson John Emory Bush, organist



* Please rise in body or in spirit.

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**



Online resources:

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



Scan with your phone camera

WHAT'S HAPPENING

ARE YOU NEW HERE?

Welcome! We want to get to know you! Stop by the Information 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** to sign up.

JOIN THE CHOIR

Chancel Choir rehearsals have begun and are every Wednesday at 7pm. We would love for you to sing with us! Any service, any Sunday! For more info, contact John Bush, director, at jebconductor@gmail.com
All are welcome!

RACE FOR GRACE

Mark your calendars to walk Finch Park with Pastor Tommy and Ms. Cheridy on 8/23 at 8:30am to raise money for Grace Children's Hospital in Haiti. Want to bike in the real *Race for Grace*? Find out all the info at sharingtheheart.org/raceforgrace.

BACK TO SCHOOL

As we head back for a new school year, we remember that God's love goes with us!

Check Facebook and the website every Monday for a short devotional to think about through the week!

BLESSING of the BACKPACKS

Come get a tag for your backpack, lunchbox, work bag, or whatever you take to work or school!

We will pray over these as we start a new school year.

TODAY, in all services! Extra tags will be at the front desk this month.

FALL CLASSES AND GROUPS

We are getting ready for Fall (classes, that is!) There's a place for YOU!

Visit the tables in the hallway to sign up!

Groups and Studies are coming back together after a summer break. There are spots for you! Info can be found in The Echo and on the website. If you have any questions, please contact Scottie at **stisdel@sharingtheheart.org**

GUEST WIFI: Network: FUMC Guest Password: Sharingtheheart

GENEROSITY

DID YOU KNOW?

First UMC hosted a Back-to-School event at The Hub for our Caldwell Elementary backpack families.

Thank you to the many volunteers who helped make this event a success!

WAYS TO GIVE

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!

Please	Si	gn	In
We're glad	you	are	here!

ATTENDANCE CARD Please complete, tear off,		and place in the offering plate or box. Thank you!	DATE:
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Welcome to our guests! How did you hear about us?	.? Guest/Relative of		Relationship (over)

PRAYER REQUEST	www.SharingtheHeart.org/Pray	CONNECT CARD	
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		☐ Becoming a member	☐ Finding a place to serve
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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

Worship Online

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

www.sharingtheheart.org/media

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Melissa UMC, Rev. Dr. Chad McSwain pastor@melissaumc.com

PRAYER REQUESTS

- † Peggy Jobe and family on the passing of her husband, Jimmy Jobe
- · Andrew & Jessica Haeger
- · Carol Crampton
- · Debbie Stone
- · Dee Didyk
- Ethan Emerson
- Gary Golden
- Ian Hunter
- · Inez Willard · Jan Phillips
- Jean Poppa
- John Burkhardt
- Josh
- Judy Cox
- · Judy Davis
- Karen Linstrum
- Karla Connally
- Kathryn Swanner
- Larry Curfman
- · Lauren Brennan
- Lea Chandler
- Lee Elam
- Leslie Cain
- Linda Crabtree
- Logan Hook
- Lori B
- Lou Ann Warren
- Margaret Hester
- Marti Kale
- · Mary K Davis
- Mindy Cady
- Paul & Mary McCrackin
- · Perry Waller
- Rob Fulton

Please remember these names in your prayers

- Robin Hanson
- Scotty Davis
- Shauntina Batiste
- Suzette McKee
- Tom Woodard Wana Moran
- Wohlgemuth & Landrum family
- · Immigrants in the US
- · South Texas flood victims
- · Victims of childhood sexual trauma
- · City of McKinney
- · Republicans & Democrats in Congress
- · Families in Gaza
- MISD & all public schools
- Our country
- · Students & teachers
- · Public education
- All children
- · World peace
- · Victims of war
- · Israel and Palestine
- Ukraine and Russia
- People struggling to cope day to day
- Prison Ministries
- · 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, CTI2 Abigail Burns, AFC Drew Causey, Chaplain Capt Adam Cavalier, Capt Vincent Chavez II, Capt Ryan Clark, PFC Paul Confalone, Sqt 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, Sgt 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 Spiegal, 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 Thank you.