

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** 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!

# SANCTUARY WORSHIP

14TH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

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

September 14, 2025

## WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

### \*CALL TO WORSHIP

They that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength.  
**They shall mount up with wings as eagles.**  
They shall run and not grow weary.  
**They shall walk and not faint.**

### \*OPENING HYMN No. 437

"This Is My Song"

### \*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 boxes at the exits, give online at [sharingtheheart.org](https://www.sharingtheheart.org), text FIRSTUMC 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

*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. 2056 (FAITH WE SING)

"God Is So Good"

### SCRIPTURE

Micah 6:8

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

### SERMON

"Faithful"

Dr. Thomas O. Brumett

### \*CLOSING HYMN No. 2223 (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

"Toccata in F Major"  
by Dietrich Buxtehude  
John Emory Bush, organist



*Flowers at the altar are given to the glory of God and in memory of my husband, Dennis Paschall, by Pam Paschall.*

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 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](mailto:caitlin@sharingtheheart.org) to sign up.

### CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

#### VOLUNTEER TRAINING

Children's Ministry seeking loving volunteers! Let's "taco bout" how to get involved while you enjoy a taco bar!

**Sept. 28, 12:15pm, or Oct. 2, 6pm.**

For more info and to RSVP, see  
[sharingtheheart.org/kids-youth/children](http://sharingtheheart.org/kids-youth/children)

### BECOME A GREETER

It's fun and easy! Welcome people to church on Sunday mornings and share the heart of Christ!

Stop by the Info Desk, sign up using the link in the newsletter, or email Kathy for details at

[kparent@sharingtheheart.org](mailto:kparent@sharingtheheart.org)

### FALL CLASSES AND GROUPS

We are getting ready for Fall (classes, that is!) Hurry and sign up—classes have started! There's a place for YOU!

**Visit the website to sign up!** [Sharingtheheart.org/ministries/fall-classes](http://Sharingtheheart.org/ministries/fall-classes)

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](mailto:stisdel@sharingtheheart.org)

### FALL RETREAT

The *Center for Transformative Prayer* is holding their Fall Retreat on Saturday, Sept. 20 from 8:30am to 1pm. It will have small groups, prayer and Communion.

For info on location and to RSVP, email Roger at  
[rsmidt@sharingtheheart.org](mailto:rsmidt@sharingtheheart.org)

### BLESSED JOURNEY

*Blessed Journey* is part of our Caring Ministry. It is a group of adults that meet to share, learn, and navigate physical, emotional, and spiritual changes we may go through. Join us Sept. 16 at 10am.

Email Roger for more info,  
[rsmidt@sharingtheheart.org](mailto:rsmidt@sharingtheheart.org)

Please **Sign In**  
We're glad you are here!

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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 \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ cell ☐ home

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

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City/St \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Update my info ☐ Send weekly email newsletter

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

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

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ (over)

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

## GENEROSITY

### DID YOU KNOW?

First UMC raised over \$5200 through the Race for Grace benefitting Grace Children's Hospital in Haiti.

Your generosity helps fill medical needs around the world.

### 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!**



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

## Worship Online

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

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

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## PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember these names in your prayers

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>† Helen Melcher and family on the loss of her mother, Marsha Zwiebel</li> <li>† Glenda Wales and family on the loss of her husband</li> <li>† Sue Dillard and family on the loss of her husband, Owen Dillard</li> <li>• Ben Jackson</li> <li>• Bennett Toth</li> <li>• Bennie Scott</li> <li>• Candi</li> <li>• Carol Crampton</li> <li>• Carrie Madey</li> <li>• Cheryl Jorgenson</li> <li>• Cindy Bailey</li> <li>• Cooper Ring</li> <li>• Dean Phillips</li> <li>• Debbie Stone</li> <li>• Dustin Bade</li> <li>• Isabella McKenna</li> <li>• Jenny Starr</li> <li>• John Burkhardt</li> <li>• Johnnie Davis &amp; family</li> <li>• Josh</li> <li>• Judy Cox</li> <li>• Judy Davis</li> <li>• Karen Linstrum</li> <li>• Karen Mehalic</li> <li>• Karla Connally</li> <li>• Kirk Miller</li> <li>• Lanea Miller</li> <li>• Lauren Brennan</li> <li>• Mary Russell</li> <li>• Meyer-Openshaw family</li> <li>• Nadia Scott &amp; Jayden Herrera</li> <li>• Nick Wells</li> <li>• Perry Waller</li> <li>• Phil Morrissey</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Putting Zhang &amp; Rose D</li> <li>• Randy &amp; Wanda Ford</li> <li>• Ray Clifford</li> <li>• Roxie Hall</li> <li>• Ruth Russell</li> <li>• Ruth Winkler</li> <li>• Shauntina Batiste</li> <li>• Sheila Zadow Purdy</li> <li>• Steve Madewell</li> <li>• Tatenda Mak</li> <li>• Terry Schopp</li> <li>• Tom Woodard</li> <li>• Tyler Morris</li> <li>• Protection of marriage equality in the USA and Texas</li> <li>• Students, teachers &amp; staff back to school</li> <li>• Immigrants in the US</li> <li>• City of McKinney</li> <li>• Republicans &amp; Democrats in Congress</li> <li>• Families in Gaza</li> <li>• Our country</li> <li>• Public education</li> <li>• All children</li> <li>• World peace</li> <li>• Victims of war</li> <li>• Israel and Palestine</li> <li>• Ukraine and Russia</li> <li>• People struggling to cope day to day</li> <li>• Prison Ministries</li> <li>• Rev. David &amp; Cindy Ceballos, Missionaries in Panama</li> <li>• Friends in care facilities</li> <li>• Families experiencing job loss</li> <li>• Church families in transition</li> <li>• Those experiencing homelessness</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grace Children's Hospital in Haiti</li> <li>• Melissa United Methodist Church</li> <li>• Caldwell Elementary School</li> <li>• Military service members including: Capt Scott Adler, Capt Libby Adler, Sofia Lerma Alarcon, Jose Almaguer, Pvt Austin Andre, 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, 1LT AnnMarie Kessler, Ryan Kidd, Avery Montana Krast, Lt Ryan Lubin, Sgt Alec Mack, Capt John Martin, SR Caelan Matthews, 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, Brian Smith, Jonathan Spiegall, CW2 Ryan Thurgood, Mark Townson, Lt Zach Vernier, A1C Preston Walker</li> </ul> |
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[www.sharingtheheart.org/pray](http://www.sharingtheheart.org/pray)  
Thank you.