

Wellspring

CONTEMPORARY WORSHIP

Shine



Bright



John 1:1-14

November 28, 2021
10:05 & 11:10

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It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas. Whether the holiday season has you feeling excited, nostalgic, stressed, sad, or broke, it is good to be with you as we *Shine Bright* this season!

Amid all that is happening in the world it can feel a bit dark. We know, however, that light shines in the darkness, and the darkness does not extinguish the light. Jesus is the light of the world and when we live for Christ, we shine bright! As the bright light from a lighthouse guides sailors across a dark sea we will look to Jesus to guide us through life, shining bright for God's glory. May the season of Christmas and the birth of Christ light up your life in new ways this year.

We are a place where everyone is welcome, accepted, and encouraged to discover the fullness of life in Jesus Christ. 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.

First United Methodist Church
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Sermon: True Light
Scripture: John 1:1-14

Wellspring Announcements

Be an Advent Reader

Advent, a time of anticipation and preparation for Christ's birth, is Nov. 28 through Dec. 19. Each Sunday includes an Advent reading, which helps tell the story of Jesus' birth. We are looking for eight individuals and/or families to be Advent readers. We will provide you with the readings and all the details. If you would like to know more or to sign up, please check the box on the Connect Card on the back page. Thank you!

Sermon Notes

Be sure to pick up a **Shine Bright** guidebook to dig deeper into living a life that shines bright for God's glory!



“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.

WHAT'S HAPPENING

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS!

We are ready for Advent and you can help! Come help during Christmas Eve services, work on Sundays at the Heifer Table, light the Advent candles, and more! For more info or to sign-up, go to www.tinyurl.com/AdventVolunteer

A NIGHT IN BETHLEHEM

Join us for **A Night in Bethlehem** on December 5th @ 3pm. Come hear the Children's Choir and then have a hands-on adventure through Bethlehem! Everyone is welcome! Email cdodd@sharingtheheart.org if you want to help.

MEMBERSHIP CARE MEALS

Our team provides homemade meals to members who need them due to a new baby, a serious illness, or a death in the family. Would you be interested in helping cook these meals? Send a message to Ann at ann.spaight@yahoo.com

CHARGE CONFERENCES

Called Church Conference
December 2, 6:30 pm, Sanctuary

Annual Charge Conference
December 6, 5:30 pm

CHRISTMAS EVE SCHEDULE at First UMC

Children's service: 1 pm in the Sanctuary

Sanctuary services (candlelight/Communion): 3pm, 5pm, 7pm, 9pm, and 11pm

Wellspring services (candlelight/Communion): 3pm, 5pm, and 7pm

All services will be livestreamed on website and Facebook.

Melissa UMC services:

10:30am (Children's service), Noon Virtual service, 5 pm, 6:30pm, and 11pm

HEALTH & SAFETY

We are still encouraging people to wear masks, maintain distance, and get vaccinated if possible. Online worship and classes are available if you feel ill and need to stay home.

ONLINE RESOURCES

- Attendance
- Giving
- Prayer Request
- Newsletter
- Join the church



Scan with your phone camera ↑

NEW WIFI Network: FUMC Guest

Password: sharingtheheart

GENEROSITY

DID YOU KNOW?

All of the 200+ Angels on the Caldwell Angel Tree have been adopted! Thank you for sharing with Caldwell students and their families this Christmas!

CONVENIENT WAYS TO GIVE



Online Giving
Text [Sharingtheheart to 73256](text:Sharingtheheart to 73256)
Offering Boxes at Exits
Automatic Payments
Automatic Withdrawals

SharingTheHeart.org/Give

Please Sign In
We're glad you are here!

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ATTENDANCE CARD Please complete, tear off, and place in the box at the exit. Thank you!

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

Today's Date _____

Name _____ | Phone _____ cell home

Email _____ | Phone _____ 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+

Welcome to our guests! How did you hear about us? _____ Guest/Relative of _____ Relationship _____ (over)

Your Name _____ Today's Date _____

Prayers requested for (name) _____

This person is: self friend relative other _____

Prayer need (include info as needed) _____

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 Advent Reader

Adult groups Christmas Eve Greeter

Music Ministry Christmas Eve Usher

Becoming a member Christmas Eve Communion

Other _____ Server _____ (over)

STAY CONNECTED

For the latest news and events, subscribe to the weekly church newsletter, "The Echo," online at SharingTheHeart.org/Newsletter

SOCIAL MEDIA

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



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PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember these names in your prayers

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> † The Family of Dorothy McIntire • April Lawson • Barbara Heth • Becky Whitley • Betsy Garner • Braxton Pinero • Carolyn Hardebeck • Carrie Rogers • Charlie Noack • Danielle, Stephen Tyler & Children • Don Childs • Doris J. Clark • Dustin Bade and family • Eunice Pflug • Ford Family • Fred Baker • Fred Wilkins • Henry Lee Collins • Henry Myrick • Jack and Gera Crampton • Jennifer Niuman-Sawey • Jennifer Zeavin • Jo Bender • Joe Colburn • John Sinclair • Judy Cox • Lee Elam • Mark Tettleton • Mary Lewis • Mary Southwell • Marti Kale • Matt • Michael Stenger | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Peggy Rima • Rick Splawn • Ruby Rene' Marts • Samuel Lindley • Sherry and Tom Kirwin • Sonny Hackett • Steven Harris • Tina Cristino • Thomas R. Storey • Tyler Family • Rev. David & Cindy Ceballos, Missionaries in Panama • Friends in care facilities • Everyone affected by the Coronavirus and Variants • 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 Imaguer, Marc Belo, CPL Matthew Broker, CTI2 Abigail Burns, CPT Aaron Bush, CPL Bradley Bush, AFC Drew Causey, Rev. Dr. Capt Adam Cavalier, 2nd Lt Vincent Chavez, Capt Ryan Clark, PFC Paul Confalone, Sgt Martin Damian DeLeon, GY Sgt Jim Ellsworth, Kevin English, Patrick English, | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> James Evans, Lt Col David Faulk, MSG Brian Franck, PFC Cody Furstenberg, Charlie Gilbert, LC CPL Robert Gray, ETN2 Cory Halberstadt, Pvt John Wesley Holder Jr., LT Mark Jbeily, Lt Col Jim Johnston, Ryan Kidd, Avery Montana Krast, Lt Ryan Lubin, Alec Mack, Capt John Martin, Lt Logan McQuerry, Maj. Richard Milam, Maj Chuck Miller, AFC Kevin G. Persons, Jr., MSGT, SFC Tyler Renshaw, 2nd Lt Austin Rine, SPC Blake Robertson, Bobby Sanders, SR4 Nick Schofield, Colby Seamster II, Chap MAJ Tim Shepherd, Jonathan Spiegel, CW2 Ryan Thurgood, Mark Townson, Specialist Zach Vernier <p>Please submit updates and new prayer requests to www.sharingtheheart.org/pray
 Thank you.</p> |
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