



Grace Children's Hospital in Port-au-Prince, is recognized as Haiti's leading medical facility dedicated to the treatment of children with tuberculosis (TB). Each year, the hospital cares for thousands of children who are suffering from TB, HIV, and other diseases. The facility also provides preventive, pre-natal and basic health care in the main facility and in the many community clinics.

Grace Children's Hospital has been a mission of our church for many years. In 2020, the staff at Grace Children's Hospital treated 69,882 patients in their outpatient clinics, and vaccinated 16,679 children. In 2021, the Haitian Ministry of Public Health designated Grace as a COVID testing site. With your help, we can continue working to provide much needed medical care in Port-au-Prince and beyond.

First UMC McKinney is committed to helping Grace Children's Hospital and has made this our mission focus for Lent and Easter 2025. Your offering today will go toward this commitment.

To learn more about Grace Children's Hospital, visit [www.InternationalChildCare.org](http://www.InternationalChildCare.org).

## WEEKLY WORSHIP

### Sunday Sanctuary Worship

8:00, 9:00, 10:05\* & 11:10 am in the Sanctuary

### Sunday Wellspring Contemporary Worship

10:05 & 11:10\* am in Dyer Hall

### Sunday Contemplative Prayer Service

9:00 am in B205

\*Sunday Livestream at  
[SharingTheHeart.org/Sermons](http://SharingTheHeart.org/Sermons)

### Wednesday Evening Worship

6:30 pm in the Chapel, with Communion

### Sunday Worship at Melissa UMC

9:00 & 11:00 am at 3851 McKinney St., Melissa, TX 75454

More information about upcoming Lenten and Easter activities can be found at [SharingTheHeart.org/lent](http://SharingTheHeart.org/lent)



# ASH

# WEDNESDAY

March 5, 2025 | Sanctuary

6:30 pm

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH MCKINNEY

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*Sharing the heart of Christ from the heart of McKinney*

# Ash Wednesday

**PRELUDE** "Peace Be With You"  
by Richard Purvis  
John Emory Bush, organist

## WELCOME

**HYMN** No. 402 "Lord, I Want to Be a Christian"

**OPENING PRAYER** No. 353

O God, maker of every thing and judge of all that you have made, from the dust of the earth you have formed us and from the dust of death you would raise us up. By the redemptive power of the cross, create in us clean hearts and put within us a new spirit, that we may repent of our sins and lead lives worthy of your calling; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

**SILENT PRAYER**

**PASTORAL PRAYER**

**THE 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.

**HYMN** No. 348, vs 1, 2 & 4  
"Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling"

**NEW TESTAMENT READING** Matthew 6:1-6, 16-21

**SERMON** Dr. Thomas O. Brumett

**OFFERING**

*Today's offering will go to Grace Children's Hospital in Port-au-Prince, Haiti. More information about the hospital and First UMC McKinney's Lent and Easter mission focus can be found on the back of this worship bulletin.*

**SPECIAL MUSIC**

"Behold the Lamb of God"

by George Frideric Handel  
Chancel Choir

*Behold the Lamb of God, that taketh away the sin of the world.*

**IMPOSITION OF ASHES**

**HYMN** No. 488 "Jesus, Remember Me"

**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.

