

ORDER OF WORSHIP
Fourth Sunday of Epiphany
January 25, 2026

Prelude V.D.Thompson
“Savior Again to Thy Dear Name”

Greetings & Announcements

Choral Call to Worship

***Hymn of Praise** UMH 371
“I Stand Amazed in the Presence”

***Words of Worship** Psalm 27

Children of God, when fears press in on every side, we can proclaim with confidence:

God is our light and salvation! Whom shall we fear?

When our problems overwhelm us and we feel pressed in on every side, we can declare with confidence:

God is the stronghold of our lives! Of whom shall we be afraid?

No matter the troubles we face, we seek after God and to live in the house of God forever.

God shelters and protects us in the day of trouble.

Come, let us worship God with joy, for God is our light and salvation!

We come to worship as bearers of the Light.
Thanks be to God! Amen.

***Hymn** UMH 277
“Tell Me the Stores of Jesus”

***Pass the Peace** [You are invited to greet those sitting around you in the name of Jesus]
[Children come forward for Children’s Moment]

Children’s Moment Jamie Bourcy

Anthem Choir
“Deep Waters”
by Pepper Choplin

Scripture Carolyn Trezevant
Matthew 4: 14-23

Message Pastor Cheryl
Fishers not Hunters

Call to Prayer Choir

Prayers of the People

The Lord’s Prayer

Offertory P. Jones
“Variations on ‘Kum Bah Yah’”

***Doxology** UMH 95

***Hymn** UMH 206
“I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light”

***Sending Forth** Pastor Cheryl

God is our light, our hope, our all in all:

Blessed be God, now and forever!

Christ is our home, our life, our joy:

Blessed be God, now and forever!

Our worship concludes; our service continues.

Blessed be God, now and forever!

***Choral Benediction**

***Postlude** H. Willan
“Prelude on ‘Old 104th’”

*** Stand if you are able**

CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

*How do you become a member of the church?
Let the pastor know by phone call, text, or email.
You may also come forward during the last hymn
during worship*



Scan this QR code and complete the required information to submit your attendance with us today.



Altar flowers are given in memory of Otha and Billie Spencer by the Spencer family

Upcoming Activities

Jan. 27 (Tue.)

Men's Breakfast (Texas Cafe) 8AM
Admin Council Meeting at 6PM

Jan. 28 (Wed.)

Children's Choir Returns 4-5:30PM
Pastor's Bible Study at 5:30PM
Youth Bowling 6PM
Choir Rehearsal at 6:30PM

Jan. 29(Thur.)

Foundation Meeting at 6PM



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Worship Leaders

*Rev. Cheryl Murray
John Burkett, Organist
Kristin Wood Choir Director
John Mark Dempsey, Sound Tech
Claire Floyd, Video Tech
Carolyn Trezevant, Reader
Jamie Bourcy, Children's Moment*



- Baby Ray Lee born weighing 11lb. 11oz
- Janet Peek
- Petra Strassberg
- Family of June Dunn
- Family of Carole Saye Tanner mother of Ronda Dickeson
- Priscilla McFarland
- Marcia Hakala
- Mark & Donna Streetman
- Kyle Smith
- Becca Rowe
- Patricia Mulkey, Jim Patton's sister
- Mike Clay
- Debbie Dunham
- Bill Heitholt
- Richard Young, Lee Riddle's grandson
- Georgia Gholston
- Melanie & Judy Corteaal
- Robert Seay

Mission of the Month

The January Mission is The Pastor's Benevolence Fund. All dollar bills dropped into the collection plates, or checks with "The Pastor's Benevolence Fund" in the memo line, will benefit this mission. Or you can scan here to give online.



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10:00 a.m. Sanctuary