

**FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
COMMERCE, TEXAS
November 20, 2022**

Welcome to First UMC Commerce!

CONNECT

- Prelude "We Gather Together" (Kremser) J. Burkett
Enter with Acolytes The Stark Family
Choral Call to Worship "Surely, The Presence of the Lord"
* Hymn "Crown Him with Many Crowns" UMH 327
(Verses 1, 2, 5)
* Words of Worship
One: It is done.
All: God has always been in charge, yesterday and today.
One: Even when things seem out of control, God's reign is on its way.
All: Let us prepare the way for God.
* Hymn "O Worship the King" UMH 73
[You are invited to sign our attendance register in the pew in front of you. Fill out the information to receive information about activities going on in the church.]

GROW

- Children's Place Pastor Cheryl
Anthem "A Simple Thanksgiving" J. M. Martin
Scripture Psalm 103:8-12, Matthew 18:21-22, Luke 23:34
Common English Bible
Message **Called to Forgiveness** Pastor Cheryl
Confession /Words of Assurance
Choral Call to Prayer "Lord Listen to Your Children"
Prayers of the People Lord, in your mercy, **hear our prayer.** Pastor Cheryl
The Lord's Prayer
Offertory "For the Beauty of the Earth" A. Wyton
Doxology UMH 95
* Hymn of Invitation "We Gather Together" UMH 131
SERVE
Opportunities to Serve
* Sending Forth Pastor Cheryl
* Choral Benediction "Go Now & Live"
Postlude "Now Thank We All Our God" S. Karg-Elert

**You are invited to stand.*

Worship Leaders

*Rev. Cheryl Murray, Pastor
Gene Lockhart, Choir Director
Dr. John Burkett, Organist
Dennis Anderson, Sound Tech
Claire Floyd, Video Tech*

Prayer List

- Sam Elwell
- Janeen Kvanli
- Jeff Helton
- Donna Bailey
- Brenda Newman
- Pete and Ann Chamberlain
- Linda Walker Maples
- Melanie Cortea
- Judy Cortea
- Georgia Gholston
- Manuel Henderson
- Judy Chapman (Pastor Cheryl's sister)
- Carlos Rickman (M.D. Anderson Hospital)
- Rev. Dennis Wilkinson
- Janet & Jim Payne, sister of Becky Coker
- Bill Heitholt
- Preston Helton (Jan & Jeff Helton's grandson)

Our November Mission of the Month is the Community Thanksgiving Dinner event hosted at Omega's. Every dollar bill dropped in the collection plate (or check with "Thanksgiving Dinner" in the memo line) will benefit this mission. You can also "Give Online" on the website by selecting Mission of the Month.

Children's Sunday School meets during worship after Children's Place in the Family Ministry Center. Children ages 4-8 are invited to attend Sunday School. GOAT Youth group meets after worship in the Family Ministry Center. All youth entering 6th through 12th grades are invited to join us. Bring a friend!



Upcoming Activities

- November 21-Men's Breakfast Group at Omega's at 8am
- November 22- Exercise class at 10am
- November 22-Women's Study Group at 5:15pm
- November 23-Little Ark closes at 3pm
- November 24-Omega's Community Thanksgiving meal
- November 23-25-Church office is closed
- November 24-25 -Little Ark closed
- December 3-Merry Market from 10am-2pm
- Contact Pastor Cheryl at 940-613-5375 or by email at CherylMurray2020@outlook.com

Ministers

Pastor
 Church Administrator
 Communications Director
 Children's Director
 Youth Director
 Little Ark Director
 Choir Director
 Organist
 Custodians

All Members of the Congregation

Rev. Cheryl Murray
 Mariann Andrews
 Sharon Duncan
 Amy Stark
 Ashlyn Woods
 Jennifer Knight
 Gene Lockhart
 Dr. John Burkett
 Sandra & Fernando Medrano

Reign of Christ Sunday



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 10:00am Sanctuary