## FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Commerce, Texas August 25, 2024

## **ORDER OF WORSHIP**

I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord!

## **GATHERING**

Prelude D. Johnson

"Trumpet Tune" in A Major Greetings & Announcements

\*Hymn UMH 103

"Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise"

### \* CALL TO WORSHIP

One: Disciples of Christ, why have you gathered today?

All: To worship God, who lives among us.

One: God lives among us all the time, so why have you gathered today?

All: To remind one another that God lives among us as we worship.

One: When you scatter from this place, what will you take with you?

All: Hearts open to recognize God living among us.

One: Then come! Let us worship together!

All: We come to worship with rejoicing the Triune God who lives, loves, and moves

# among us as we gather and as we are sent from this place! Amen.

One: Then come! Let us worship with rejoicing!

\* Hymn UMH 133

"Leaning on the Everlasting Arms

\* Passing the Peace

### PROCLAIMING THE WORD

Children's Moment
[Children are invited to Sunday School.]

Scripture Carolyn Trezevant 1 Kings 8:1, 6, 10-11, 22-30, 41-43

Message Sent Out to Live Pastor Cheryl

# RESPONSE TO THE WORD: PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

Call to Prayer Meagan Jones, Lynzie Van Fleet What a Beautiful Name It is

Pastoral Prayers & Prayers of the People

Response: Lord, hear our prayer.

The Lord's Prayer

## **GIVING**

Invitation to Generosity

Offertory G. Martin

"Lord I Want to Be a Christian"

\* Doxology UMH 95

### SENDING INTO THE WORLD

\*Hymn "Freely, Freely"

UMH 389

\*Sending Forth

Pastor Cheryl

One: Beloved of God, go from this place knowing that:

All: In life, in death, in life beyond death, God is with us. We are not alone. Thanks be to God. Amen.

\* Postlude

G. B. Martini

"Allegro" from Sonata VI

\*You are invited to stand.



## **Altar Flowers**

Altar flowers given by Dale and Sue Massey in honor of their 55<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary.



Let's celebrate Mary Means' birthday with a luncheon Thursday, Sept. 5<sup>th</sup> at noon. The meat and cake will be provided. Please bring a side dish of a salad or vegetable. Let's flood Mary with 100 birthday cards to give thanks for the 100 years she has brought joy to so many. Please send cards to:

Debby McCord 1008 Pin Oak Allen, TX 75002



# September 8th at 11:15

The Harrell's are asking for diapers, wipes, baby soap, baby lotion, newborn clothes, socks, mittens, and swaddle blackest.

# **Upcoming Activities**

August 26 Finance at 6:00

August 27 Men's Breakfast at McKay's at 8:00

August 28 Country Home Estates Service at 2:00

August 28 Choir Practice at 7:00

September 5 Mary Means' Birthday Party at noon

September 8 Harrell's Baby Shower at 11:15

Ministers	All Members of the Congregation	
Pastor		Rev. Cheryl Murray
Office & Communications		Tricia Dempsey
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Little Ark Director		Jennifer Knight
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- Our world, country and leaders
- All affected by the war in the Middle East
- Family of Shawn Karnes
- Diane Garcia
- Judy Rudoff
- Rev. Dr. Rita Sims
- Bill Heitholt
- Lisa McGuyer
- Nancy Roberts, Mike Roberts' mother
- Larry Eldridge
- Danny Duncan
- Mike Smith
- Charles Webster
- Betty Martin
- Anna Blohm
- Wyman Williams
- Rose Stapleton
- Carlos Rickman
- · Jack Kelly, Jill Grove's father
- Jack Gray
- Richard Young
- Glenda Helton
- · Richard Stapleton, Al Stapleton's brother
- · Rev. Dennis Wilkinson
- Manuel Harrison
- Georgia Gholston
- Melanie & Judy Corteal
- Brenda Mosley Longhoffer
- Robert Seay
- Rita Thompson



# **Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost**



# First United Methodist Church

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> August 25, 2024 10:00 am Sanctuary

