

ORDER OF WORSHIP
13th Sunday after Pentecost
September 7, 2025

Prelude E.L.Diemer
“Toccata on ‘How Great Thou Art’”

Greetings & Announcements

Mission Moment Alison Walker

Choral Call to Worship Choir
“Welcome to This Place”

***Call to Worship** (Leader and People)

L: Children of God, in Jesus, Love became flesh and moved into the neighborhood.

P: We gather to worship Christ, the Image of the Invisible.

L: In Jesus, our separation from God, neighbor, self, and creation has been removed. We are free for divine and loving connection once again.

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L: Children of God, come! Come, let us worship God, whose power makes Love visible to us so that we might reflect Love to the world.

P: Come, let us worship Christ! Love, who came to dwell among us and within us!

***Hymn** UMH 57
“O For a Thousand Tongues to Sing”

Scripture Alijah Bass
Colossians 1:15-28

Message Rev. Cheryl Murray
When in Doubt, Sing!

Writing Prompt: Dear Children of God Week 3
How have you experienced God’s love and presence when you sing and pray together in this church community?

Choral Call to Prayer Choir

Confession & Words of Assurance

Offertory G.Martin
“Nobody Knows the Trouble I’ve Seen”

Invitation to Christ’s Table

The Great Thanksgiving

The Lord’s Prayer

Receiving the Bread & Cup

[You are invited to the kneeling rail to receive Communion]

Prayer After Receiving

If you would like to become a member of the Church you may contact Pastor Cheryl by phone, text or email. You may also come forward during the final Hymn.

***Hymn** UMH 380
“He Keeps Me Singing”

***Sending Forth** Pastor Cheryl

*** Choral Benediction** Choir

***Postlude** A. Wyton
“Praise the Lord! Ye Heavens Adore Him”

You are invited to join us after service in The Fellowship Hall for food and fellowship



Worship Leaders

*Pastor Cheryl Murray
John Burkett, Organist
Dennis Anderson, Sound Tech
Claire Floyd, Video Tech
Carolyn Trezevant, Reader
Alijah Bass, Reader*



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Upcoming Activities

Sep. 7 (Sun.) Bring A Friend Sunday Potluck Lunch
10AM

Sep. 8 (Mon.) Prayer Shawl at 9:30AM

Little Ark Committee Meeting 5PM

Sep. 9 (Tue.) Men's Breakfast (Omega's) 8AM

Trustees Meeting at 6:30PM

Sep. 10 (Wed.) Country Home Estate Service at 2PM

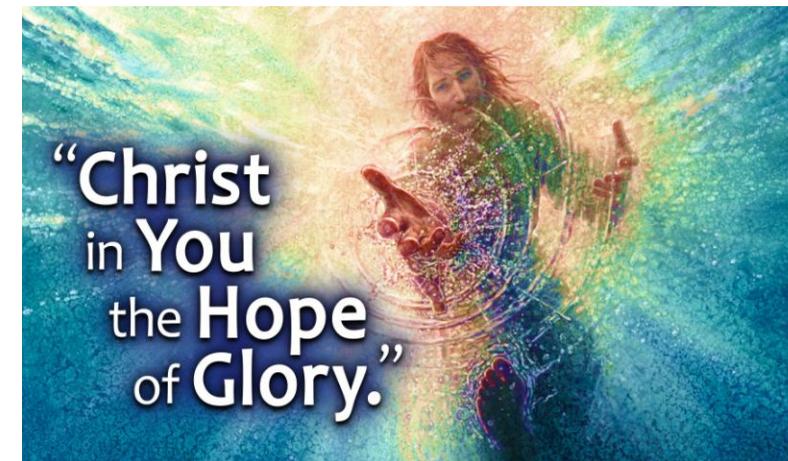
Music & More 4:00-5:30PM

IGNITE Youth Pizza Meet & Greet 5:30PM

Choir Practice at 6PM



- Our Country and its leaders
- All affected by the floods in Central Texas
- Priscilla McFarland
- Marcia Hakala
- Carter McLeroy
- Donna Streetman
- Kyle Smith, son of John Kinney Smith
- Becca Rowe
- Patricia Mulkey, Jim Patton's sister
- Mike Clay
- Debbie Dunham
- Bill Heitholt
- Jack Gray
- Richard Young
- Rev. Dennis Wilkinson
- Georgia Gholston
- Melanie & Judy Corteaal
- Robert Seay



Thirteenth Sunday after
Pentecost

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September 07, 2025
10:00 a.m. Sanctuary

Mission of the Month

The September Mission is Commerce ISD, Family Services. All dollar bills dropped into the collection plates, or checks with "CISD Family Services" in the memo line, will benefit this mission. Or you can scan here to give on line.



Ministers	All Members of the Congregation
Pastor	Rev. Cheryl Murray
Office & Communications	Jamie Bourcy
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Children's Director	Ashlyn Woods
Youth Director	Jamie Bourcy
Little Ark Director	Jennifer Knight
Organist	Dr. John Burkett
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