

First United Methodist Church

Commerce, Texas



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Mission of the Month

Free Thanksgiving Day Community Meal Hosted at Omega's Restaurant

Our November Mission of the Month is a free Thanksgiving Day Community meal. Again, this year we are joining many other local churches and organizations to help sponsor a **Free Thanksgiving Day Community meal hosted at Omega's Restaurant**. Our donations will help cover the cost of the meal. Please make a donation in the offering plate, mail a donation to the church office or donate online via our website: fumccommerce.org

A Community Thanksgiving Day meal has been hosted at Omega's for several years with lots of success. Last year, 1,000 free meals were served.

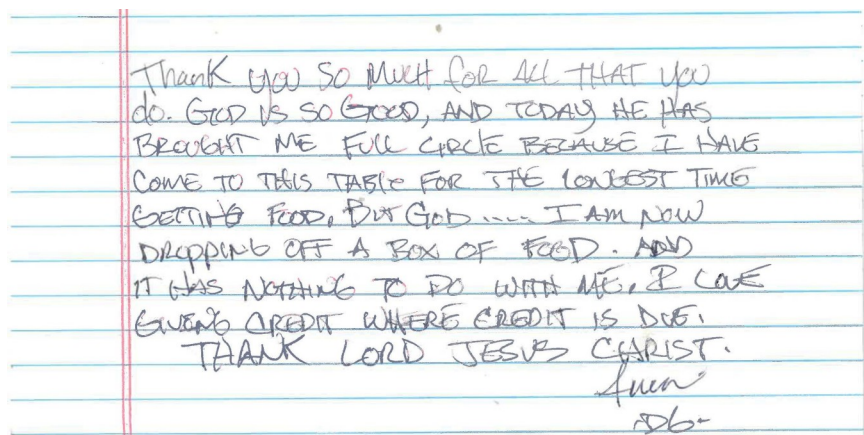
The meal will be hosted at Omega's Restaurant, new location 3000 State Highway 24, on November 26. The free Community Thanksgiving Day meal will begin at 9am and end at 1pm. The meal will include turkey, all the traditional trimmings and dessert!

If you are interested in volunteering at the meal, please contact Amy Stark, 903.246.1487.

Online Giving makes donating easy, scan QR Code or go to www.fumccommerce.org and click "Ways to give"



NOTES FROM THE BLESSINGS TABLE



Pancakes with Santa & Merry Market



We hope you will join us December 12th for our Merry Marketplace for Missions. This year our Youth will be hosting a Pancake breakfast with Santa fundraiser from 9:30–11:30am. Price will be \$12 per person, under 2 free. Online sign ups will be available soon. The Children's Choir will perform at noon. As always we will have Christmas Shopping, Baked Goods and a Silent Auction. If you have items you would like to donate to the Christmas market please bring them to the church office during office hours Monday-Wednesday 9-2. Please contact Amy Stark or the church office if you have any questions.

I'm Thankful for....



What are you thankful for this year? Email the church office at fumcccommerce@gmail.com and let us know. We will be decorating Pastor Cheryl's Thanksgiving tree with your answers.

Financial Report

	<u>Current</u>	<u>YTD</u>
Budget Income:	\$37,995	\$192,276
Budget Expense:	\$42,778	\$217,917
<u>Difference:</u>	-\$4,783	-\$25,641

Prayer List

Recent Concerns:

- ◆ Our world, country and leaders
- ◆ Anne McFarland Meyer
- ◆ Madonna St. Clair
- ◆ Kay Shope
- ◆ Nancy Ogden
- ◆ Bobbie Sue Floyd
- ◆ Betty Martin
- ◆ Mary Lou Heatherly
- ◆ Pete Smith
- ◆ Priscilla McFarland
- ◆ Donald & Marcia Hakala
- ◆ Becca Rowe
- ◆ Bill Heitholt
- ◆ Robert Seay

Those serving in our military:

- ◆ Sgt. Kyle Hartman (US Marines) great-grandson of Lee Riddle
- ◆ Chandler Teague (US Navy) great-grandson of Lee Riddle
- ◆ Captain Cameron Lehr
- ◆ Lt. Dan Barton
- ◆ Daniel Chamberlain
- ◆ Sgt. Stephen Smith & Denise Smith

If you are interested in giving flowers for the altar,
please contact Luann Huffman at
903-366-2899 or email
lhuffman01@cumbytel.com



Upcoming Activities

- Nov. 1- All Saints Sunday 11AM
- Nov. 3 — Ancient Prayer Practices 3PM
- Nov. 5. Serve Team Meeting 10AM
- Nov. 8— Friendsgiving Sunday, Children's Choir Performance & Luncheon 11AM
- Nov. 9- Prayer Shawl Meeting 9:30AM
- Nov. 10— Women's Study 3PM
—Trustees 6:30PM
- Nov. 16 - Finance 6PM
- Nov. 17— Ancient Prayer Practices 3PM
- Nov. 18—Wiggle Church Evening Service 5PM
- Nov. 19- Prayer Shawl Crafting 9:30AM
- Nov. 24—Women's Study 3PM
- Nov. 25— Office Closed No Wednesday Events
- Nov. 26-27 Happy Thanksgiving Little Ark & Office Closed

Ongoing Activities

- Men's Breakfast (Omega's): Wednesdays 8AM
- Wiggle Church: Wednesdays at 9:30AM
- Country Home Estates: Wednesdays at 2:00PM
- Children's Choir: Wednesdays at 4-5:30PM
- Youth: Wednesdays at 5:30PM
- Pastor's Bible Study: Wednesdays at 6PM
- Adult Choir: Wednesdays at 6:30PM
- Friendship Class: Sundays at 9:30AM
- Children's Sunday School: Sundays during service

Fun at Little Ark



Save the Date

Little Ark Closes at 3pm Nov.
25th



**For emergency
pastoral care,
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