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WORSHIP

Gathering to focus on God together

SERVE

Being God's people in the world

GIVE

Putting God first in all things

LEARN

Discovering and understanding who God is

PLAY

Enjoying the good life God gives

PRAY

Talking and listening to God's direction

ARE YOU NEW?

If you would like to find your Worship Plus One, we would love to visit with you and help you explore the FUMCFW groups or ministries of special interest to you! Finding your Worship Plus One will help you meet others, build relationships, and grow stronger in your faith.

For details, please email Lisa Helm (lhelm@myfumc.org), Director of Welcoming Ministries or Dr. Mike Marshall (mmarshall@myfumc.org), Associate Pastor of Leadership Development — and be sure to include your phone number in your email!



FOLLOWERSHIP

Sanctuary Service January 17, 2021

Following Means Learning

1st in the series *Followership*

John 1:43-51

Dr. Tim Bruster, Sr. Pastor

Please silence your cell phone as we prepare our hearts and minds for worship.

Welcome to First United Methodist Church of Fort Worth! We are so glad you are worshiping with us today! Please let us know you are here by clicking on the attendance button or leaving a comment on Facebook or YouTube.

Choral Union Ensemble: Nathan Benavides, Scott Boiles, Peggy Graff, Mary Grim, Alison Haygood, Jayme Vaughn-Linebarger, Avary Vaughn, Taylor White.

Want to honor or remember a loved one this year? Place your order now for Sanctuary Flowers! Dates still available:
January 24th
January 31st
March 21st
April 11th
April 18th
June 6th
June 27th
August 1st
August 29th
September 12
September 19th
October 4th

Contact Rhonda Gaber (rgaber@myfumc.org).

Welcome

Dr. Tim Bruster, Senior Pastor

Prelude: Allegro Energico

Mark L. Williams , arranger

Peggy Graff, Organist and Associate Director of Music and Worship Arts

Choral Call to Worship

Call to Worship

Dr. Zhenya Gurina-Rodriguez, Associate Pastor

One: We are called to follow Jesus.

All: But following Jesus isn't easy.

One: It will demand our dedication and our energy.

All: It will change our whole lives.

One: Following means learning.

All: It means leaving old ways behind.

One: It means caring and healing.

All: Following has its ups and downs.

One: So we come to this time of worship seeking wisdom and guidance for being faithful followers of Jesus.

All: Amen.

Hymn 398: "Jesus Calls Us O'er the Tumult" (vv 1, 2, 5)

Affirmation of Faith 883

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,

who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh,

to reconcile and make new,

who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.

We are called to be the church:

to celebrate God's presence,

to love and serve others,

to seek justice and resist evil,

to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,

our judge and our hope.

In life, in death, in life beyond death,

God is with us.

We are not alone.

Thanks be to God. Amen.

Gloria Patri 70

Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

Scripture: John 1:43-51

God speaks to us through the reading of scripture.

Thanks be to God.

Faith Like a Child (11:00)

Mark Burrows, Director of Children's Ministry

Announcements

Rev. Lance Marshall, Co-Pastor

Offertory: "Christ, Whose Glory Fills the Skies"

Brad Nix, arranger

Choral Union Ensemble

Robert Stovall, Director of Music and Worship Arts

Sermon: "Following Means Learning"

Pastoral Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy name. Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen. (Matthew 6:9-13)

Invitation to Christian Discipleship

Hymn 463: "Lord, Speak to Me" (vv. 3, 4, 5)

Sacrament of Baptism

James Thorin Newman, son of Amber and Carl Newman

Baptismal Hymn 191: "Jesus Loves Me" (vs. 1)

Congregational Response

With God's help we will so order our lives after the example of Christ that James Thorin, surrounded by steadfast love, may be established in the faith, and confirmed and strengthened in the way that leads to life eternal.

Benediction

Choral Benediction

Postlude: Toccata on "Darwall's 148th"

Gordon Young, arranger

"Faith Like a Child" is our FUMCFW children's sermon for young worshipers of all ages.

PRAY/STUDY OPPORTUNITIES

Tim's Daily Bread Daily Devotional

Every morning at 7:00 am

Lance's Morning Devotional and Prayer Meeting

M-F | 9:00 am

Centering Prayer

Tuesday | Friday

7:00 - 8:30 am

Practicing Prayerful Presence

M-W-F

9:30 - 10:30 am

GROW Bible Study begins Wednesdays

Morning | 10:00 am

Evening | 6:30 pm

All classes and events will be virtual. For more information, Zoom links, and registration details, go to fumcfw.org/events