

OCTOBER MISSION
SCAVENGER HUNT



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GROUP



Mondays, October 28 – November 18 | 1:30 — 2:45 pm | Room 230

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UMW
SERVICE
ACTIVITY




During the month of October UMW will connect with families at Ronald McDonald House as part of the Meals from the Heart program.

Under guidance of a professional chef, we will prepare and serve a meal to the guest families.

Tuesday, October 15
 4:00 pm – 7:00 pm
 Thursday, October 17
 10:00 am – 1:00 pm
 Saturday, October
 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

1001 8th Ave
 Fort Worth, TX 76104





Young Adult
**CENTRAL MARKET
MEETUP**




Friday, November 1 | 6:30 – 8:00 pm | Central Market Patio



Halloween
Carnival



Sunday, October 20
3:00 – 5:00 pm | 5th Street & Justin Building Parking Lot

Admission: Bring canned food items to help our First Street Methodist Mission feed those who are hungry.

Wear your Halloween costume and enjoy bounce houses, pony rides, petting zoo, games, prizes, crafts and more!

Register online to volunteer.



On Sunday, October 27th, First United Methodist Church will celebrate 150 years as a congregation in downtown Fort Worth.

We'll have one combined sanctuary service at 9:30 am, followed by a barbecue lunch and celebration on 5th Street!

We look forward to celebrating this very special anniversary together.

Traditional Worship Service
October 13, 2024 | 11:00 am

I Can Relate

1 John 3:18-24

Rev. Lance Marshall
Senior Pastor



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Welcome
Rev. Phyllis Barren, Associate Pastor

Opening Prayer

Piano voluntary: “Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee”
Mark Hayes, arranger
Peggy Graff and Jill Springer piano duet
Acolytes: Issac Pineda

***Call to Worship**
One: Perfect love casts out all fear.
All: We come to rest in the love of God that drives away fear.
One: We are called to love, for God first loved us.
All: We will love one another as a reflection of God’s great love.
One: Let us worship the God who is love, and live in the light!
All: Amen.

***Passing of the Peace**

***Hymn 61: “Come, Thou Almighty King” verses 1-4**

***Affirmation of Faith 881**
Dr. Mike Marshall, Associate Pastor
I believe in God the Father Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord:
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, dead, and buried;
the third day he rose from the dead;
he ascended into heaven,
and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the holy catholic° church, the communion of saints,
the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,
and the life everlasting. Amen.
°universal

***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.

****Please be seated**

Faith Like a Child
“Mister Mark” Burrows, Director of Children’s Ministries

***Hymn 172: “My Jesus, I Love Thee” verses 1-3**

Scripture: 1 John 3:18-24
Susan Todd, lay reader
God speaks to us through the reading of scripture.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon Series: I Can Relate
Rev. Lance Marshall, Senior Pastor

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)

Offertory: “Prayer of Mother Teresa”
Craig Courtney, composer
Choral Union
Thomas Williams, director

***Doxology 95**
Praise God, from Whom all blessings flow.
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host.
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

***Benediction**
One: Our gathering will soon be ended. Where will we go, and what
will we do?
All: We will go out to be God’s people in the world.
One: May grace, peace, hope, love, and joy forever accompany you.
Amen.

***Congregational Benediction: “We Are Called”**
We are called to act with justice,
we are called to love tenderly,
we are called to serve one another,
to walk humbly with God!

***Postlude: “Festive Postlude”**
Harold De Cou, composer

Welcome to First United Methodist Church of Fort Worth – we are glad
you’re here to worship with us today!

Please let us know you are here by filling out the attendance pad as it
comes by or registering on-line.

Asterisks (*) indicate times when you are invited to stand as you are able.

In addition to your regular contribution, every one dollar (\$1) bill placed
in the offering plate for the month of October will support the Methodist
Justice Ministry.

The Sanctuary Flowers are given in loving memory of Mary Louise
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