


SACRED SOUNDS

Prayers in the Garden




First Thursdays | February 5 – December 3 | 6:30 pm | Garden or Wesley Hall



THIRD GRADE BIBLE RETREAT & PRESENTATION

OVERNIGHT RETREAT
 March 27-28
 Second Floor
 Children's Wing
 \$25 | Registration required by March 22

BIBLE PRESENTATION
 Sunday, March 29
 9:30 am Gathering
 11:00 am Sanctuary Service



Plot Twists

Stories of Unsettling Grace

Traditional Worship Service
 March 1, 2026 | 11:00 am

Luke 15:1-10

Rev. Lance Marshall, Senior Pastor

Rev. Dr. Jenn Pick, preaching



PEDALS PIPES & PIZZA

Children and youth are invited to explore how a pipe organ is built and played. Activities include hands-on demos, a mini organ build, a short concert by young organists, and pizza.

Saturday, March 7
 10:00 am – 1:00 pm
 Sanctuary | \$10
 Registration Required




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March 27 – 29 | Glen Lake Camp & Retreat Center | \$200

WESLEYAN ADVENTURERS

NATIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR MUSEUM TRIP




Wednesday, March 12 | \$75 | Includes transportation, guided tour, and lunch

THE SECOND ANNUAL UMW

BOOT SCOOTIN' BBQ



Friday, April 10, 2026
 6:00 – 9:00 pm
 The Social Space
 \$75 per person
 Table for 8 | \$850
 Table for 10 | \$1500
 Registration Open!
 Brad Thompson Band
 Cousins BBQ
 DFW Bartenders
 Silent and Live Auction



Welcome

Rev. Lance Marshall, Senior Pastor

Opening Prayer

Organ Voluntary: “Lamb of God, Pure and Sinless”

Michael Burkhardt, composer

Peggy Graff, organist

*Call to Worship

One: In a world that counts what is secure;

All: God goes looking for what is lost.

One: Where others give up and move on;

All: God searches until all are found.

One: Here, the story turns toward mercy.

**All: Let us rejoice in grace that seeks,
and welcome home what was missing. Amen.**

*Hymn 73: “O Worship the King”

*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^o church, the communion of saints,

the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body,

and the life everlasting. Amen.

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*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.

Faith Like a Child

“Mister Mark” Burrows, Director of Children’s Ministries

Choral Call to Prayer: “Come and Find the Quiet Center”

Come and find the quiet center

In the crowded life we lead,

Find the room for hope to enter,

Find the frame where we are freed:

Clear the chaos and the clutter,

Clear our eyes that we can see

All the things that really matter

Be at peace, and simply be.

A Time of Silent Prayer

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-

Scripture: Luke 15:1-10

Tucker Dudley, lay reader

God speaks to us through the reading of scripture.

Thanks be to God.

Sermon Series: Plot Twists: Stories of Unsettling Grace

Dr. Jenn Pick, Associate Pastor

Service of Holy Communion

Hymnal pages 12-13

Invitation

Confession and Pardon

The Great Thanksgiving

Serving the Bread and Cup

Offertory: “Take My Life”

Craig Courtney, arranger

Choral Union

Thomas Williams, director

*Doxology 95

*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: “Lead Me, Guide Me”

Lead me, guide me along the way.

For if you lead me, I cannot stray.

Lord let me walk each day with thee.

Lead me, O Lord, lead me.

*Postlude: “O Love, How Deep”

David Johnson, arranger

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 online.

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 March will support rental assistance through the First Street Methodist Mission.

The Sanctuary Flowers are given on loving memory of my father, John Weeks Davis, by Jamie Davis.

ARE YOU NEW?

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

For details, please email Angie Parish (aparish@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!

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