

During the month of August
please bring **adult tube socks**
to First Street Methodist Mission.

Monday – Thursday | 8:00 am – 4:00 pm
OR the donation bins at the East, West
& Garden entrances on Sunday mornings



Youth Ministries VOLUNTEER TRAINING



Sunday, August 23 | 12:00 – 2:00 pm | Wesley Hall

Youth Parent Meeting



Sunday, August 16 | 9:30 am | Justin Youth Building

UMW SEPTEMBER LUNCHEON

FAILING FORWARD

The Power of Mentorship



Tuesday, September 1 | 11:30 am | Wesley Hall | \$25

BACK TO SCHOOL PARTY



Sunday, August 16 | 2:00 – 7:00 pm | Lyle Lodge | Grades 6th – 12th

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BIBLE STUDY DANIEL



Wednesdays, September 9 – December 16 | Not meet on November 25 | 6:00 pm | Room 350

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Summer of Wonder



Traditional Worship Service
August 9, 2026 | 11:00 am

Psalms 84: 1-11 and Romans 12:9-13

Rev. Lance Marshall, Senior Pastor

Rev. Dr. Mike Marshall, preaching

Prelude: “Praise to the Lord, the Almighty ”

John Behnke, arranger
Dr. Beverly Howard, guest organist

Welcome

Rev. Brenda Brooks Alexander, Associate Pastor

Opening Prayer

***Call to Worship**

One: The love of God shines like the sun,
All: steady, generous, and near.
One: Its warmth softens what has grown cold
All: and awakens life within us.
One: Come, receive this radiant love
All: and carry its warmth into the world. Amen.

***Passing of the Peace**

***Hymn 384: “Love Divine All Loves Excelling”**

New Member Vows and Baptism

Rev. Lance Marshall, Senior Pastor

***Affirmation of Faith 881**

Rev. Brenda Brooks-Alexander, 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.**

Faith Like a Child/Blessing the Backpacks

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

***Hymn 181: “Ye Servants of God ”**

Scripture: Psalm 84:1-11 and Romans 12:9-13

God speaks to us through the reading of scripture.
Thanks be to God.

Sermon Series: Summer of Wonder

Rev. Dr. Mike Marshall, Associate 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: “Draw the Circle”

Mark A. Miller, composer
Summer Choir
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: UMH 733 “Marching to Zion (Refrain)**

**We’re Marching to Zion,
beautiful, beautiful Zion;
we’re marching upward to Zion,
the beautiful city of God”**

***Postlude: “Jubilation”**

Jason Payne, 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 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 August will support the
Food 4 Kids program.

The Sanctuary Flowers are given in loving memory of Jan Snell Dixon
by Michael Dixon & Family

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
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