

## OPPORTUNITIES TO GROW AND SERVE

**SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES** meet each Sunday at **8:45 a.m.** See the weekly eNews or check our website for locations, teachers, and study focus.

**YOGA** meets **Monday through Thursday** mornings at 9:00 a.m. in Wesley Hall Gym. This activity is for ALL AGES. Enjoy gentle to intermediate stretches that increase in intensity through the week. You are encouraged to do what's comfortable for you. **Luanne King, Instructor**

**CHRISTIAN SINGLES' VIDEO STUDY** meets on the **1<sup>st</sup> Monday** from 7:00-8:00 p.m. We continue to study Andy Stanley's "**Christian, It's Not What You Think**", giving you an understanding of what it means to be a disciple of Christ. Come join us at 710 Harrington Dr. **Santhia Collins, Facilitator**

**LAMPLIGHTERS** meet at 2:00 p.m. on the **2<sup>nd</sup> Monday** in the Historic Sanctuary Parlor to sign get well cards and fellowship (we laugh a lot) along with a short devotional.

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY** meets on the **2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesdays** (7:00 p.m.) & **4th Saturdays** (10:00 a.m.) in the Historic Sanctuary Parlor. Rides are available by calling Beth. **Beth Robinson, Facilitator (432.294.0309)**

**LIVING JOY LADIES' BIBLE STUDY** meets on the **1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays** of each month at 9:30 a.m. in the **Historic Sanctuary Parlor** to support each other through prayer and praise and fellowship. Light snacks are always available. All ladies are welcome. **Oceana Wright, Facilitator**

**THE S.O.U.L. Kids** meets All 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> graders meet **every Thursday at 3:00 p.m. for snacks.** Rehearsal begins at 3:15 and ends at 4:15. Singing, Creative Movement, Instruments, Drama, Rewards, and FUN! **Santhia Collins, Director (A second adult is always present.)**

**MOPS and MOMS** meets on the **2nd Thursday** from 7:00-8:00 p.m. in Wesley Hall. For moms of any age child, a group where we can learn, encourage and support each other. Nursery provided for 0-3 and children's program for 4 up. **Kelsey Carter & Patty Brooks, Facilitators**

**THE GOSPEL OF JOHN BIBLE STUDY** meets on the **2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays** at 7:00 p.m. in a **Wesley Hall Classroom.** This is an all adult Bible study where we observe the Scripture, interpret the Scripture, and apply the Scripture to our lives. We learn from the Holy Spirit and each other. **George Shultz, Facilitator**

**XYZ (Xtra Years of Zest)** meets at 11:45 a.m. on the **4<sup>th</sup> Thursday** in the Wesley Hall Gym. Join this senior adult potluck for fellowship with a special speaker. Bring a dish to share if you are able. If not, our great cooks provide more than enough! Just come and enjoy!

**AA of CEDAR HILL** now meets on **Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Fridays at noon and Monday, Thursday, and Friday evenings at 7:00 p.m.** in the Historic Sanctuary. September meetings are open to all.

**SATURDAY MORNING DEVOTIONAL BREAKFAST** meets **every Saturday at 8:00 a.m.** at Dick's Uptown Cafe (610 Uptown Blvd.) Buy your own breakfast. Come join us for fellowship and a short devotional to start the weekend. Following breakfast, you may come to the church to help with yard maintenance.

**GAME NIGHT AND DESSERT POTLUCK** meets on **5<sup>th</sup> Saturdays at 4:00-5:00 p.m.** in the Historic Sanctuary Parlor. Our next game night is February 29th.

**FREE COUNTRY WESTERN DANCE LESSONS** meets **twice a year** at 6:00 p.m. for a fun 2 week class of basic Two-Step, Waltz and Polka and a graduation night. Next session: Saturday, January 11 & 18, 2020

**Santhia Collins, Instructor**



*making disciples... since 1854*

# First United Methodist Church of Cedar Hill

December 15, 2019



## Mary's Song - Magnificat Luke 1:46-55

Dr. Keva Green

# ORDER OF WORSHIP

<b>Prelude</b>	Instruments of Thy Peace
<b>Worship Video</b>	Schubert <i>Ave Maria</i>
<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>	Dr. Keva Green
<b>*Welcome Others to Worship</b>	Congregation <i>Rejoice, Rejoice!</i> See screen
<b>Lighting of the Advent Candle</b>	
<b>Choral Response</b>	The Chancel Choir
<b>*Call to Worship</b>	The Wesley Class
<b>Magnificat</b>	Hymn #199
<b>Choral Response</b>	The Chancel Choir
<b>Opening Prayer</b>	The Wesley Class
<b>*Praise Medley</b>	
<i>Holy, Holy, Holy</i>	UMH #64
<i>Good Christian Friends, Rejoice</i>	UMH #224
<i>Hark! The Herald Angels Sing</i>	UMH #240
<b>*Affirmation of Faith</b>	UMH #881
<b>*Gloria Patri</b>	UMH #70
<b>Ministry Minute</b>	New C.E.P. Director We welcome Cherrill Foster
<b>Meditation Moment</b>	Jeremy McKissack
<b>Pastoral Prayer</b>	Dr. Keva Green
<b>with The Lord's Prayer</b>	UMH #895
<b>Worship through Giving</b>	The Revelation Ringers <i>A Simple Celebration</i>
	<small>*You may give on Paypal app or click on "DONATE" at 1stCH.org</small>
<b>*Doxology</b>	UMH #94

**\*Prayer of Thanksgiving** Dr. Keva Green  
**Dear God, you have blessed us with the gift of your Son, and indeed, with the gift of life itself. Out of all these blessings, we give you back these offerings this day. Knowing that your promises will be fulfilled, we pledge our lives to you in anticipation of the coming of the One who brings us peace. Amen.**

**Song of Preparation** See screen  
*What Child Is This?*  
 (Children leave for Children's Church)

**Message through Song** Santhia Collins  
*Mary Did You Know?*

**Message** Dr. Keva Green  
 Mary's Song - Magnificat  
 Luke 1:46-55

**Hymn of Response** UMH #251  
*Go, Tell It On the Mountain*

**\*Benediction** Dr. Keva Green

**\*Benediction Chorus** See Screen  
 Go, Tell It On the Mountain (Refrain)

**Postlude** Instruments of Thy Peace

\*Indicates when to stand in body or spirit.  
 ~Children's Bulletins are in the narthex  
 ~Sermons are available on our website: [1stCH.org](http://1stCH.org)

# FAITH WALK

## WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

**"For nothing is impossible with God."  
 Luke 1:37**

**TONIGHT  
 A BABY CHANGES  
 EVERYTHING!  
 ... A THOUGHTFUL CHRISTMAS**

Sunday, December 15, 2019  
 7:00 p.m.

The Chancel Choir  
 The Revelation Ringers  
 The Celebration Ringers  
 The S.O.U.L. Kids  
 Instruments of Thy Peace  
 Acting in Faith  
 Santa, with a gift for each child

**Invite someone to join you!**

## Sunday, December 22

**Lessons and Carols Service**  
 10:00 a.m.  
**Blue Christmas Service, a service of hope**  
 4:00 p.m.  
**Caroling**  
 6:00 p.m.

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# CALENDAR

	<u>Monday – Thursday</u>
9:00 a.m.	Yoga
	<u>Monday – Friday</u>
6:30 a.m.	Child Enrichment Program
8:00 a.m.	High Rise Day Habilitation
	<u>Mo, Th, Fri</u>
7:00 p.m.	*AA – Cedar Hill Group
	<u>Tu, We, Fri</u>
Noon	*AA – Cedar Hill Group
	<small>*Check church website for open/closed meetings</small>

## Sunday, December 15

8:45 a.m.	Sunday School Classes
9:30 a.m.	Katie's Library is open
9:30 a.m.	Holy Grounds Coffee Shop
10:00 a.m.	Celebrate! Worship!
11:00 a.m.	Katie's Library is open
3:00 p.m.	Crossfire (Youth)
7:00 p.m.	Music and Worship Arts Presentation:

***A BABY CHANGES EVERYTHING!***

## Monday, December 16

## Tuesday, December 17

## Wednesday, December 18

## Thursday, December 19

11:45 a.m. XYZ catered luncheon in the Narthex (Main Sanctuary)

## Friday, December 20

## Saturday, December 21

8:00 a.m. Breakfast at Dick's Uptown  
 9:00 a.m. Weekly Church Yard Workday