

Opportunities to Grow

SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS Sunday at 9:00 a.m. online. Everyone is welcome to join the class to study the Book of Luke. **Mike Immler, Facilitator**

YOUTH GROUP meets every Wednesday from 5:00 to 8:00 p.m. for Open Gym (games, homework help). Dinner is served at 6:30 p.m. and Group Chat LIVE is at 7:00 p.m.

PRAYER MEETING every Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. online. **George Shultz, Facilitator.**

LIVING JOY LADIES' BIBLE STUDY meets online the 1st & 3rd Thursdays of each month at 10:30 a.m. to support each other through prayer and praise and fellowship. All ladies are welcome. **Judy Zuckerbrow, Facilitator**

ACTS OF THE APOSTLES BIBLE STUDY meets at 7:00 p.m. 2nd & 4th Thursdays of each month online. This is a verse-by-verse study of Acts where we observe and interpret the Scripture, and apply the Scripture to our lives. Everyone is welcome. **George Shultz, Facilitator**

SATURDAY MORNING BREAKFAST meets every Saturday at 7:30 a.m. at Dick's Uptown Cafe (610 Uptown Blvd.). Buy your own breakfast and join us for fellowship, a devotional, and mowing the lawn at the church, if you are able.

Praise & Prayer

Praise God for:

- John Parrott - recovering well from Covid
- Being Debt Free
- Tommy (grandson of Barbara & Tom Knoy) - recovered from Covid
- Patricia Lindkvist (mother of Pam Smith) - loves new assisted living center; continued prayers for better health

Pray for:

- peace in our schools; healing for all affected by school violence
- Karla Roman – peace, comfort with loss of her aunt, Silvina Saucedo, to Covid
- Jan (sister of Mike Immler) - healing from lung issues
- Doug & Jeri Barnett - safe travels on vacation
- Patty Brooks - skin to heal after surgery; avoid skin graft
- Kristin Jordan (daughter of friend of Carol Roddy) - healing, recovery from severe burns
- Randy Vincent and brother, Lonnie - healing after recent hospitalizations
- family of Glenn Clark - peace, comfort with his passing
- family of Selma Dietz (relative of Keva Green) - peace, comfort with her passing at 103
- family of Mercedes Cowley (sister-in-law of our DS) - peace with her passing from Covid complications
- less violence, restored peace in Cameroon
- son & daughter-in-law of member to find love for each other again
- peace in our families



First United Methodist Church of Cedar Hill, Texas

Making disciples ... since 1854



October 10, 2021

Walking with God ... Taking a Stand Against Evil

1 Kings 17-19

Dr. Keva Green

Order of Worship

*Please stand as you are able.

Prelude		Grace Anderson
Welcome & Announcements		Dr. George Shultz
*Opening Chorus	<i>O Come, All Ye Faithful</i> (refrain, UMH #234)	Congregation
*Call to Worship		Jim Strickland
Leader:	We have a choice to make: The Lord God Almighty or the things of this world? As the prophet Elijah declared long ago: “How long does it take to make up your mind? If the Lord is God, then follow him.”	
People:	The Lord is our God and greatly to be praised. We will declare God’s glory among the nations and celebrate God’s love among all races on earth	
All:	Let us worship and praise our Lord.	
Opening Prayer		Jim Strickland
*Hymns of Praise	<i>Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee</i> (UMH #89) <i>O Worship the King</i> (UMH #73)	Congregation
*Affirmation of Faith (UMH #881)		Congregation
*Gloria Patri (UMH #70)		Congregation
Ministry Minute	Prayer Partners (Children may leave for Children’s Church)	Dr. Keva Green
Pastoral Prayer with The Lord’s Prayer (UMH #895)		Dr. George Shultz
Worship through Giving		Grace Anderson
*Doxology (UMH #95)		Congregation
Prayer of Thanksgiving		Dr. George Shultz
	Lord, you alone are God. We humbly come before you today bringing our tithes, gifts and offerings. We thank you for blessing us beyond anything we could ever imagine. And so, we faithfully give back to you as you have commanded us. May we honor you with these gifts and with our lives. To your glory! Amen.	
Scripture Reading	1 Kings 18:36-39	Jim Strickland
Preparing our Hearts	<i>Be Still, My Soul</i> (UMH #534)	Congregation
Message	Walking with God... Taking a Stand Against Evil	Dr. Keva Green
*Hymn of Response	<i>Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah</i> (UMH #127)	Congregation
*Benediction		Dr. Keva Green
*Benediction Chorus	<i>My Hope Is Built</i> (refrain, UMH #368)	Congregation
Postlude		Grace Anderson

Calendar

Monday through Saturday

10:00 a.m. Where Have You Seen God
10@10 devotional, Facebook

Monday – Friday

7:00 a.m. Child Enrichment Program

Monday – Thursday

8:00 a.m. High Rise Day Habilitation

Sunday, October 10

9:00 a.m. Sunday School class, online
9:45 a.m. Children’s Moment, Facebook
10:00 a.m. Worship Service
4:00 p.m. Hymn Sing, Facebook

Monday, October 11

7:00 p.m. GriefShare, Main Sanctuary
classroom

Tuesday, October 12

7:00 p.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry, Main
Sanctuary classroom

Wednesday, October 13

5:00 p.m. Youth Group, gym
7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting, online

Thursday, October 14

7:00 p.m. Acts of the Apostles Bible
Study, online

Friday, October 15

Saturday, October 16

7:30 a.m. Breakfast & Devotional,
Dick’s Uptown Café ,
8:30 a.m. Weekly Church Yard Work

Our Vision

**To make disciples of Jesus Christ
for the transformation of the world**

Ministry

**Join us for Lunch on the Lawn:
Our Church Family Celebration of All That
God is Doing in Our Lives
after worship next Sunday, October 17**



You may give your tithes and offerings by using the church website. Click the “DONATE” button at 1stCH.org, which will take you to PayPal, or go directly to the Paypal app, and use the email address (office@1stch.org). With PayPal you can include a note to seller to indicate if your donation is for a special purpose. You can also mail your gift to FUMC, P.O. Box 187, Cedar Hill, TX 75106. Thank you!

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