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### Our Vision

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

## Praise & Prayer

### Praise God for:

- Christmas Eve services touching so many
- new year to love and serve others
- a friend's coming to the Lord
- our loving, generous church family
- Dale Curtis' new niece, Gianna Marie Patton
- New member, Nancy Herndon
- safe release of missionaries in Haiti

### Pray for:

- a year of less Covid, violence and more love and care for others
- relief, comfort for those affected by storms whether physical or spiritual
- Hope Zuckerbrow (granddaughter of Howard & Judy Z.) - restoration of her values, faith & family
- political prisoners
- a blessed, meaningful Christmas for all
- Patricia Lindkvist (mother of Pam Smith) - ease of pain
- Diana Nichols (friend of Jerry & Mary White) - cancer treatment
- Stuart Nielson (father of Curt Nielson) - continued prayers
- safe travels for all
- Dave Dickerson, Jr. & family - lost their home in house fire
- Jim Strickland - throat ulcer
- Susan Rickner - upcoming tests and procedures
- Caren Wilson (friend of Brenda Oldfield) - peace, comfort for her family with her passing



# First United Methodist Church of Cedar Hill, Texas

Making disciples ... since 1854



*"Behold,*  
THE NEW HAS COME."

2 Corinthians 5:17 ESV

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**A New Year - A New Life**

**2 Corinthians 5:17-20**

**David Evans**

**January 2, 2022**

# Order of Worship

\*Please stand as you are able.

Prelude		Grace Anderson
Welcome & Announcements		Dr. George Shultz
*Opening Chorus	<i>Here I am to Worship (W&amp;S #229)</i>	Congregation
*Call to Worship (from Psalm 96)		Dave Dickerson
	Leader: Sing to the Lord a new song;	
	<b>People: Sing to the Lord all the earth.</b>	
	Leader: Sing to the Lord, praise his name;	
	<b>People: proclaim his salvation day after day.</b>	
	Leader: Declare his glory among the nations,	
	<b>People: his marvelous deeds among all the peoples.</b>	
	<b>All: He will judge the world in righteousness and the peoples in his faithfulness.</b>	
Opening Prayer		Dave Dickerson
*Hymns of Praise	<i>Morning Has Broken (UMH #145)</i>	Congregation
	<i>Hymn of Promise (UMH #707)</i>	
*Affirmation of Faith (UMH # 881)		Dr. George Shultz
*Gloria Patri (UMH # 70)		Congregation
	(Children may leave for Children's Church.)	
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
	<b>Heavenly Father, you have been faithful to sustain us this past year. We thank you for your goodness towards us. Above all, we thank you for Jesus Christ, who is the foundation of our hope. Today, we offer our tithes, gifts, and offerings, and our very lives to you, because you are worthy. Be with us in the new year and lead us to greater service. Through Jesus Christ our Lord, Amen.</b>	
Scripture Reading	2 Corinthians 5:17-20	John Monroe
Preparing our Hearts	<i>Change My Heart, O God (TFWS#2152)</i>	Congregation
Message	A New Year - A New Life	David Evans
*Hymn of Response	<i>Have Thine Own Way, Lord (UMH #382)</i>	Congregation
*Benediction		Dr. George Shultz
*Benediction Chorus	<i>Change My Heart, O God (refrain,TFWS#2152)</i>	Congregation
Postude		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, January 2

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

## Monday, January 3

7:00 p.m. GriefShare, Wesley Hall

## Tuesday, January 4

## Wednesday, January 5

5:00 p.m. Youth Group, gym  
7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting, online -Zoom  
7:00 p.m. Choir Practice, Main  
Sanctuary

## Thursday, January 6

10:30 a.m. Living Joy Bible Study, Historic  
Sanctuary Parlor & Zoom

## Friday, January 7

## Saturday, January 8

7:30 a.m. Breakfast & Devotional, Dick's  
Uptown Cafe  
8:30 a.m. Yard Work on campus

## Church Office Hours

Monday through Thursday,

9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

# Ministry

## New Opportunity to Grow

The newly formed **FUMC Men's Group** will meet on **Thursday, January 13 at 11:45 a.m.** at Chili's Restaurant in Cedar Hill. This group is just starting and we invite all men to join the group.

**Living Joy Ladies' Bible Study** will meet **in person** in the **Historic Sanctuary Parlor** on **Thursday, January 6 at 10:30 a.m.** All ladies are welcome to join us for prayer, study, and fellowship.

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## Giving

You may give your tithes and offerings by using the church website. Click the "DONATE" button at [1stCH.org](https://www.1stch.org/), which will take you to PayPal. You can also go directly to the Paypal app, and use the email address [office@1stch.org](mailto:office@1stch.org).

With PayPal you can include a note to indicate if your donation is for a special purpose. You can also mail your tithe to FUMC, P.O. Box 187, Cedar Hill, TX, 75106. Thank you!