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### Our Vision

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

## Praise & Prayer

### Praise God for:

- Our church & church family

### Pray for:

- Family of Jim Skibo—peace and comfort with his passing
- Martha Hickman (sister of Nell Strother) - recovering from broken femur
- Sarah Nichols (friend of Brenda Oldfield) - fighting breast cancer
- Bob & McKenzie Sorsby (family of Katherine and Dan Smith) - Bob is fighting colon cancer
- Betty Crossland (cousin of Nell Strother) - in ICU from stroke
- Fred Yarling—comfort and healing, in hospital with fluid on his lung(s)
- Tina Fitch—surgery postponed until February 13, prayers for peace/patience
- Family of Jan Edwards (friend of Carol Roddy) - peace and comfort with her passing
- Debbie Scott (relative of Scott Stegner) - prayers for success of multiple surgeries resulting from automobile accident
- Sheri Ketchum—good health and good test results
- Charles Bryant Family—grief and sorrow for a life well-lived
- Marti Mason Kavanaugh—prayers for return of energy level and continued progress
- David Hubler-continued healing recovery from his back surgery
- Josh Heathman (son of Laina Heathman)- deployment to Qatar for 2023
- CEP Administrative Board as they work to reopen CEP
- Donna & Jim Strickland



# First United Methodist Church of Cedar Hill, Texas

Making disciples ... since 1854



**Shining Through**

**Matthew 5:1-12**

**Rev. Preston Weaver**

**January 29, 2023**

# Order of Worship

\*Please stand as you are able.

<b>Prelude</b>		Grace Capshaw
<b>Welcome &amp; Announcements</b>		George Shultz
<b>*Opening Chorus</b>	<i>My Tribute (UMH #99)</i>	Congregation
<b>*Call to Worship</b>		Dale Curtis
Leader:	Let us gather as they gathered on the Mount of Olives. Let us remember the teachings of the law, psalms, and prophets.	
<b>People:</b>	<b>We gather as one body praising God for sending His Son, Jesus Christ!</b>	
Leader:	Let us gather as they gathered when Jesus fed thousands with a few fish and loaves of bread.	
<b>People:</b>	<b>We gather to share our bounty with our sisters and brothers as an expression of our love for Christ and for one another!</b>	
Leader:	Let us remember to always rejoice.	
<b>All:</b>	<b>We will rejoice, as Jesus teaches us that our reward is great in heaven! Amen!</b>	
<b>Opening Prayer</b>		Dale Curtis
<b>*Hymn of Praise</b>	<i>Now Thank We All Our God (UMH #102)</i>	Congregation
<b>*Affirmation of Faith (UMH # 881)</b>		George Shultz
<b>*Gloria Patri (UMH # 70)</b>		Congregation
<b>Pastoral Prayer with The Lord's Prayer (UMH #895)</b>		Rev. Preston Weaver
	(Children thru 4th grade may leave for Children's Church)	
<b>Worship through Giving</b>		George Shultz
<b>Offertory</b>	<i>Praise to the Lord, the Almighty</i>	Rev. Weaver/Randall Capshaw
<b>*Doxology (UMH #95)</b>		Congregation
<b>*Prayer of Thanksgiving</b>		Rev. Preston Weaver
<b>Preparing our Hearts</b>	<i>O Master Let Me Walk with Thee (UMH #430)</i>	Congregation
<b>Scripture Reading</b>	Matthew 5:1-12	Dale Curtis
<b>Message</b>	Shining Through	Rev. Preston Weaver
<b>*Hymn of Response</b>	<i>Shine, Jesus, Shine (TFWS #2173)</i>	Congregation
<b>*Benediction</b>		Rev. Preston Weaver
<b>*Benediction Chorus</b>	<i>Shine, Jesus, Shine (TFWS #2173)</i>	Congregation
<b>Postlude</b>		Grace Capshaw

# Calendar

## Monday through Saturday

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

## Church Office Hours

Mon. - Thurs. 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

## Monday – Friday

8:00 a.m. High Rise Day Habilitation

## Monday, January 30

7:00 p.m. Cub Scouts, Wesley Hall Gym

## Tuesday, January 31

9:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Yoga, Wesley Hall

7:00 p.m. Scouts 520B & 520G, Wesley Hall Gym

## Wednesday, February 1

5:00 p.m. Youth Group/ Kids Club, Wesley Hall gym

7:00 p.m. Choir, Main Sanctuary

7:00 p.m. Prayer Meeting, online -Zoom

## Thursday, February 2

9:00 a.m. & 6:30 p.m. Yoga, Wesley Hall

10:30 a.m. Ladies' Living Joy Bible Study, Historic Sanctuary Parlor

## Friday, February 3

## Saturday, February 4

10:00 a.m. Prayer Shawl Ministry, Historic Sanctuary Parlor

## Sunday, February 5

9:00 a.m. Adult Sunday school classes, Partners & Friends, Wesley Hall classroom; Wesley Class, behind Main Sanctuary

10:00 a.m. Worship Service, Main Sanctuary

# Ministry

## Memory Verse

“Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven...”

Matthew 5:12



## Raise Your Hand!

Do you have an interest in supporting the church through serving on one of our many committees? Here are a few examples!

- Staff-Parish Relations
- Trustees
- Finance
- Outreach
- Missions
- Stewardship
- Worship
- Heart Team

Please contact Pastor Weaver or the church office this week!