

WHAT'S HAPPENING

Weekly Events:

- Mon. 6:00pm Gerry's Quilt Class, Criswell Hall
- Tue 9:00am Tai Chi, Chriswell Hall
- 10:00am Sew 'n Sews, McMillen Room #113
- 11:00am Chair Yoga, Criswell Hall
- 7:00PM Trustees McMillen Room #113
- 7:30pm Friendly Neighborhood Big Band Rehearsal, Criswell Hall
- Wed. 9:00am Church Work Morning
- 10:00am UWF Sterring Committee, Library
- 1:30pm Mission Team, McMillen Room #113
- Thu. 9:00am Tai Chi, Chriswell Hall
- 10:00am Staff Parish, McMillen Room #113
- 11:00am Chair Yoga, Criswell Hall
- 11:30am Nominations Committee, Mc Millen Room #113l
- Fri. 10:00am Knitting & Crocheting Parks & Recreation, Criswell Hall
- Sat. 3:00pm Youth Group, 4pm Leaders, 5:30pm dinner
- Sun. 8:30am Informal Worship Service
- 10:30am Traditional Worship Service

HOSPITALITY: Today hosted by Daughter's of Grace Circle
 July 12th will be hosted by Fellowship Ministry

ATTENDANCE						
WEEK	8:30	10:30	IN- PERSON	VIDEO	TOTAL	STEWARDSHIP
June 07	41	75	116	17	133	\$13,557
June 14	46	80	126		126	\$4,002
June 21	40	76	116	25	141	\$3,743
June 28	37	57	94		94	
Weekly Needed: \$7,175						
YTD Received: \$338,096			YTD Needed \$365,009			

Assisting in today's service –

Pastor: Rev. Wesley Thompson, **Liturgist:** Rose Ann Steiner, **Organ:** Brad Bettencourt,
Piano/Keyboard: Dennis Eiler, **Sound Tech:** Adrian Paredes, **Video:** Susan Thronson
Special Music: Deb Bradley, Dennis Eiler.



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July 07, 2026

10:30 am

Open Hearts. Open Minds. Open Doors
The People of The United Methodist Church



PRELUDE "We Shall Behold Him" Dottie Rambo

INTROIT "Just a Closer Walk with Thee" (vs 1) TFWS #2158

CALL TO WORSHIP*

We gather to worship God with our full, imperfect selves.

We come to delight in the law of God, who is Love.

We gather as people who don't always know what to do in the face of difficult and complex circumstances.

We come to delight in the law of God, who is Love.

We gather as people who desire to follow God with our actions but struggle to connect what we want to do with what we actually do.

We come to delight in the law of God, who is Love.

Whether you come to worship today wondering if there is anything good left in the world or rejoicing in the small moments of goodness that remind you grace is still at work among us, you are welcome here.

We come to delight in the law of God, whose grace shows us how to live, work, play, and rest as a community of faith woven together by Love. Amen.

OPENING HYMN* "Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing" No.400

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

God of heaven and earth, we gather in Your presence with thanksgiving and praise for the way in which You have revealed Yourself to us. Through Jesus Christ, your Son, we have come to know and love You; we have witnessed Your love and mercy in action; we have caught a glimpse of Your heart, and we have received the call to follow. Continue to reveal Yourself to us as we worship. May Your Holy Spirit open our minds and hearts to Your presence here, and to the word that You have for us this morning. We long to meet You here, and to know You better. In the name of Jesus Christ, Your Son and our Savior. Amen.

SPECIAL MUSIC "Gather Us In" TFWS #2236

SCRIPTURE Matthew 11:16-19, 25-30

CHILDREN AND YOUTH MOMENT

We invite all children and youth to participate in this intergenerational time of learning about Jesus.

Christina Cuddy, Youth Leader

Mary Whitson Messenger

**O God, we thank you for blessing us with the gift of children.
May they learn the stories of Jesus. May we share their joy. Amen.**

A TIME OF PRAYER

Call to Prayer "Cares Chorus" TFWS #2215

Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Response "Cares Chorus" TFWS #2215

SERMON: Rest

OFFERING

Call to Stewardship and Mission

Offertory "Lord, I Need You" Reeves, Stanfill, Maher

Doxology/Prayer of Dedication*

EUCCHARIST "Breathe" Marie Barnett

CLOSING HYMN* "What A Friend We Have In Jesus" No. 526

BENEDICTION*

May Christ who dwells in us continue to do good work in us, blessing us with grace and perseverance to continue on in the journey of faith as we grow into the image of Christ more and more every day. Amen.

RESPONSE "America" [My Country, Tis A Thee] (vs 1,4) No. 697

POSTLUDE "This Is My Country" Arr. By Roy Ringwald

*Please stand as able