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Sunday school classes for children, youth, college and adults meet at 10:00am every Sunday. Adult class topics are located at the Sanctuary doors and front reception desk.
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Handicap accessible restrooms located in the Gallery (second floor)
Assisted listening devices are available; please ask an usher to obtain one.
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Childcare is provided from 8:45am-12:15pm for the preschool program.

Helping Us Worship Today

- Chancel Guild**
Preparing Communion for us today are: Lori Eagleton, Randy Eagleton, Ann Lesok and Mandy Teichelman.
- Chancel Flowers**
The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of **Allan L. Graham** by his family

Worship Bags for Children
Are available at the Gallery door. Check out this new way to engage our children in worship. Please return the Worship Bags after worship.



Photos from UCC's Community Tailgate

OUR MINISTRY TEAM:
Rev. Dr. Chuck Rolen, Interim Senior Minister; Rev. Cyndy W. Twedell, Senior Associate Minister; Rev. Shannon Moore, Associate Minister; Rev. Dr. Todd Prickett, Minister of Music; Rev. Jessica Vacketta, Associate Minister for Adults and College; Rev. Kera Watts, Associate Minister for Children; Rev. Tom Reeder, Youth Ministry Advisor; Tyler Heston, Assistant Minister for Youth; Josh Jackson, Assistant Minister for Youth; Kyla K. Rosenberger, Senior Organist; Joshua Ridenour, Organ Scholar

OUR MISSIONARY PARTNERS:
Paul Turner, Democratic Republic of Congo | Elena Huegel, Mexico.

LEARN MORE ABOUT:
Our ministries at UniversityChristian.org | The Disciples of Christ, visit disciples.org



Open minds,
loving hearts

This Week AT UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH



Journey to Generosity—UCC Stewardship 2018!

Our goal for campaign completion is October 29! If you have not already done so, please prayerfully consider your pledge commitment and respond today by turning in your pledge card or pledge online www.universitychristian.org.

Boar's Head Cast Sign-Ups

October 22 & 29 | 8:30am-12:30pm

Sign up in The Arches to be a part of the cast and crew.



Habitat Disciples Build Launch Events

Sign 2x4's in the Gallery after services then join us at **3:00pm** in **Walker Hall** as we begin preparations to build a Disciples Habitat House.

Church & the Arts Museum Tour

Today | 12:30pm · Amon Carter Museum

Join other UCC art lovers in a free tour of the "Wild Spaces, Open Seasons" exhibit this afternoon. Meet at the museum information desk at 12:30 pm.

All Saints Sunday | November 5

We invite all to join us as the Chancel Choir leads this special service. If you would like the name of a friend or loved one to be included on the list of those we remember, please contact Pam Reeser, pam@uccftw.com, by October 30.



UCC 101: How Things Get Done

Today | 10:00am · Room 207

Are you curious about processes, leadership teams and the inner workings of UCC? Jeanne Duke will explain how things get done at UCC.

Trunk or Treat! October 29 | 5:00-6:30pm

Be a part of this UCC community event.

Come to experience family, fun, food and fellowship. Volunteer to decorate your trunk or donate candy.



Sanctuary New LED Lighting Demo

Tuesday, October 23 | 6:00pm · Sanctuary

All are invited to meet Jack Stewart for a short 10-15 minute lighting demo.

"The Guys" Movie Night

Thursday, October 26 | 6:00pm · Room 207

The Guys will be watching "Book of Eli". Please bring \$5 if you want dinner. Sign up today in the Arches or contact Keith Miller 817-201-4479.

Youth Fall Retreats at Disciples Crossing

The Chi Rho Fall Retreat (grades 6-8) is November 3-5, and the CYF Fall Retreat (grades 9-12) is November 10-12.



CONGREGATIONAL GOVERNANCE

Assembly Meeting | Tuesday, October 23 · 6:30pm | Walker Hall

www.UniversityChristian.org

Upcoming AT UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

For more information, details or to register for the following, visit our website, UniversityChristian.org



Free Flu Shots for Adults

Sunday, October 29 | 9:30am-11:30am
Free flu shots for adults will be available in Walker Hall.



Thanksgiving Basket Donations

Starting November 1, help provide a meal to families living below poverty level. Please donate the specific food items listed on the Thanksgiving Baskets Donation form or give a monetary donation. **Save the Date for the Pack Party on November 19.**



Good News, Good Brews

Wednesdays | 8:00pm
Join us this week at the Ginger Man on Camp Bowie! This week we will meet for fellowship, no reading assignment.



Friendly Folks

We're looking for a few friendly folks to welcome the people seated around you at each service on Sunday mornings. Contact Cyndy at cyndy@uccftw.com.



Wednesdays Bible Study

Wednesdays at 10am, Dr. Bobby Wayne Cook will begin a comprehensive series working through Dr. Eugene Boring's Book, *An Introduction to the New Testament*.



Room In The Inn Training

Sunday, November 5 | 2:00 pm · Room 207. Join us as UCC is hosting a training for volunteers. Sign up by emailing Carol Stewart, carolmstewart@sbcglobal.net.



Prayer Workshop

November 11 | 9:00am-2:00pm
Register online by November 1 for a one-day, \$20 introductory workshop on contemplative prayer. Childcare will be available and is free for UCC members.



TCU Football Parking Volunteers

We need you! Youth (grades 6-12) and parents help fundraise by parking cars in our church lots.
Contact: vanessa.taber@uccftw.com



Café Bella

Support hurricane recovery and enjoy a wonderful meal. **All day Tuesday, November 7**, Café Bella will donate a percentage of your bill to Puerto Rico recovery. Let them know you're with UCC.



Spiritual Gifts Inventory

Postponed. New date TBD.



Recovery:

We pray for those affected by the wildfires in California, and for those recovering from recent hurricanes and other natural disasters. Visit www.weekofcompassion.org and designate where you would like your gift to go. 100% of your gifts will go to help in these areas.



Give via text to 817-241-2780

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A Disciples of Christ Congregation



The Passing of the Peace is one of the most ancient worship responses. Having received Christ's peace, we pass it on.

You can find today's scripture reading on page 80 of the Old Testament in your pew Bible.

This morning's anthem is a brand-new setting of Martin Luther's famous hymn with the exciting addition of percussion instruments. The melody is set in its original rhythmic form, thereby enhancing the nuances of the text. The lyrics may be found in the Chalice Hymnal #65.

The Sermon is a message based on a scripture reading that proclaims the good news of Jesus Christ.

University Christian Church is a warm community that welcomes everyone to the table. If you proclaim Jesus as the Christ and would like to partner with us on your journey of faith, we invite you to come forward during the Hymn of Discipleship or speak to a minister after worship.

The Peace

One: The peace of the Lord be with you.
All: And also with you.

*** (11:00am) Hymn 353, stanzas 1 & 4**

Come to Me, O Weary Traveler

Hymn Tune: AUSTIN

1st-3rd Graders: During 11:00am worship, join a Worship and Wonder leader in the Gallery and return to the Sanctuary during the Hymn of Discipleship.

Scripture | Exodus 33:12-23

Art Keim, reader

Congregational Response

One: The Word of God, for the people of God.
All: Thanks be to God.

(11:00am) Anthem | A Mighty Fortress Is Our God

arr. Michael E. Ekblad

Chancel Choir, percussion and Dr. Todd Prickett, choirmaster

Sermon | Refuge in the Cleft of the Rock

Reverend Chuck Rolan

***Hymn of Discipleship 77 | On Eagle's Wings**

Hymn Tune: ON EAGLE'S WINGS

(Stanzas will be sung by soloists. Congregation sings each refrain)

***Benediction and Choral Response**

***Ringing of the Tower Bells**

***Postlude | Ein Feste Burg • arr. John Ferguson**

Kyla K. Rosenberger and Joshua Ridenour, organ

Jeffrey Hodge, timpani

Celebration of Worship

October 22, 2017 | 9:00am & 11:00am



*Living the good news of Jesus Christ
with open minds and loving hearts*



The information in these margins will help guide you through worship. If you have any questions, please ask a minister or anyone with a name tag.

Red text is read by the congregation.

Asterisks (*) indicate times when you are invited to stand. Feel free to remain seated if need be.

Gloria Patri (Latin for “Glory be to the Father”) is an ancient prayer of praise. Early Christians usually referred to God in masculine terms. You might sing “Mother” or “Creator” instead of “Father,” depending on how you think about God.

Prelude

The God of Abraham Praise • arr. Flor Peeters
Kyla K. Rosenberger, organ

Ringling of the Tower Bells and Procession of the Acolytes

Acolytes: (9:00am) Eric Self and Emerson Self
(11:00am) Ward Butler and Celia Miller Pitt

Welcome and Call to Worship

Tyler Heston

*Processional Hymn 24 | *The God of Abraham Praise*

Hymn Tune: LEONI

*Litany of Praise

One: We gather to worship you, Holy One.

All: Show us your presence, O God.

One: Let the earth shake in your praise!

All: We extol your name, ever-present God!

*Gloria Patri 35: Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost; as it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Prayer for Youth Minister Search Committee and New Sr. Minister

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Reverend Tom Reeder

Call to Prayer

One: The Lord be with you.

All: And with your spirit.

One: Let us pray.

Pastoral Prayer, Lord’s Prayer and Choral Response

All: Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Stewardship Moment

William and Anjie Butler

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

(9:00am) *A Mighty Fortress Is Our God* • arr. Michael E. Ekblad
Chancel Choir and Dr. Todd Prickett, choirmaster
John Gaal and Jeffrey Hodge, percussion

(11:00am) *Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee* • arr. Nathan Daughtrey
John Gaal, marimba

*The Doxology 46

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;
Praise God, all creatures here below;
Praise God above, ye heavenly host:
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*Prayer of Dedication

Communion Hymn 321, stanzas 1 & 2 | *Break Thou the Bread of Life*

Hymn Tune: BREAD OF LIFE

The Lord’s Supper | Invitation to the Table

The Words of Institution and the Prayers of the Elders
Elders: (9:00am) Bill McCoy, bread and Stacy McCoy, cup
(11:00am) Shirley Branham, bread and Linda Smith, cup

The Sharing of the Bread and the Cup

Aria • Flor Peeters

The Lord’s Prayer is a prayer that Jesus taught his disciples. We say this prayer together each week. It asks God to help us be generous, thankful, and humble.

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Doxology is Greek for “words of glory.” We use this ancient form of praise to thank God as the offering is brought forward with the bread and juice for the Lord’s Supper.

The Lord’s Supper (also called communion) is a celebration of Christ’s love for the world. We share this meal each week and everyone is welcome to participate. Our communion bread is free of gluten, wheat, dairy, yeast, eggs, soy, nuts, and corn.