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Ministers are on call, available after hours and on weekends for pastoral care emergencies.
If you have a need, call us at **817.926.6631** and follow the prompts, fill out the pastoral care request form found at the bottom of our website or email us at pastoralcare@uccftw.com.

GOVERNANCE MEETINGS

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Personnel Meeting • Tuesday, February 12 • 6:30pm | RM 202
Finance Committee Meeting • Tuesday, February 12 • 5:30pm | RM 203
Investment & Endowment Committee Meeting • Wednesday, February 13 • 11:30am | RM 202


HELPING US WORSHIP TODAY

Chancel Guild: Carol Smith, Dan Smith, Kyle Killion
Web Host: William Judd, **Sound:** Rich Darr, **Video:** Jack Stewart, **Radio Annoucer:** Diane Cooper

OUR MINISTRY TEAM:

Rev. Dr. Russ Peterman, Senior Minister; Rev. Renee Hoke, Executive Minister; Rev. Cyndy W. Twedell, Minister of Nurture; Rev. Shannon Moore, Minister of Faith Formation; Rev. Jamie Plunkett, Minister of Youth & Families; Rev. Dr. Todd Prickett, Minister of Music; Rev. Jessica Vacketta, Minister of Connections; Rev. Kera Watts, Minister of Children & Families; Allison Bright, Assistant Minister for Youth; William Judd, Assistant Minister for Youth; Janet Pummill, Senior Organist; Eric Mullins, Assistant Choirmaster; Dr. Amy Stewart, Assistant Organist

AS A GLOBAL MINISTRIES CONGREGATION UCC SUPPORTS AND PRAYS FOR:

Our missionary partners: Elena Huegel, Mexico and Larry and Debbie Colvin, Ghana
This week we pray for:  Sierra Leone and Mission Coworker Nia Sullivan

 AS A GREEN CHALICE CONGREGATION:

UCC joins churches across the country in faithfully caring for God’s creation.

LEARN MORE ABOUT:

Our ministries at UniversityChristian.org | The Disciples of Christ, visit disciples.org



Photos from Chi-Rho (middle school) Midwinter Retreat at Disciples Crossing in Athens, Texas.

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and
in loving memory of Eli Bradford by Allison, Paul, Janie and Jack Bradford.

Welcome TO UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

We choose love—as God does—loving people where they are and giving them the space to doubt, learn, wonder and ask the hard questions.

— Rev. Dr. Russell Peterman • Senior Minister



TODAY

Just Say Know

12:00pm • RM 203 & 207

JYF (Grades 3-5)

5:00pm • RM 211

Youth Snack Supper

6:00pm • RM 312

Youth Groups (Grades 6-12)

6:30pm • 3rd Floor

Worship Bags for Children

Check out this way to engage our children in worship. Worship Bags are available at the Gallery door. Please return them after worship.

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 reception desk.

Childcare

Available for ages infant through kindergarten from 8:45am-12:15pm.

Children & Youth

Weekly Sunday programs for grades 1-12 encourage discipleship through fun and faith-centered activities. Music programs are available. Learn more by visiting our website or by picking up a UCC Journal.

Simple Worship • 9:30am-9:50am | Chapel of the Good Shepherd

This twenty minute, come-as-you-are service is an opportunity to worship in a casual atmosphere.

RECURRING EVENTS

Prayer Shawl Ministry

Sundays • 5:00pm | RM 206

Children's Closet

Mondays & Thursdays • 10:00am-12:00pm

Rose Circle

February 12 • 10:00am | RM 150

Faithfully Fit Forever

Mondays • 4:00pm | RM 205

Wednesdays & Fridays

11:00am | RM 205

Yoga

Mondays • 12:30pm | RM 205

Thursdays • 10:30am | RM 205

Wednesday Bible Study

Wednesdays • 10:00am | RM 203

Room In The Inn

Wednesday Nights &

Thursday Mornings

Sign up online to serve

Needlers

Thursdays • 10:00am | RM 205

Lunch Bunch

Wednesdays • Noon

College Lounge (RM 223)

WiLD Women Book Club

Monday, February 18

6:00pm | Cat City Grill

Tuesday, February 19

11:30am | RM 150

Grab a UCC Journal—it's packed with valuable information!



UCC Journals can be found in the silver stands located near each Sanctuary entrance, by the Front Desk, read online on our website or you can opt in to have one mailed to you.

Opt in to receive the UCC Journal by mail: visit www.universitychristian.org/mail-journal or call Michelle Groom at 817-926-6631.

www.UniversityChristian.org



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A Disciples of Christ Congregation



Featured Events

Register or RSVP for programs and events online at universitychristian.org, click on the Resources tab and then click on Open Registrations.

SERVE

Toiletries Drive • Month of February

All are encouraged to collect: bar soap, toilet tissue, deodorant, razors and shaving cream, shampoo, conditioner and toothpaste. Regular size containers rather than travel size this month for South Central Alliance of Churchess. Donation bins located near the reception desk. **Contact:** Linda Smith, linda.k.smith1954@gmail.com

CONNECT

Welcome Video: Filming Day

Sunday, February 17 • 8:00am-2:00pm

We are excited to have a professional video company capture what guests will experience and what they can expect here at UCC. There will be some filming of worship and Sunday School. **Please grab a yellow nametag to let us know you do not want to be in the video.** Yellow nametags will be located at the front desk, Arches, Gallery and Sanctuary entrances next Sunday.

CONNECT

Connect Dinner

Thursday, February 21

6:00pm-7:30pm | Walker Hall

Gather with us around the table monthly on the Third Thursday of the month to fill your soul and tummies with good conversation, connected community and delicious food prepared by Chef Louise featuring Salmon with Citrus Sauce. College students and children 5 and under eat free, grades 1-12 \$6 and adults \$12. **Your paid reservation makes all the difference—in person in the Gallery on Sunday mornings or online through the church website.**

GROW

Leadership Nomination Recommendation

Make Your Nomination by February 15

Please make recommendations via nomination card—cards and collection boxes can be found in the Arches, Gallery and Front Desk. Online form is available under Open Registrations. Note: One card/form per recommendation.

CONNECT

Belltower Series: Of Many Colors

Presents "The Gospel Train"

Wednesday, February 20 • 7:00pm | Sanctuary

OMC is excited to present many cherished gospel standards in this year's concert, titled "The Gospel Train". Enjoy favorites, including "I Want Jesus to Walk with Me", "The Old Rugged Cross", "O Happy Day" and many others. Please join us and bring a friend! Admission is Free.

CONNECT

Annual Fine Arts Show

Sunday, March 3 • 10:00am-2:00pm | RM 207

Calling all artists of all ages, professional and amateur! You are invited to share and display your artwork at this year's exhibit. Entry forms, located in the Arches or Front Desk, **must be received by February 24.** For more information **contact Judy Williamson, williamsonjudy@rocketmail.com.**

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Weekday School Spring Party • March 22

WDS Spring Party is March 22. Purchase tickets now to party or raffle tickets to raise money for scholarships by emailing robin.doyle@uccftw.com.

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 cup for the Lord’s Supper.

The Lord’s Supper (also called communion) is a celebration of Christ’s love for the world. Christ is the host and invites all to share in this meal. Our communion bread is free of gluten, wheat, dairy, yeast, eggs, soy, nuts, and corn and we also use alcohol-free grape juice.

University Christian Church is dedicated to Living the Good News of Jesus Christ with Open Minds and Loving Hearts. If you proclaim Jesus as the Christ and would like to partner with us on your journey of faith, we invite you to speak to a minister after worship.

***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**

Elders: (9:00am) Roxanne Penix
(11:00am) Elaine Becker

(11:00am) Communion Hymn 424, stanzas 1 & 3

I’m Gonna Eat at the Welcome Table
Hymn Tune: WELCOME TABLE

Invitation to the Table

The Words of Institution and Prayer for the Bread and Cup

Elders: (9:00am) Art Busbey
(11:00am) Shirley Branham

The Sharing of the Bread and the Cup

***Hymn of Discipleship 713, stanzas 1 & 3 | God of Our Life**

Hymn Tune: SANDON

***Benediction and Choral Response**

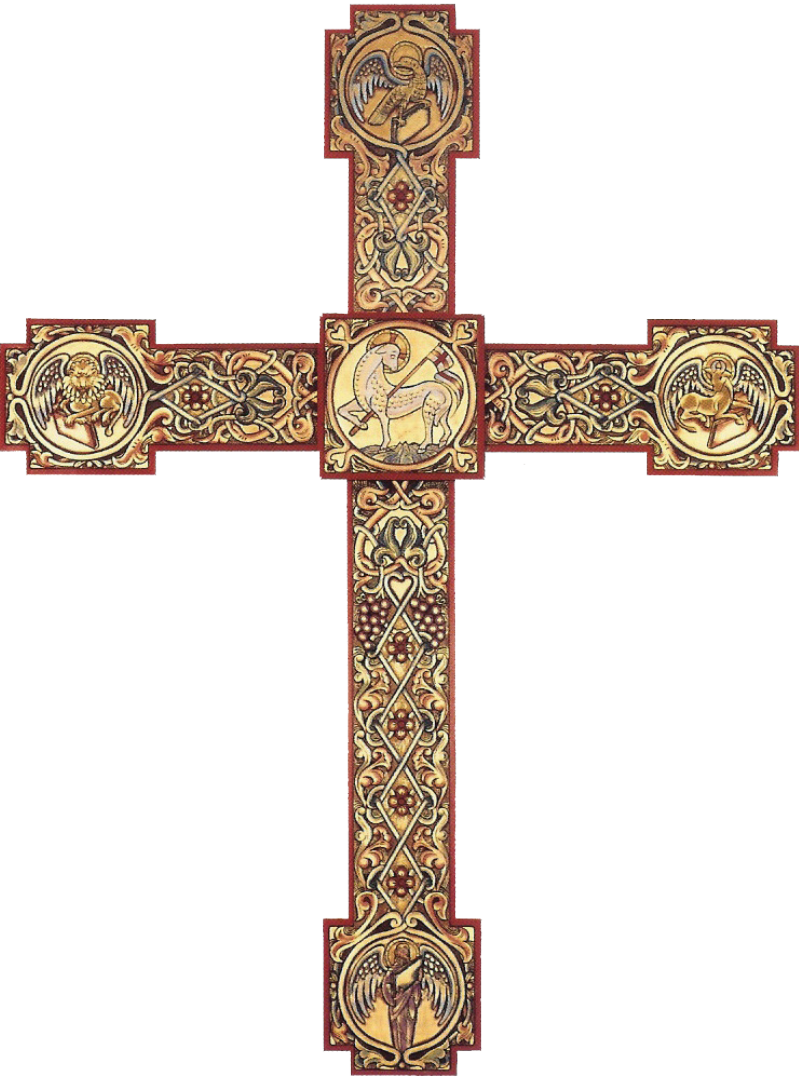
***Ringing of the Tower Bells**

***Postlude**

Postlude on BEACH SPRING • Dale Wood

Celebration of Worship

February 10, 2019 | 9:00am & 11:00am



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

The information in these margins will guide you through worship. If you have any questions, please ask a greeter, usher or minister.

Red text is read by the congregation. Asterisks (*) indicate times when you are invited to stand. Feel free to remain seated if need be.

In our worship, any gender-specific language is meant to apply to all genders, and all references to God are intended to encompass the full character and nature of God. In the Gloria Patri, for instance, you might sing “Mother” or “Creator” instead of “Father”, depending on how you think about God.

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

Prelude

Prelude on ROYAL OAK • Clay Christiansen
Janet Pummill, organ

Ringling of Tower Bells and Procession of Acolytes

(11:00am) Sarah Beth Lo and James Stoner

Welcome and Call to Worship

(9:00am) Reverend Kera Watts
(11:00am) Reverend Shannon Moore

*Processional Hymn 61 | All Things Bright and Beautiful

Hymn Tune: ROYAL OAK

*Litany of Praise

One: We offer praise to the One who beckons us to discipleship.
All: We proclaim the God of Invitation.
One: Where there is sorrow and hurt,
All: We proclaim the God of Compassion.
One: In this time of worship and in our living,
All: We proclaim the God of Love.

*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.

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Reverend Jamie Plunkett

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.

Anthem

Esto Les Digo • Kinley Lange
Texas Boys Choir and Dr. Jason Bishop, artistic director

Esto les digo, si dos de ustedes se ponen en acuerdo aqui en la tierra para pedir algo en oracion, mi padre que esta en el cielo se lo dara.

This I tell you, if two of you settle in agreement here on earth to ask for something in prayer, God who is in heaven will give it to you.

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The Scripture in Context

Reverend Cyndy Twedell

11:00am worship, 1st-3rd graders are invited to join a Worship and Wonder leader in the Gallery. Children will return to the Sanctuary following the sermon.

Scripture | Luke 5:1-11

Reader: Anne Sanders

Congregational Response

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

Sermon | Something’s Fishy

Reverend Cyndy Twedell

*The Peace

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

*Hymn of Response 658, stanzas 1 & 4 | Restless Weaver

Hymn Tune: BEACH SPRING

Invitation to Offering

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

If Ye Love Me • Thomas Tallis
Salmo 150 • Ernani Aguilar

This unaccompanied setting of a Spanish text has been performed widely across the U.S., Europe and South America. The harmony is lush and vibrant with many beautiful non-chord tones. It is contemplative in nature and ends with a soprano solo floating above the choir.

You can find today’s scripture reading on page 62 of the New Testament in your pew Bible.

The Sermon is a message based on scripture that proclaims God’s love and helps to strengthen faith within the gathered community.

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

We are pleased to welcome the Texas Boys Choir to worship this morning. For more than 70 years, Texas Boys Choir has instilled a love of artistic expression and a desire to succeed in its young members. This tradition continues under Dr. D. Jason Bishop, Artistic Director. Audition applications for the 2019-20 school year are currently being accepted until tomorrow, February 11.