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Visit www.universitychristian.org for calendar and program details!

The Newcomers Class, offered for those who are new to UCC, concludes **today** at 10 a.m. in Room 201. All are welcome! Questions are encouraged!

The Week of Compassion Offering, collected **today and February 22**, is used throughout the year and around the world to provide emergency and long-term assistance to people in the aftermath of man-made and natural catastrophes.

Nominations for Church Leaders Deadline is Today! Forms for Board of Deacons and Board of Elders nominations available near the Reception Desk, in The Arches or at universitychristian.org. Board of Stewards and Officers forms, also available.

Free Blood Pressure Checks in The Gallery **today** from 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Women of Valor, the Sunday night women's group, meet **tonight**, 5 p.m. Room 204.

WILD Women Book Club—Monday, February 16, at 6 p.m. at Cat City Grill and **Tuesday, February 17**, at 11:30 a.m. in the UCC Library. Both will discuss *To Kill a Mockingbird* by Harper Lee.

Annual Fat Tuesday Pancake Supper in Fellowship Hall on **February 17**, 6-7:30 p.m. Cost is \$5 per person (\$3 for children under twelve).

GOOD SOIL, GOOD SEEDS, GOOD NEWS! LENT AND EASTER—GROWING INTO RESURRECTION

FEBRUARY 18, ASH WEDNESDAY
6:30 p.m. **WORSHIP** • 7:30-9 p.m. **LABYRINTH WALK**

Receive a weekly **LENTEN DEVOTIONAL**: email “*subscribe*” to lentendevo@uccftw.com

FEBRUARY 22-MARCH 29, SUNDAYS DURING LENT
8:15 a.m. **FALLOW TIME** (*sacred silence*) in Room 206 • 9 & 11 a.m. **WORSHIP**

MARCH 29, PALM SUNDAY
9 & 11 a.m. **WORSHIP** • 5 p.m. **AGAPE FEAST** (*love expressed in sharing & fellowship*)

THURSDAY, APRIL 2, HOLY WEEK WORSHIP
5-6:30 p.m. **LABYRINTH WALK** • 6:30-6:55 p.m. **CANDLELIGHT COMMUNION**
7 p.m. **A SERVICE OF DARKNESS**

APRIL 5, EASTER SUNDAY
6:45 a.m. **COURTYARD SUNRISE SERVICE** • 9 & 11 a.m. **TRADITIONAL WORSHIP**



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Lenten Lunch Bible Study on **Thursday, February 19**, Room 312.
All are invited to join this group from 12-12:45 p.m. as we study *The Way*, by Adam Hamilton. Coffee and water provided, please bring your lunch and a Bible.
Email btuckerlibrary@att.net for more information.

Room In The Inn winter session concludes on **February 22**. Stop by the RITI signup table in the Gallery to learn more about this exciting ministry, various service positions, training opportunities and dates for the summer session.

February Toiletries Drive for South Central Alliance
is collecting toiletries for distribution to families in need in our neighborhood.
Regular size containers please. Collection bin in Reception Area.

Calling all Softball Players! Email jessica@uccftw.com if you are interested in playing on UCC's spring softball team. Games are Friday evenings from mid-March to mid-May at Gateway Park in Fort Worth.

CCSW Leadership Conference—**February 27-March 1** at Azle Christian Church. Log on to the Christian Church in the Southwest website at <http://ccsw.org/disciples-women> and click “registration information” link under Leadership Conference for details.

Men's Day Retreat: *Home on the Range*—A morning of sport shooting at Alpine Range **Saturday, February 28**, \$25. Lunch at Babe's after. Signup in The Arches.

Prom Dreams Volunteer Meeting, **Thursday, March 5**, 5:30 p.m.
in the Prom Dreams Boutique above the Children's Closet.
Email promdreams@uccftw.com for more information.

Calling all Artists! Registration for UCC's 2015 Art Exhibit, **March 22**, is now open. This year's theme is Fine Art. Entry forms are located in The Arches and the Front Desk, deadline is **March 14**. Email cmgk@sbcglobal.net with questions.

Online Worship Bulletin available on the UCC website
under Resources for those who wish to view it from home.

Listen live at 11 a.m. on KTCU FM 88.7 or on universitychristian.org under Resources

Our Missionary Partners

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PROGRAM CONTACTS

Rev. Larry Thomas, Sr. Minister; **Rev. Russ Boyd**, Assoc. Minister for Youth; **Rev. Ellen Lewis**, Assoc. Minister of Administration; **Rev. Cyndy W. Twedell**, Assoc. Minister of Outreach, Women's Ministries and Membership; **Rev. Jessica Vacketta**, Assoc. Minister for Adults and College; **Rev. Christi McDowell**, Assoc. Minister of Pastoral Care, **Alison Nicoll**, Assist. Minister for Middle School; **Michael Yandell**, Assist. Minister for High School; **Kyla K. Rosenberger**, Dir. of Music and Sr. Organist; and **Kera Watts**, Dir. of Children's Ministries.



UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

a Disciples of Christ congregation

February 15, 2015

*Living the Good News of Jesus Christ
with open minds and loving hearts*

CELEBRATION OF WORSHIP

PRELUDE

Processional in D

David N. Johnson

Ringing of the Tower Bells and Procession of the Acolytes

CALL TO WORSHIP

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN 23

Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven

LAUDA ANIMA

*LITANY OF PRAISE

The mighty one, God our Lord, speaks and summons the earth.
From the rising of the sun to its setting, God shines forth.
Our God comes and does not keep silence.
God calls to the heavens above and to the earth.
The heavens declare God’s righteousness.

*GLORIA PATRI 35

GREATOREX

THIRD GRADE BIBLE PRESENTATIONS

SHARING OF JOYS AND CONCERNS

CALL TO PRAYER

The Lord be with you.
And with your spirit.
Let us pray...

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD’S PRAYER (using debts and debtors) & CHORAL RESPONSE

THE RECEIVING OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Safari na Yesu (traditional African melody)

arr. Jeremy Russell

*THE DOXOLOGY 46

OLD HUNDREDTH

*PRAYER OF DEDICATION

COMMUNION HYMN 321

Break Thou the Bread of Life

BREAD OF LIFE

(stanza 1)

THE LORD’S SUPPER

INVITATION TO THE TABLE

THE WORDS OF INSTITUTION AND THE PRAYERS OF THE ELDERS

THE SHARING OF THE BREAD AND THE CUP

(9 A.M.)

Peace I Leave With You

Knut Nystedt

(All followers of Christ are invited to share in the bread and cup which represent the life, death, and resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ, as they nourish us in our life together in His name.)

THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be with you.
And also with you.

*(11 A.M.) HYMN 182

Transform Us

PICARDY

(Parents, during 11 a.m. worship, please bring your first-third graders to join a Worship and Wonder leader in the Gallery. Children will return to the Sanctuary during the Hymn of Discipleship.)

*The congregation is invited to stand at these times of the service. Feel free to remain seated if need be.

SCRIPTURE

(Scripture found on page 44 of the New Testament in the pew Bibles).

Mark 9:2-9

CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

The Word of God for the people of God.
Thanks be to God.

(11 A.M.) ANTHEM

Peace I Leave with You**

Knut Nystedt

** Peace I leave with you,
my peace I give unto you:
not as the world giveth, give I unto you.
Let not your heart be troubled, neither let it be afraid. - John 14:27
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SERMON

Times They Are A-Changin’

*HYMN OF DISCIPLESHIP 322

O Word of God Incarnate

MUNICH

(stanzas 1 and 3)
(All those who are inspired to confess their faith in Christ or make a discipleship covenant with our congregation are invited to join the pastors at the front of the church.)

*BENEDICTION AND CHORAL RESPONSE

Ringing of the Tower Bells

*POSTLUDE

Trumpet Tune in G-flat Major

David N. Johnson

IN THE SERVICE

Preaching

Larry Thomas

Chancel Guild

Preparing communion today are
Kay Campbell, Rich Darr
and Nancy Strickland.

Worship Leader

Christi McDowell
Alison Nicoll
Kera Watts

Scripture Reader

Walt Junker

Musicians

Kyla K. Rosenberger, Senior Organist
Chancel Choir
Collin Boothby, Organ Scholar
Children’s Choirs
Mary Farmer, Director
Wanting Zhao, piano

Acolytes

Maria Gober and Joye Hatter
Isabel Terry and Hattie Castillo

Chancel Flowers

The flowers in the Chancel are given to
the glory of God and in loving memory
of Susan McAdams “Ninnom” Harrell;
gone but hardly forgotten!
by The Harrell Family.

Elders

Frank Helme and Steve Mosher
Carol Jane Lawrence and Linda Brookshire



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Today at University Christian Church



The Following Third Graders are Presented Bibles
from UCC after completing a six-week study series in Journey
Land entitled *Bible Basics: Learning to Use Your Bible*. The Bible
gifts are made possible by the generous giving of the May Henson
Endowment and the Jeff D. Conatser Foundation.

Jackson Elijah Bradford

Son of Paul & Allison Bradford

Jacob Shaddix Burton

Son of Christian & Jordan Burton

George Edward Butler

Son of William & Anjie Butler

Caroline Leigh Carmichael

Daughter of Trey & Kristin Carmichael

Scott Lawrence Cooper

Son of Dan & Sharon Cooper

Joseph Matthew Dalton

Son of Russell & Lisa Dalton

Rachel Kathlyn Darr

Daughter of Rich & Anne Darr

Parker King Harris

Son of Steven & Heather Harris

Harrison Hartgraves

Son of Victor & Tiffany Hartgraves

Luke Alastair Jones

Son of Scotty & Bo Jones

Parker Allen Jones

Son of Pepper & Jennifer Ackers

Tilly Shuangzhen Klos

Daughter of Ethan & Ricki Klos

Marshall Henry Lehman

Son of Gregg & Meg Lehman

Robert Joseph Lourcey

Son of Bill & Julie Lourcey

Meredith Kate Martin

Daughter of Craig & Dana Martin

Celia Miller Pitt

Daughter of Matt & Kimberly Miller Pitt

Brooke Ashlyn Mills

Daughter of Katheryn & Greg Mills

Claire Marie Nelson

Daughter of Monica Nelson

Megan Grace Nelson

Daughter of Monica Nelson

Abigail Margaret Pauling

Daughter of Rod & Susie Pauling

Kate Marion Pauling

Daughter of Bill & Leigh Pauling

Joseph Owen Perry

Son of Frank & Courtney Perry

Ry Noyon Sek

Son of Ry & Noemi Sek

Emerson Taylor Self

Daughter of Robert & Tiffany Self

Miley Virginia Stallings

Daughter of Tom & Amanda Stallings

Caroline Marie Waldvogel

Daughter of Todd & Angela Waldvogel

Cass Clayborne Wheatley

Daughter of Scott & Heather Wheatley

Savannah Grace Williams

Daughter of Cain & Kate Williams

Winston Rainer Joseph Williams

Son of Winston & Jade Williams

Childcare provided from 8:45 a.m.-12 p.m. for infants-preschool.

A complete Sunday school program for all ages meets at 10 a.m.

Handicap accessible restrooms located in the Gallery (second floor).

Assisted listening devices are available; please ask an usher to obtain one.

Ministers
are On Call

and 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.

On Call This Week

Ellen Lewis
Christi McDowell

Congregational Leadership Meetings

Board of Stewards

Tuesday, February 17, 6:30 p.m., Room 207

Members of the congregation may attend congregational meetings with the
exception of any portion of a meeting held in Executive Session.



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