

## Information



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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.



Handicap accessible restrooms located in the Gallery (second floor)  
Assisted listening devices are available; please ask an usher to obtain one.



Childcare is provided from 8:45am-12:15pm for the preschool program.

## Helping Us Worship Today

### Chancel Guild

Preparing Communion for us today are:  
Cindy Hoover, Carol Smith and Dan Smith.

### Chancel Flowers

The flowers in the Chancel are given to the glory of God and in celebration of Art and Jeanette Keim's 60th wedding anniversary.

### 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.

*\*Cover photo: Some of our high school youth pose for a photo in downtown Memphis while serving with the Urban Bicycle Food Ministry at the CYF Service-Learning Trip in July. UBFM delivers meals and other necessities to people suffering homelessness in downtown Memphis.*

### OUR MINISTRY TEAM:

Rev. Dr. Chuck Rolan, Interim Senior Minister; Rev. Cyndy W. Twedell, Senior Associate Minister; Rev. Shannon Moore, Associate Minister; 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; Dr. Todd Prickett, Director of Music/Choirmaster; Kyla K. Rosenberger, Senior Organist.

### OUR MISSIONARY PARTNERS:

Paul Turner, Democratic Republic of Congo | Elena Huegel, Mexico.

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# UNIVERSITY Christian Church



Open minds,  
loving hearts

September 10, 2017  
[www.UniversityChristian.org](http://www.UniversityChristian.org)

A Disciples of Christ Congregation 

# This Week

AT UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

## 100 YEARS OF FAITHFULNESS

Celebrate University Christian Church's 100th anniversary of being chartered in 1917 by joining us for refreshments in the Gallery on Sunday, September 17 between 10:00am and 11:00am and/or making a "century of faithfulness gift" to the General Operating Fund.



### Newcomer's Class | September 10, 17 & 24

Sundays at 10:00am | Room 201  
All are welcome to be a part of the Newcomers Class! This is an opportunity to get to know others, learn about UCC and the Christian Church (DoC).

### Women Who Make A Difference Lunch

Sign up TODAY in the Gallery for the Women Who Make a Difference lunch on Sunday, September 17. All are welcome to come hear speaker Judy Oelfke Smith! Make your \$12 prepaid reservation to secure your Z's Cafe box lunch. Reservations taken online through Wednesday, September 13.

### College Cookout | Today • 5:30pm-7:00pm

Meet us at Anne and Rich Darr 's home—2542 Stadium Dr. All are welcome, bring friends!

### College Lunch Bunch | Every Wednesday!

All college students are invited to this free lunch from 12:00pm-1:00pm in the college lounge.

### WDS Happy 50th Birthday Celebration

Wednesday, September 20 | 5:30pm  
All are invited to come celebrate this long running commitment of UCC and early childhood education.



### Good News, Good Brews Every Wednesday | 8:00pm

We are starting back up on September 13. Join us at Bar Louie off 7th Street to continue discussing Rob Bell's book, *What is the Bible?*

### Prom Dreams Volunteer Workday

September 14 | 5:00pm-7:00pm  
Meet us at the Prom Dreams Boutique to help tidy up and prep the space for Homecoming season.



### Alzheimer's Caregivers Support Group | September 14 • Room 201

(Monthly—2nd Thursday) 3:30pm-5:00pm  
Caregivers to those suffering from Alzheimer's disease or other forms of dementia meet.



### CONGREGATIONAL GOVERNANCE

**Building & Grounds Committee** | Sunday, September 10 • 12:15pm | Room 226

**Finance Committee** | Tuesday, September 12 • 5:30pm | Room 202

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# Upcoming

AT UNIVERSITY CHRISTIAN CHURCH

For more information, details or to register for the following, visit our website, [UniversityChristian.org](http://UniversityChristian.org)



### Young Adult Retreat

September 29-October 1. Relax and recharge with us at Disciples Crossing. Register online by September 15. For more details email [jessica@uccftw.com](mailto:jessica@uccftw.com).



### WiLD Women Book Club

Join us on the third Monday and/or Tuesday of each month. 2017-2018 is "A Year of Growing Awareness". We begin again on September 18 and 19.



### Belltower Series: Silent Movie Night

Sunday, October 8 | 6:30pm  
Join us for an evening of showcasing the Sanctuary organ in early Hollywood style with Guest Organist Tom Helms.



**UCC Plus One** has several events throughout the week, visit their group page on Facebook, [www.facebook.com/groups/uccplusone](http://www.facebook.com/groups/uccplusone), to find out more detailed information.



**THANK YOU** to all who participated in the Children's Closet Bag It Night! The Children's Closet will open for 'business' on Mondays and Thursdays beginning September 11.



### We NEED Your HELP!

Having current and correct information is crucial for a smooth transition to a new database occurring early next year. PLEASE complete the form available in The Arches, at the front desk or online at [www.UniversityChristian.org/update-info](http://www.UniversityChristian.org/update-info).



### Women's Retreat

Mark your calendars, October 27-28 at Still Water Lodge in Glen Rose—includes Friday night lodging, breakfast and lunch. \$50 registration.



### TCU Football Parking Volunteers

We need you! Youth (6-12th graders) and parents help fundraise by parking cars in our church lots for TCU football games. Contact: [vanessa.taber@uccftw.com](mailto:vanessa.taber@uccftw.com)

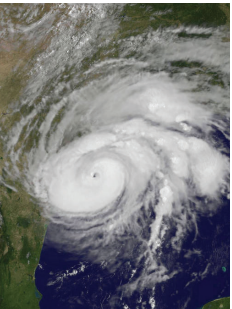


### Alpha Phi Omega & Red Cross Blood Drive

September 13 | 9:00am-3:00am  
Swing by Walker Hall to donate blood. Save time the day of your donation and visit [www.redcrossblood.org/rapidpass](http://www.redcrossblood.org/rapidpass).

### Hurricane Response:

On your behalf, UCC's Outreach Committee authorized a donation of \$10,000 to Week of Compassion. In addition, \$2,000 in gift cards were purchased, at the request of Disciples pastors in the affected area, to be delivered to the South East Texas churches for distribution to those in greatest need. Your contributions continue to be gratefully received. Donate \$50 gift cards (Visa, Lowe's, Home Depot, Old Navy, Penney's, Sears, WalMart, Target, Chevron, Shell, Exxon) at the table in the Gallery today or by September 15. Contributions to Week of Compassion are also being received. And we continue to pray for all who are affected.



Give via text to 817-241-2780

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

This anthem and much of today's service music was composed by Felix Mendelssohn. Although proud of his Jewish heritage, he was baptized as a Christian at an early age. His creative genius makes him one of the most popular composers of the Romantic era today.

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

If you have made the decision to proclaim Jesus as Christ and would like to become part of the family of faith at University Christian Church, we invite you to come forward during the Hymn of Discipleship to be greeted by our ministers.

**\*(11:00am) Hymn 503, stanzas 1, 2 & 5** | O Christ, the Healer

Hymn Tune: ROCKINGHAM

*Families, during 11:00am worship, your first-third grader is invited to join a Worship and Wonder leader in the Gallery. Children will return to the Sanctuary during the Hymn of Discipleship.*

**The Scripture in Context**

Reverend Shannon Moore

**Scripture** | Luke 17:11-19

Kelsey Cobbs, reader

**Congregational Response**

**One:** The Word of God, for the people of God.

**All:** Thanks be to God.

**(11:00am) Anthem** | Heilig (Holy) • Mendelssohn

Chancel Choir and Dr. Todd Prickett, conductor

Holy, holy, holy is God, the Lord of hosts! All nations are full of God's glory! Hosanna in the highest! Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord! Hosanna in the highest!

(English translation of German text)

**Sermon** | Outcasts Unite

**\*Hymn of Discipleship 5** | O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

Hymn Tune: AZMON

**\*Benediction and Choral Response**

**\*Ringing of the Tower Bells**

**\*Postlude** | Allegro maestoso vivace (Second Sonata) • Mendelssohn

# Celebration of Worship

September 10, 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 | Grave and Adagio (Second Sonata) • Felix Mendelssohn

Kyla K. Rosenberger, organ

Ringling of the Tower Bells and Procession of the Acolytes

Acolytes: (9:00am) Luke Jones and Jack Bradford  
(11:00am) Savannah Hardin and Celia Miller Pitt

Welcome and Call to Worship

Tyler Heston

\*Processional Hymn 15 | Rejoice, You Pure in Heart

Hymn Tune: MARION

\*Litany of Praise

One: We find God’s glory in works of compassion and justice.

All: We give ourselves anew to God’s reign.

One: Listen for God’s voice.

All: God speaks peace to all people.

\*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 the Pastoral and Youth Minister Search Committees

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Reverend Cyndy Twedell

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.

The Receiving of Tithes and Offerings

I Waited for the Lord • Mendelssohn  
Chancel Choir and Dr. Todd Prickett, conductor  
Anne Wright and Addison Gardner, sopranos

\*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 400, stanzas 1 & 2 | When You Do This, Remember Me

Hymn Tune: LORETTO

The Lord’s Supper

Invitation to the Table  
The Words of Institution and the Prayers of the Elders  
Elders: (9:00am) Meg Lehman, bread and Gregg Lehman, cup  
(11:00am) Brian Gibson, bread and Doug Welch, cup

The Sharing of the Bread and the Cup

Andante tranquillo (Third Sonata) • Mendelssohn

The Peace

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

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 and a remembrance of his death and resurrection. We share this meal each week and **everyone** is welcome to participate.

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