

Seventh Sunday of Easter: May 16, 2021

Welcome! If you are a first-time visitor, please complete a **yellow** card and drop in the offering plate. For prayer requests, simply complete a **blue** card and place it in the offering plate for inclusion in today's Pastoral Prayer.

- ORDER OF WORSHIP -

THE CHIMING OF THE HOUR		
WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS		
*CALL TO WORSHIP	"Holy Ground"	Celene Terry
*SCRIPTURE READING	Ephesians 1:15-23	TFWS 2272
*HYMN MEDLEY	"Awesome God" TFWS 2040 & "Crown Him With Many Crowns" UMH 327 vs.1-2	Mrs. Terry
*OFFERTORY PRAYER		Mrs. Terry
OFFERTORY		
*DOXOLOGY		
*APOSTLES' CREED		Mrs. Terry
*GLORIA PATRI		
PASTOR'S PALS		
*HYMN MEDLEY	"Lord, I Lift Your Name on High" TFWS 2088 "Alleluia" UMH 186	Rev. Dan Gurley
PASTORAL PRAYER/THE LORD'S PRAYER		
ANTHEM	"Be Strong in the Lord"	Rev. Gurley
*SCRIPTURE AND PRAYER		Chancel Choir
MESSAGE		Rev. Gurley
*INVITATIONAL HYMN	"Have Thine Own Way, Lord"	UMH 382 vs. 1
*BENEDICTION		Rev. Gurley
*BENEDICTION SONG	"Blessed Assurance"	UMH 369 Refrain Only
*POSTLUDE		

*Congregation stands, as able: UMH=United Methodist Hymnal, TFWS=The Faith We Sing

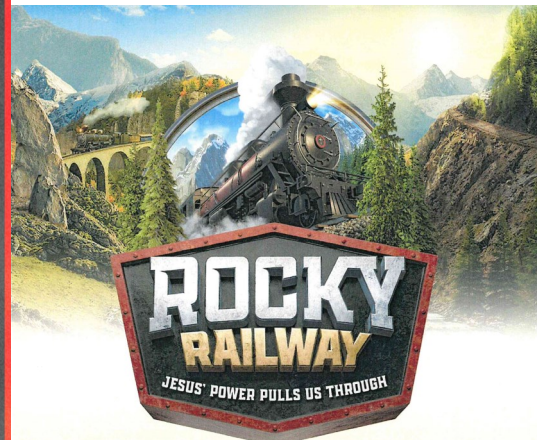
Song Leader: Celene Terry

In-House A/V & Livestream Production Team:

Kelly Sassenbery, Angela Gurley, Olivia Pannell, & Ron Spahlinger

Announcements:

Today's Altar Flower Arrangement:
Given to the Glory of God!



VBS 2021

June 21st - June 25th / 9:00 - 11:00 am
Pre-K - 6th Grade (last grade completed)

Register online at:
www.vbspro.events/p/fumcmabanktx



FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
501 South Third St, Mabank, TX / 903-887-3691

VBS

Vacation Bible School
ALL TEAM MEETING

Sunday, May 16, 2021
***Immediately after church**
11:00 a.m. in the FSH.
Contact Linda Jackson for questions.



Graduate baskets have been placed in the church narthex in recognition of our 2021 High School Graduates. Cards, words of encouragement, and small gifts can be dropped off during normal church hours.

WEEKLY E-BLAST!

KEEPING YOU INFORMED

If you wish to receive our Weekly E-Blast, please call or e-mail Kelly at kelly@fumcmabank.com to be added to the distribution list.



It's time to sign up for the 2021 Altar Flower Calendar.

If you would like to reserve a Sunday in honor or in memory of a loved one, please contact Dorinda Stedman.
*Arrangements remain at \$35.00 ea.



Ladies Formal Hat Sunday
Wear your "Sunday Best" to church on Sunday, June 6, 2021.

Monthly Offering Counters:

May

Please contact Rhonda Jones to make changes to the schedule.

May 2	May 9	May 16	May 23	May 30
Maria S. Richard J.	Steve S. Kip Mc.	Richard S. Mary Mc.	Dorinda S. Kay E.	Gary G. Rebecca S.



Prayer blankets are made with love for those who are suffering from a serious illness, having surgery, or going through a personal crisis. Each knot that is tied represents a prayer that was said for that person.

Forms located in the church foyer.

If you have an immediate need for a prayer blanket, the prayer blanket request needs to be filled out as soon as you can and please contact Sue Simpson @ 887-2663 or Mary Allen @887-8240.

Sermon Notes:

Happy Birthday:

Please contact the office to add or correct your birthday.

- 05/08: Vickie-Lynn Kennerk
- 05/09: Randy Pool
- 05/11: Scott Pannell
- 05/17: Melinda Van Horn
- 05/18: Kelly Sassenbery
- 05/20: Nanci Hines, Richard Jackson
- 05/21: Carol Calkins, Evan Harstrom, Dakota Johnson, Bonnie Turner
- 05/22: Shirley Menasco
- 05/23: Vincent Gregg
- 05/25: Carlene Ferguson, Hilary Strum
- 05/27: JoEtta Fraser
- 05/30: John Vanderlaan

Worship Attendance:

- 05/02 Fifth Sunday of Easter: 144 (In-person) 74 (Online)
- 05/09 Sixth Sunday of Easter: 141 (In-person) 60 (Online)

Finance:

Tithe online by visiting our homepage at www.fumcmabank.com

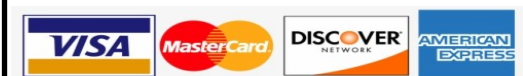
Please consider the following programs when making honorariums and memorials:

- God's Helping Hands Food Program
- Helping Hands Desk
- Cornerstone Scholarship Fund
- Walk of Faith

*Checks should be made payable to FUMC Mabank with the chosen program noted in the memo area.



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You may also give through our church website via the [serve-through-giving](#) page.



Prayer Requests:

Do not worry about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. - *Philippians 4:6*

Please pray for:

Vicky Eckert, Bonnie Turner, Gene Molton, Shaderia Moriairity, Becky Keele, Jean Robinson, Sandra Feltman, Carol Earley, Natalie Reaves, Ann Hays, Sean Wiens, Gene Geisling, Carol Cowan, Merrill Spahlinger, Angela Armstrong, Kathey Chaney, Carlene Reneau, Donna Courtney, Gerry Frensley, Mary Baker, and Kathy Hodge.

Family and friends of Dede Unthank.

Please continue to pray for:

Wyatt Alexander, Jackie Bainum, Roger & Alice Barker, Eli Barnett, Bill Cross, Fran Daniels, Pat Davis, Jo Gaskill, Rose Giordano, Sheila Guill, Lynda Hale, Linda Harris, Lillian Hipp, Carolyn Jennings, Landry Johnson, Stan Johnston, Kenneth Jones, Kendra King, Marcell Lehman, Willie and Gail Lundy, Colley & Linda Maldonado, John & Ralaine Manning, Paulette Martin, Bill Morgan, Mike Moore, Tommy Mutz, Kevin Nix, Glenn Novak, Joe Pickens, Joyce Reese, Sharon Richardson, Kelly Simpson, Jim Starrett, Delbra Steptoe, John Stewart, Mary Stockton, Ben Terry, Ashley Thomas, Ed Thompson, Dee & Don Trull, Laura Villegas, and Linda Wolston.



Angels In The Wings

Please contact the church office if you would like a copy of our Angels In The Wings address list.

Greta Boultinghouse

Jean Calkins

Gladys Caulking

Mary Friedel

LaNelle Gillreath

Jessie Kelley

Mary Jo Lemons

Pam Long

Knox Lowe

Shirley Menasco

Sherry Nash

Betty Pollock

Charlotte Reppen

Claudine Salter

Ruth Snyder

Pat Underriner

Peggy Whisenant

Jeanette Wolston

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Church Hours:

Monday-Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. Friday & Saturday: Closed

Helping Hands Desk:

Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

God's Helping Hands Food Ministry:

Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.-3:00 p.m.

Angel's Wings Clothes Closet:

Saturday Mornings: 9:00-11:00 a.m. Masks Required!

Sunday Schedule:

Sunday School at 9:00 a.m. **Worship** at 10:00 a.m.

Livestreamed on our YouTube Channel: FUMC Mabank.

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Our church building is thoroughly sanitized before and after all events. Please help us maintain a safe environment by masking, distancing, and leaving nothing on the floor or pews as you depart.

Welcome to Worship

Sunday, May 16, 2021

Seventh Sunday of Easter



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