

Twenty Fifth Sunday after Pentecost: November 14, 2021

Welcome! If you are a first-time visitor, please fill out a yellow card and drop it in the offering plate or hand to an usher. To request prayer, 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 10 O'CLOCK HOUR

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALL TO WORSHIP

"America"
UMH 697 vs. 1

RECOGNITION OF OUR VETERANS

SCRIPTURE READING

Daniel 12:1-3

HYMN

"God of the Ages"
UMH 698

OFFERTORY PRAYER

RECEIVING GOD'S TITHES & OUR OFFERINGS

DOXOLOGY

APOSTLES' CREED AND GLORIA PATRI

PASTOR'S PALS

HYMN

"Precious Lord, Take My Hand"
UMH 474

PASTORAL PRAYER AND LORD'S PRAYER

SPECIAL MUSIC

SCRIPTURE TEXT AND PRAYER

Judges 7:1-8

MESSAGE

INVITATION

"Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling"
UMH 348 vs. 1 and refrain

BENEDICTION

BENEDICTION SONG

"God Bless America"
See Screens

POSTLUDE

"Awakening Chorus"

Would you like to know more about becoming a follower of Jesus Christ or do you have questions about church membership? Please let us know!

UMH = United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS = The Faith We Sing Hymnal

Announcements:



Our 2021 Charge Conference will be held on **Tuesday, November 30, 2021 at 6:30pm** in the sanctuary to approve the 2022 budget, nominations, SPRC recommendations, and other committee reports.

*Congregation members are welcome to attend however, only Admin. Council Members are able to vote.

M.A.G.S

Mabank Area Good Samaritans

Visit the church narthex to pick up a bag of pecans.

1 lb. bags for sale at \$10.00.

Please see JoEtta Fraser for questions.



Today's Altar Flower Arrangement:

Given by Ben & Celene Terry in celebration of their 28th anniversary.

Given by Richard and Annalisa Alexander in celebration of their 42nd anniversary.

Tree of Lights

Give a gift in honor or in memory of a loved one this holiday season!

Visit our Sisters-In-Service Tree of Lights throughout Advent to hang an ornament in honor of in memory of a loved one on the Christmas tree located in the church narthex.

All proceeds benefit the Angel Wings Clothes Closet, Health Bags for Love's Outreach, House of Hope in Honduras, Back to School Clothes/Supplies, Helping Hands Desk, Crisis Center of Athens, Forever Families, and many local needs.

Dates: 11/28, 12/5, 12/12, & 12/19.

Will not begin until 2022!



Weekly at 6:00 p.m. in our fellowship hall.

*Contact Larry DeLong for questions at 214-732-8738

Love's Outreach needs your help by fixing side dishes for their Annual Thanksgiving Feast that will be held at the Cedar Creek Cove (Cherokee Shores) pavilion on Saturday, November 20th.

Signup sheets are located in the church narthex.



Join us for our Annual Thanksgiving Feast.

*Christmas Angel forms will be available to fill out.

Together we're changing our community one neighbor at a time.

When: Saturday, November 20, 2021

Where: Cedar Creek Cove (Cherokee Shores) Community Park

Time: 11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Important: We request that masks are worn when going through the food line. You may remove them when seated. Hand sanitizer and gloves will be provided.

Please join us and bring your family, friends, and neighbors for good food, fellowship, and fun.

"I am the bread of life. He who comes to me will never go hungry, and he who believes in me will never be thirsty." - John 6:35

(Every Third Saturday)



Happy Birthday:

Please contact the office to add or correct your birthday.

11/02: Dorinda Stedman

11/03: Chrissy Adams, Roger Barker

11/06: Martha Gentz, Sara Hamilton, Bill Hart, Alan Roberts

11/07: Robert Penn

11/08: Mary Stewart

11/10: Maria Jimenez, Sara Welther

11/11: Lawson Shackelford

11/17: Steve Kuykendall

11/18: Makayla Pomroy, Kenny Underriner

11/21: Dane Adams

11/22: Troy Wallis

11/23: Norman Foster

11/28: Dakota Parrent, Jack Sebastian, John Stewart

11/29: Carter Hallmark, Brenda Moorhead,

Eric Pierce, Katherine Welther

11/30: Charlene Brown-Belloso, Chris Way

Worship Attendance:

11/07: 184 (In-person) 65 (Online)

Finance:

Stewardship Report:

January-October 2021

Income: \$565,571.88*

Expense: \$469,955.12

General ledger data.

*Includes PPP \$32,200.00

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

The Church Foundation

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

Monthly Offering Counters:

November 2021

Please contact Kay LeMay Gomez to make changes to the schedule.

| Nov. 7 | Nov. 14 | Nov. 21 | Nov. 28 |
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| Maria S. | Steve S. | Richard S. | Dorinda S. |
| Richard J. | Rebecca S. | Cindy C. | Kay E. |



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This is your FOUNDATION. It provides a significant opportunity for expressing your love. The gift you make is truly the one that keeps on giving.

MORE INFORMATION ABOUT THE FOUNDATION & HOW TO GIVE

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:

Ryan Risinger, Morse Family, Jo Gaskill, Chris LeMay, Heidi Lewallen, Sharon Benningfield, Shelley Atkinson, Roy Schultz, Gary Lunger, Cherry Haynes, Kimberly Meltan, Judy Epperson, Larry Nulf, Scott Foster, Mary Johnson, Elizabeth Harkins, Gene Moulton and family, Courtney Hallmark Spencer and Emma (Vicki & Rod Allen's granddaughter), .

Family and friends of Connie Hallmark.
Family and friends of David Blackmon.

Please continue to pray for:

Wyatt Alexander, Roger & Alice Barker, Janie Barnes, Ruby Bone, Tonya Bonsal, Carol Cowan, Bill Cross, Fran Daniels, Jerry Davis, Audrey Eder, Jim Elam, Terry Evans, Rose Giordano, Sheila Guill, Linda Hale, Gae Honzell, Landry Johnson, Stan Johnston, Kenneth Jones, Zachery Joplin, Kendra King, Marcelle Lehman, Colley & Linda Maldonado, Ralaine Manning, Paulette Martin, Ben Miller, Bill Morgan, Robert Nelson, Joe Pickens, Sue Simpson, Maria Smith, Merrill Spahlinger, Jim Starrett, Delbra Steptoe, Carol Stevick, John Stewart, Linda Thurman, Dee & Don Trull, Cathy Wallace, Richard Wilson, and Linda Wolston.



If you would like to reserve a Sunday in honor of or in memory of a loved one, please contact Dorinda Stedman.

*Arrangements remain at \$35.00 ea. which are displayed in the sanctuary and announced during our 10:00 a.m. worship service.



Angels In The Wings

The list below is a simple way to remember our friends that are homebound, in nursing homes along with those who have moved out of the area. Visit our address card center located in the sanctuary breezeway to send a friendly note.

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| Roger & Alice Barker | Mary Jo Lemons | Charlotte Reppen |
| Greta Boultinghouse | Jacqueline Lewis | Claudine Salter |
| Jean Calkins | Pam Long | Ruth Snyder |
| Gladys Caulking | Knox Lowe | Pat Underriner |
| Mary Friedel | Shirley Menasco | Peggy Whisenant |
| Jo Gaskill | Sherry Nash | |
| Jessie Kelley | Gary & Helen Preston | |



Meetings are scheduled the first Wednesday of every month at 10:00 a.m. in the prayer room.

This group has been created to support people who fit the role of those currently caring for family members or loved ones. We know this can be a burden mentally, physically, and spiritually. We would like to share, learn from and support each other. Come just to talk or just to listen!

Contact Cindy Crawley or Rhonda Jones for additional information.



Comfort Crosses

Comfort Crosses are hand made by the Comfort Cross team and are available upon request for those experiencing difficult times, whether they be medical, personal, or spiritual.

**Contact: Scott or Fran Daniels
903-451-9228**



The "Walk of Faith" was established to create a permanent legacy for the parishioners of First United Methodist Church of Mabank, their families and loved ones-both past and present.

The "Walk of Faith" memorial/honorarium garden is made up of many engraved brick/stone tiles and benches that line the sidewalk and perimeter of the church's main entrance.

- 4 sizes of stones: 4"x8", 8"x8", 6"x12", and 12"x12".

- Packets are available at the church office for those interested in placing an order or contact Scott Daniels for additional information.

The "Walk of Faith" was designed to include everyone! We all have loved ones, friends, and people in our lives that have touched us in some way, now we have a beautiful visitation and meditation place to honor and remember them!



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.

Church Hours:

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

Community Assistance:

Helping Hands Desk:

Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.

God's Helping Hands Food Ministry:

Tuesday & Thursday: 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. & 1:00 p.m.-2:00 p.m.

Angel's Wings Clothes Closet:

Saturday Mornings: 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Sunday Schedule:

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



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Tithe online by visiting our website:
www.fumcmabank.com

WEEKLY E-BLAST!
KEEPING YOU INFORMED

Email Kelly at kelly@fumcmabank.com to be added to the distribution list.

Welcome to Worship

Sunday, November 14, 2021

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