

Welcome to Morning Worship

This service is broadcast live on KAKE TV and on YouTube. All ages and abilities are welcome. By worshiping with us today you are a participant in this outreach ministry of First United Methodist Church

Prelude **YJ Lee**
“Softly and Tenderly, Jesus is Calling” - Dale Wood

Introit **Chancel Choir**
“May This Be the Place” - Tom Fettke

Call to Worship **Phil Davis**

Hymn of Praise, UMH No. 158
“Come, Christians, Join to Sing”

A Time for Children **Shelley Davis**

Reception of New Members

Prayer Hymn, TFWS No. 2065 “More Precious Than Silver”

Prayer of Intercession and Lord’s Prayer
Pastor Jeff Graber

Scripture Reading **Phil Davis**
Ecclesiastes 5:10-20

Anthem **Chancel Choir**
“I Am No Longer My Own” - Mary McDonald

Sermon **Rev. Amy Lippoldt**
“Rounding Up”

Response to the Word, TFWS No. 2065
“More Precious Than Silver”

Introduction to Offering **Patrick McKaig**

Offertory **Ryan Teer**
“Just a Closer Walk With Thee” - anon.

Doxology, UMH No. 94

Hymn of Response, UMH No. 399
“Take My Life, and Let it Be”

Benediction **Rev. Amy Lippoldt**

Choral Benediction **Chancel Choir**
“To Him Who Loved Us” - Tom Fettke

Postlude **YJ Lee**
“Hail to the Brightness of Zion’s Glad Morning” - Marianne Kim

Welcoming Statement

First United Methodist Church will live out the love of Jesus Christ by including everyone, accepting others for who they are, treating others the way we would want to be treated, respecting all, loving all, and affirming the full participation of all regardless of nationality, race, class, culture, gender identity, sexual orientation, ability, and age.

God’s People Celebrate

BIRTH: Gabriel Abraham Thomas, Shajan & Abby Thomas, parents, Jim & Susie Brewer, grandparents.

Upcoming Events

Church Family Fun Event! Sunday, October 20 | 12:00 p.m.

Join us today following worship for hot dogs, bingo and fun!

Justice Together Listening Sessions

Sign up at the AB desk for one of several opportunities for these general listening sessions over the next few weeks.

Bishop David Wilson will be with us in worship next Sunday, October 27!

Stewardship 2025

Commitment Sunday, October 27

Be prayerfully considering how you will support First Church in 2025.

UMH—United Methodist Hymnal

TFWS— The Faith We Sing

The offering collected today supports the mission, vision and purpose of First United Methodist Church

Registration of Attendance (10/20)

Name (please print clearly)

Address

City State Zip

Telephone

E-mail

I would like to receive weekly email news from the church

Check one:

_____ First Time Guest

_____ Return Guest

_____ Regular Attender

_____ Church Member

First time guests:

What brought you to First Church:

(please bring card to desk outside the Sanctuary following service for a welcome gift)

I would like more information:

_____ Sunday School

_____ Music

_____ Children Activities

_____ Missions

_____ Youth Activities

_____ Membership

_____ Small Groups

Please fill out both sides and detach and place in the offering plate.

Volunteer & Servant Ministry Opportunities

There are many different opportunities to volunteer and serve at First Church. Please consider sharing your time, gifts and talents in the following opportunities. The person listed will contact you with more information.

Volunteer Opportunities

___ Small Talk

Engage with our unhoused neighbors while picking up trash around the church property

Prayer Requests

Pastors only

Continuing Concerns

Continuing Concerns Can only be requested by self or spouse. They will run for 1 week in our Bulletin unless requested to run longer. This is to protect member confidentiality .

For

Self

Spouse

Other

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9:30 AM to Noon
9:30 AM
9:30 AM
9:30 AM
11:00 AM
12:00 PM
12:15 PM

Sunday

Nursery and Pre K Room - 204B
K-5 Grade & 6-12 Grade Sunday School - 206B, 301B
Religious Nurture Center - 100D
Adult Sunday School Classes - Church Wide
Worship Service - Sanctuary
Church Family Fun Event - Meredith Hall
The Gathering / Small Talk - 103B

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Monday

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6:30 PM

Tuesday

Stephen Ministry Supervision Mtg - 302B Library

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9:00 AM
10:00 AM
11:00 AM
5:45 PM
6:00 PM
7:00 PM

Wednesday

Quilters at First (Hand Quilting)-304D
Apple Core - 302B
Quilters at First (Machine Work) - 300D
Chancel Choir Rehearsal - Choir Room
RNC Activities - 101D
Bell Choir Practice - 305A

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9:30 AM
10:00 AM
1:00 PM

Thursday

Stephen Ministry Leadership Mtg - 302B Library
Bible Discussion Group - 101B
Bulk Mailing - 308B

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Friday

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8:30 AM - 3:00 PM

Saturday

UWF South Central Kansas District Mtg - Meredith Hall

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Leadership Board Meeting - 101B

Sanctuary Symbolism

Would you like to learn more about the symbolism in our Sanctuary? Learn more by scanning this QR Code!

