

February Mission Corner Collection

Our Mission Possible Kids work together with Communities in Schools - North Texas to supply groceries for food insecure households over the spring break. Most needed items are: cans of soup, pasta sauce, and all kinds of prepared food items like macaroni and cheese and fruit. Monetary donations also welcome - please mark check memo CIS/MPK.

Open:Worship is launching April 23!

Want to support Open:Worship, our new 11:00 modern worship service? Visit openfumc.com/signup to learn how you can help with construction, care for children, join the team, and more!

Get ready to Do Lent Generously. Join FUMC Denton in the 40 Acts Challenge: <http://www.40acts.org.uk/>

The Lenten devotional booklet, *Together In His Footsteps*, is now available. Pick up your copy today.

Connect with us at fumc-denton.com.



Today Ticket sales for Youth Mystery Dinner, Miller Center, all morning
Two Shows Only - March 4 at 11:00 am and March 8 at 6:00 pm.
See below for more information.

Used Book Sale, Library.

Shop the sale during regular Library hours. Sale runs through March 26.

Stone Soup Lunch, Monroe Building, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

The New Horizons class invites you to a soup lunch benefitting the Denton Community Food Center. Soup-to-go available in Miller Center.

UMYF, Monroe Bldg., 5:30 - 7:30 pm - Theme night

Feb. 27 Monday Women's Study Group, Flinn Hall Lounge, 10:00 am - noon
You are invited to join the book study using *Daniel: A Life-changing Encounter with God's Word*, which is available for purchase from the church Library. The study runs through April 10.

Feb. 28 Mardi Gras potluck dinner, Monroe Building, 5:30 pm
Celebrate Fat Tuesday with an evening of food, fellowship, music, and beignets. Invite a friend and bring a favorite dish to share. Children will have a craft area. "Laissez Les Bon Temps Roulez!"

Mar. 1 Community Bible Study, Miller Center, 12:00 pm
Bring your lunch and join this weekly study group.

Ash Wednesday service, Sanctuary, 6:30 pm

A Lenten service of repentance and the imposition of ashes.

Mar. 4 Youth Mystery Dinner, Flinn Hall, 11:00 am

Mar. 8 Youth Mystery Dinner, Flinn Hall, 6:00 pm
Solve the "Whodunit" with your table and win the Grand Prize! Funds raised will help support Youth missions and ministries. Get your tickets now. Seating is limited. Tickets are \$20 each, \$50 family max, or \$200 per table of eight.

Mar. 8 Wednesday Vespers, Cole Chapel, 6:30 pm
Join us each week, through April 5, for a service focusing on spiritual practices and means of grace for the Journey of Lent.

Ministers
Lead Pastor
Associate Pastor
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Director of Music and Worship
Organist
Song leader

All Congregation Members
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Celebration Worship



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February 26, 2017



The Wedding Feast of the Lamb

Sunday Worship Services

First Meal	7:30 am, Monroe Building
Traditional Service	8:30 am, Sanctuary
Connection Fellowship	9:45 am, Monroe Building
*Celebration Service	11:00 am, Sanctuary
Bilingual Worship Service	12:30 pm, Flinn Hall
3 rd Day Family Worship	11:15 am, Monroe Bldg., 3rd Sunday of each month

*The 11:00 am service is Livestreamed each Sunday at fumc-denton.com and televised live on Charter 191 and Frontier FIOS 39.

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11:00 am

Thank you for silencing your electronic devices and disposing of all food and drink.
To use the sanctuary's assisted hearing system, please speak with an usher.
Please, no flash photography during worship.

WE GATHER

*Congregation Standing

Greeting Rev. Mauricio Orozco
If you have prayers of joy or concern to share, please use a prayer card found in the pew back. These will be picked up during the first hymn.

Prelude *Carillon* DEAN WAGNER
Bells Angels Handbell Choir and Youth Bells
Carol Lynn Mizell, Conductor

***Call to Worship** Jimmy Renfro
One: Let us be glad and share in God's salvation.
Many: **God will take away all reproach and will make a feast for the peoples of the earth.**
All: **Let us act with compassion so that we may dry tears. Let us walk with justice so that we may silence reproach. Let us make festival with all people so that God's feast may be well-prepared.**
Maren C. Tirabassi

***Hymn 549** *Where Charity and Love Prevail*
The children are invited to come forward for their special time during the final verse of the hymn.

WE PROCLAIM

A Time for Our Children Brandi Southwell
Director of Ministries with Children

Anthem *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* ARR. EDWARDS

Pastoral Prayer Rev. Deana Mason

Lord's Prayer

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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Offering *Of Love* DEDE DUSON
Chancel Choir; John Priddy, conductor
Please register your attendance on the pad in your pew and pass it down the row.

***Doxology**
*To thee, great One in Three,
Eternal praises be, hence, evermore.
Thy sovereign majesty may we in glory see,
And to eternity love and adore!*
UMH 61 v.4

Message Rev. Don Lee
The Wedding Feast of the Lamb
John 2:1-11
Found in the Old Testament on page 93 of the pew Bible.

WE RESPOND

Musical Response J. R. Byrd

Invitation to Christian Discipleship Rev. Jonathan Perry

***Hymn 603** *Come, Let Us Use the Grace Divine*

***Blessing**

Postlude *Con moto maestoso from Sonata III* MENDELSSOHN
S. Andrew Lloyd, organ

SERMON NOTES:

We are glad you are worshipping with us today and welcome you to join this family of faith in making disciples for Jesus Christ. Please speak with a pastor about membership.

Acolytes today are Jessyca Fetterman and McClain Wylie. Children are always welcome in worship. If preferred, childcare is offered for newborns through Pre-K on the East Wing 1st floor.

For after-hours pastoral care emergencies, call 940.536.3353. A Stephen Minister is available to help you through a difficult time. Please call to speak with a pastor.