

Church Council
Monday, January 31
6 PM Room 206



Katie Downs Fellowship

Will meet on Wednesday, February 2, 2:00 PM in the Gathering Room. There will be a presentation about the mentoring program our church sponsors at Central Elementary School.

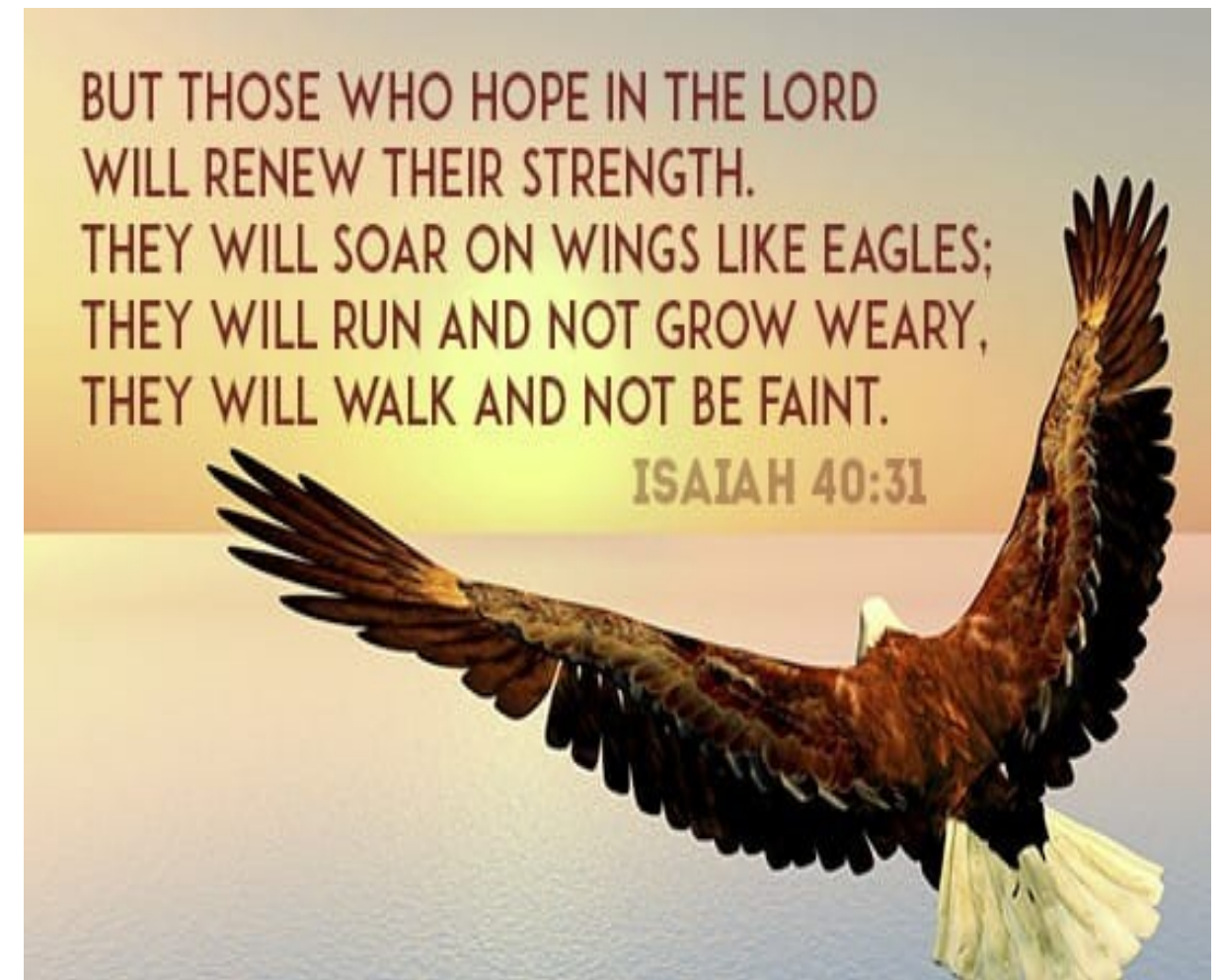
Heartfelt sympathy to the families of Dr. John Bergstrom and Bill Bush who died this past week and the families of Judith Meyers and Scott Tarpley who died last week. **Prayers for:** Alan Payne (Gherry Gustafson's nephew), Laura Richards, Kay Petit (Jan Ashmore's sister), Linda Camp, Harry Preston, Catherine Maier, Jess G., Betty Phillips, Kay Thomas, Harriett Phillips, James Sorrell, Brian Ussery, Peggy Gordon, Shirley Turner, Camille Yahm, Betty White, Wayne Eidson, friend of Harry Preston, Bobbie Kitfield, Laura Richards sister-in-law, Ben Mulkey, nephew of John Cook, Jenna Strickland, Healthcare workers at Tanner and everywhere, people who continue to experience death and dying in their families because of Covid, Lindy Ledford Cooley, friend of Jimmie Clay with cancer, Rachael Veal, counselor at Central Elementary who coordinates our mentor program, Martha (Mickie) Abernathy, Matt Miller, Brian Hanrihan, (friend of David Miceli), Steve Owens, Pam Frederick, Patrice Washington, friend of Phil Tuggle, Denise Wilson, Debbie Burgamy, Bob Scherm, Landon Schulenburg, Jacqueline Roberts, Samantha & Aurelie Martin, Bill Young, Anne Cummings, Jamie McDowell, Judy Lambeth, Tom McCormick, Laurie Gustafson, Bernie Barker, Cindy Tolbert, Ed Johnson, George Ward, Barbara Tanner, Bonny Watkins, Leah Weaver, Judy Holt, Linda Scales, Paul Burkett, Courtney Allen, Stuart Yahm, Eric Powell.

Our military and their families: Jonathan Wilbanks, Jason Preston (Harry Preston's nephew), Kevin Ayers, Dylan & Becca Wood, Matt Landon, Davis Marlar, Robert Geiger, Clayton Couch, Austin Walls, Rob Bennett, Brett Edmondson, Scott McClendon, Dan Harris, John Hamil.

Those serving in the mission field: Joy and Wes Griffin, Ronnie and Angi Hopkins, Bishop David Thagana, Timothy Thagana (Strong Tower Orphanage & Glory Outreach Assembly, Kenya), Will & Ella Faircloth, (Costa Rica & Spanish translation of discipleship resources)...**our community, our nation and our world around us...** Please notify the church office of any updates or additions.



Our Methodist Mission: Making Disciples of Jesus Christ
For the transformation of the world. (Matt. 28:19)
January 30, 2022
Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany



Stewardship
Time ♦ Talent ♦ Treasure

"Freely you have received; Freely give"
- Matthew 10:8

As of 01/23/2022

2022 Ministry Budget	\$1,463,869.40
Year-to-Date Giving 2022:	\$ 91,199.00
2022 Contributions yet to be received:	\$ 1,372,670.40
2022 Pledges	
127 Pledges totaling	\$786,226

Thank you for "Standing in the Gap" for your church's mission in 2021-2022!

Ministry Staff
Call on us if we can serve you in any way! 770-832-7069

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Our Carrollton First Vision:
A congregation in which anyone and everyone can **Connect** with Christ ~ **Grow** in Faith ~ and **Serve** more and more fully in God's Love

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Welcome to First Methodist... "Where There's a Place for You"

Order of Worship

Prelude	<i>"Prelude on CWM RHONDDA" (Paul Manz)</i>	Tony Childers
Welcome		Rev. Larry Patton
Chiming of the Hour		
Call to Worship	<i>"Arise, Shine"</i>	
*Opening Hymn	<i>"God of Grace and God of Glory"</i>	#577
*Affirmation of Faith	<i>"Apostle's Creed"</i>	See Insert
*Gloria Patri #71	<i>"Glory Be to the Father"</i>	See Insert
*Passing the Peace		
Anthem	<i>"Amazing Grace"</i> Ruthie Phillips, soprano, Faith Patton alto (9) <i>"Beloved, Let Us Love One Another"</i> Chancel Choir (11)	Rev. Ken Stephens
Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer		
*Offertory Hymn	<i>"Love Divine, All Loves Excelling"</i>	#384
*Offertory Sentence and Prayer		
Offertory	<i>"Andante Religioso from Sonata in A Major" (Mendelssohn)</i>	Tony Childers
*Doxology #95	<i>"Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow"</i>	See Insert
Scripture		Joshua 1:9
Message	<i>"Religion Is Wings"</i>	Pastor Larry
*Invitation Hymn	<i>"Just As I Am" (v 1&6)</i>	See Insert #357
*Benediction		
*Choral Response	<i>"On Eagles' Wings"</i>	See Insert #143
*Postlude	<i>"Allegro Maestoso from Sonata in A Major" (Mendelssohn)</i>	Tony Childers

*Congregation standing, as you are able.

For all news, updates, calendars, go to our website, www.cfumc.com, and follow your church on Facebook and Instagram.



All in One QR Code
Use this scan to record your attendance, send a prayer request, sign up for text messages from the church, and give online.

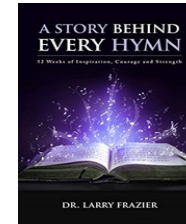
January Food Drive *for Open Hands*



Help us restock the shelves at Open Hands United Christian Ministry. Here are the most needed items: Bar soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, bath tissue, shampoo, deodorant, baby wipes, diapers (sizes 4,5,6) soups (pop top open & serve), canned meats, jelly. Set your bags of food items along the back wall of the sanctuary when you come for church, or bring to the church office. Thank you!

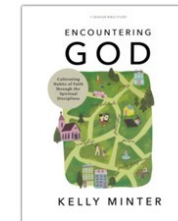


Dr. Larry Frazier, Retired Professor from UWG



A long time friend of First Methodist and our music program, Dr. Frazier recently had a book published entitled "A Story Behind Every Hymn". He will bring our mission moment this morning to give us the back story on his new book. Welcome Dr. Frazier!

Encountering God Study starts February 2



Spiritual disciplines are essential to a more vibrant spiritual life and knowing God more intimately. Join Kelly Minter in this 7-session Bible study as she unpacks the biblical foundation for these sacred habits along with approachable ways to practice disciplines like prayer, study, worship, rest, simplicity, generosity, celebration, and many more. For more info, contact Brooke Mobley, Brookemobley@gmail.com

**Carrollton First Homecoming Sunday
Sunday, February 6, 9 & 11AM Services**



Bring with you especially all those who share a historic connection in our congregation. Homecoming preacher: Rev. Tommy Willingham, (Carrollton First Associate "93-'97) Chili & Cornbread cook-off to follow for lunch. Go to this link : https://bit.ly/cfumc_chili to enter your pot of chili and pan of cornbread.



GLOW Children's Ministry is ready to spark the love of Jesus in children who are in grades Pre-K through 4th. **IGNITE** kids is replacing NightLight, beginning January 23. IGNITE kids will meet from 3:45-5:00 in the Big Room #1. Children will experience a VBS style curriculum as they rotate thru different stations. For more information contact Melanie melanie@cfumc.com.



Elijah Bible Study

Women's group is starting a new study. They'll be studying Elijah by Priscilla Shirer, Sundays at 3:30. Interested people can contact Tricia Costley (404-452-7701) or Marianna Carter (770- 833-3431).



The flowers on the altar are given to the glory of God and in loving memory of Dr. John Bergstrom by his family.

Take this sheet home with you and use it as
a prayer guide through the week

For information about joining the church, professing faith, or getting baptized, contact Pastor Larry or anyone on our staff. We would truly enjoy consulting with you and praying with you

Larry@cfumc.com, Ken@cfumc.com

Invitation to Christ

Come Lord Jesus -illumine my darkness with
your light -forgive my sin with your mercy
-heal my wounds with your comfort
Kindle my heart with the flame of thy love.

Come Lord Jesus, sit upon the throne of my
heart and reign there as Savior and Lord,
Amen.

“The Apostles’ Creed”

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth. And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord; who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy **catholic**** church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.**meaning **Universal**: the worldwide Body of Christ

Gloria Patri

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, amen.

Doxology

Praise God from Whom all blessings flow.
Praise Him all creatures here below.
Praise Him above ye heavenly host Praise
Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

On Eagle’s Wings # 143

And God will raise you up on eagles' wings
Bear you on the breath of dawn
Make you to shine like the sun
And hold you in the palm of God’s hand


Just as I Am, Without One Plea (v 1&6)

Just as I am, without one plea, But that thy
blood was shed for me, And that thou bidst me
come to thee, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.
Just as I am, thy love unknown Hath broken
every barrier down; Now, to be thine, yea,
thine alone, O Lamb of God, I come, I come.

Youth Group is back on Sunday nights from 5-6:30 PM starting on January 23.

All 7th-12th grade students are invited to join us for dinner, worship, games, and small groups.

Make Youth Group a part of your Sunday nights this year!



See You in 2022!

Full Details And Calendar:
www.solidrockyouthministry.com




IGNITE
Kids

3:45-5:00

Children Pre-k thru 4th grade

VBS fun on Sunday's, including music, art, bible games and recreation

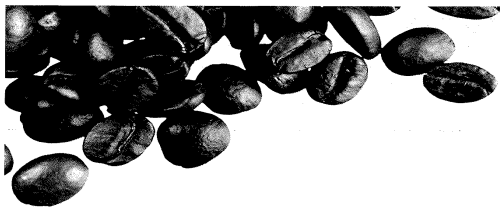


SOLID ROCK YOUTH MINISTRY

Sunday Nights Are Back!

Meets in GLOW Wing, Room #1

- 1/23/22
- 1/30/22
- 2/6/22
- 2/13/22
- 2/27/22
- 3/6/22
- 3/13/22
- 3/20/22
- 3/27/22



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