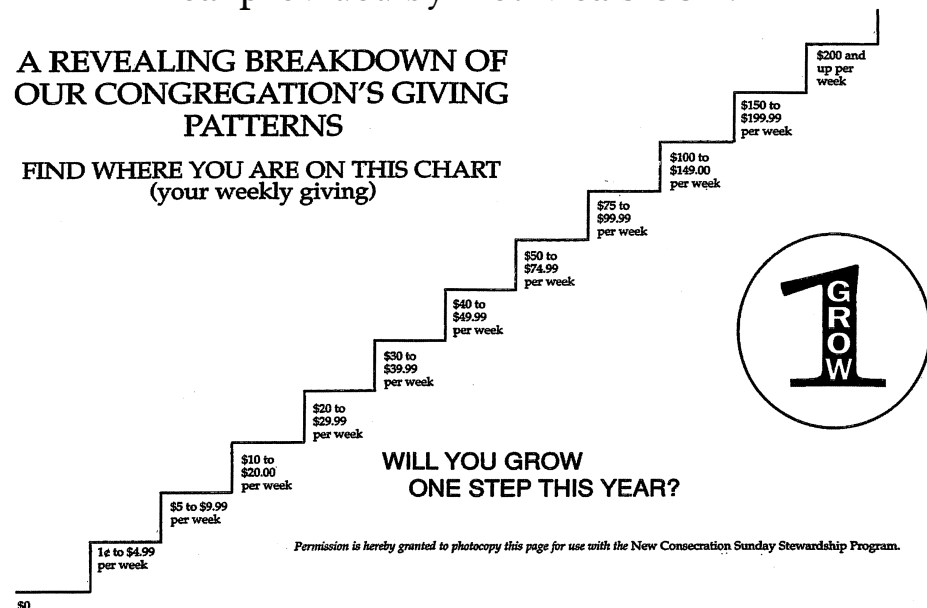


JOURNEYS

Join us after worship Sunday for a meal provided by Hot Meals USA!

A REVEALING BREAKDOWN OF OUR CONGREGATION'S GIVING PATTERNS

FIND WHERE YOU ARE ON THIS CHART (your weekly giving)



WEEKLY INCOME	BEYOND A TITHE		TITHE	UPPER RANGE GIVING			MIDDLE RANGE GIVING			LOWER RANGE GIVING		
	15%	12%		10%	9%	8%	7%	6%	5%	4%	3%	2%
\$200	30	24	20	18	16	14	12	10	8	6	4	2
\$300	45	36	30	27	24	21	18	15	12	9	6	3
\$400	60	48	40	36	32	28	24	20	16	12	8	4
\$500	75	60	50	45	40	35	30	25	20	15	10	5
\$600	90	72	60	54	48	42	36	30	24	18	12	6
\$700	105	84	70	63	56	49	42	35	28	21	14	7
\$800	120	96	80	72	64	56	48	40	32	24	16	8
\$900	135	108	90	81	72	63	54	45	36	27	18	9
\$1,000	150	120	100	90	80	70	60	50	40	30	20	10
\$2,000	300	240	200	180	160	140	120	100	80	60	40	20
\$3,000	450	360	300	270	240	210	180	150	120	90	60	30
\$4,000	600	480	400	360	320	280	240	200	160	120	80	40

We welcome the following new member by transfer:

Marcus Roper

“but if we walk in the light as he himself is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus his Son cleanses us from all sin.” (1 John 1:7)

Want to write a Journeys article?

We’d love to read your story.

Call the church office at **(308) 382-1952**

ORDER OF WORSHIP

WELCOME
ANNOUNCEMENTS
THE PASSING OF THE PEACE

CALL TO WORSHIP..... (ON SCREEN)
L: Every good and perfect gift comes to us from God.
P: Thanks be to God for the beauty and diversity of creation.
L: Thanks be to God for our ancestors of faith.
P: Thanks be to God for loving families and encouraging friends.
L: Thanks be to God for meaningful work.
P: Thanks be to God for the variety of talents within the body of Christ.
L: Thanks be to God for freedom of conscience, speech and worship.
P: Thanks be to God for calling us to covenant relationship.
A: With thankful hearts let us worship and praise the Lord our God!

OPENING HYMN....
#400 “COME THOU FOUNT OF EVERY BLESSING”

OPENING PRAYER..... (ON SCREEN)
Persistent and loving God, you are forever seeking for your will to be done on Earth. You yearn for all creation to live in harmony. Forgive us for growing weary of the struggle for peace and justice, and for courting despair. Loosen our need to see the full results and to feel hopeful. Sustain us with an abundance of friends and a measure of faith. Give us the willingness to do the loving thing and to be faithful in the small acts of caring. God of the hidden seed and the promised resurrection, work your surprising and amazing grace in our lives and in our broken world. Amen.

OFFERTORY..... (ON SCREEN)
DOXOLOGY..... #94

PRAYER OF DEDICATION..... (ON SCREEN)
Creator God, you have given us dominion over all the earth. With this covenant to care for the earth, we are called to give our time, talent and gifts. Bless the time we give, that it may be purposeful. Bless the talent we bring, that it may have meaning. Bless the gifts we bear so that they are given in pure love. Thanks be to you, our Creator. Amen.

CALL TO PRAYER..... (ON SCREEN)
PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE..... (ON SCREEN)
LORD’S PRAYER..... #895
HYMN OF PREPARATION..... #399 “TAKE MY LIFE”
SCRIPTURE LESSON..... MATTHEW 25:14-30
SERMON..... “STEWARDSHIP IS SO MUCH MORE”

PRAYER FOR STEWARDSHIP..... (ON SCREEN)
Holy One, We long to be faithful stewards of your abundant grace. To serve each other in love and humility. To serve your world with wisdom and energy. Forgive us when we stumble over pride, when our words and actions are not guided by love. Turn our hearts when we act in folly. Restore our energy when it is gone. Sometimes, many times, O God, our efforts fail. But your abundant grace is strong and eternal, And forgiveness is ours through Jesus Christ. Thanks be to God. Amen.

CLOSING HYMN..... #451 “BE THOU MY VISION”
BENEDICTION

Assistive listening devices are available to anyone that needs it to experience our worship services to the fullest.



Stewardship Saturday 6 PM Traditional Worship November 15th, 2025

SENIOR PASTOR...Rev. April Wegehaupt
(620) 212-6784

ASSOCIATE PASTOR.....Shella Choi
(816) 668-5769

NEW VISITORS/FOLLOW UP PASTOR
Carla Gunn

DIRECTOR OF FAMILY MINISTRY
Christina Landenberger

PASTORS EMERITUS.....Del Roper,
George Wheat

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SATURDAY WORSHIP IN GOLLAHER CHAPEL
Traditional.....6 PM

SUNDAY WORSHIP IN SANCTUARY
Traditional or CrossPoint....9:30 AM

WELCOME ☆ CONNECT ☆ DISCOVER

Volunteers For Service

Greeters	Usher	Reader
Sherri Hiatt, Linda Runge	Margie Balderston	Joyce Meinecke

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next Plarn Weaving with Pastor Carla Gunn . . .
is Sunday, November 16th. In Miller Hall at 4 PM. Thank you.

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Wednesday Night Meals this week . . .
11/19/2025: Spaghetti & Meatballs, Garlic Bread

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Get your order in for our beef enchiladas . . .
By November 26th! We are selling by the dozen (12 for \$20), or half dozen (6 for \$10). Get some to enjoy during Advent or other special times by freezing. Prepaid only and pickup will be December 3rd. Proceeds go to the roof. Thank you.

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The next Trinity 5th Sunday . . .
is **November 30th** and the theme is stars for the start of Advent. So wear your stars!

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Way Seekers Book Study will begin . . .
a four-week Advent study Nov. 30. We will discuss the book, Voices of Advent, by Matthew Skinner. This book leads readers through many scripture passages, exploring how they shape our lives and our Christmas celebrations. We will consider the impact of Jesus' birth during a wide time span, from the faithful people and poets who anticipated the magnificence of the savior's birth to the angels and visionaries who praised God at the time of Jesus' birth, from John the Baptist, preparing the way for the Messiah as Jesus was about to begin his ministry, to Jesus promising to return to us in the future. Way Seekers meets each Sunday at 10:45 a.m. in Room C. Everyone is welcome to join us for this study. Books will be available in the church office. For more information, contact Bette Pore at 308-383-7299 or randbpore@gmail.

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Baskets of Love . . .
Silent Auction is December 6th - 14th with bids ending at 11 AM. Baskets need to be dropped off the week prior, by Thursday December 4th. Proceeds go to the roof. Thank you.

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Questions or comments?
Please contact the church during office hours. Thank you.

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We Cordially Invite Everyone . . . in this congregation to become a member of this church, a working member. Call the church if you would like to talk it over with someone.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Loaves & Fishes Food Distribution . . .
December 13th, 2025 at College Park 3180 W Highway 34. Enter Tech Boulevard. Distribution is at **9:30 a.m.** until Food is gone. It is best to arrive between 9 am and 11 am. Do not arrive before 7:30 a.m. *This institution is an equal opportunity provider.*

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Hospital Visits & Prayer Chain . . .
If you or a loved one is in the hospital and would like to be visited or put on the prayer chain for prayer, please get in touch with the office. *Due to HIPAA security rules, Regional Medical Center cannot release the names of patients to the church.*

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Advent . . .
Celebrate the coming of Christ all month long with our Advent kits! All materials are FREE and are available. Choose from these activities to make a custom Advent kit for your family:

- devotional book
- Advent calendar
- ornament craft
- star gazing party on December 14
- star diffraction glasses
- Bethlehem soup

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Christmas Pageant Rehearsals . . .
are Sundays and Wednesdays. It is required to attend 4 plus rehearsals! Check the practice schedule with Christina.

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Our 34th Live Nativity & Soup Supper . . .
is Sunday, December 7th from 5 - 7 PM at Fonner Park. This is free-will fundraiser for food pantries. Chili and chicken noodle soups end at 6:30 PM.

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Our sympathies to the families of . . . Thelene A. Purvis



CALENDAR

November 16th - 23rd

Sunday Stewardship Sunday
9:30 AM Traditional Worship, Sanctuary, Nursery
10:30 AM Stewardship Meal, Miller Hall
3:00 PM All Church Conference, Hastings Grace
4:00 PM Plarn, Miller Hall

Monday
1:30 PM Hope UWF Circle, Youth Room
Love UWF Circle, Room C
4:30 PM Senior Wii Bowling, Youth Room

Tuesday
10:00 AM Staff Meeting, The Gathering Place
1:00 PM Mathetes Study Group, Youth Room
7:00 PM Trustees, Parlor

Wednesday
5:30 PM Wednesday Night Meals, Miller Hall
6:00 PM Handbell Rehearsal, Bell Choir Room
6:45 PM Empowered Women, Youth Room
High School Youth Zone, Tower Room
Middle School Youth Zone, Rooms 1 & 2
Christmas Pageant Rehearsal, Zone Room
7:00 PM Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary

Thursday Newsletter Article Due Date
6:45 AM Bible Study, Tommy's Restaurant
9:30 AM Martha UWF Circle, Youth Room
11:00 AM Lectio Divina, Zoom
1:00 PM Prayer Shawl Group, The Gathering Place
2:00 PM Coloring at the Chocolate Bar
7:00 PM Ad Council/Finance Committee, Zoom

Friday
1:00 PM Bulletin Folding, Parlor

Saturday
5:00 PM Scripture Discussion, Parlor
6:00 PM Worship, Gollaher Chapel
7:00 PM Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place

Sunday
9:30 AM CrossPoint Worship, Sanctuary, Nursery
10:30 AM Fellowship Time, The Gathering Place
Live Nativity Meeting, Miller Hall
PreK - Elementary Sunday School, Nursery
Sharing Our Life Stories, Youth Room
Way Seekers Study, Room C
Christmas Pageant Rehearsal, Zone Room
Youth Handbell Choir, Handbell Room