August 14th, 2022



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Order of Worship

Welcome

Prelude

Call to Worship

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn Wellspring of Wisdom UMH #506

Affirmation of Faith

UMH #881

UMH #70

Confession & Assurance

Gloria Patri

HymnGod the Sculptor of
the Mountains
TFWS #2060Children's MessageRev. Becca Newcomb
TFWS #2233ScriptureIsaiah 5:1-7SermonRev. Steven Newcomb

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Great Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

Holy Communion

Hymn

O Day of God, Draw Nigh UMH #730

Gifts, Tithes, & Offerings

Benediction

Identifying our Values & Goals of Discernment

We will soon be holding meetings on our campus to hear from different options currently before our congregation. Before engaging in these discussions, the process of discernment calls on us to identify the values and goals to guide us along this journey.

> Wednesday, August 17 1:00 PM or 6:00 PM in the Fellowship Hall

Discernment Values Meeting

Come for one of these two meetings as we identify the values and goals for our discernment process.

View a recording of the Discernment Info Meeting

As promised, we will be hosting a viewing of a Discernment Information Meeting hosted by the Future Discernment Task Force. If you were unable to attend the in-person meeting in Katy last Sunday, come view this recording of the same meeting as held in Tyler.

> Sunday, August 14, 2:00 PM Sanctuary

Showing of District Discernment Meeting

Sanctuary @ August 14th 2:00pm - August 3rd 3:00pm This recording is available on our <u>discernment website</u>, but to make it easier for some, we will be showing it this afternoon.

UMH #895



New Adult Sunday School Class Our new adult Sunday School Class begins next Sunday.



The Gathering returns on a new schedule!

Our weekly bible study for all age groups returns on Sunday, August 21. To accommodate the schedules of more individuals and families, we are moving The Gathering to Sunday afternoons starting this fall. We will meet all together at 4:30 PM and then split into age groups:

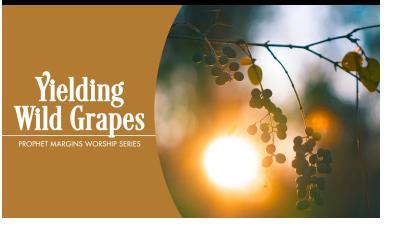
- Adults our first study will be Scripture & the Wesleyan Way by Scott & Arthur Jones. Books will be available for \$10 each.
- Youth (Grades 6-12)
- Children (Grades K-5)
- Childcare (Not yet in Kindergarten)

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10th Sunday After Pentecost

Our 4-Part Vision

Building Community Growing Our Faith Feeding the Hungry Engaging the Children

To all who sin and need a Savior ...

To all who mourn and seek comfort ...

To all who are lonely and need a friend ...

To all who are weary and need rest ...

To whosoever will come ...

This church opens wide her door and her heart ... And in the name of Jesus Christ, bids you welcome.