



Order of Worship

Welcome

Prelude

Call to Worship

Hymn*

How Firm A Foundation
UMH #529

Affirmation of Faith*

UMH #881

Gloria Patri*

UMH #70

Time of Prayer & Confession

Hymn*

Christ Is Alive
UMH #318

Gifts, Tithes, & Offerings

Sweet, Sweet Spirit
UMH #334

The Doxology

Children's Message

Rev. Becca Newcomb
TFWS #2233

Scripture

1 Peter 2:19-25

Sermon

Rev. Steven Newcomb

Great Thanksgiving

The Lord's Prayer

UMH #895

Holy Communion

Hymn*

Something Beautiful

Benediction*

Postlude



Pastor Becca Newcomb's Ordination

*First United Methodist Church, 1320 Main St @ Clay, Houston, Texas
77002 @ May 30th 7:00pm*

The Texas Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church invites you to be present for the 2023 Service of Commissioning and Ordination where Reverend Becca Newcomb, Pastor of Family Ministries at First United Methodist Church of Wharton, Texas will be Ordained as a Deacon in Full Connection. Informal Reception to follow the Worship Service.

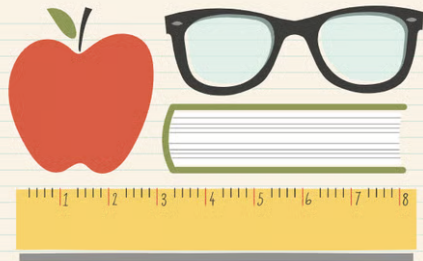
***For those of you that would like to carpool or if you would like to reserve your seat in the church van, please contact the office with a headcount. Plan to meet at FUMC Parking Lot by 5:00 PM.

COME & JOIN THE
CELEBRATION

Small Blessings
Pre-K Graduation!

Thursday, May 4th at
6:00p.m.
First United Methodist Church

Please help us to serve
refreshments in the
Fellowship Hall
After the program



Small Blessings Pre-K

GRADUATION



April 30th, 2023



4th Sunday of Easter

Small Blessings Pre-K Graduation

First United Methodist Church Sanctuary and Refreshments to
Follow in Fellowship Hall @ May 4th 6:00pm

Volunteers Needed

Contact Small Blessings to Sign Up!

CALLING GRADUATES OF ALL AGES
1. SUBMIT THE NAME AND A PHOTO OF THE GRADUATE
2. NAME OF THE SCHOOL GRADUATING FROM
3. GRADUATES FUTURE PLANS
PLEASE SUBMIT INFORMATION BY WEDNESDAY, MAY 3

**GRADUATE CELEBRATION
SUNDAY, MAY 7**

FUMC
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Graduation Sunday May 7th, 2023

Celebrating Graduates Of All Ages

Please submit information by
Wednesday, May 3rd, 2023

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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 ...

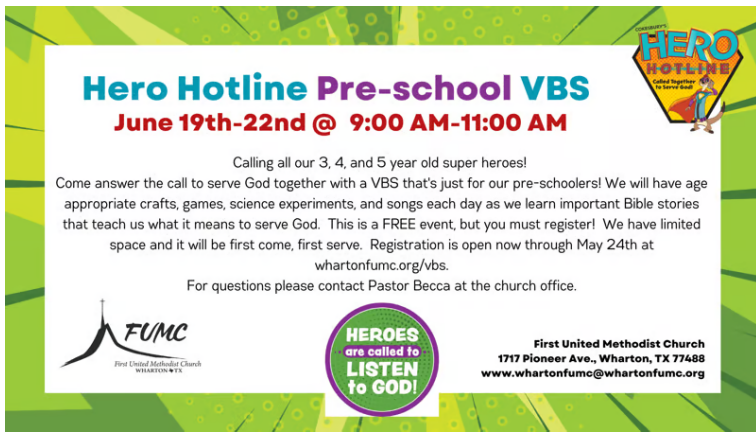
To all who are lonely and need a friend ...

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.





Hero Hotline Pre-school VBS
June 19th-22nd @ 9:00 AM-11:00 AM

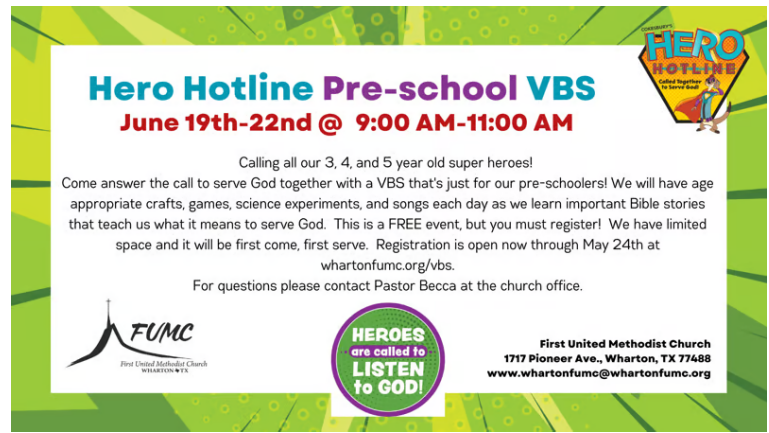
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July 10-14



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We need station leaders, small group crew leaders, helpers, and a check-in crew!

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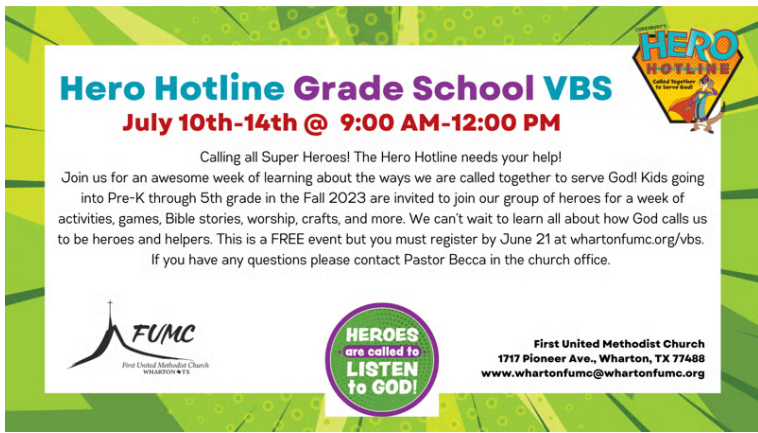
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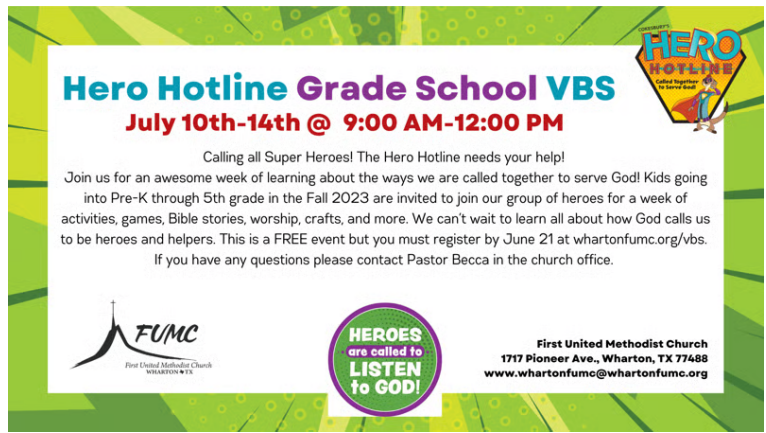
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