

## WE ALL ARE ONE IN MISSION

1. We all are one in mis-sion; we all are one in call, our  
2. We all are called for ser-vice, to wit-ness in God's name. Our  
3. We all be-hold one vi-sion, a stark re-al-i-ty; the  
4. Now let us be u-nit-ed and let our song be heard. Now

var-ied gifts u-nit-ed by Christ, the Lord of all. A  
min-is-tries are dif-ferent; our pur-pose is the same: to  
stew-ard of sal-va-tion was nailed up-on a tree. Yet  
let us be a ves-sel for God's re-deem-ing Word. We

sin-gle great com-mis-sion com-pels us from a-bove to  
touch the lives of oth-ers by God's sur-pris-ing grace, so  
res-ur-rect-ed Jus-tice gives cause for us to share free  
all are one in mis-sion; we all are one in call, our

plan and work to-geth-er that all may know Christ's love.  
ev-ery folk and na-tion may feel God's warm em-brace.  
rec-on-cil-i-a-tion and hope a-mid de-spair.  
var-ied gifts u-nit-ed by Christ, the Lord of all.

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Music: LANCASHIRE - Henry T. Smart

## SUNDAY PARKING

The church parking lot is reserved for mobility-impaired individuals. All able-bodied members are asked to use the free parking available on Sundays in the Trial Lawyer's garage at the southwest corner of 13th and Lavaca Streets and at open meters around the church.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:00-10:45 A.M.

### ADULTS

Sunday School is the place where people learn about Christian faith in a loving, supportive environment. Our classes offer adults a wide selection of age groups, study topics, and learning styles. Learn more at [fumcaustin.org/sundayschool](http://fumcaustin.org/sundayschool).

### YOUTH

Youth from 6th through 12th grades are invited to wake up with fellowship, study, and donuts! We gather in the Great Hall of the Family Life Center for music and announcements, then split into middle school and high school groups to awaken to God's word. Learn more at [fumcaustin.org/youth](http://fumcaustin.org/youth).

### CHILDREN

For children ages 3 through 5th grade, we offer weekly guided Christian education, led by volunteer church members. Children are grouped by age and grade. Children's classes are located on the first floor of the Education Building. Learn more at [fumcaustin.org/children](http://fumcaustin.org/children).

## ONLINE GIVING

We offer two convenient ways to give online: (1) make an online donation at [fumcaustin.org/giving](http://fumcaustin.org/giving). (2) text FUMCAUSTIN (all caps) to 73256 on your smartphone and follow the prompts. Once your number is registered, future gifts are easier to make.



**AUGUST 5, 2018**  
11:00 a.m.

## OUR MISSION

First United Methodist Church exists to build a community where all people are invited to know God's love and sent to join God in transforming the world.

## OUR INVITATION

Because we believe that every person is a beloved child of God, on a journey to God, with God, we welcome ALL people, *without exception*, to attend, join, and participate fully in the life of this church.

## OUR FAMILIES

We love children and encourage you to bring them to worship. Activity clipboards are available in the sanctuary foyer for their enjoyment. Our Family Room in the balcony offers rockers, books, toys, and a diaper change station for parents with infants and toddlers. Childcare is also available for children through age 5 in Rooms 102-104 of the Education Building. Please ask an usher for assistance.

**LEARN MORE AT**  
[www.fumcaustin.org](http://www.fumcaustin.org)

## GATHERING AS THE CHURCH

Asterisks (\*) indicate an invitation to stand as you are able.

### OPENING MUSIC

### GREETING

All are invited to greet those around them and to fill out the Connections Card.

Response: I was glad when they said to me,

**“Let us go to the house of the Lord!”**

Psalms 122:1

## ENTERING THE HOLY

### INTROIT

This Is the Hour  
of Banquet and of Song

Sidney Watson

This is the hour of banquet and of song;  
this is the heavenly table spread for me;  
here let me feast, and feasting still prolong  
the brief, bright hour of fellowship with thee.

Horatius Bonar

### \* CALL TO WORSHIP

In the midst of our failures,  
**we stand in God’s grace.**  
In the midst of our struggles,  
**we boast in our hope through Christ.**  
In the midst of our suffering,  
**we claim the endurance given by the Holy Spirit.**  
In every part of our lives,  
**the love of our Creator has been poured into our hearts.**  
Let us be open to this love as we join together in worship.

\* **HYMN 577** God of Grace and God of Glory

### OPENING PRAYER

## HEARING GOD’S WORD

### PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

**God of all creation,**  
send your Holy Spirit among us this day,  
that the seed of your Word might take root in our hearts,  
and bear the fruits of peace, love, and justice for all.  
**Amen.**

### SCRIPTURE

Romans 5:1-11

New Testament, page 146

### SERMON

Paul

## RESPONDING IN FAITH

### INVITATION TO THE FAITH JOURNEY

Are you interested in joining FUMC? Prior to joining, we ask all to participate in a First Steps Class to learn about United Methodist beliefs and the ministry of FUMC, meet the pastors and other members, and ask questions. To sign up, fill out the Connections Card during worship and place it in the offering plate or email Trevor Harper at [trevor@fumcaustin.org](mailto:trevor@fumcaustin.org). The next class is September 9 at 12:15 p.m. in Garrison Chapel of the Family Life Center.

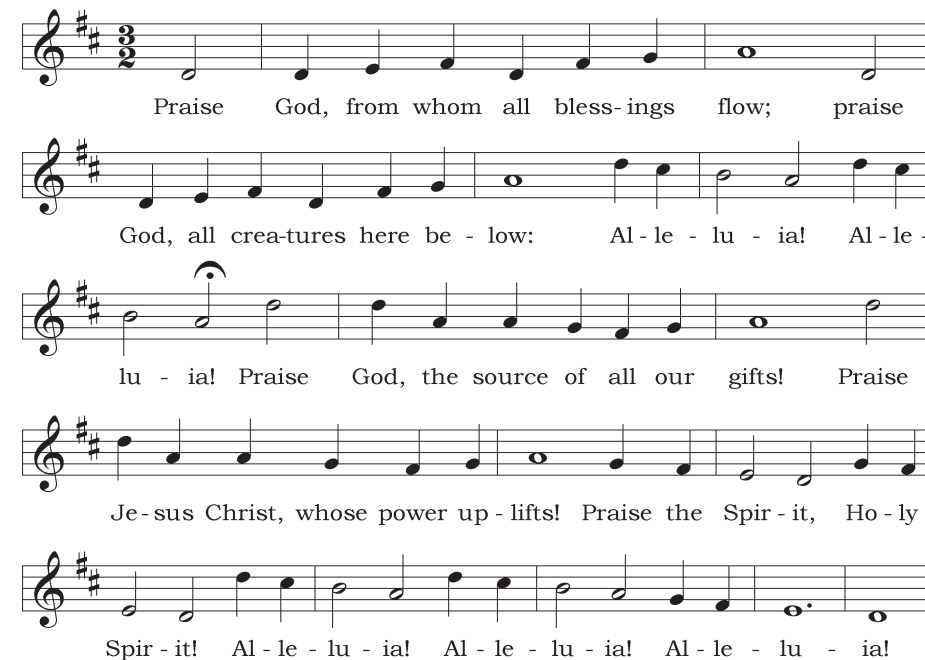
### OFFERING

Draw Us in the Spirit’s Tether

Harold Friedell

(Hymn 632)

### \* PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING



Praise God, from whom all blessings flow; praise  
God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!  
Alleluia! Praise God, the source of all our gifts! Praise  
Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts! Praise the Spirit, Holy  
Spirit! Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

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Music: LASST UNS ERFREUEN - Geistliche Kirchengesänge; adapt. by Ralph Vaughan Williams

## FEASTING AT THE TABLE OF GRACE

### \* THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

See Insert

### THE LORD’S PRAYER 895

### RECEIVING THE BREAD AND CUP

We commune by intinction, i.e., by dipping the bread lightly in the cup. After you have communed, you may return directly to your seat or kneel at the rail for prayer and then return. If you would like to be served in your seat, please let an usher know that or ask someone sitting near you to communicate that to the servers.

Gluten-free bread and cups are available at the left (north) side station. As you approach the servers, please indicate that you would like to receive gluten-free.

### COMMUNION HYMNS

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I Come with Joy

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Let Us Break Bread Together

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Eat This Bread

### COMMUNION RAIL OFFERING

It is a United Methodist custom to receive a freewill love offering, over and above our regular giving, at the communion rail. All gifts left on the rail will go to our English as a Second Language (ESL) Ministry.

### PRAYER AFTER RECEIVING

## GOING OUT TO SERVE

### \* HYMN

We All Are One in Mission

### \* BENECTION

### CLOSING MUSIC

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### ALTAR FLOWERS

The flowers are placed by Daviss King on his birthday in honor of his father, Hugh King, and in memory of his mother, Peggie King.

### WORSHIP LEADERS

Preacher: Reverend Cathy Stone

Liturgists: Reverend Michael Mumme and Ben Thoma

Music Director/Organist: Scott Davis