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 Texas Trial Lawyer’s Association 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.

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.

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.

ONLINE GIVING
We offer two convenient ways to give online: (1) make an online donation at fumcaustin.org/giving and/or (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.
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!”
Psalm 122:1

ENTERING THE HOLY

INTROIT  Morning Has Broken  Eleanor Farjeon

CALL TO WORSHIP
Since our beginning,
God has been seeking us out.
God meets us in the wilderness,
in liberation,
in sanctuaries,
in flesh like ours.
The Holy One invites us:
abide with me,
and I will abide with you.
God,
make us one with Love,
one with Justice,
one with all that is Sacred.

HYMN 139  Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

OPENING PRAYER

MISSION EMPHASIS MOMENT
Global Mission Fellows

ANTHEM  Many Gifts, One Spirit  Allen Pote

HEARING GOD’S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION
Lord Jesus Christ,
as we hear the reading of holy scripture,speak to us your words of spirit and life.
Amen.


HYMN 377  It Is Well with My Soul
Stanzas 1 and 2 sung seated as the children come forward.

THIRD GRADE BIBLE PRESENTATION
Gage Harrison Adams Goss
John Harvey Gresham
Alexis Katherine Kaighin
Vivian Waverly Kaighin
Maria Elena Lippincott
James Parker Scarth
Emma Elizabeth Sisson
Pearl Victoria Spears
Patrick Adan Thoma
Eliza Rose Turner

HYMN 377  It Is Well with My Soul
Stanzas 3 and 4 sung seated as the children return to their seats.

SERMON

RESPONDING IN FAITH

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

THE LORD’S PRAYER
Our Father,
who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come,
thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.

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. The next class is Sunday, November 17, at 12:15 p.m. in FLC Garrison Chapel. To sign up, fill out the Connections Card and place it in the offering plate, go online at fumcaustin.org/firststeps, or email Trevor Harper at trevor@fumcaustin.org.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION

OFFERING  Give Me Jesus  Moses Hogan

*PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING

RECEPTION OF NEW MEMBERS