**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.

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**PRESENTATION OF THE OFFERING**

**BENEDICTION**

**HYMN**

We Are Called

**CLOSING MUSIC**

**CHANCEL FLOWERS**

The flowers are placed by Carly Criscoe in loving memory of her grandfather, Taylor Webster Six.

**WORSHIP LEADERS**

*Preacher*
Reverend Taylor Fuerst

*Liturgists*
Reverend Cathy Stone
Dr. Brad King

*Music Director/Organist*
Scott Davis

*Associate Conductor*
Mario Contreras

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**SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY**

January 19, 2020

11:00 a.m.

**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 participate fully in the life of this church.

**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 VALUES**


**OUR FAMILIES**
We love children in worship. Activity clipboards for children are available in the Sanctuary Foyer. 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 EDU Rooms 102-104.

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**THE MOST IMPORTANT THINGS**

LEARN MORE AT www.fumcaustin.org
OPENING MUSIC

GREETING

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

Response: “Let us go to the house of the Lord!”

Psalm 122:1

ENTERING THE HOLY

INTROIT

Blessed Jesus, At Thy Word

Johann Ahle

Arr. George Herbert Palmer

Blessed Jesus, at thy word
we are gathered all to hear thee;
let our hearts and souls be stirred
now to seek and love and praise thee;
by thy teachings pure and holy,
they shall learn in their own experience
who he is.

O morning star, how fair and bright
thou beamest forth in truth and light!
O Sovreign meek and lowly
thou Root of Jesse, David's Son,
my Lord and Master, thou hast won
my heart to serve thee solely!

Thou art holy, fair and glorious,
all victorious, rich in blessing,
Rule and might o'er all possessing.

“The Quest of the Historical Jesus” by Albert Schweitzer

Phillip Nicolai; trans. by Catherine Winkworth

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Jesus calls us
to praise and prayer,
to song and silence;
Jesus calls us to worship.

Jesus calls us
to hearing and healing,
to service and solidarity;
Jesus calls us to love.

Jesus calls us
to advocacy and action,
to protest and provision;
Jesus calls us to justice.

Let us heed the call of Christ.
Let us worship together with joy.

Joanna Harader

* HYMN

You Walk Along the Shoreline

See Insert

OPENING PRAYER

MISSION EMPHASIS MOMENT

Judy Breckbill

ANTHEM

He Comes to Us

Jan M. Marshall

He comes to us as one unknown,
without a name, as of old,
by the lakeside he came,
he came to those men who knew him not.

He speaks to us, he speaks the same word:
“Follow! Follow thou me!”
and sets us to the tasks
which he has to fulfill for our time.

He commands, and to those who obey him,
whether they be wise or simple,
he will reveal himself in the toils,
the conflicts, the sufferings
which they shall pass through in his fellowship;
and as an ineffable mystery,
they shall learn in their own experience
who he is.

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thou bearest forth in truth and light!
O Sovereign meek and lowly
thou Root of Jesse, David’s Son,
my Lord and Master, thou hast won
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HEARING GOD’S WORD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

Almighty God,
in you are hidden all the treasures
of wisdom and knowledge.

Open our eyes
that we may see the wonders of your Word;
and give us grace
that we may clearly understand and freely choose
the way of your wisdom.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.

SCRIPTURE

Matthew 4:12-22

New Testament, page 3

HYMN 344

Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore

Stanzas 1 and 2 sung seated

as the children come forward.

HYMN 344

Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore

Stanzas 3 and 4 sung seated

as the children return to their seats.

SERMON

You Are Called

RESPONDING IN FAITH

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

As we pray, please join in the response:

Lord, in your mercy,
hear our prayers.

THE LORD’S PRAYER

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, February 2, 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

*HYMN

Would I Have Answered

When You Called

Traditional English Melody

Arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams

Would I have answered when you called,
“Come, follow me!”?
Would I at once have left behind
both work and family?
Or would the old, familiar round
have held me to its claim
and kept the spark within my heart
from bursting into flame?
Would I have followed where you led
through ancient Galilee,
on roads unknown, by ways untried,
beyond security?
Or would I soon have hurried back,
where home and comfort drew,
where truth you taught would not disturb
the ordered world I knew?

O Christ, I cannot search my heart
through all its tangled ways,
nor can I with a certain mind
my steadfastness appraise.

I only pray that when you call,
“Come, follow me!”
you’ll give me strength beyond my own
to follow faithfully.

Herman G. Stuempfle, Jr.

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