

# WHAT'S HAPPENING!

Please join us after the service for Hospitality Time in Criswell Hall

## This week's activities:

Tue. Jul 15	11:00AM	Nancy Baughman Memorial Service
Wed. Jul 16	9:00AM	Church Work Morning, Criswell Hall
	10:30AM	Church Council McMillen Room 1113
Thu. Jul 17	9:00AM	Senior Exercise, Criswell Hall
	10:30AM	Staff-Parish Pastor's Study
	11:00AM	Chair Yoga, Criswell Hall
	4:30PM	Children's Center Board McMillen Room 113
Sun. Jul 20	8:30AM	Informal Worship Service
	10:30AM	Traditional Worship Service

## Upcoming Events:

Sun Jul 20	PCPA "Something Rotten" by PCPA at Marian Theater in Santa Maria
Sun Jul 27	Free Movie Night, Fundamentals of Caring 4PM
Mon Jul 28	People's Kitchen Food Prep
Tue Jul 29	People's Kitchen Food Distribution
Sat Aug 09	UWF Bingo Night 5PM
Sat Sep 13	Women's Tea and Fashion Show
Fri. Sept 07	The Luffa Farm Tour, Carpool from Church at 10:10AM
Sat. Sept 07	Harvest Festival Parade
Sat. Oct. 04	St. Francis Day - Blessing of the Animals
Sun. Oct. 26	Alternative Christmas
Fri. Nov. 07	Christmas Boutique
Sat. Nov. 08	Christmas Boutique
Sun. Nov. 09	Christmas Boutique
Sat. Nov. 15	Turtle & Tortoise Rescue Carpool from Church at 10:45AM
Thu. Dec. 18	Children's Center Christmas Program

**HOSPITALITY:** Today hosted by Endowment/ELT  
July 20<sup>th</sup> will be hosted by Communications



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July 13, 2025

10:30 a.m.

## FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

PRELUDE "Reflections" Garret Parker

INTROIT *Stand By Me (verse 1)* No. 512

\*CALL TO WORSHIP

Where can we turn when life is stormy?

**We can turn to Christ, and rest in God's Love.**

Where do we look when waves threaten to overwhelm us?

**We look to Jesus and claim the Peace of Christ.**

\*OPENING HYMN *My Hope Is Built (verses 1-3)* No. 368

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

**Lord of wind and sea,  
when the storms of life overwhelm us,  
you speak a word of peace and calm.  
You are our courage and strength.  
Let us find our quiet center in You. Amen.**

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Carolyn Russell

**O God, we thank you for blessing us with the gift of children.  
May they learn the stories of Jesus. May we share their joy. Amen.**

A TIME OF PRAYER

Choral Call to Prayer Through It All No. 507  
 Prayers of the People Lord's Prayer  
 Choral Response Through It All No. 507

SCRIPTURE Luke 10:25-37

SPECIAL MUSIC Dave Anderson

\*HYMN *We Are God's People* TFWS #2220

SERMON Love God, Love Others

OFFERING

Call to Stewardship and Mission  
 Offertory "Peace Within My Soul" Edward Broughton  
 \*Doxology/Prayer of Dedication Hymnal, Page 95

**Praise God from whom all blessings flow.**

**Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host.**

**Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.**

\*CLOSING HYMN *Eternal Father, Strong to Save* TFWS #2191

\*BENEDICTION

Amidst the storms of life,  
**God gives us courage and peace.**  
 God is our refuge and strength.  
**We face the future unafraid.**

RESPONSE *Stand By Me (Verse 1)* No. 512

POSTLUDE "Wonderful Grace Of Jesus" Haldor Lillenas

*\*Please stand as able.*

**Assisting in today's service** Pastor: Rev. Wesley Thompson, Liturgist: Rosslyn  
 Clauson, Piano/Keyboard: Dennis Eiler, Organist: Brad Bettencourt

**Luke 10:25-37**

**The Parable of the Good Samaritan**

**25** An expert in the Law stood up to test Jesus. "Teacher," he said, "what must I do to inherit eternal life?" **26** He said to him, "What is written in the Law? What do you read there?" **27** He answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind and your neighbor as yourself." **28** And he said to him, "You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live."

**29** But wanting to vindicate himself, he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" **30** Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and took off, leaving him half dead. **31** Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. **32** So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. **33** But a Samaritan while traveling came upon him, and when he saw him he was moved with compassion. **34** He went to him and bandaged his wounds, treating them with oil and wine. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. **35** The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, 'Take care of him, and when I come back I will repay you whatever more you spend.' **36** Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbor to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?" **37** He said, "The one who showed him mercy." Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise."

**Those that wish to help support the victims of the Guadalupe River Flood, please mark FLOOD in the memo area of your check or offering envelope**

ATTENDANCE						
WEEK	8:30	10:30	IN- PERSON	VIDEO	TOTAL	STEWARDSHIP
June 15	43	64	107	52	159	\$4,331
June 22	38	83	121	56	177	\$2,911
June 29	31	41	72	43	115	\$9,891
July 06	53	124	177	11	188	\$11,054
<b>Weekly offering needed: \$6,231</b>						
<b>YTD Received: \$11,054</b>					<b>YTD Budgeted: \$6,231</b>	
<b>Our Fiscal Year starts July 1. Good start!</b>						