

WHAT'S HAPPENING!

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

This week's activities:

Mon. 6:00pm Gerry's Quilt Class, Criswell Hall
 Tue. 9:00am Senior Exercise, Criswell Hall
 Tue. 10:00am Sew 'n Sews, McMillen Rm #113
 Tue. 11:00am Chair Yoga, Criswell Hall
 Tue. 1:00pm Adult Bible Study, Criswell Hall
 Tue. 5:00pm Bell Choir Rehearsal, Hand Bell Rm. #115
 Tue. 7:00pm Trustees MMR
 Wed. 9:00am Church Work Morning, Criswell Hall
 Wed. 10:00am UWF Steering Committee Library
 Wed. 6:30pm Daughter's of Grace McMillen Rm #113
 Thu. 9:00am Senior Exercise, Criswell Hall
 Thu. 10:00am Holiday Craft Workshop McMillen Room #113
 Thu. 11:00am Chair Yoga, Criswell Hall
 Thu. 5:00pm Bell Choir Rehearsal, Hand Bell Room,
 Thu. 6:30pm Chancel Choir Rehearsal, Sanctuary
 Thu. 7:30pm Friendly Neighborhood Big Band, Criswell Hall
 Sun. 8:30am Informal Worship Service with Praise Band
 Sun. 10:30am Traditional Worship Service

Upcoming Events:

Sun. Oct. 05 World Communion Sunday
 Sat. Oct. 18 Tour of the Price House, 10:30
 Sun. Oct 19 Big Band Fall Concert 3:00PM Sanctuary
 Sun. Oct. 26 Alternative Christmas after both services
 Sat. Nov. 1-30 Children's Center See's Candy Fundraiser
 Fri-Sun. Nov.7-9 Holiday Boutique
 Sat. Nov. 15 Turtle & Tortoise Rescue, Carpool from church at 10:45
 Sun. Nov. 16 & 23 Noisy Offering (Spare change for Turkey)
 Sun. Nov. 30 Advent Crafts Workshop and Lunch After 2nd Service
 Thu. Dec. 11 Children's Center Christmas Program
 Sat. Dec. 13 Christmas Extravaganza 3-5PM
 Mon. Dec. 29 People's Kitchen Food Prep 1:30, Kitchen
 Tues. Dec. 30 People's Kitchen Food Distribution 1AM carpool from church

Today's flowers are dedicated to Kerren Brown from Bud Johnson



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October 05, 2025 **17th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST** 10:30 am

PRELUDE "Knowing You" Graham Kendrick

INTROIT Blessed Assurance No. 369

CALL TO WORSHIP

Destruction and violence are everywhere; strife and contention are all around

The needs of the world are so great; O Lord, increase our faith.

The law is slack, and justice does not prevail.

The needs of the world are so great; O Lord, increase our faith.

How many threats surround us; warfare, homelessness, loneliness, loss.

**The needs of the world are so great, but you, O God, are greater still –
 the One in whom all things are possible. O Lord, increase our faith in you!**

OPENING HYMN* Come, Ye Faithful, Raise the Strain No. 315

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPENING PRAYER

**For the gift of faith which sees beyond the present moment and looks to an eternity,
 we thank you.**

**For the gift of faith small as a mustard seed, which has power within its simplicity,
 we thank you.**

**For the gift of faith bestowed on those who would simply come, hearts open in humility,
 we thank 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

Call to Prayer Spirit of the Living God No. 393
 Prayer/Lord's Prayer
 Response Spirit of the Living God No. 393

CHOIR ANTHEM What A Beautiful Name Riches/Ramey

SCRIPTURE Luke 17:5-10

HYMN In the Garden No. 314

SERMON Mustard Seeds

OFFERING

Call to Stewardship and Mission
 Offertory "Glory Be To Jesus" Friedrich Firitz
 Doxology/Prayer of Dedication*

CELEBRATION OF HOLY EUCHARIST

Communion Music "The Heart of Worship" Matt Redman

CLOSING HYMN* God of Love and God of Power No. 578

BENEDICTION

**Imagine what a mustard seed of faith might do this week in our lives.
 Not a quart, nor a gallon, nor a truckload. Just a mustard seed.
 Imagine. Now may we go and live out that grace.
 Yes! Let it be so! Amen!**

RESPONSE* Blessed Assurance No. 369

POSTLUDE "How Great Is Our God" Reeves, Tomlin

Please stand as able

Assisting in today's service Pastor: Rev. Wesley Thompson,

Liturgist: Joyce Singleman, Piano/Keyboard: Dennis Eiler, Organ: Brad Bettencourt
 Choir Director, Tricia Stewart

Luke 17:5-10

5 The apostles said to the Lord, "Make our faith greater."

6 The Lord answered, "If you had faith as big as a mustard seed, you could say to this mulberry tree, 'Pull yourself up by the roots and plant yourself in the sea!' and it would obey you.

7 "Suppose one of you has a servant who is plowing or looking after the sheep. When he comes in from the field, do you tell him to hurry along and eat his meal? **8** Of course not! Instead, you say to him, 'Get my supper ready, then put on your apron and wait on me while I eat and drink; after that you may have your meal.' **9** The servant does not deserve thanks for obeying orders, does he? **10** It is the same with you; when you have done all you have been told to do, say, 'We are ordinary servants; we have only done our duty.'"

**HOSPITALITY: Today hosted by Endowment/ELT
 October 12th will be hosted by Mission Team**

ATTENDANCE						
WEEK	8:30	10:30	IN- PERSON	VIDEO	TOTAL	STEWARDSHIP
Sep 07	42	72	114	28	142	\$10,608
Sep 14	40	75	115	59	174	\$5,695
Sep 21	46	81	127	35	162	\$2,834
Sep 28	34	61	95	9	104	\$1,770
Weekly needed: \$7,175						
YTD Received: \$73,471					YTD Needed: \$93,042	
Youth Fund \$1,755						