

8:45, 9:45, 11:00am	April 27, 2025 <i>*stand as you are able</i>	Children’s Time	Riley Flores
Prelude	“Balm in Gilead” arr. Ephross and Stark Amy Hammer, Penny Michalec, flute Mary Lightfoot, piano	Scripture	Matthew 28:16-20 (8:45) Rev. Pavielle Jenkins (9:45) Dawn Kahle (11:00) Melanie Calvert
Greeting	Rev. Cheryl Bishop This is the day the Lord has made. Let us rejoice and be glad in it.	This is the Word of the Lord. Thanks be to God.	Sermon “Now What?” Rev. Bishop
*Opening Hymn 327	“Crown Him with Many Crowns”	Invitation to Christian Discipleship	Rev. Bishop
Baptism	Rev. Bishop and Rev. Scott Luginbill (9:45) Vivian James Kuhner daughter of Christopher & Evan Kuhner	*Closing Hymn 310	“He Lives”
Special Music	(9:45, 11:00) “Christ is the Rock” arr. Larson Men’s Ensemble	Reception of New Members	Rev. Bishop
Time of Prayer / Lord’s Prayer	Rev. Scott Luginbill Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.	Sending Forth	Rev. Bishop
Offering Our Gifts to God	(8:45) “Christ is the Rock” arr. Larson Men’s Ensemble (9:45, 11:00) “Make a Joyful Noise” Dilworth Chancel Choir; Mary Lightfoot, piano Michael Lightfoot, director	Postlude	(8:45) Antoine Spencer, piano (9:45, 11:00) “Christ Is Arisen” Bach Mary Lightfoot, organ
		Giving an “Extra Dollar” in the offering plate each Sunday allows those who give to the church at other times an opportunity to give in worship and serve as an example of support for our church to our children, youth, and guests.	
		Ready to join our church family? Come forward to meet the pastor during the singing of the closing hymn or meet a staff member following the worship service at the Welcome Desk.	
		Holy Communion is available in Ogden Fellowship Hall East at 10:45 and 12:00.	
		People of all ages lead in our worship services. We are thankful for our 4th-6th graders who serve as acolytes in our 8:45 and 11:00 services.	
*Doxology 94		Flowers in the sanctuary are given in memory of the Graveses and the Bands by Greg and Tina Graves.	

Welcome! We're glad you're here!

We invite you to find your next great opportunity for serving, spiritual growth, developing friendships, and doing the things you love with us.

Have questions or want help connecting?
Contact Mallory Pickering at mpickering@fumcr.com or 972.996.0146



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CHILDREN'S CHOIR SPRING MUSICAL

TODAY, 3-4pm, Worship & Arts Center

All are invited to our children's choir presentation of *Light It Up!* This bright musical illuminates ways God's love diminishes darkness and ways we can share God's light with others.

CONFIRMATION WORSHIP SERVICE

TODAY, 5pm, Sanctuary

Join families and friends of our 59 confirmands as they complete their year-long studies of the Christian faith and the United Methodist tradition. Students will publicly profess their faith in God through Jesus Christ, affirm their baptism vows, and become confirmed as members of First United Methodist Church Richardson.

MOTHER'S DAY FLOWER POT SALE

May 4, 8:30am-12:15pm, Greenhouse

The Garden Ministry is selling beautiful mixed flower pots for sun or shade just in time for Mother's Day. \$25 each.

KINDERGARTEN BIBLE PRESENTATION

May 4, 11am, Sanctuary

Kindergartners will receive their own children's Bible during our one, combined 11am worship service. No cost, registration requested. fumcr.com/kbible

COOKIE CAPER BAKERS NEEDED

Drive-by Drop-off: Sat, May 3, 11am-3pm

Purchase: Sun, May 4, 8:15am-12:45pm

Your homemade cookies help raise funds for building and medical supplies for mission trips. Sign up online! fumcr.com/cookie

WALKING AROUND THE PARABLES

Tuesdays, May 6-27, 6-7:30pm

Join Dr. Dan Flanagan for a four-week study exploring the depth and meaning of Jesus' parables in fresh and thought-provoking ways. Each session will focus on two or three parables and their relevance in our lives today. Register at fumcr.com/learn

THE WESLEY CHALLENGE

Wednesdays, May 7-21, 6:30-8pm

Journey with Rev. Scott Luginbill through 21 life-shaping questions that John Wesley originally asked of early Methodists - questions that still speak powerfully to our lives today. Guided by Chris Folmsbee's book. Register at fumcr.com/learn

EVERYBODY SUNDAY SCHOOL

Sundays, May 11 & 25, 9:45-10:45am

Join us in Coleman Family Hall for exciting intergenerational learning and serving opportunities where we will come together for a combined Sunday School experience.

For more event information or registration, and for ways to serve, please visit
fumcr.com/events and fumcr.com/serve

CROSS TALK

APRIL 29
6:30-8:30
COLEMAN FAMILY HALL

**UNITING WOMEN OF ALL AGES
FOR CURRENT CONVERSATION**

THE LET THEM THEORY
Mel Robbins
New York Times Bestselling Author



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