

**Get Involved**



**WE ARE COLLECTING**

**FOOD:**

- Whole grains like pasta
- Rice
- Oatmeal
- Dried or canned beans
- Canned Soup

**Goods: (for men, women and children)**

- Hats
- Scarves
- Gloves



**Galveston County Food Bank  
Mobile Food Distribution**

**WEDNESDAY  
JANUARY 26TH**

**AT FIRST UMC LA MARQUE  
1825 HOWELL AVE**

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED  
PLEASE ARRIVE AT  
7:30 AM TO HELP.**

**Sermon Notes**

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**Lord hear our prayers...**

- 12-26 Debbie & Kim Forbush, Patty Ashley, Brittany Rodrigues & Family
- 1-2 Randy Thomas, Joyce Vyvial, Calvin Treybig, Dan Koster, Jamie Piper, Barbara Fournier, Susan & Charlie Wimberly, Richard Webb, Virginia Dowler, Sylvia Yanas
- 1-9 Linda Johnson Adams, Debbie Collins, Gina Rosales and baby Emilio Eden, Dorothy Blankenship, Cheryl Hadley, Cheryl Scott, Doris & Jim Miley, the Trey Matthews family, Donnie LaBry, Joanne Mooberry, Jessica Potter, Toni McKain -Bremner, Maurice White, Barbara Williams
- 1-16 Sheri Reznicek's friend Karen and family, Dr. Tina Kien, The Hughes Family

**Those in Care Facilities:** Richard Alvarado (Bayou Pines), Mary Jinkins (Sodalis), Pam Syers (Lillian's Love), Barbara Williams (Regal Estates), Walter Wilson (The Crossings)

**Those Who are Homebound:** J.T. Agregard, Grace Boyd, Joy Holder, Mozelle Lubojasky, Mildred McLemore, Louise Ovesny, Tommye Pitman

For all those affected by the mid-west tornadoes, Hurricane Ida and Nicholas, for Afghanistan, for students, teachers and staff, for caregivers, for those who are recovering from the aftermath of natural disasters, marriages that are struggling, our nation, for those affected by the pandemic, our church, those in the military.



**ST. JOHN'S**

**A United Methodist Congregation**

**3rd Sunday after Epiphany January 23, 2022**



Welcome to worship at St. John's! May your worship experience be one of blessing and encouragement! While you are here, CDC guidelines are encouraged. Masks are recommended, but not required. And please silence your phone, so that you won't be distracted to hear God's call! Now, take a few slow breaths and relax. You've made it through the hardest part – you walked through the door and found your seat. Make yourself at home. Worship will start in a few minutes.

**Got kids? There will be a children's moment early on in the service and then they will go to the treehouse for their own worship time. There are activity bags for your children at the Welcome Center to help you keep them engaged while in worship. Simply return the bag and supplies after worship. Nursery is also provided for children 5 and under. The ushers & greeters are friendly and will be happy to show you around or answer your questions.**

**Guest Wi-Fi password is: walnut89**



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Website: <https://stjohnsumctc.org/>

Church office hours: Monday 10 AM - 2 PM / Tuesdays-Thursdays 9 AM - 4 PM

- Pastor - Rev. Stephanie Hughes
- Minister of Discipleship & Connections - Rev. Cindy Riddick
- Director of Missions and Administration - Ingrid Clark
- Youth Director - Mae Diaz de Leon
- Director of Traditional Worship - Dr. James Heffel
- Praise Band Leader - Azzie Jerice
- Accompanist - Sophie Chapman

## 9:30 AM Contemporary Worship

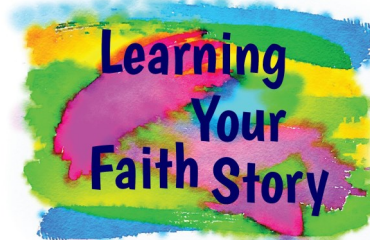
Welcome		Praise Band
Welcome and Announcements		
*Worship Songs:	<i>Open Up The Heavens</i> <i>Ghost</i>	Praise Band
Prayer		
Scripture		John 20:19-29
Message	“Awe-Ha Moments”	Richard Webb
Invitation to Christian Discipleship		
*Reflection Song:	<i>Cry Out To Jesus</i>	Praise Band
*Benediction		<i>*please stand as you are able</i>

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*Closing Hymn	<i>Here I Am Lord</i>	UMH #593
*Benediction		
*Benediction Response	<i>Lord, Dismiss Us with Thy Blessing, vs. 1</i>	UMH #671
<b>Lord, dismiss us with thy blessing; fill our hearts with joy and peace; let us each, thy love possessing, triumph in redeeming grace. O refresh us, O refresh us, traveling through this wilderness.</b>		
Postlude	<i>Joyful, Joyful</i>	arr. Myers Sophie Chapman, piano

*\*please stand as you are able*

## 11:00 AM Traditional Worship

Prelude:	<i>Trumpets In Praise</i>	Hughes	Barbara Wallace, Organ
Welcome & Greeting			
Choral Introit	<i>O Come, Let Us Glorify the Lord</i>	Northom	Chancel Choir
*Hymn of Praise	<i>Stand Up &amp; Bless the Lord</i>		UMH #662
Affirmation of Faith <b>We believe in God, the maker of all things and source of all life. We follow Jesus, the Christ, the revealer of God, who taught us to love, who gave us courage to trust God’s grace, and who bid us to take up our cross and follow him. In his life and ministry and his death and resurrection, he has shown us that in losing our lives we find them. He who was crucified is Lord of the Universe. We rely upon the power and presence of the Holy Spirit, the communion of saints, the unity of the church, the forgiveness of sin, the resurrection of the body, and the reality of eternal life. Therefore we devote ourselves to the disciplined practice of the way of Jesus in our daily lives, so that we may grow in faithfulness, and serve God in humble, confident love for the sake of the healing of the world. Amen.</b>			
Prayer			
Anthem	<i>He Is Exalted</i>	arr Larsen	Chancel Choir
Preparation Hymn	<i>Rescue the Perishing</i>		UMH #591



### New Bible Study Learning Your Faith Story

Join the group that will be exploring their faith journeys and the stages of faith. Rev. Cindy Riddick will lead this 6-week study that began:  
 Monday, Jan. 17 on Zoom at 5PM  
 Monday, Jan. 17 in person at 7PM  
 Wednesday, Jan. 19 in person at 11AM  
 Sign up in the foyer or contact Cindy at [criddick@stjohnsumctc.org](mailto:criddick@stjohnsumctc.org).



## MEETING NOTICE!

**Endowment Board Meeting  
Tuesday, January 25th at 6:30pm  
In the Sanctuary**

Minutes from Board of Stewards meeting are available at the welcome center.



**Confirmation**  
St. John's UMC 2022

<p>Kick Off Retreat Jan 28-29</p> <p>Confirmation Class 4-5 pm at the church January 23 February 6, 13, 20, 27 March 13, 20, 27 April 3, 10</p> <p>Conclusion Conference April 16 Directly following Church Easter Egg Hunt Practice with families 5:00pm</p> <p>Confirmation Easter Sunday, April 17 at the 9:30 service</p>	<p>Confirmation is open to children in Grades 7<sup>th</sup> and up.</p> <p style="color: red; text-align: center;"><b>Sign up in one the following ways:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Contact Rev. Stephanie Hughes <a href="mailto:shughes@stjohnsumctc.org">shughes@stjohnsumctc.org</a></li> <li>Contact Mae Diaz de Leon (Youth Director) <a href="mailto:mdiazdeleon@stjohnsumctc.org">mdiazdeleon@stjohnsumctc.org</a></li> <li>Sign up on the sheet outside the sanctuary on Sunday morning.</li> </ul> <p style="font-size: small; text-align: center;">Please include the cell phone number of the parent/guardian when you sign up.</p>
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We invite you to drop off your offering and prayer requests in the baskets at the entrance to the sanctuary.

**Other convenient ways to give are:**

Give online on our website at <https://stjohnsumctc.org/giving/>

OR

♦ **NEW Text Giving...**Text “GIVE” to (409) 226-0450 and then follow prompts

Thank you for your generosity and blessing!

