


ANNOUNCEMENTS

Book Chat—Our book selection for April will be *The Heart is Lonely Hunter* by Carson McCullers. We will meet in the church library **this week at 11:30am on April 28th** for a discussion and brown bag lunch.

Mother's Day Breakfast & One Service—Join us on Mother's Day, **May 10th!** Breakfast at **9:00am** in the Great Hall, then **One Worship Service at 10:00am** in the Sanctuary.

Henderson Interchurch Ministry 5K Color Run—Join us on **Saturday, May 16th** at Fair Park. Register today using the QR code and take part in this fun and meaningful community event. If you would like to volunteer at our church color station on the front lawn from 8–10:30am, please sign up in the front office and help represent our church. 

Senior Sunday—Celebrating all graduating seniors on **Sunday, May 17th** with a special **One Worship Service at 10:00am** in the Sanctuary.

Memorial Day Weekend One Worship Service—Join us on **Sunday, May 24th at 10:00am** in the Great Hall for a special one worship service.

Summer 2026 Youth & Children's Camps—Youth Camp: Ignite Camp (entering 6th–12th grade) will take place **June 19th–23rd** in Huntsville, TX, at a cost of \$299 per camper, register with Josh. Our Children's Camp: Rise Up Camp at Lakeview (entering 3rd–5th grade) will be held **June 8th–12th** in Palestine, TX, and the cost is \$425 per camper; register with Kaysie. If you feel led to help support camp expenses for our youth and children, please contact the church office—your generosity makes a meaningful impact.

East Texas Methodist Presents: The Ark Encounter & Creation Museum—Take a trip with Diamond Tours and Mike & Lisa Mayhugh on November 1-7, 2026. Flyers available in the church office with all the details.

Volunteers Needed for Chapel Move—We are seeking volunteers to help with the move of the Chapel to its new location on the 2nd floor. This move will bring the Chapel closer to the heart of our activities and make it more accessible for everyone. While carpentry and decorating skills are especially helpful—along with assistance for the next steps in moving the beautiful crosses—any help is truly appreciated, no matter how big or small. If you are willing to lend a hand, please contact the church office. Thank you for supporting this exciting transition!

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

27 Laci Meeks
30th Becky Massengale

Online Giving
QR Code



First Methodist Church
Henderson, Texas

Do You Want to Get Well?

John 5:1-9



Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 26, 2026

Here to Serve Your Walk with Christ Jesus
Church 903.657.6588 Preschool 903.657.4881
Church Office Hours: Monday—Thursday 8am-4pm
www.fmchenderson.org

Pastor—Rev. Mike Mayhugh

RECENT PRAYER REQUESTS:

Family & Friends of Gene Smith

Complete prayer lists are available in the office hallway.



Traditional Worship

PROCESSIONAL PRELUDE

(please stand as the cross enters the sanctuary)

INVITATION TO WORSHIP

HYMN #575 (St. 1,2,3, & 5)

Onward, Christian Soldiers

AFFIRMATION OF FAITH No. 881 “The Apostles’ Creed”

(Leader): As followers of Jesus Christ let us use these historic words of The Apostles’ Creed to proclaim the faith that directs our lives.

(People): *I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth; And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.*

GLORIA PATRI

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen. Amen.

HEARING GOD’S WORD John 5:1-9

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God.

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

RETURNING GOD’S TITHES AND GIVING OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

The Beatitudes

Purifoy

DOXOLOGY

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. Amen.

PASTORAL PRAYER / THE LORD’S PRAYER

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.

HYMN #504 (St. 1, 3 & 4)

The Old Rugged Cross

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

“Do You Want to Get Well?”

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

HYMN #731

Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL POSTLUDE

(please be seated as the cross passes your pew)