

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Holy Week Devotional—End Lent with a powerful Holy Week devotional, *Steps to Resurrection* by Joshua Wardle. Copies can be purchased in the church office.

Easter Lilies—Easter lilies in honor or memory of a loved one can be ordered in the church office. Deadline TOMORROW - Monday, March 30th. Each lily will be \$22.

Good Friday Service—Join us for our Good Friday Service on **April 3rd, at 6:00pm** in the Sanctuary.

Annual Easter Family Picnic and Egg Hunt—Invite your family & friends to our annual Easter Picnic and Egg Hunt on **Saturday, April 4th from 10am-2pm** at Lake Forest Park. Bring a chair and enjoy games, food and music.

Get Egg-Cited and donate some eggs, candy, and toy fillers for the picnic.

Help us fill the bunny box outside the church offices.

Calling Every-Bunny—We need Easter picnic helpers and bakers.


If interested, hop, hop and sign up in the church offices.

New Sermon Series—The Questions Jesus Asked: That Still Search Our Hearts
Jesus asked questions that revealed truth, challenged hearts, and invited faith. After Easter we will explore ten questions from Jesus that still speak to our lives today.

Women's Ministry—Ladies, you are warmly invited to join us for the next Women's Luncheon on **Tuesday, April 14th at 11:30am** in the Parlor. Enjoy delicious food and a fascinating program on local history by Greg Muckleroy. The cost is \$12, and please sign up in the church office.

Book Chat—Our book selection for April will be *The Heart is Lonely Hunter* by Carson McCullers. We will meet in the church library 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.

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.



First Methodist Church
Henderson, Texas

*The King We Needed,
Not the King We Expected*

Matthew 21:1–11



March 29, 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 Roxie Mayhugh (Mother of Mike Mayhugh); Family & Friends of Dr. Ray O. Brooks (Father of Jack Brooks); Sarah Roper

Complete prayer lists are available in the office hallway.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO:

29th Ramona White
30th Devin Tate
2nd Jean Colley
3rd Emili Foster
4th Cyndi Walker

Online Giving
QR Code





Traditional Worship

PROCESSIONAL PRELUDE

(please stand as the cross enters the sanctuary)

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

J. Mansfield

INVITATION TO WORSHIP

HYMN #278

Hosanna, Loud Hosanna

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 Matthew 21:1–11

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

CHILDREN’S MOMENT

RETURNING GOD’S TITHES AND GIVING OUR OFFERINGS

OFFERTORY

Jesus Loves Me

J. Raney

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 #280 (st. 1-4)

All Glory, Laud, and Honor

PROCLAIMING GOD’S WORD

“The King We Needed, Not the King We Expected”

RESPONDING TO GOD’S WORD

HYMN #292 (St. 1-3)

What Wondrous Love Is This

BENEDICTION

RECESSIONAL POSTLUDE

(please be seated as the cross passes your pew)

Thou Art the King of Israel

M. Ellis