



# Chapel Hill

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## United Methodist Church

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### Pastor's Message



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Merciful. Gracious. Slow to anger. Abounding in ad keeping steadfast love. Faithful. Forgiving.

These are the attributes of God mentioned in Exodus 34:6-7, which we discussed in Sunday's sermon. We face trying days in 2020. The doubts may arise. Maybe our thoughts have turned inward, focused on ourselves to the neglect of others. Maybe our fear or disdain of others has grown. We're lonely. Perhaps depressed. Can we trust in the way God has forged for us? Or should we go our own way?

Perhaps these thoughts and struggles have led to things we regret. We have failed to be faithful disciples because we, like the Israelities, in the hunger in the wilderness, doubted what God promised. We may have hurt those close to us with our words. Spoke in dehumanizing ways of those who frustrated.

Well, look at the words that began this piece. They describe our God in relationship. God is there for us. Embrace that today. Repent. Ask forgiveness. And start this journey anew, with the holiness of God's love leading the way.

Grace and peace,

Rev. J.D. Allen  
Senior Pastor

## Prayer List

CHUMC Home Bound	Justin Graham
The Gee Family	Leon Mauldin
Jocelyn Barnard	Willa Burton
Scott Fletcher	Everyone affected by wildfires along the west coast
Jennie Leamons	<b>Those affected by COVID-19:</b>
Tom Sanders	Nurses and Doctors
Charles Cancellare	All patients in hospitals
Peggy Shoemaker	Families who have lost people and cannot have funerals
Robbyn Smith (Cranford)	First responders
Family of Loretta Culp	Medical personnel who are working
Jordan Hammett	Parents of students
Jennifer and James	Senior citizens in nursing homes
Sandy Ball	Students and teachers taking classes online
Neal Ellis	Those who have lost jobs
Jordan Moll	
Donna Daggett	
Hank	
Project Transformation After School	



## Midweek Gathering for Prayer & Testimony

Wednesdays at 6:30 pm

Zoom Meeting ID: 871 4485 3646

We look forward to you joining us for our Online Gathering for Prayer and Testimony this Wednesday, September 23rd at 6:30 pm via Zoom. You can connect to the video conference on your computer or mobile device using the following:

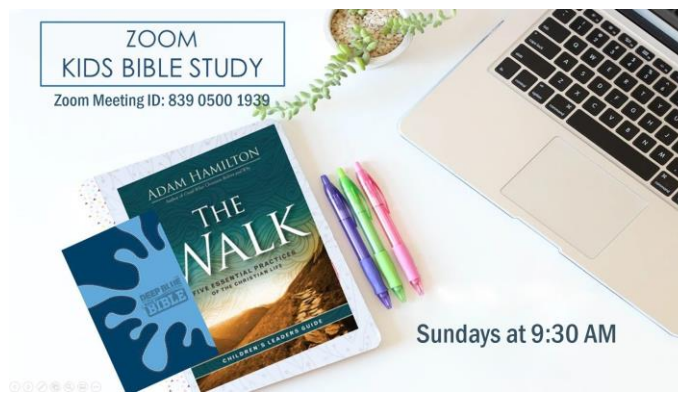
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ZOOM  
KIDS BIBLE STUDY

Zoom Meeting ID: 839 0500 1939



## Zoom Kids Bible Study

Join us for Zoom Kids Bible Study every Sunday at 9:30 AM, led by Barbara Tatum!

Zoom Meeting ID: 839 0500 1939

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83905001939>

While we are unable to gather, please remember CHUMC still has expenses. Please continue to make your faith pledge offerings by mail by sending them directly to our treasurer, Jan Wooldridge, at 12930 Mitchwin Road, Farmers Branch, TX 75234.

Please send prayer requests to Alec and Adam at [office@chapelhillumc.org](mailto:office@chapelhillumc.org). Please note, the office is closed during the week, so the phone is not being checked. If you are unable to email, please ask someone with email to send your information to the office email or contact J.D. at (972) 467-7756.

In the case of a pastoral care emergency, please contact J.D. at (972) 467-7756.

**BIRTHDAY REMINDER:** Please let our church office know your birthdate, mm/dd/yyyy, so your church family can acknowledge your special day. **Your 'year' will remain private:** [office@chapelhillumc.org](mailto:office@chapelhillumc.org)



Walter Ochoa 9/11	Beth Laney 9/14
Beverly Holmes 9/15	Glorie Romine 9/16
Nancy Hartman 9/17	Felice Ricks 9/21
Joanne Marchant 9/22	Nancy Ochoa 9/23
Roxanne Rawdon 9/23	Kaye Bandy 9/26
Emily Metzger 9/28	Ruth Medcalf 9/29

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