



Chapel Hill

United Methodist Church

February 1, 2021

Pastor's Message

You may have heard that, in the midst of this pandemic, our youth minister and ministry intern Adam Lubbers has been facilitating discussions with our new Discipleship Team, made up of our mission & outreach, children's, and youth committees, to discern and discover how we might best fulfill the mission of the church in our time and place.

The mission of the United Methodist Church is "to make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world." We seek to fulfill this mission in three ways:

- Proclaiming the good news of God's grace
- By exemplifying Jesus' command to love God and neighbor
- And thus seeking the fulfillment of God's reign and realm in the world, which is the vision Scripture holds before us.

The process by which we do this is as follows:

1. Proclaim the gospel, seek, welcome, and gather persons into the body of Christ
2. Lead persons to commit their lives to God through baptism by water and the Spirit and profession of faith in Jesus Christ
3. Nurture persons in Christian living through worship, the sacraments, spiritual disciplines, and other means of grace, such as Wesley's Christian conferencing
4. Send persons into the world to live lovingly and justly as servants of Christ by healing the sick, feeding the hungry, caring for the stranger, freeing the oppressed, being and becoming a compassionate, caring presence, and working to develop social structures consistent with the gospel
5. Continue mission of seeking, welcoming, and gathering people into the body of Christ

(See the Book of Discipline of the United Methodist Church, para. 122)

Through this process, we hope to discern what the ministry of CHUMC shall look like going forward to most effectively fulfill our mission. I invite you to be in prayer for CHUMC, the discipleship team, and Adam as the process continues.

Grace and peace,

Rev. J.D. Allen



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Prayer List

CHUMC Home Bound	Nancy Hartman
The Gee Family	Carol Jones
Jocelyn Barnard	Allie Boshier
Jennie Leamons	Larry Rains
Tom Sanders	The Family of Sandy Allen
Jordan Hammett	Melissa Hatch
Neal Ellis	Matt and Casey Sanders
Project Transformation After School	Beverly Holmes
Alex Kaplinsky	Those affected by COVID-19:
Scott Bandy	Nurses and Doctors
Jean Walters	All patients in hospitals
Neal Ellis	Families who have lost people and cannot have funerals
Norman Duren	First responders
Amy Swanson	Medical personnel who are working
Judy Charvat	Parents of students
Sylvia McFalls	Senior citizens in nursing homes
Debbie Coleman	Students and teachers taking classes online
The Family of Judy A. Bull	Those who have lost jobs
The Guerin Family	
Edrese Hanigan	

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Metrocrest Minute

You did it!

In just over a month, you raised \$100,000 for the Food Pantry! Your efforts unlocked an additional \$100,000 matching gift from Metrocrest Hospital Authority.

\$100,000 provides 600,000 meals + \$100,000 match = 1,200,000 meals to feed your neighbors in need!

"Now, it's more important than ever that funding is available to provide nutritious food to local families experiencing food insecurity," said Metrocrest Services CEO Tracy Eubanks. "Last year, we saw a 275% increase in neighbors visiting the food pantry, many for the first time. We anticipate this trend will continue well into 2021."

THANK YOU for helping to build a stronger community together!

Chapel Hill Family,

Just wanted to offer a note of thanks for funding a new webcam and microphone for Synergy Wesley Foundation's Brookhaven ministry! They will go a long way to ensuring an engaging and enriching fellowship experience. Chapel Hill's generosity is much appreciated!

Regards,
Adam Richards

Please Note:

The CHUMC Reopening Team has decided to continue worshipping online only for the time being. The church office will be closed for in-person visits during this time.

Tithes and offerings can be sent to the church address or 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. Please note that although the office is closed to in-person visits during the week, we can still be reached at the above email and by phone at (972) 241-3491.

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



Joseph Kim 2/5
Veronica Law 2/12
Adam Richards 2/17
Habib Khoury 2/24
Sarah Baird 2/26

Steve Fuls 2/11
Annika Young 2/12
Ana Christensen 2/21
Jacob Rangel 2/24
Kathy Scheihagen 2/26

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