

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

* Join us for soup, sandwiches, and an informative talk "Our Bridge Over Troubled Waters". Cindy Stone will tell us how graduates and students of the Moscow Theological Seminary are leading congregations in Eastern European countries. Come to the FLC after the second service today to see what God is doing through this ministry.

PRELUDE "Give Thanks" by Henry Smith

CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all you people!

People: With shouts of joy we celebrate the good news of God's love.

Leader: Open your hearts to the warmth of God's redeeming love.

People: God has poured such wonder into our lives!

Leader: Come, let us worship God with hearts and souls and voices!

People: Let our praise ring to the rafters and ascend to the heavens! Amen.

HYMN "Lead On, Oh King Eternal" UMH #580

OPENING PRAYER

We give praise to you, O God, for you are awesome and amazing. We remember your deeds and faithfulness— deeds that have brought us to this day, faithfulness that has helped us weather life's storms. We have gone through fire and water, and stand before you today in gratitude and praise. How awesome are your deeds, O God! Amen.

THE PEACE

ANTHEM

WE SEEK TO HEAR FROM GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE READING Luke 17: 11-19

SERMON SERIES The Gospel of Luke

SERMON Rev. J.J. Wicke

WE RESPOND TO GOD

HYMN "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" v. 1, 2, 3 UMH #452

OFFERING

Today is UMCOR Sunday! We will take up a special giving collection to support UMCOR today. This month's communion rail offering will also support the United Methodist Committee on Relief. UMCOR is the humanitarian relief and development arm of the UMC and assists churches with becoming involved globally in direct ministry to persons in need.

DOXOLOGY UMH #95

**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.**

APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God, the Father Almighty, creator of heaven and earth. I believe 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, died, and was buried; he descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again; he ascended into heaven, is seated at the right hand of the Father, and will come again to judge the living 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 UMH #70

TIME OF PRAYER Dr. Ray Kiser

Joys and Concerns
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. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

WE LEAVE TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD

HYMN "I Want to Walk as a Child of the Light" UMH #206

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna" by Jenette Threlfall

Northwest Hills United Methodist Church

We are glad you are here!

Date: March 19, 2023

Service attended: 11:00 am

Name(s): _____

Children's Name(s): _____

Email: _____

Cell: _____

Mailing Address: _____

- 1st Time Guest
- 2nd or 3rd Time Guest
- Regular Guest
- Church Member
- Desire to join (member/baptism)

I/we would like more information about:

- Children's Ministry
- Youth Ministry
- Men's Ministry
- Music Ministry
- Stephen Ministry
- Sunday School classes
- Mission Opportunities
- On-campus volunteer opportunities
- Sunday morning hospitality
- Other _____

I/we need a name tag (new or replacement)

_____ (name)

_____ (name)

Prayer Requests

Date: _____

Please pray for _____

- I would like this request kept private.
- I have the recipient's permission to share this with our prayer chain.
- I would like to speak with a pastor.
- I would like to join the Prayer Chain.

Celebrations

I would like to share the following celebration:

- You may share my celebration.

To submit a prayer request or a celebration to our Prayer Team, fill out this prayer card and drop it in the offering plate. You can also contact our Prayer Ministry coordinator, Connie Ellis, at drclellis@gmail.com.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Upcoming Events & Opportunities

For all event, study, and missions' signups/registrations, go to nwhillsumc.churchcenter.com/registrations or use the QR code at top.

UMCOR Sunday (United Methodist Committee on Relief)

UMCOR Sunday is TODAY. The UMCOR Sunday offering underwrites UMCOR's administrative costs, allowing 100% of all funds given to support humanitarian response and recovery efforts.

Prayer and Praise Service

The March Prayer and Praise service will take place in-person in the choir room and via Zoom on Thursday, March 23 at 7:00 pm.

Thursday Women's Bible Study

The group will start a new study, "In the Footsteps of the Savior" by Max Lucado on April 3, 2023. The study will run for six weeks and will be held both on Zoom and in-person in Room 114. To sign up or learn more, contact Paulette Payne at paulettep@yahoo.com.

Crop Walk

In-person walk on March 26 at 2:30 pm at Camp Mabry. Help end hunger one step at a time! This is a family-friendly event. Join our team or make a donation by going online to our website or using the QR code above; either option will take you to the Crop Walk link.

Summer Youth Mission Trip

All youth (grades 6-12) are invited attend this year's U.M. ARMY mission trip to San Antonio (July 16-21).

Summer Mission Trip

Adults and youth (13+) are invited to help build/repair homes in the McAllen area from June 11 to 16, 2023. We are looking for a couple of people who would like to be in charge of groceries/meals while we are there. Questions? Contact zachary_kates@hotmail.com.

Save the Dates!

April 15: Hands on Housing with iACT
 May 7: Blood drive at NWHills
 May 21: Community First! Village worship and meal

Easter Week

Check out our Easter week schedule in the NewsBlast! More to come in the following weeks.



WELCOME

Contemporary Worship Service 9:00 am
Sunday School (all ages) 10:00 am
Traditional Worship Service 11:00 am
Nursery 8:45 am—12:00 pm

March 19, 2023

11:00 am

Our Team:

Senior Pastor: Rev. J.J. Wicke (jj@nwhillsumc.org)

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Contemporary Worship Leader: Jordan Burchill

Pianist/Organist: Seth Zamora

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Updated giving platforms:

Use the QR code to go directly to our secure giving options—online and via text.



Address:

7050 Village Center Drive
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Office Hours:

Monday—Thursday
 9:00 am—12:00 pm
 1:00—4:00 pm

Easter Lilies: Dedications are available now through April 2. This year, all donations for Easter lilies will go to support our youth in missions this summer (U.M. ARMY, McAllen home repairs, etc.). Forms are available online and on the welcome