

Prayer Requests

Date: _____

Please pray for:

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

Celebrations

I would like to share the following celebration:

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- ☐ You may share my celebration

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

Bountiful Thanksgiving for Florence's Comfort House

Starting TODAY! Grocery bags and shopping lists will be available in the Narthex (or find a shopping checklist on the back of your prayer card). Return items to the church by Sunday, November 23rd. Thanksgiving dinners will be distributed to families through Florence's Comfort House. Questions: Contact Dennis & Connie Ellis at (512) 342-2606

NEW Class Offering!

Want to relax, stretch and tone your body in a beautiful space? Meet some new friends at yoga-inspired stretch and dance in the art gallery (downstairs from the Sanctuary) Thursdays, 6-7:30 pm beginning November 13. No experience necessary. Contact Heather for more info: heather@nwhillsumc.org.

Blood Drive

Sunday, Nov16 from 8:30 - 12:30 the We Are Blood bloodmobile will be in our parking lot. Sign up for a time to donate!

Now Showing in the North Hills Gallery

Marfa Ministry Art Gallery: Oct. 31 – Nov. 30. Browse art from the Ministry's 16 partners. Proceeds benefit each artist's organization and support Methodist ministries worldwide.

***Gallery Reception & Celebration** of the Moscow Theological Seminary 30th Anniversary: Tuesday, November 18th 4:30 - 6:30 PM.

Advent Decorating Party

On Sunday, Nov. 23rd, volunteers are invited to stick around after the 11 o'clock service to help decorate the Sanctuary and Narthex for Christmas. Refreshments will be served.

Youth Midwinter Retreat

Fri, Jan 9th - Sun, Jan 11th at the T-Bar-M Camp in New Braunfels. Cost is \$175, and the deadline to sign up is Dec 5th. Scholarships are available. Reach out to Tyler at tsteele@nwhillsumc.org to request more info.

Spring Break Mission Trip

Youth and Family Spring Break Mission Trip - Sunday, March 15th - Thursday, March 19th. If you are a youth, (grades 6-12), or an adult of any age, you are invited to join our team heading down to Weslaco, Texas, in the Rio Grande Valley, from March 15th - 19th, for a half-week of service over Spring Break.

After School at NWHills

On Wednesdays, youth are invited to gather in the Youth Center for an After School Program from 3:50-5:30. Volunteers needed - reach out to Tyler Steele for more info! tsteele@nwhillsumc.org

Worship Helpers Needed

We are looking for individuals interested in greeting, ushering, and/or helping with communion during weekly worship. If interested please contact, Kim Hoffman for 9AM service at kadhoffman@yahoo.com and Marjeanne Rutt for 11AM service at marjeanner@gmail.com



WELCOME

Contemporary Worship Service 9:00am

Sunday School (all ages) 10:00am

Traditional Worship Service 11:00am

Nursery 8:45am- 12:00pm

November 9, 2025
11:00am

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

Associate Pastor: Rev. Dr. Ray Kiser (rdkiser@aol.com)

Youth and Digital Ministry: Tyler Steele (tsteele@nwhillsumc.org)

Children's Ministry: Heather Taylor (heather@nwhillsumc.org)

Business Manager: Michelle McMinn (mmcminn@nwhillsumc.org)

Office Manager: Sharon Clark (sharon@nwhillsumc.org)

Contemporary Worship Leader: Jordan Burchill

Traditional Worship Leader: David Suarez

Pianist/Organist: Donald Brower

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Address:

7050 Village Center Drive
Austin, Texas 78731

Office Hours:

Monday—Thursday

9:00 am—12:00 pm

1:00—4:00 pm

Giving platforms:

Use the QR Code to go directly to our secure giving options- online and via text.



This Sunday's floral dedication is given to the glory of God; arranged by Britt Cain and Brenda Barron of our Flower Committee.

WE GATHER TO WORSHIP GOD

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Dr. Ray Kiser

PRELUDE Sing Alleluia to the Lord, vv 1-3 TFWs #2258

CALL TO WORSHIP Psalm 147:1-6 UMH #859

HYMN The Church’s One Foundation UMH #545

OPENING PRAYER
Dear Lord, just as you called the twelve together and gave them power and authority over all demons, please grant me the same power and authority to overcome any evil that may come our way. Please give us the ability to cure diseases and heal those who are suffering. Help us to be a vessel of your love and compassion, and may your power work through us to bring hope and healing to those in need. In Jesus' name, Amen.

THE PEACE

ANTHEM "Into the World of Light" by Camilla Pruitt and Tom Shelton

WE SEEK TO HEAR FROM GOD

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Luke 9: 1-6

SERMON What is Your Main Business? Rev. J.J. Wicke

WE RESPOND TO GOD

HYMN I Love to Tell the Story UMH #156

OFFERING
November’s communion rail offering will support the Bountiful Sunday fund for Florence’s Comfort House. Donations will help provide Thanksgiving meals for local families in need. In addition to monetary gifts, \$20 (or higher) H-E-B gift cards are also appreciated to help purchase food items for these families.

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.

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 Tyler Steele
Pastoral Prayer
The Lord’s Prayer

HOLY COMMUNION

Leader: And so, in remembrance of these Your mighty acts in Jesus Christ, we offer ourselves in praise and thanksgiving as a holy and living sacrifice, in union with Christ’s offering for us, as we proclaim the mystery of faith.
People: Christ has died; Christ is risen; Christ will come again.

HYMN Let Us Be Bread TFWs #2260

WE LEAVE TO SERVE GOD IN THE WORLD

HYMN Battle Hymn of the Republic UMH #717

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE Praise to the Lord, the Almighty arr. by John Carter

Northwest Hills United Methodist Church

We are glad you are here!

Date: November 9, 2025
Service Attended: 11:00am

Name(s): _____

Children’s Name(s): _____

E-mail: _____

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
- ☐ Legacy Giving
- ☐ Sunday School Classes
- ☐ Missions Opportunities
- ☐ On Campus Volunteer Opportunities
- ☐ Other: _____

☐ I/We need a new name tag _____ (name)