

October 23, 2022 10:30am Sunday Service

THE GATHERING

Welcome and Opportunities for Ministry

Prelude

Call To Worship

One: God of Zion, to you even silence is praise. Promises made to you are kept---you listen to prayer---and all living things come to you.

All: When wrongdoings become too much for me, you forgive our sins.

One: How happy is the one you choose to bring close, the one who lives in your commands!

All: We are filled full by the goodness of your house, by the holiness of your temple. In righteousness you answer us, by your awesome deeds. God of our salvation--you, who are the security of all the far edges of the earth, even the distant seas;

One: You establish the mountains by your strength; you are dressed in raw power; you calm the roaring seas; calm the roaring waves; calm the noise of the nations. Those who dwell on the far edges stand in awe of your acts. You make the gateways of morning and evening sing for joy. You visit the earth and make it abundant, enriching it greatly by God's stream, full of water.

You provide people with grain because that is what you've decided. Drenching the earth's furrows, leveling its ridges, you soften it with rain showers, you bless its growth.

All: You crown the year with your goodness: your path overflow with rich food. Even the desert pastures drip with it, and the hills are dressed with pure joy. The meadowlands are covered with flocks, the valleys decked out with grain---they shout for joy; they break out in song!

Opening Song Praise to the Lord, the Almighty UMH 139

KNOWING GOD

Children's Time

Scripture Luke 18:9-14

Sermon Me, Myself, and I

Rick Hawkins

Response Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness TFWS 2120

LOVING GOD

Joys and Concerns
Prayer of the People
Offering

Offertory Hungry

SERVING GOD

Closing Song I Will Follow

Benediction

Worshiping with us Online:

Go to our YouTube Channel:

www.YouTube.com/CUMCGarland

- 2. Send Joys and Concerns as a comment on the YouTube or Facebook Live chat section
- 3. Give online at:

https://onrealm.org/CUMCgarland/-/give/now

or Text to give:

<u>Text CUMCGARLAND</u> with the dollar amount to 73256



Let your financial gifts be a challenge to give out of your resources for spiritual reasons. Give out of joy and thanksgiving. Please know that every gift from our members and non-members is sincerely appreciated.

Announcements

SMU football season is near! Plan now to support our concession stand.

For more information, contact Christopher Rickett or Kathy Rickett c_rickett@aol.com / kjsrickett@aol.com

Sep 10 6:00 pm	VS Lamar
Sep 24 Time: TBA	VS TCU
Oct 14 6:30pm	VS Navy
Oct 22 Time: TBA	VS Cincinnati
Nov 5 Time: TBA	VS Houston
Nov 26 Time: TBA	VS Memphis



COVID-19 Resources

https://ntcumc.org/coronavirusresources Friday morning Women's Bible Study

9:30 am

Women's Bible Fellowship on Tuesdays at 7:00 p.m.

Trunk or Treat:

Saturday, October 29 from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm.

Worship in the Pumpkin Patch next Sunday, Oct. 30 10:30 a.m. weather permitting.

Bring lawn chairs and/or blankets.

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Praise to the Lord, the Almighty UMH 139

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation! O my soul, praise him, for he is thy health and salvation! All ye who hear, now to his temple draw near; join me in glad adoration!

Praise to the Lord,
who o'er so wondrously reigning
bears thee on eagle's wings,
e're in his keeping maintaining.
God's care enfolds all,
whose true good he upholds.
Hast thou not known his sustaining?

Praise to the Lord,
who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;
surely his goodness and mercy
here daily attend thee.
Ponder anew
what the Almighty can do,
who with his love doth befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord,
who doth nourish thy life and restore thee,
Fitting thee well for the tasks
that are ever before thee.
Then to thy need
God as a mother doth speed,
spreading the wings of grace o'er thee.

Praise to the Lord!
O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath,
come now with praises before him!
Let the amen sound
from his people again;
gladly forever adore him.

Spirit, Spirit of Gentleness TFWS 2120

Chorus:

Spirit, Spirit of gentleness, blow through the wilderness calling and free; Spirit, Spirit of restlessness, stir me from placidness, Wind, Wind on the sea.

You moved on the waters, you called to the deep, then you coaxed up the mountains from the valleys of sleep; and over the eons you called to each thing: wake from your slumbers and rise on your wings

[Chorus]

You swept through the dessert, you stung with the sand, and you goaded your people with a law and a land; And when they were blinded with their idols and lies, then you spoke through your prophets to open your eyes.

[Chorus]

You sang in a stable, you cried from a hill, then you whispered in silence when the whole world was still; And down in the city you called once again, when you blew through your people on the rush of he wind.

[Chorus]

You call from tomorrow,
you break ancient schemes,
from the bondage of sorrow
the captives dream dreams,
Our women see visions, our men clear their eyes,
with the bold new decisions your people arise.
[Chorus]

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I Will Follow

Where You go, I'll go
Where You stay, I'll stay
When You move, I'll move
I will follow

All Your ways are good All Your ways are sure I will trust in You alone Higher than my sight High above my life I will trust in You alone

Chorus:

Where You go, I'll go Where You stay, I'll stay
When You move, I'll move I will follow You
Whom You love, I'll love How You serve I'll serve
If this life I lose, I will follow You

Light into the world Light into my life
I will live for You alone You're the one I seek
Knowing I will find All I need in You alone,

[Chorus]

In You there's life everlasting
In You there's freedom for my soul
In You there's joy, unending joy
And I will follow

[Chorus]

I will follow You (X3)