

Welcome to
our church!

Church Leadership

Rev. Carol West, Pastor

Rick S. Gates,
Director of Music

Kee Sourjohn, Organist
Shoshana Cook, Pianist
Blaine Cook, Drums

Gary Cunningham,
Media

Michelle Wheeler
Sound Technician

This Week

Wed, 08/16

7:00pm Choir Rehearsal

Sun, 08/20

9:15am Biscuits &
Coffee

9:45am Biscuits & Bible
Study

11:00am Worship
Nursery & Youth
Sunday School

The Vine Sponsorship

Want to Sponsor *The Vine* in memory or honor of someone or simply promote your business? Write "Sponsor" in the redbook as it is passed today, or you may call the church office. Sponsorship will cost \$50 and this helps with offsetting the cost of printing. You provide the article and picture or a logo and we will do the rest.

Debit/Credit/Auto-Give

Would you like to give automatically by credit card, debit card or bank draft? You may sign up for Auto-Give by calling the church office at 817-335-3222. By doing this, your offering is always here and you won't have to worry about writing that check each Sunday morning or going to the bank to pick up cash. This is an easy process and a great way to make sure your offering is here even when you can't be!

Game Night

The next Game Night will be held this **Friday, August 18 at 7:00 pm.** If you have a favorite game to play please bring it. If you have a favorite snack, bring it too. We've had a great time playing games and fellowshiping with one another. Join us.

Black Tie Raffle Tickets Available now!

Black Tie is raffling off a brand new 2018 Mercedes-Benz C300. It only takes one ticket for you to win and if you win, you can pick your color choice of white or black, or even "green", cash that, is after applicable taxes are paid. It will have upgraded 18" wheels, a Panorama Roof, rearview camera, heated seats, collision prevention assist, and Pre-Safe. Approximately MSRP \$43,500. Celebration is required to sell a minimum of twenty five tickets so get yours now. Tickets will be available in the Fireside Room after the service today.

SERVING OPPORTUNITIES

Sign up today to help serve your church. We need worship assistants to help with all aspects of our Sunday Services and other special events. If you would be willing to help, please write "Worship" in the redbook and someone from the office will contact you. Training will be provided.

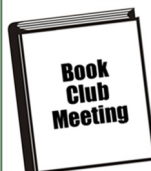
Are you a registered voter? If not, we can help. Steven Rains is a deputy registrar and will be happy to get you registered to vote legally in Tarrant County. Steven can also direct you if you live outside of Tarrant County. Call Steven and he will help you become a registered voter. 817-992-7578



Special Music at Celebration

Many of you called the church office to let us know that the date we chose for the special music and concert was the same day as the Dallas Cowboys / New York Giants season opener. We have decided to move the date of the special music to **Sunday, September 24**, so change your calendar and plan to join us for some of your favorite songs at the 11am service and at the 6 pm service, we will have a concert of Broadway Hits. Following the concert, we will have a fried chicken dinner. We ask that you bring a dish/dessert to share that goes with chicken.

Book Club Meeting



Remember, our Book Club Meeting will be held on **Tuesday, September 12 at 6:30 pm.** We will be reading and discussing "*House of The Rising Sun*" by Jamie Lee Burke. Get your copy now so you can join in the discussion. This is a story of a father and son separated by war and circumstance and whose encounter with the legendary Holy Grail will change their lives forever.

Gardening Club



The CCC Garden Club will be meeting again on **Saturday, August 26 at 8:45 am.** If you would like to help with this, please write "Garden Club" in the redbook. Be sure to bring your gloves and tools. We will have trash bags and plenty of water on hand.

Please remember these people in your prayers:

**JT Whites, Sonja Harp, Mike Murray, Joe H and family,
Cindy Allen, Larry**



PRELUDE INSTRUMENTALISTS

INVOCATION

*PROCESSIONAL HYMN
HE LEADETH ME, O BLESSED THOUGHT!
Chalice #545 GILMORE/BRADBURY

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS
YOU, YOU ARE GOD BEACH

PRAYER HYMN
DRAW ME CLOSE CARPENTER

PASTORAL PRAYER

CALL TO WORSHIP

One: When winds howl and seas rage,
All: Christ beckons us from the storm, calling us to walk in faith.
One: When circumstances break against us,
All: God transforms our misfortunes into blessings.
The mysteries of God are deeper than the foundations of the earth.

*SCRIPTURE READING MATTHEW 14:22-33

CHOIR ANTHEM
GET OUT OF THE BOAT LINDSEY/SMITH

SERMON REVEREND CAROL WEST

OFFERTORY PRAYER

OFFERTORY MUSIC
PRECIOUS LORD, TAKE MY HAND DORSEY
Cassandra Woods, soloist

*OFFERTORY RESPONSE
HE IS EXALTED PARIS

SURSUM CORDA

One: May God be with you.
All: And also with you.
One: Lift up your hearts.
All: We lift them up to God.
One: Let us give thanks unto God.
All: It is right to give God thanks and praise.

COMMUNION
Communion is a sacred time of worship in which you are invited to join us in singing the following hymns or in silent meditation. At Celebration, all are invited to receive communion.

JESUS, NAME ABOVE ALL NAMES HEARN

LORD, LISTEN TO YOUR CHILDREN PRAYING MEDEMA
Chalice #305

GREAT IS THY FAITHFULNESS CHISOLM/RUNYAN

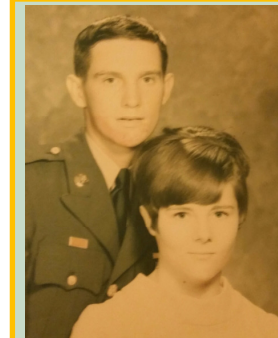
*RECESSIONAL HYMN
TAKE MY LIFE HAVERGAL/MALAN
Chalice #609 - Verses 1,4 & 6

BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE INSTRUMENTALISTS

*Please rise as you are able.

"I am the vine and you are the branches..." John 15:5
the Vine



This week's Vine is sponsored by Pat & Jim Young in celebration of their 49th anniversary yesterday. Congratulations Pat & Jim.

School Supplies



Celebration is a church for all people. You may have heard that from time to time. This includes school children, too. Many families can't afford to buy the supplies they need for the school year. Items needed – notebooks (of all sizes), backpacks, pencils, crayons, rulers, glue, erasers, small calculators, pencil boxes, loose leaf paper, folders, Binders - anything and everything a child needs to attend school. If you would consider these kids the next time you go shopping we know they will greatly appreciate it.

This week's altar flowers are given by Ron Hill in honor of Kee Sourjohn's birthday. Happy Birthday Kee!

Lunch Bunch

Our next Lunch Bunch will be held on Thursday, August 24th at 11:30 am. If you would like to join us, please

write "Lunch Bunch" in the redbook and you will be notified of where we will be meeting. Be sure to include your contact information.

A donation was made to Celebration Community Church in honor of Rev. Carol West and Angela King by:
Claudia Knowles

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