



Greeting

Rev. Pam White

Prelude For the Beauty of the Earth
Handbells

Call to Worship

Hymn 145 Morning Has Broken

Affirmation of Faith

Anthem His Eye is On the Sparrow
Sanctuary Choir, Sandy Shelley - Piano

Morning Prayer/Lord's Prayer
Rev. Travis Burdett

Scripture John 15:9-17
Teresa Smith

Message One in Ministry to All the World
Rev. Pam White

Blessing of Prayer Shawls

Offertory Prayer

Offertory Keep Your Lamps
Handbells

Hymn 568 Christ for the World We Sing

Invitation and Benediction

Postlude

Current Missions:

Food Ministries

Joys and Praises:

Mother's Day

New Members:

Kevin Marfo

Jacob Moore

Rhys Robertson

Mileena Wilson

Michelle Marfo

Will Moran

Aaron Tovar

Audri Moore

Taylor Peterson

Grace Van Fosson

Prayer Requests for Members:

Lawanda B.

Mary & Glen F.

Tom M.

Linda S.

Johnny T.

Carol C.

Cindy G.

Danny P.

Clarice S.

LeNell T.

Bobby C.

Jim H.

Patti P.

Diane T.

Kashton Z.

Prayer Requests for Friends and Family:

Danielle, daughter of Ginna & Barry D.

Robin & George, friends of Dave & Mary D.

Chelsey, friend of Linda Z.

Dani & Weston, family of Bob & Lynda C.

Marilyn, sister-in-law of Patsy F.

Genevieve, daughter of Vicki F.

Mark, friend of Shari W.

David, father of Michelle O.

Prayers for our Church, Community, and World:

For those struggling with poverty

For peace in the Middle East

For our students, teachers and staff as the school year comes to a close

But you, O Lord, are a shield around me, my glory, and the one who lifts up my head.
I cry aloud to the Lord, and he answers me from his holy hill. I lie down and sleep; I
wake again, for the Lord sustains me.

Psalm 3:3-5

Announcements

- To Give online, firstrowlett.org/give-now.
Checks can be mailed to the church at
First Rowlett UMC, P. O. Box 447, Rowlett, TX 75030
- **All Church Meeting:** We will have an all church meeting on Monday, May 20 at 6:30 pm in the Worship Center. Pastor Pam will discuss the decisions made during General Conference earlier this month and address some of the questions that have been raised. The church council will also have a brief meeting prior to this at 6:00 pm in room 140 which is also open to anyone. If you would like to be part of these conversations, plan to join us on Monday, May 20. This is a time for all to feel informed and to be renewed in our commitment to work together as we share the love of Christ through our words and actions.
- **Golden Classics:** On Wednesday, May 22 at 11:00 am, all who are 55 and older are invited to come to Golden Classics. This month's entertainer is no stranger to First Rowlett. It is Bob Goodwin, the brilliant pianist with the New Horizons Big Band and Dixie Swing Band. Bob plays a variety of music from standards to movie themes, and of course, jazz and swing. He loves playing for our church, so let's all pack the Worship Center to support this incredible musician. Bring \$5 and a dish to share. Be sure and invite a friend!
- **Dinner Groups:** First Rowlett is excited to start a new ministry. So many of us only know the people in our own small groups, but we are one big church family! Our new Dinner Groups will be gatherings of people from across the church who are assigned a group of eight who will gather for dinner in homes or restaurants three times during the summer. We know that through sharing a meal we can come to know each other and Christ better! Sign up [HERE](#).
- **Vacation Bible School:** This year's exciting Vacation Bible School, Scuba, begins Sunday, June 23 and goes through Wednesday, June 26. Registration is open now! Click [HERE](#) to register as a participant or volunteer. Come learn about Jesus and see how much fun going under the sea can be! Click [HERE](#) for the signup for donations. These items can be dropped off in the Children's Ministry Office.
- **Food Ministry:** We have 86 children in our weekend food program, and our account is dangerously low. We need to be able to help these students with food for the remainder of the school year. Can you help by donating a little to our fund?

Mission Opportunities

- **Volunteers needed in all areas** - Please prayerfully consider where you can serve.
 - We are looking for Greeters and people to set up and take down the outside flags (niki.burdett@firstrowlett.org) for both worship services - there are opportunities available each week.
 - The Children's Ministry (liz.harper@firstrowlett.org) and Youth Ministry (dandre.smith@firstrowlett.org) need volunteers one Sunday per month - there is no preparation needed, everything is all set up for you.
 - Or maybe cooking is your calling. The Kitchen Krew needs volunteers to help with Sunday morning and Sunday night. travis.burdett@firstrowlett.org
- **Food Ministry: The food pantry is in need of canned chicken, tuna, soup, and squeeze bottle jelly, peanut butter crackers and pudding cups are a helpful donation for weekend food. **We are also in need of plastic bags!****

For more information about mission opportunities,

please visit our website,

firstrowlett.org/ministries/serve