

Fourth Sunday after Pentecost
Service of Word
June 21, 2026 at 11:00am

GATHERING IN PRAISE

The Chiming of the Worship Hour

The Welcome and Announcements

The Prelude

“To God Be the Glory” arr. Gammill

The Introit

“Praise to the Lord, the Almighty” Hopson

The Opening Prayer

**The Hymn of Praise*

“Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah” No. 127 (all verses)

The Intercessory Prayers

The light of Christ. **Thanks be to God.**

Lord in your mercy, **hear our 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.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil,
for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever.
Amen.

**The Congregational Hymn*

“Shall We Gather at the River” No. 723 (v. 1)

The Giving of God’s Tithes and Our Offerings

The Offertory

“Faith of Our Fathers” arr. Gammill

**The Doxology*

THE PROCLAMATION OF THE WORD

The Children’s Moments

**The Prayer for Illumination*

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**The Scripture Lesson*

1 Peter 3:18-22

Leader: This is the Word of God.

People: Thanks be to God.

The Anthem

“Come Thou Fount of Every Blessing” Wyeth

The Sermon

“Baptism: Saved by Water”

RESPONDING IN FAITH

**The Hymn of Response*

“Wash, O God, Our Sons and Daughters” No. 605 (vv. 1-3)

**The Apostles’ Creed*

No. 881

**The Gloria Patri*

SENDING FORTH

**The Hymn of Invitation*

“I Am Thine, O Lord” No. 419 (vv. 1, 2)

**The Choral Benediction*

“Go Now in Peace” Sleeth

**The Congregational Blessing*

The Lord bless you and keep you.
The Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you.
The Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace.

**Postlude*

“Just As I Am” arr. Gammill

*The flowers on the altar are dedicated to the Glory of God
and given in loving memory of
Matt Posey
by his family.*

WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lake Junaluska Youth Trip – The youth will be attending a camp with M28 Ministries from July 7 – July 10 at Lake Junaluska. Please be in prayer for these youth.

Save the Date – Please mark your calendars for a special Wednesday night meal on Wednesday, July 15, at 5:30. During this time we will introduce our new youth minister Ken Pickens to the congregation. We are so excited to welcome Ken to our church staff.

Mission Trip – Join us for a mission trip to El Salvador on March 6–13, 2027. The price is \$750 per person. A deposit of \$100.00 will be due on September 1 with the remaining balance due on December 31, 2026. The group will stay at the Methodist Mission, and projects will include church construction, food distribution and vacation Bible school. Contact Julie, Stacy or Chad for more information.

Annual Rummage Sale - If you have items you would like to donate for our August 8 rummage sale, please call the church office to arrange a time for drop-off. Please do not bring clothing or shoes.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Meetings will be held in the church library

- June 23 at 6:00pm** – Leadership Council
- June 30 at 10:00am** – Worship Committee
- July 20 at 4:30pm** – CDC Board

MID-WEEK ACTIVITIES

Tuesday

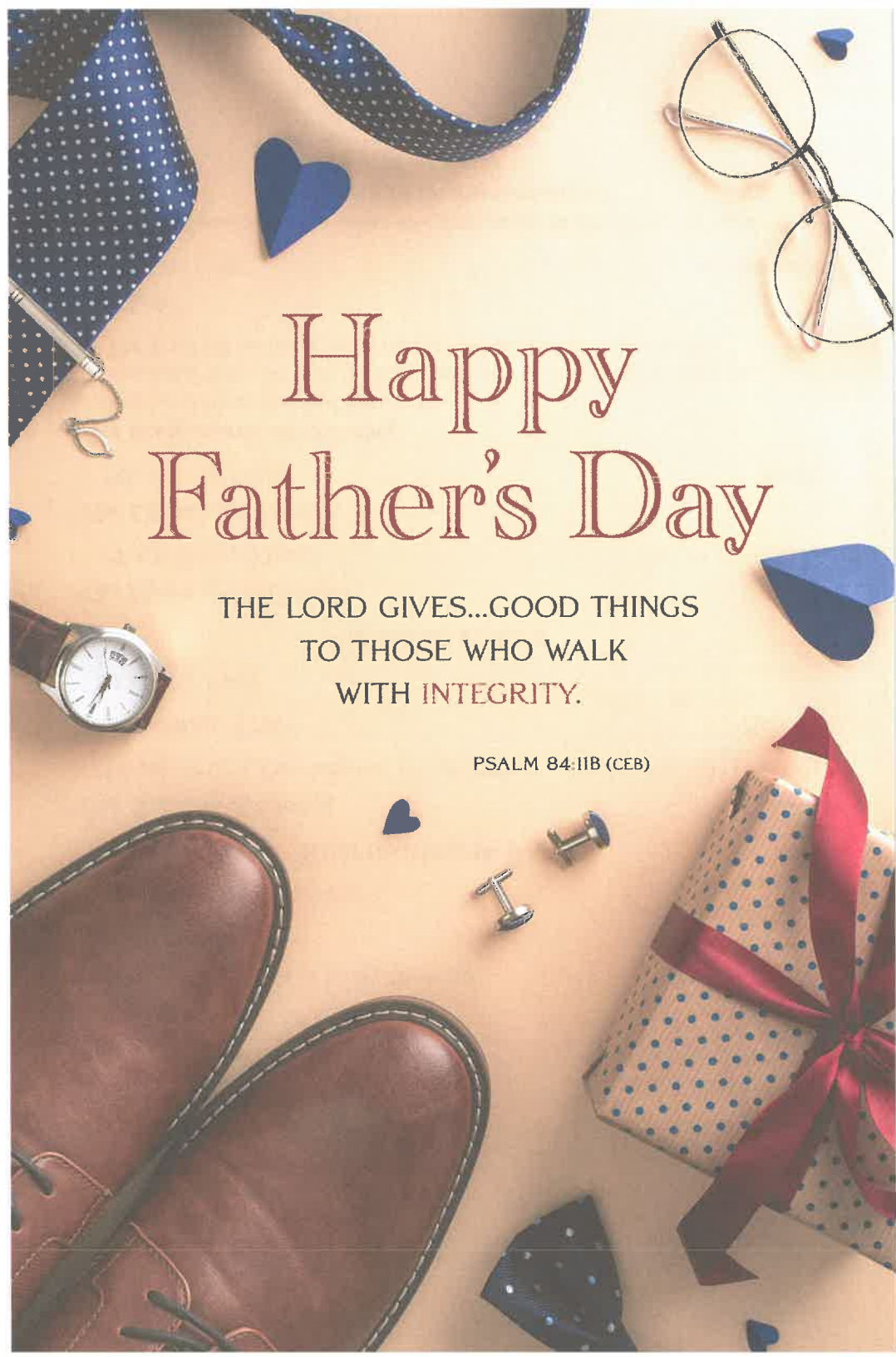
5:00pm Revive Study Group

Wednesday

11:00am Mid-Week Bible Study (Library)

12:00pm Holy Communion (Sanctuary)

5:30pm UMYF (Bryan Youth Center)



Happy Father's Day

THE LORD GIVES...GOOD THINGS
TO THOSE WHO WALK
WITH INTEGRITY.

PSALM 84:11B (CEB)