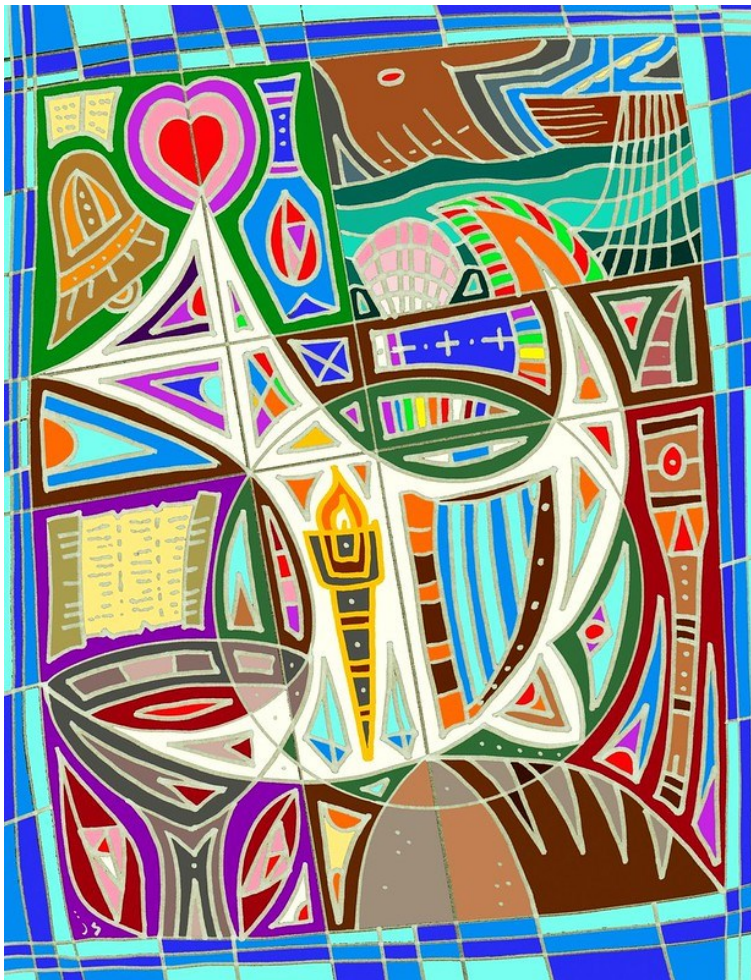


ROYAL LANE BAPTIST CHURCH

Diverse People United in Christ



The Worship of God

Trinity Sunday

June 12, 2022

10:55 A.M.

*Worship begins with the Chiming of the Hour and the Voluntary.
To help maintain the spirit of worship, please silence all electronic devices.
✠ – Please rise in body or in spirit.*

Chiming of the Hour

In Romans 5:1-5. Paul describes the life of faith with reference to God, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit. Even now, we have peace with God through Jesus, and our hope for the future is grounded in the love of God that we experience through Christ's Holy Spirit.

Voluntary

Fanfare and Processional — Douglas Wagner

David Weigle

✠Call to Worship

In the beginning, when God drew a circle
on the face of the deep,

**Wisdom was there rejoicing,
delighting in the human race.**

In the beginning was the Word, with God,
and the Word was God.

**And the Word became flesh and lived among us,
full of grace and truth.**

In every time and place, God's love is poured into our hearts
through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

Blessed are you, Creator, Christ, and Holy Spirit.

Congregation

✠Invocation

Let us pray:

O God, we honor this day the majesty and the mystery of your name. You are both infinite and ultimate, known and unknowable, transcendent and transparent. In love, you have made us your own, and invite us to join in your divine dance. We will never rest until we rest in you, Blessed Trinity, one God forever and ever. Amen.

Congregation

✠Hymn 1 [see insert]

Holy, Holy, Holy — NICA EA

Congregation

Words of Welcome

Melanie Ferguson, Pastor Search Committee

Christ be with you ... and also with you!

*[Please record your attendance in the blue booklet at the end of the pew and pass it to others.
You may also register online at royallane.org/register or see QR code following Organ Dismissal.]*

Scripture Lesson

Brodie K.

Romans 5:1-5 [Pew Bible page 917 of the New Testament or see insert]

For the Word of God in Scripture,
For the Word of God within us,
For the Word of God among us,
Thanks be to God!

Time for Young Disciples

Laura Keller

*Children 3-year through 5th grade are invited to Godly Play,
You may collect your children in Vickrey Hall following the service.*

✠Hymn 590 [see insert]

Congregation

The Solid Rock — SOLID ROCK

Call to Confession

John Helms & Congregation

By faith in Jesus Christ, we are given access to the grace of God. Standing in that grace,
we now confess our sins before God, seeking forgiveness and peace.

The Confession of Sin

Let us pray:

Triune God, within your own life there is mutuality, equality, and unity in diversity. Though we are made in your image, we confess that we distort the triune life. Instead of seeking mutual welfare and the common good, we seek our own gain. Instead of living in equality, justice, and respect, we construct systems that are unjust. We devise ways to elevate ourselves over others, and disrespectful thoughts, words, and actions still surface in us. We allow differences to divide us and lead to brokenness. Holy God, forgive us. Restore in us, and in our life together, the divine image you intend. Make us tender in mutuality. Make us generous in equality. Make us grateful in diversity. We pray to be one with you and one another, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

We now share silence together

(continued)

Promise of Forgiveness

Friends, we are still standing in the grace of Christ. Because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, we are set free to love God and neighbor, and to work for the reconciliation of the world.

**We have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.
Thanks be to God!**

†Hymn 183 [see insert]

Congregation

In the Cross of Christ I Glory — RATHBUN

Prayers of the People

Sarah King & Congregation

Holy, holy, holy God, in calling forth creation from the void, revealing yourself in human flesh, and pouring forth your wisdom to guide us, you manifest your concern for your whole universe. You invite us, as your people, to gather the world's needs into our hearts and bring them before you.

Today we pray especially for those we name now silently or aloud. . .

(You may speak aloud the first name of those for whom you wish to pray.)

We now share silence together

Let us pray:

Holy God, fill us with strength and courage, with discernment and compassion, that we may be your instruments of justice and love in this world, that it may be on earth as it is in heaven. Amen.

Anthem

Choir

The Truth Shall Make You Free — Beryl Red/Regan Courtney
from "Celebrate Life"

He's the wind I soar on, He's the grass I run through,
He's the one I turn to when I have to laugh or cry.
He's the light of my world, He's my priceless pearl,
He's my answer to why he's a friend even after I die.

He's the sun I sing to, He's the sea I swim in,
He's the mountain I climb to when I want to reach a new high.
Jesus my Lord, Of all the things he said to me,
the best was truth shall make you free.

*You shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.
For you shall know the truth and love is the proof
that the truth shall make you free.*

Sermon

Steve Graham

“ An Experience of Trust ”

✠Hymn of Commitment 295 [see insert]

Congregation

Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing — NETTLETON
*If you would like to profess your faith or identify with this fellowship,
please refer to pew rack card – “How to Become a Member”*

Offertory Prayer

Kristie Weilage

O Lord, we rejoice with thankful hearts, that you have given us this beautiful world in which to work and play—a world full of your wisdom and majesty. We offer praise with deepest gratitude for blessing us with your bounty. As we return a portion of your blessings to you, use these offerings, these tokens of our devotion to increase wisdom in the world, protect the created order, bless the vulnerable, heal the sick, and comfort the afflicted. Amen.

Offertory

Rita Nsumbu

Offertory — John Ness Beck
With what shall I come before the Lord,
and bow myself before God on high?
Shall I come before Him with burnt offerings,
Shall I come before Him with yearling calves?
Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams,
with ten thousand rivers of oil?
Shall I give Him my firstborn for my transgressions
the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?
God has shown one and all; God has shown you what is good.
And what does the Lord require of you
But to do justice and to love kindness, and to walk humbly,
walk humbly with your God?

*We invite you to use this time to give to Royal Lane’s Ministry.
See back cover for ways to give.*

✠ Sending Forth

Steve Graham

Through grace and peace,
we have wisdom we need to be transformed.

**For sufferings lead to endurance
endurance gives rise to character,
and character produces hope.**

In the true hope founded in God,
we are never disappointed.

Amen.

Amen.

Organ Dismissal

David Weigle

Postlude on ST. DENIO — Charles Callahan

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Thank you to Terry Berrier for serving as worship music leader today.

Register Your Attendance

Royallane.org/register



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Farewell to Laura Keller

Events for Youth, Children and All-Church

June 18 – PJs with Pastor Laura

The youth will gather at the home of Grace, Emma and Sadie Watson for an evening of laughs - and maybe a few tears - with Laura. Bring your best anecdotes, comedic insults, praise and tributes to roast your beloved youth minister. Burgers and drinks provided - bring your favorite side. Join us on June 18th from 6-10 p.m.

June 22 – Children's Goodbye with Talent Show

Create an unforgettable evening with Laura with serenades, dance routines and jokes for a farewell talent show. The party will be held in Vickrey Hall on June 22nd at 6 p.m. Pizza and drinks provided - bring your favorite snack.

June 26 – All-Church Farewell

After almost 8 years, we bid farewell to Laura Keller, our beloved children and youth minister. Please join us in celebrating Laura's devotion to our children and thank her for the life-changing impacts she has made. We will celebrate her on June 26th in Vickrey Hall immediately following worship service.

Study for Wednesday Evening

Holy Envy

Finding God in the Faith of Others

by Barbara Brown Taylor

with Steve Graham & Barbara Gunnin

We invite you to gather in Vickrey Hall on Wednesday evenings at 5:30 pm. Bring your own dinner. Drinks will be provided. The Mid-Week program will begin at 6:15 pm for in person or zoom participation. (No childcare provided.)

Scriptures for Next Sunday

1 Kings 19:1-15a Psalm 42

Galatians 3:23-29 Luke 8:26-39

For the Children!

Children's bulletins are included in activity packets for ages 3+ and 7+. Don't miss the Secret Code to allow your child to unlock on-line games, in a safe environment, that supplement today's scripture at games.childrensbulletins.com/games/playcode.aspx



Please recycle your order of worship in a marked bin.

Bikes for Cornerstone in June



We are collecting bicycles in any condition for Cornerstone Baptist Church throughout the month of June. Cornerstone Baptist Church has a program where community members can learn to repair and maintain bicycles, and then can keep a bicycle once they complete the program. Bring your bikes to the church on Sundays and Wednesdays in the month of June, and we will take them to Cornerstone. If you have a bike to donate, but can't get it to the church, call JJ Berrier at 469-831-7339 to arrange a pickup.



The Congregational Affiliations Committee encourages you to attend the **Baptist Joint Committee Luncheon**. It will be **Thursday, June 30 - 11:30am to 1:30p** at the Hyatt Regency in Dallas. The theme is “Indigenous Voices on Faith Freedom for All.” A panel of speakers will be moderated by Rev. Dr. Mitch Randall. Mitch is CEO of Good Faith Media and a citizen of the Muscogee Creek Nation. (Good Faith Media (a merger of Baptists Today and Baptist Center for Ethics) is a RLBC strategic partner in ministry as is Baptist Joint Committee.)

Speakers will include:

- Dr. Wendler Nosie - the former chairman of the San Carlos Apache Tribe and the leader of the fight to #SaveOakFlat. Learn more at Apache Stronghold/Save Oak Flat
- Dr. Kyle T. Mays - an Afro-Indigenous (Saginaw Chippewa) writer and scholar of U.S. history, urban studies, race relations, and contemporary popular culture.
- Mariah Humphries - a Mvskoke Nation citizen, writer, educator, and Director of Content and Communications for Be the Bridge.

Tickets are for sale at \$55 each at <https://bjconline.org/luncheon/>. If any RLBC members plan to go (or need any financial assistance), please inform the Congregational Affiliations Committee by emailing sarah@sistergrovefarm.com.

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Holy, Holy, Holy

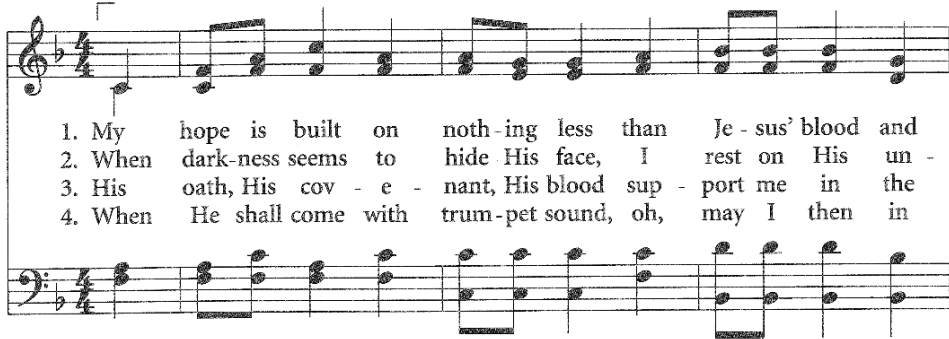
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 2. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! all the saints a - dore Thee,
 3. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! though the dark-ness hide Thee,
 4. Ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly! Lord God Al - might - y!

Ear - ly in the morn - ing our song shall rise to Thee;
 cast - ing down their gold - en crowns a - round the glass - y sea;
 though the eye of sin - ful man Thy glo - ry may not see;
 All Thy works shall praise Thy name, in earth and sky and sea;

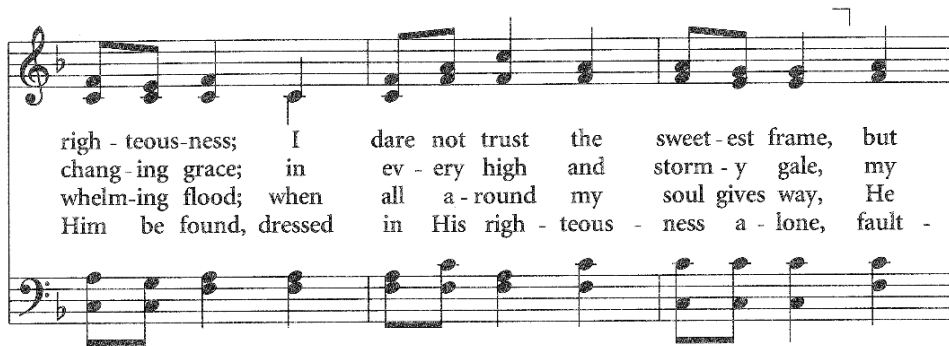
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 on - ly Thou art ho - ly; there is none be - side Thee,
 ho - ly, ho - ly, ho - ly, mer - ci - ful and might - y!

God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!
 who wert, and art, and ev - er - more shalt be.
 per - fect in power, in love, and pu - ri - ty.
 God in three Per - sons, bless - ed Trin - i - ty!

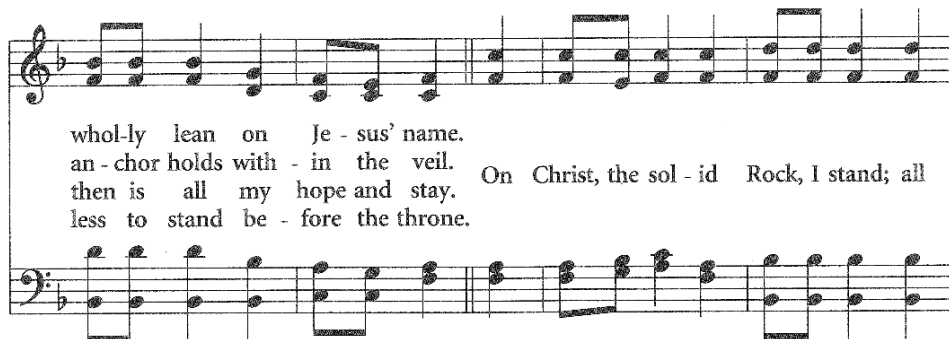
The Solid Rock



1. My hope is built on noth - ing less than Je - sus' blood and
 2. When dark-ness seems to hide His face, I rest on His un -
 3. His oath, His cov - e - nant, His blood sup - port me in the
 4. When He shall come with trum - pet sound, oh, may I then in



right - teous-ness; I dare not trust the sweet - est frame, but
 chang - ing grace; in ev - ery high and storm - y gale, my
 whelm - ing flood; when all a - round my soul gives way, He
 Him be found, dressed in His right - teous - ness a - lone, fault -



whol - ly lean on Je - sus' name.
 an - chor holds with - in the veil. On Christ, the sol - id Rock, I stand; all
 then is all my hope and stay.
 less to stand be - fore the throne.



oth - er ground is sink - ing sand, all oth - er ground is sink - ing sand.

In the Cross of Christ I Glory

Lower key, No. 679

1. In the cross of Christ I glo - ry, tower-ing o'er the wrecks of time:
2. When the woes of life o'er-take me, hopes de-ceive and fears an - noy,
3. When the sun of bliss is beam-ing light and love up - on my way,
4. Bane and bless-ing, pain and pleas-ure, by the cross are sanc - ti - fied;

all the light of sa - cred sto - ry gath-ers round its head sub-lime.
nev - er shall the cross for - sake me: lo! it glows with peace and joy.
from the cross the ra - diance stream-ing adds new lus - ter to the day.
peace is there that knows no meas-ure, joys that through all time a - bide.

The musical score is written for a four-part choir (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass) in a lower key, 3/4 time signature. It consists of two systems of staves, each with four parts. The lyrics are placed between the staves.

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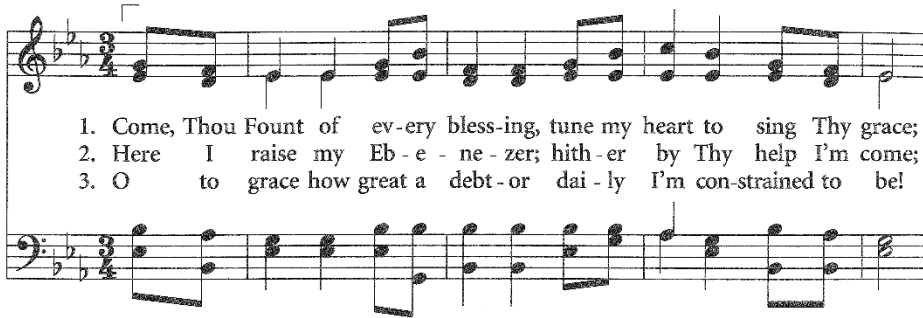
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9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

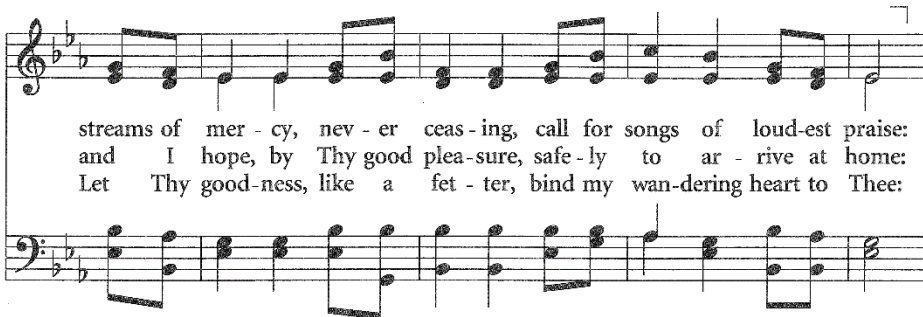
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Come, Thou Fount of Every Blessing



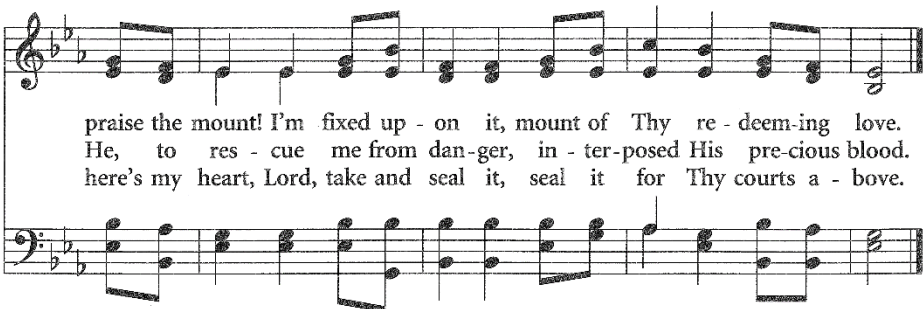
1. Come, Thou Fount of ev-ery bless-ing, tune my heart to sing Thy grace;
2. Here I raise my Eb - e - ne - zer; hith - er by Thy help I'm come;
3. O to grace how great a debt - or dai - ly I'm con - strained to be!



streams of mer - cy, nev - er ceas - ing, call for songs of loud - est praise:
and I hope, by Thy good plea - sure, safe - ly to ar - rive at home:
Let Thy good - ness, like a fet - ter, bind my wan - der - ing heart to Thee:



teach me some me - lo - dious son - net, sung by flam - ing tongues a - bove;
Je - sus sought me when a stran - ger, wan - der - ing from the fold of God;
prone to wan - der, Lord, I feel it, prone to leave the God I love;



praise the mount! I'm fixed up - on it, mount of Thy re - deem - ing love.
He, to res - cue me from dan - ger, in - ter - posed His pre - cious blood.
here's my heart, Lord, take and seal it, seal it for Thy courts a - bove.

The Scripture this morning is Romans 5:1-5, which may be found on page 917 of the New Testament of the pew Bible or as an insert in your order of worship.

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, ²through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. ³And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, ⁴and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, ⁵and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

⁶For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. ⁷Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. ⁸But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us. ⁹Much more surely then, now that we have been justified by his blood, will we be saved through him from the wrath of God. ¹⁰For if while we were enemies, we were reconciled to God through the death of his Son, much more surely, having been reconciled, will we be saved by his life. ¹¹But more than that, we even boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation. (NRSV)

For the Word of God in Scripture, For the Word of God within us,
For the Word of God among us, **Thanks be to God!**

Schedule for the Week

Sunday	June 12 – Trinity Sunday
12:15 pm	Racial Justice — Portable 1
7:30 pm	Deacons Meeting — Zoom
Monday	June 13
3:00 pm	Building Action Task Force — Library
Tuesday	June 14
7:00 pm	Pastor Search Committee
Wednesday	June 15 – Mosaic
3:30 pm	Holy Rollers — Room 202 (3:30 - 5:30 pm)
5:30 pm	Bring Your Own Dinner — Vickrey Hall (drinks provided, no childcare)
6:00 pm	Wacky Wednesdays — Picnic at White Rock Lake
6:15 pm	Midweek Study with Steve Graham & Barbara Gunnin — Vickrey Hall/Zoom
7:00 pm	Youth Gathering — Youth Portable (Portable 1)
Saturday	June 18
2:00 pm	Questers Class — Zoom
Sunday	June 19 – Second Sunday after Pentecost
9:45 am	Adult Christian Education — Christian Education Building
10:00 am	Youth SS Class — Youth Portable (Portable 1)
10:55 am	Morning Worship — Sanctuary or Royal Lane YouTube Channel

The deadline for the Weekly Mosaic and the Mosaic is Monday, 5:00 p.m. prior to publication.

Church Calendar

As we return to in-person worship and regular business hours for the office staff, it is important that the church office be contacted so that we can be sure all events, in-person or zoom, be included on the calendar to avoid schedule conflicts.

Please contact the church office by phone or email.
214-361-2809, info@royallane.org.

How to Connect

See the Weekly Mosaic or Web Calendar for Links and details for
In-Person, Livestream, Virtual or Zoom events — royallane.org/resources/events
Group hosts and leaders will provide links for events with no published link.

Prayer Requests

We invite you to use the Prayer Cards, available in the “pockets” on the back of each pew, to submit prayer requests or the Prayer Request Form, available on the website at royallane.org/prayer
Prayer cards may be placed in the offering plate.



Deacons on Call

John Helms & Sarah King

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