

Crawford Methodist Church

8 June 2025 Worship 10:30 a.m.

Pentecost Sunday

PREPARATION

Gathering Hymn:

“Shine, Jesus, Shine”

Lord, the light of Your love is shining, in the midst of the darkness shining; Jesus, Light of the world, shine upon us, set us free by the truth You now bring us; Shine on me, Shine on me. Shine, Jesus, shine, fill this land with the Father’s glory. Blaze, Spirit, blaze; set our hearts on fire. Flow, river, flow, flood the nations with grace and mercy. Send forth Your Word, Lord, and let there be light.

Bringing in the Light of the World, Jesus Christ

Words of Welcome & Announcements

Jim Ditto

*Call to Worship:

L: Beloved, pay attention! The Holy Spirit sweeps among us, binding us together as family in Christ.

P: We are children of God, heirs of grace.

L: Beloved, have you noticed? The Holy Spirit moves among us, creating and renewing the whole of creation, inspiring us to co-create with God and one another.

P: We are children of God, co-creators in grace.

L: Beloved, be encouraged. The Holy Spirit lives among us, surrounding us with mercy and grace, witnessing to us about God’s steadfast love for God’s people.

P: We are children of God, witnesses to grace.

L: Beloved, pay attention! Whether in a rushing wind or a gentle breath, the Holy Spirit welcomes you here, for we are all children of God, brought together by grace.

P: We are children of God, knit together by the Spirit. Thanks be to God! Amen.

*Hymn of Preparation “O Worship the King” **UMH 73 v. 1, 2, 5**

PRAISE AND ADORATION

*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles’ Creed **UMH 881**

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried; The third day he rose from the dead; He ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the

right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

*Glory Be to the Father

UMH 70

*Psalter Reading:

Psalms 104:24-35

UMH 827

Sunday School Verse: ¹ The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. ² He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters. ³ He restoreth my soul: He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake. ⁴ Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; Thy rod and thy staff they comfort me. ⁵ Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over. ⁶ Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: And I will dwell in the house of the LORD for ever. (Psalm 23:1-6)

Children’s Sermon

Hymn of Adoration:

“Softly and Tenderly Jesus Is Calling”

UMH 348 v. 1, 2, 4

Pastoral Prayer/Lord’s Prayer

DEDICATION

Offertory Prayer

Offertory Music

*The Doxology

Jim Ditto

Karen Crockett

UMH 95

PROCLAMATION

Scripture: Acts 2:1-21 **NT 119**, Romans 8:14-17 **NT 158** Rev. Kent Berry

Response to God’s Word:

L: The Word of God, for the people of God.

P: Thanks be to God.

Sermon Title:

“God Choose Us”

Rev. Kent Berry

RESPONSE

*Hymn of Invitation:

“Blessed Assurance”

UMH 369 v. 1, 3

*Taking the Light of Christ into the World

*Benediction

*Stand if comfortable

Prayer List

The Harris Family
Riley Jenson

Regular Weekly/Monthly Activities

Sunday School for all - 9:30 Sunday mornings

Coffee Fellowship – 10:00 Sunday mornings in the fellowship hall during the months of June and July with the exception of 4th Sunday potluck.

Upcoming Opportunities/Announcements

June 11 – There will be a Finance meeting Wednesday at 6:00 followed immediately by the Administrative Board meeting.

June 15 – We will have our Father's Day Breakfast next Sunday. There is a sign-up sheet in the narthex.

OFFERING TOTALS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Financial Goal</u>	<u>Offering Report</u>
5/4	\$2,930.48	\$2,940.00
5/11	\$2,930.48	\$2,266.00
5/18	\$2,930.48	\$1,425.00
5/25	\$2,930.48	\$2,375.00
6/1	\$2,930.48	\$760.00

How to reach us:

375 W. 6th Street | P.O. Box 209 | Crawford, Texas 76638

Phone: 254.486.2361

Website: Crawfordmethodist.com

Facebook page: Crawford, Texas FUMC

Pastor's email: John.Kent.Berry@gmail.com

Pastor's phone: 254.722.9680

Youth Leader: Nathan Byers

Organist: Karen Crockett

Pianist: Vicki Berry

Senior Bells Director: Marda Raley