

Crawford Methodist Church
19 July 2026 Worship 10:30 a.m.
8th Sunday after Pentecost

PREPARATION

Gathering Hymn: "There's Within My Heart a Melody" v. 1
**There's within my heart a melody Jesus whispers sweet and low:
Fear not, I am with thee, peace, be still, in all of life's ebb and flow.
Jesus, Jesus, Jesus, sweetest name I know, fills my every longing,
keeps me singing as I go.**

Bringing in the Light of the World, Jesus Christ
Words of Welcome & Announcements Zach Coia

*Call to Worship:

L: Today, we gather to join our voices with winds and seas, sunshine
and rain, mountains and grassy plains to worship God, our Creator.

P: We gather as children of God, stewards of God's creation.

L: We gather to join our hearts with creatures who creep and crawl,
slither and squirm, swim and soar, to worship God, our Creator.

P: We gather as children of God, stewards of God's creation.

L: We gather as witnesses of the harm that has been done to God's
creation, to the groanings of the earth and all the earth's inhabitants who
long for peace and flourishing.

P: We gather as children of God, stewards of God's creation.

L: Come, let us worship God who strengthens and equips us, guiding us
to live out our faith as good stewards of God's good creation.

**P: Come, let us worship God who inspires and empowers us to be
stewards of hope and redemption in a wounded and hurting world!
Amen.**

*Hymn of Preparation: "Love, Mercy and Grace" C 153 all

PRAISE AND ADORATION

*Affirmation of Faith The Apostles' Creed

**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: Psalm 139:1-12, 23-24 UMH 854-855 Mike Snider

PRAYER

Pastoral Prayer/Lord's Prayer

Hymn of Adoration: "Just As I Am" C 151 v. 1, 2

DEDICATION

Offertory Prayer

Zach Coia

Offertory Music

*The Doxology

UMH 95

PROCLAMATION

Scripture

Romans 8:1-11

Rev. Kent Berry

Response to God's Word:

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

P: Thanks be to God.

Sermon:

"Setting Our Minds on the Spirit"

Rev. Kent Berry

RESPONSE

*Hymn of Invitation: "Church in the Wildwood"

C 121 v. 1, 2, 4

*Taking the Light of Christ into the World

*Benediction

*Stand if comfortable

Prayer List

Kaden Anderson
Gene Clements
Kelsey Jones
Melissa Craig's mom
Booger DeChaume
Brittany Bolin
Joyce Holmes
Dorothy Donaldson

Regular Weekly/Monthly Activities

Sunday School for all – 9:30 Sunday mornings

Faith First Exercise – Tuesdays at 2:00 p.m.

Men of Faith – 1st and 3rd Thursdays at 11:30 a.m.

Shepherd's Heart Food Pantry – 2nd and 4th Thursdays at 10 a.m.

Announcements

Prayer Requests – Please update the prayer list in the hallway.

Offering Totals

<u>Date</u>	<u>Financial Goal</u>	<u>Offering Report</u>
7/5	\$3,364.13	\$4,030.00
7/12	\$3,364.13	\$2,775.00

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