

OPPORTUNITIES THIS WEEK

SUNDAY – 4th

Connect Worship Service	9:30 am
Sunday School (Traditional)	9:45 am
Sunday School (Connect)	10:45 am
Traditional Worship Service	11:00 am
Pastor's Bible Study / WF	4:00 pm

MONDAY – 5th

Simple Stretch Class / FH	9:00 am
Ladies' Bible Study / WF	10:00 am
Group Prayer Time / Sanctuary	5:00 pm
Men's Bible Study / Parlor	6:30 pm

TUESDAY – 6th

Game Day for retired adults / HH 1:00 pm

WEDNESDAY – 7th

Chair Yoga / FH 9:00 am

THURSDAY – 8th

Celebrate Recovery / FLC 6:00 pm

FRIDAY = 9th

FRIDAY 5/11 Chair Yoga / EH 9:00 am

SUNDAY – 11th

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Sunday School (Traditional)	9:45 am
Sunday School (Connect)	10:45 am
Traditional Worship Service	11:00 am
Pastor's Bible Study / WF	4:00 pm

Notes:

First Methodist Church

Chandler, Texas



*A family of faith, united by grace,
making a difference for Christ in our
community and the world.*

January 4, 2026

TRADITIONAL SERVICE

Pastor Charles Jordan 507 N. Broad Street
903-849-6839 Chandler, Texas 75758

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WORSHIP SERVICE

Welcome

Prelude: "Emmanuel" Dan McLeod
Guest, tenor

Announcements / Spreading the Love of Christ

Hymn: "Joy to the World" (vv 1, 2, 3, 4) UMH # 246

Pastoral Prayer and Lord's Prayer
Pastor Charles Jordan

Giving of Tithes and Offerings
Offertory "O, Holy Night" Bill and Kim Pollard
Director Louise Williamson

Doxology

Hymn: "The First Noel" (vv 1, 2, 5) UMH # 245

Scripture: John 15:1-8
Message: Connected
Pastor Charles Jordan

Communion / Communion Servers:
Debbie Spears & Pam Nokes
Jay & Crys Freels

Hymn of Response: "In the Garden" (vv 1, 2, 3) UMH #314

Benediction Pastor Charles Jordan
Postlude Patti Long

If you would like to join First Methodist Church or have questions about joining, please call the church office and set up an appointment with Pastor Charles at 903-849-6839.

CONNECTIONS

Life Groups:

Pastor's Bible Study: Sunday / 4 pm / WF Classroom
Ladies' Bible Study: Monday / 10 am / WF Classroom
Game Day: Tuesday / 1 pm / HH
Group Prayer Time: Monday / 5 pm / Sanctuary
Men's Bible Study: Monday / 6:30 pm / Parlor
Celebrate Recovery: Thursday / 6 pm / FLC

Yoga Opportunities:

Simple Stretch: Monday / 9-9:45 am / FH
Chair Yoga: Wednesday / 9 am / FH
Chair Yoga: Friday / 9 am / FH

Discipleship Groups, 9:45 am:

Bringing the Love Class / Parlor
Covenant Class / Covenant Classroom
Seeds and Matches / Heritage Hall
Wesley Fellowship Class / WF Classroom (9:30 am)

Discipleship Groups, 10:45 am:

New Life / FLC

Coming Soon!

- **Meet Me at the Steeple** – Saturday, January 31, 2026, 6:30 pm, FLC. Join us in prayer for the healing of our land.
- **Life to Life** – To create Christ-centered relationships, for the purpose of encouraging others in basic spiritual practices. For training, meet with us on Saturday, January 31, 2026, from 9 am – 1 pm, at the FLC.

(The weekly newsletter email provides more detailed information. If you are not receiving the email, please notify the church office.)

PRAYER REQUESTS

Short – Term Prayer List:

Shannon Anderson (Darla Fink's son), Carole Babineaux, Mary Bannan (Linda Wright's sister-in-law), Vicki Calicutt, Ann Church (McKim Meadows' sister), **Aaronwayne Dalton**, Clarence Davis, **Kathryn Edwards (Patti Long's niece)**, Judy Deal, Charles & Carol Franklin (Janice Poteet's sister & brother-in-law), Merlene Gager, Wanda Gamble, Hayden Green, Shannon Greene, Kay & Morgan Hawn (Darrell Strickland's daughter/granddaughter), Gayle Haynes, Eddy Hobbs, Lee Ann Horton, Evie Jordan (friend of Olivia Tedford), Ginny Jordan (Charles Jordan's mother), Charlotte & Joey Kuykendall (Carole Babineaux's daughter & son-in-law), Jackie Lay and daughter Brenda (friend of Brenda Clark) McKim Meadows, James Mills (Jay & Sue Mills' son), Jay Mills, James Neal (Janice Poteet's brother), Lester & Margaret Neal (Janice Poteet's brother & sister-in-law), Daisy Nunez (Dianne Johnston's co-worker), Becca Pertain (Pam Nokes' daughter), Maggie Phillips, Melodye Pirtle (Deanna Pollard's mother), Grandson of Allen & Deanna Pollard, Ben Rodgers (Debbie Spears' nephew), W. Mike Rutledge, Eleanor Shore (Nancy Blackmon's mother), Rob Smith & Family (friends of Olivia Tedford), Scott and Tina Starkey (friend of Pam Thorn), Carol Wendt, Chandler & Mark Wilkins, Robert Wilson, Sandy Wright

Long-Term Prayer List:

Chandler Nursing Home: Betty Dalton
Azalea Heights Nursing Home: Vincent Davis
Park Place Nursing Home, Tyler: Mary Herring
Meadow Lake, Tyler: S.A. Pollard, Sr.

Continuing Needs:

Lela Warren, Martha Copeland, Landyn Kidd

Remember to Pray for Our Military:

Steven Mount (Air Force Major, Viglini Family), Liz McGovney (Lt. Col. Army, John Taylor family), Joe Wangler (Air Force Master Sgt., Autumn Fenner's brother), Sarah Oliver Martin (Colonel, Air Force, Charles Oliver family), Jacob Rockovich (Navy), Dennis Grove (Marines, son of Chuck & Susan Sage), Corey Suedkamp (Navy, Grandson of Chuck & Susan Sage), Ian Jordan (Navy, Charles Jordan Family), Jacob Davis (Army, grandson of Harold & Grace Callaway)