

# Welcome to UBC

Sunday, September 26, 2021



## our mission

Becoming a family of Christ followers,  
connecting people with God's Kingdom

## how to connect

### ✓ THE BIG THREE:

- ✓ Find a worship time
- ✓ Find a regular group
- ✓ Find a place to serve

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Visit the Connection Corner before or after  
services to talk to someone about becoming  
a covenant member.

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## social media

On social media, search for @ubchouston

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## 9:30AM TODAY IN WORSHIP

Prelude Jim Smith

Call to Worship  
Sanctuary Choir & Orchestra  
*The King of Love My Shepherd Is*

Welcome to Worship Randy Cox

### A TIME OF WORSHIP

*Our Great Savior*  
Congregation, Sanctuary Choir & Orchestra

Prayer Aaron Glenn

Choral Response Sanctuary Choir  
*Three-fold Amen*

### SERVICE OF THE WORD

\*Hymns of Faith Congregation  
*He Leadeth Me!*  
*Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah*

\*Scripture Reading  
Erin Misegades, Pastor Search Task Force  
Philippians 3:7-17

Worship Through Music Yuko Sugiura  
*The Lord's Prayer*

**Today's Message**  
"Following Jesus' Pathway"  
Dr. Garet Robinson  
Philippians 3:7-17

\*Song of Response Congregation  
*I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*

### A TIME OF THANKSGIVING

Announcements Randy Cox

Recognition of Lora Doremus  
Randy Cox & Candace Griffithe

\*Closing Song Congregation  
*Take the Name of Jesus with You*

\*All who are able, please stand.

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### FOCUS MEETING

Our Focus Meeting will happen in person and online TONIGHT at 7 pm in the Worship Center! You will hear updates from UBC ministries as well as church business reports. For more details and a zoom link for the meeting, visit [ubc.org/focus](http://ubc.org/focus).



### BLOOD DRIVE UBC

and Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center invite you to donate the gift of life! Come by the UBC Chapel parking lot (west side) anytime TODAY between 8:30 am and 12:30 pm to donate.

### The DEACON NOMINATING COMMITTEE

is accepting recommendations of UBC members (men or women) who might feel called to serve as a deacon. You can find more information and submit names online at [ubc.org/deacon](http://ubc.org/deacon).

Join us for dinner! Starting October 6 we will welcome back our weekly **WEDNESDAY NIGHT FELLOWSHIP MEAL** from 5-6 pm in the Fellowship Hall. Cost for adults is \$10, \$5 for children under age 10. **This year registration and payment are due in advance online.** Please visit our website at [ubc.org/foodservices](http://ubc.org/foodservices) to see what's on the menu and to register.

On Sunday, October 10, from 6-8 pm, we'll gather at the Pavilion for **SUNDAY NIGHT OUT!** There will be live music, food trucks, large inflatable games, an ice cream social, and more. No RSVP necessary, just show up and enjoy an evening with the UBC family.

### **BOOMER & PRIMETIMER TRIP**

**Friday, October 1, 10 am-4 pm**

Join us for a fun day together at Hemi Hideout, a large private collection of muscle cars, and more! The bus will leave from the Chapel at 10 am and return at 4 pm. Contact Martha: [mmonroe2011@comcast.net](mailto:mmonroe2011@comcast.net).

### **After 12 years, today is Lora Doremus' last Sunday as UBC's Director of Women's Ministries.**

She will begin work on her doctoral degree at HBU and will provide leadership for the HBU Spiritual Formation Program to create a support structure for developing female spiritual leaders, all while teaching Bible classes to undergrads & Spiritual Formation classes to graduate students.

We'll miss Lora's presence on our staff, but we're delighted that she and her husband Bob will remain active UBC members, volunteering as leaders in our Adult groups ministry. You can send well wishes and notes of thanks to [loradoremus@mac.com](mailto:loradoremus@mac.com) or via the church office.

## **11AM TODAY IN WORSHIP**

### **Welcome**

Randy Cox

### **Worship in Song**

*House of the Lord*

### **Scripture Reading**

Erin Misegades,  
Pastor Search Task Force  
Philippians 3:7-17

*One Thing Remains*

### **Prayer**

Aaron Glenn

*When I Lock Eyes with You*

### **Today's Message**

"Following Jesus' Pathway"  
Dr. Garet Robinson  
Philippians 3:7-17

### **Song of Response**

*How He Loves*

### **Announcements**

Randy Cox

### **Lora Doremus Recognition**

Randy Cox & Candace Griffithhe

If you would like someone to pray with you after the service, please feel free to stop by the Connection Corner.

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**FALL FESTIVAL NEEDS YOU!** Fall Festival is coming soon (mark your calendars for Friday, Oct 29!), and we need your help collecting candy! Starting Oct 1, drop off wrapped candy (no gum, please) in yellow collection boxes around the building. We also need volunteers to help with the games during the festival. If you can volunteer to help us, please email Mabel Hoff at [mabel.hoff@ubc.org](mailto:mabel.hoff@ubc.org) or call her at 281-488-8517.

Check out the **FALL SEMESTER@UBC** brochure to see all that is offered for your family. It's a brand-new year and a great time to jump in and get involved! For more info, visit [ubc.org/fall](http://ubc.org/fall).

#### **BOOMER & PRIMETIMER FISH FRY**

Join us for a Fish Fry, Saturday, Oct 9, from 11 am-2 pm in the Pavilion! There will be live music by Dr. Danny Williamson. Pick up your ticket for \$12 today in the Fellowship Hall. For info, email [mabel.hoff@ubc.org](mailto:mabel.hoff@ubc.org).

On this week's episode of **LIVING UBC**, Steve Johnson, UBC's Dir. of Communications visits with Johanna Eckenrode about all things social media. This is Johanna's last week as a member of UBC's Comm Team and podcast host. While we're sad to see her leave, we're excited with her about her new position on Baylor's social media team. Listen to this "handoff episode" to hear Johanna's take on the challenges of social media and how we can use our online presence to be a positive influence on others. Find Living UBC wherever you listen to podcasts, on our website at [ubc.org/podcast](http://ubc.org/podcast), or go to the **UBC Houston app**.

#### **WOMEN'S MINISTRIES**

**POSITION:** We are currently searching for someone to serve as the part-time Director of Women's Ministries. For a description of the ministry position or to submit a resume, contact [randy.cox@ubc.org](mailto:randy.cox@ubc.org).

#### **COMMUNICATIONS SPECIALIST:**

There is an opening on our Communications Team for a Communications Specialist. This person will be responsible for social media, writing/editing, technical service support, and more. Contact [steve.johnson@ubc.org](mailto:steve.johnson@ubc.org) for more information.



#### **ATTENDANCE & GIVING UPDATE**

Worship Totals  
Total On-Campus: **694**  
Online (devices connected): **224**

Last Week's Offering: **\$53,800**  
Weekly Requirement: **\$71,000**  
Budget (Oct-Aug): **\$3,494,000**  
Actual: **\$3,131,000**



# Spiritual Life PATHWAY

*Welcome to the Spiritual Life Pathway  
for our UBC family.*

Our Spiritual Life Pathway, SLP, exists to help you grow in your relationship with Jesus.

As followers of Jesus, it is important for us to be constantly growing to become more like him. This year, we want to challenge every member of UBC to be intentional in their spiritual growth. This new tool can help you do just that.

Visit this link to start your own Spiritual Life Pathway:  
**[WWW.UBC.ORG/SLP](http://WWW.UBC.ORG/SLP)**



Our Spiritual Life Pathway has four distinct components:

- Beliefs
- Practices
- Virtues
- Faith in Action

We encourage a holistic path to spiritual growth that engages our:

- Heart
- Hands
- Head

We hope this SLP will be a great way for you to grow more like Jesus every day.



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