

CHRISTIAN WORSHIP

April 13, 2008 10:40 a.m.

The Community Gathers to Worship God

Prelude "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring" Bach

Welcome to First Christian Church Pastor Jerry

*Song of Gathering 595(v1)
"Be Thou My Vision"

*Call to Worship Toni Frandsen

Leader: How awesome to gather before God! We are here to celebrate with wide-eyed wonder.

All: The God of all worlds is with us. Praise God for this season of Easter.

Leader: Praise God for all the signs of new life. Praise God for all we can do together.

All: Praise God for the life and ministry of Jesus. Praise God for all who share that ministry today.

Leader: Christ came to offer us abundant life. We are here today to reclaim that gift.

All: We gather in the name of Jesus Christ. We want to follow in the steps of Jesus.

*Opening Hymn 90
"Come, Christians, Join to Sing"

*Invocation Brenda Dooley

*Gloria Patri 35

The Community Proclaims the Word of God

Children's Sermon Megan Holter

Bell Anthem Young

"Deep River"

Acts 2:42-47 Brenda Dooley
N.T. 145

Sermon Scripture John 10:1-10
N.T. 126

Sermon Pastor Jerry
"Thankless Jobs"

The Community Responds to the Word of God

Prayers for the Church Family Pastor Jerry

The Lord's Prayer
Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

Prayer Response

Call to Discipleship
(We invite you to come forward during the hymn of discipleship to make your confession of faith, transfer your membership, or rededicate your life.)

*Hymn of Discipleship 558
"Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us"
(Elders and Deacons may move to the rear of the sanctuary during the hymn.)

Special Recognition Brenda Dooley

The Community Shares in Christ's Life

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings
Invitation to Offering Toni Frandsen
Offertory Bennett

"Allegro"

*Doxology 46
*Prayer of Dedication Toni Frandsen

Celebration of Holy Communion
Invitation to Holy Communion Pastor Jerry

Words of Institution
Hymn of Communion 384
"Here at Thy Table, Lord"

Prayers for the Elements Toni Frandsen
C.L. Holdren

Partaking of the Bread and Cup
(All are invited to partake of the bread and the cup as the trays are passed.)

The Community Departs for Ministry

*Benediction Pastor Jerry

*Congregational Response 439 (v 1)
"God, Dismiss Us with Your Blessing"

*Postlude Boyce
"Fugue in D"

Enter To Worship, Depart To Serve

***All who are able, please stand**



Sunday, April 13

8:30 a.m.-Praise Service
9:30 a.m.-Sunday School (All ages)
10:40 a.m.-Worship
 Cambellite Dinner
12:45 p.m.-Elders' Mtg. in parlor
1:30 p.m.-Davis Wedding Shower in basement
4:00 p.m.-Cub Scouts in basement
5:00 p.m.-Chi Rho, CYF and JYF in CLC
5:00 p.m.-VBS Planning Mtg. @ FPC

Monday, April 14

9:00 a.m.-Bell Choir Practice
6:00 p.m.-Quilters in CLC
7:00 p.m.-Boy Scouts in Basement
7:00 p.m.-Bridge Club in CLC Lobby

Tuesday, April 15

2:45 p.m.-Girl Scouts in classroom
6:00 p.m.-DOC

Wednesday, April 16

6:00 p.m.-Cub Scouts in basement
7:00 p.m.-Choir

Thursday, April 17

5:30 p.m.-Johnson County HELP Mtg. CLC Lobby

Friday, April 18

8:00 a.m.-Breakfast Bunch @ Dinner Bell
6:30 p.m.-Scrap-in /CLC Lobby

Saturday, April 19

6:00 p.m.-Optimist Game Night

Sunday, April 20

8:30 a.m.-Praise Service
9:30 a.m.-Sunday School
10:40 a.m.-Youth Sunday
 Coffee Fellowship
4:00 p.m.-Cub Scouts basement
5:00 p.m.-No Youth



SERVING TODAY –April 13, 2008

Presiding Elder: Toni Frandsen
Elders: Toni Frandsen, C.L. Holdren
Liturgist: Brenda Dooley
Deacons: Carrie Laws, Ren DeShong, Jay DeShong,
Nancy Huff, Nancy Rogers, Jane Russell, June Duchon,
Tim Duchon, Teri Smith, Kit Lindsay
Asst. Deacons: Christina Blevins, Abby Frandsen, Jake
Turner, Katie Smith
Deaconess: Suzanne Holdren
Acolyte: Katelin Ritchhart
Children's Sermon: Megan Holter

Staff

Pastor:
Jerry Basye
Youth Ministry:
Megan Holter
Organist:
Anita Grigsby
Accompanist:
Anne Remlinger
Director of Choirs:
Gary Grigsby
Office Manager:
Cindy Howard
Custodian:
George Long
Nursery Care:
Diane Brennan
Beth Brennan



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Our Mission

We are an open and welcoming community that God calls and the Holy Spirit empowers to:

- *share the Good News of Jesus Christ with all ages*
- *explore and express a growing faith*
- *equip believers for ministries which expand the kingdom of God*

Announcements

In Our Prayers!

Throughout this week, we invite you to pray for these and others announced in worship.

Karen O'Dell
Don Patterson
Natalie Ulett
Our Law Enforcement
Our Military that are deployed



Ladies of the First Christian Church

(Ages 2 weeks through 102 Years)

Are invited to a Tea Party

Saturday, May 3, at 1:00 p.m.

Christian Life Center

Light refreshments will be served

Please RSVP to Cindy at the church office
or Peggy @ 747-7560

What a great time for multi-generational fun! Don't have a grandma or a granddaughter in Warrensburg? That's okay! We will have temporary adoptions available at the door! Why not invite your card club or your neighbor? After all-they were little girls once too!