

CHRISTIAN WORSHIP

January 1, 2012 10:40 a.m.

Welcome to Worship!



The Community Gathers to Worship God

Prelude	Brickman
“Blessings”	
Welcome to First Christian Church	Pastor Jerry
*Pass the Peace of Christ	
*Song of Gathering	286
“This Is The Day”	
Call to Worship:	Yvonne Slifer
Leader: A clear light on a winter’s night,	
People: Piercing the darkness,	
Leader: Revealing the next step,	
People: Touching hearts with wonder.	
Leader: Step into God’s light: sing and shout.	
People: Cast off fright: let go of doubt.	
Leader: For love shines in each light	
People: And morning hastens to the dawn.	
* Hymn of Worship	464 (v.1,2,5)
“God of Grace and God of Glory”	
*Invocation	Yvonne Slifer
*Gloria Patri	35

The Community Proclaims the Word of God

Children’s Sermon	Vyrdel Basye
Bell Anthem	Leontovich/arr. Morris
“Ukrainian Bell Carol”	
Galatians 4:4-7	Yvonne Slifer
	N.T. 231
Sermon Scripture	Luke 2:22-40
	N.T.71
Sermon	Pastor Jerry
“Jesus Presented to God”	

The Community Responds to the Word of God

Call to Discipleship	
<i>(We invite you to come forward during the hymn of discipleship to make your confession of faith, transfer your membership, or rededicate your life.)</i>	
*Hymn of Discipleship	170 (v.1,2,4)
“How Great Our Joy!”	
<i>(Elders and Deacons may move to the rear of the sanctuary during the hymn.)</i>	

The Community Shares in Christ’s Life

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings	
Invitation to Offering	John Sellman
Offertory	arr. Barr
“Patapan”	
*Doxology	46
*Prayer of Dedication	

Celebration of Holy Communion	
Invitation to Holy Communion	Pastor Jerry
Hymn of Communion	387
“Bread of the World, in Mercy Broken”	
Prayers for the Elements	John Sellman
	Mark Beck
Partaking of the Bread and Cup	
<i>(All are invited to partake of the bread and the cup as the trays are passed.)</i>	

The Community Departs for Ministry

Prayers for the Church Family	Pastor Jerry
The Lord’s Prayer	
<i>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.</i>	
Prayer Response	
*Benediction	Pastor Jerry
*Congregational Response	167
“Go Tell It on the Mountain”	
*Postlude	arr. Keveren
“Angels We Have Heard on High”	

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



Sunday, January 1

8:00 a.m.-Coffee House
8:30 a.m.-Praise Service
9:30 a.m.-Sunday School for all ages
10:40 a.m.-Worship/Children's Program
Coffee Fellowship

Monday, January 2

Office Closed, Happy New Year
3:00 p.m.-Bridge Class
6:00 p.m.-Bridge Club

Tuesday, January 3

9:30 a.m.-CWF Wburg, Manor Service
5:00 p.m.-Community Band in CLC Lobby

Wednesday, January 4

N/A

Thursday, January 5

N/A

Friday, January 6

8:00 a.m.-Breakfast Bunch @ McDonalds

Saturday, January 7

Smarr Family Reunion

Sunday, January 8

8:00 a.m.-Coffee House in CLC
8:30 a.m.-Praise & Worship
9:30 a.m.-Sunday School for All Ages
10:40 a.m.-Worship
Campbellite Dinner
2:30 p.m.-Tiger Cubs
5:00 p.m.-Chi Rho & CYF
5:00 p.m.-JYF



SERVING TODAY –January 1

Presiding Elder: John Sellman
Elders: John Sellman, Mark Beck
Liturgist: Yvonne Slifer
Deacons: Harland Osborne, Larry Elliott, Carrie Laws, Jane Russell, Noel Dougherty, Jody Miller, Kenneth Martin, Vicki Granger
Asst. Deacons: Hanna Stillwell, Gillian Godfrey, James Dooley
Children's Sermon: Vyrdel Basye
Deaconess: Vicki Charles
Acolyte: Jacelyn Laws
Coffee Fellowship: Anita Grigsby

Staff

Pastor:
Jerry Basye
Youth Ministry:
Cindy and Kevin Howard
Organist:
Anita Grigsby
Director of Choirs:
Gary Grigsby
Office Manager:
Cindy Howard
Custodian:
George Long
Nursery Care:



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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
Blake Walsh
Vivian Turnbow
Our Law Enforcement
Our Military who are deployed

January Board Meeting Date & Time

January 11, 7:28 p.m.

Refreshments will be served in the parlor.

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**If Anyone purchased play-dough jar recipes
from JYF, please see Nancy Huff.**

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Chi Rho and CYF (6th -12th grades)

New video study begins January 8 at 5p.m.

Invite your friends to be part of the “Gospel Journey.”

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‘SOUPER BOWL’ Challenge

Each year churches and organizations in Warrensburg compete to see who can collect the most cans of soup for the Johnson County Food Center. We only have a month to meet the challenge of providing the most cans of soup so that many others in our community can have warm meals. Please bring your soup to the CLC lobby, or provide cash or check and we will purchase the soup for you. Let’s go First Christian!