

Sunday, May 12, 2019

Worship Notes:

Your offerings and tithes may be placed in the offering box before worship, during the time of greeting or following the service. The offering box is located at the rear of the sanctuary.

Our Community Gathers

Welcome and Announcements

***Call to Worship** (**you are invited to stand if you are able*)

Leader: Let us praise God for the mighty deeds wrought through Jesus Christ.

ALL: Praise God for loosing the chains of sin!

Leader: Let us praise God for the mighty deeds wrought through Jesus Christ.

ALL: Praise God for breaking the bonds of death!

Leader: Praise God for the mighty deeds wrought through Jesus Christ.

**ALL: Praise God for releasing the forces of love!
Let us join with God's people everywhere
and praise Jesus Christ the Lord!**

Invocation

Pastor Rich

***Opening Hymn**

'Great Is thy Faithfulness'

Ch #86

vs 1 & 3

Old Testament Reading

Psalm 23

Yvonne Kimball

Prayers of the Gathered

The Lord's Prayer

'Contempora Suite'

Gordon Young

Jenna Chance, trumpet

Our Community Hears the Word and Responds

Sacred Reading

John 10: 22-30 (*pg 104 NT*)

Morning Message

Rich Pate

'Know The Shepherd's Voice'

Our Community Celebrates the Sacred Table

We celebrate a fully open communion table. All those who believe in Christ our Savior, are invited to receive the Bread of Life and Cup of Hope.

Communion

'Take Our Bread'

Ch #413

Passing and receiving of Bread and Cup. *You are invited to eat the bread as received. Please hold the cup until you are invited to drink together.*

Prayer of Offering and Dedication

Yvonne Kimball

Oh God, take these gifts and multiply them for the healing of your beloved world; know that we offer them as praise to you: Blessing and Honor; Glory and Power! Amen

***Sending Song**

'Savior, Like A Shepherd Lead Us'

Ch #558

Vs 1 & 3

Blessing

Go into the world, with God's new song of love in your hearts. Forgive others as you are forgiven. Open your hearts to the coming of God's Spirit. And may the peace of God which exceeds all understanding keep your hearts and minds through Jesus our Risen Christ. Amen

***"Our Worship has ended - -
Now our Service to God begins"***

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Scriptures for Sunday, May 19th

Elder Old Testament reading: Psalm 148

New Testament reading: John 13: 31-35

Welcome Jenna!

Please make Jenna Chance feel welcome this morning. Jenna is a senior at Ashland High School. She is in the top band & jazz bands and will be attending Ohio State next year to major in Music Education and Trumpet Performance.

Shut-ins

Please pray for our shut-ins and homebound

Joyce Bradley, Sherry Burns, Jane Foster, Dick Gordon, Carol Imhoff, Betty Imperio, Bernice Lambert, Jane McVey, Kate Miller, Wanda Mish, Dick Scott, Wayne Smith, Gertrude & Keith Sparks, Dale Wells & Al & Bev Zimmerman. Please keep Mary Ann Welch and her family in your prayers. Also keep Marilyn Franklin in your prayers. She is now at Kingston. A visit, call or a card means so much to those members and friends who can't be here with us each week.

Random Act of Kindness

Our Random Act of Kindness for this month is to go out of your way to meet and greet a stranger

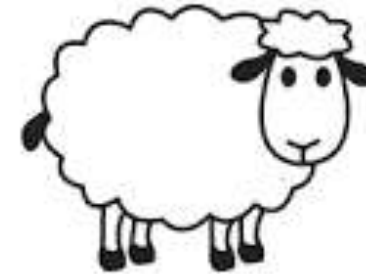
Saturday, May 25th - CPR Training

Here at the church on Saturday, May 25 from 9:00 – Noon. We would like to have a group of 10 or more on this Saturday morning. See Rich if you are interested.

Church Directory

Lifetouch photography company and First Christian Church will be developing a new all church directory. Pictures will be taken on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 11th & 12th from 2:00 – 9:00.

***Mother's Day
May 12, 2019***



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