



CHRIST
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH



September 25, 2022



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**Celebrating the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

September 25, 2022

10:00 AM

*Those who are able, please stand

Welcome and Announcements (*including Joys and Concerns*)

Prelude

***The Prelude is the Opening of Worship and a time of reflection for all
Please mute or turn off all electronic devices***

Call to Worship

Whom would we invite to dinner, if we could choose the people?

I know who would be invited to our table.

People we have never met, who lives impressed us from the stories we heard or read.

**People with whom we could play games or sing songs or discuss
the very many different ways of life.**

People and pets that wandered off without much, if any, explanation.

Foreigners, because they are the people who could never get here.

People in our own home, because they are the people who are seemingly always going to be here.

**Fictitious people and characters from books, movies, comics and
cartoons.**

Writers, musicians, priests, CEOs, princesses and paupers.

Christ invites all to this place and to this Table!

Prayer of the Day

**Almighty and Everlasting God, increase our faith, hope and love; and,
that we may receive all you promise, make us love what you have
commanded; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with
you and the Holy Spirit, one God forever and ever. Amen**

*Hymn No. 805

Come Sing to God

Prayer of Confession

O God, we confess – there was something we kind of thought of doing, but it was too much effort. We knew a comment would hurt feelings, but it was so clever, we said it anyway. We were angry with a family member and dug up old shortcomings. We forgot “thank-you” or “I’m sorry” to a child. We skipped the dog’s walk, “stole” a parking space, ignored a lonely person, insulted a telemarketer. Forgive us not only great sins, but also our disappointing fruit. Amen

Assurance of Pardon

***Sharing the Peace of Christ**

The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you!

And also with you!

(Please share a sign of Christ’s peace with one another)

***Response No. 591**

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

(Sing Twice)

Time With Children

Prayer for Understanding

Epistle Lesson

1 Timothy 6:6-19

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the church.

Our hearts are open!

Anthem

Simple Gifts

Gospel

Matthew 27:1-10

Meditation

Taking a Risk...

Rev. Gretchen Schneider

***Hymn No. 507**

Come to the Table of Grace

Great Prayer of Thanksgiving

Prayer

Jesus’ Prayer

The Words of Institution

Sharing the Bread and Cup

*(Today we will receive the Sacrament by Intinction, as you are able please come up the center aisle, receive the bread and dip it in the Cup. Please return to your pews using the side aisle. For those unable to come forward, Communion will be brought to you. **During Communion we will sing Hymn No. 701 Sanctuary)***

Concluding Prayer

Sharing Our Gifts

Offertory

Hymn No. 694

Great God of Every Blessing

Verse 3 only

Prayers of Thanksgiving and Dedication

Loving God, we bring you our gifts, grateful that we have something to share, and glad to be part of a network of mission and mercy which circles the earth. Bless the ministries supported by Presbyterian Disaster Assistance as well as the mission of our congregation. Use our gifts to multiply their impact in the world you love through Christ our Lord. Amen.

***Hymn No. 100**

My Soul Cries Out With a Joyful Shout

***Blessing and Sending**

***Congregational Response No. 80** You Shall Go Out With Joy

***Postlude**



ATTENDANCE

September 18

In person — 42

Virtual — 74



The flowers are provided by Bill & Sylvia Schofield in celebration of their anniversary September 22.

OUR CHURCH'S
FINANCIAL HEALTH

September 18

\$2,313

Year to Date

\$145,108*

***\$25,000 from endowment**



Christ Presbyterian Church wants God to be a vital part of our lives as we reach out to our community and we embrace the following Vision Statement:
We believe that God is calling us to be the open arms, the healing hands, and the loving hearts of the body of Christ in our community.

If Pastoral Care is needed, Pastor Gretchen Schneider Can be reached at (317) 408-7907 or boilrmker@gmail.com



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October

Sandy Robbins 10/1
Betty Burney 10/4
Shirley Sheeks 10/5
Susan Burney 10/10

Calendar for Week of September 25

Sunday 9/25	10 AM Worship
Monday 9/26	3:15 PM Book Study — MP Room 7 PM Troop 88 — MP & Education Rooms
Tuesday 9/27	1 PM Knit & Natters — Education Room
Saturday 10/1	9 AM Sanctuary chair cleaning — Round Two
Sunday 10/2	10 AM Worship

F.A.R.M. Needs These Items

Food Drive

F. A. R. M. (Fortville Area Resource Mission)



F. A. R. M. is open every Tuesday from 12:30-2:30 for food pickup. They hold a Bible study from 11:30-12:30 prior to the pantry opening. On Thursdays they take food to a low income apartment complex on the north side of Fortville. They have 125 families at the pantry on Tuesdays and around 25 families in the apartments. They also sponsor snack bags for around 45 students in the Mt. Vernon school system to take home for the weekends.

F.A.R.M. is currently in need of the following items to add to their shelves.

- Personal Care items
- Cleaning Supplies
- Paper

These items can be left in the grocery cart in the narthex. Thank You!



At Home:

Miki Bean
Martha Dawson
Dodie Urias



In Hospital, Nursing Home & Assisted Living Centers:

Ann McFate @ Wyndmoor of Castleton, Indpls., IN 46250

Mary Alice Beaumont @ American Village

Shirley Tichenor @ Westminster Village
11050 Presbyterian Dr. Apt. 4103;
46236 phone 317-823-6841

Betty Burney @ Independence Village
9745 Olympia Drive Room #306;
Fishers, IN 46037 Phone 317-913-7489

Knit & Natters



The **Knit & Natters** will meet at **1 PM on Tuesday, September 27** in the education room.

If you are interested in joining this fun bunch of ladies, see Diana Chastain during fellowship or call 317-626-0681. (Men are welcome, too!)



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October 2022

November 2022

October 2022

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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9	10	11	12	13	14	15
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30	31					

SUNDAY		MONDAY		TUESDAY		WEDNESDAY		THURSDAY		FRIDAY		SATURDAY	
Sep 25		26		27		28		29		30		Oct 1	9:00am Sanctuary Chair Cleaning (Sanctuary)
2	10:00am Worship (Sanctuary) 11:00am CE Commission (Education Room)	3	3:15pm Book Study (MP Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP)	4	1:00pm Needlecrafters (MP Room)	5	7:00pm Deacon Meeting (Education Room)	6	1:00pm PW Coordinating Team (Education Room)	7		8	9:00am Men of Christ (Lincoln Square)
9	10:00am Worship (Sanctuary)	10	Columbus Day (United States) 3:15pm Book Study (MP Room) 7:00pm Troop 88	11	12:00pm Stewardship Commission (The Grill)	12	6:00pm 2nd Wednesday Dinner / Program - Kellen Strutz (MP Room & Sanctuary)	13	7:30pm Sarah Circle (Education Room)	14		15	10:00am Christie Waggoner Sorority (MP Room)
16	10:00am Worship (Sanctuary)	17	3:15pm Book Study (MP Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP)	18	11:30am Prime Timers (MP Room) 7:00pm Session Meeting (MP Room)	19		20	7:00pm Euchre Night (MP Room)	21		22	
23	10:00am Worship (Sanctuary)	24	3:15pm Book Study (MP Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP)	25	1:00pm Knit & Natters (Education Room)	26		27		28		29	
30	10:00am Worship (Sanctuary)	31	Halloween 3:15pm Book Study (MP Room) 6:00pm Trunk or Treat 7:00pm Troop 88	Nov 1		2		3		4		5	

***Have We Got a Fall for YOU!!
Christ Presbyterian Church
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SECOND WEDNESDAY DINNERS AND FAMILY FUN!

***6:00-6:45 Dinner
6:45-7:30 Activity***

***October 12th – Dinner by our Presbyterian Women (TBD)
Program: Kelleen Strutz will perform music from some
classical to modern. Kelleen will play some music, sing some
songs, and invite us to join her on a song or two. Want to know
more about her? Give her a Google Search! Great for all ages!***

***Monday, October 31
6-7 pm***

Trunk or Treat!

***Watch for more information. Goblins and Ghosts and
everything in between welcome!!***

***November 9th
Dinner (TBD)***

***Program: Pumpkin decorating. Halloween maybe over, but
you still need that Centerpiece, porch decoration, or Hostess
Gift! Pumpkin decorating for the whole family!!***

***December 14th
Dinner (TBD)***

***Program: Christmas Craft Stations!
Make an ornament, write a letter to Santa, decorate a cookie or
2, get a family picture taken, and more!!***



Joys and Concerns
September 25, 2022

- We pray for our members and friends in the Armed Services, especially Curtis Call-Bridgewater, Scott Kelley, Amy [Abramo] Allgood, Nate Henry
 - Prayers for the people of Ukraine.
- Continuing prayers for those cities who have experienced mass shootings in the past weeks including, Buffalo, NY, Uvalde, TX, Tulsa, OK, Philadelphia, PA, Dallas, TX, Smithsburg, MD, Highland Park, IL, Greenwood, IN, Beech Grove, IN
 - Prayers for an end to violence in Indianapolis and our world.
 - Prayers for the people of Alaska who experienced flooding
- Prayers for the people of Puerto Rico and the Dominican Republic in the aftermath of Hurricane Fiona

Prayers of comfort for the family, friends and Richmond Police Department at the passing of **Officer Seara Burton** who passed away last Sunday

We Pray for God's Healing for:

Bruce Embrey
Ann McFate
Shirley Tichenor
Miki Bean
Beth Snyder
Terry Goode
Margie Gilliland

John Paulson
Dodie Urias
Betty Burney
Mary Alice Beaumont
Marilyn Juhlin
Arlene Wheeler

Prayers of Thanksgiving for **Ron & Diana Chastain** and **Karyl Sprague** for their presence and gifts to our family of faith.

Welcome to CPC ~ CONNECT WITH US

Please let us know who you are and how we can help you. Please tear off this sheet, fill it in and place in the offering basket.

Today's Date: _____

Name (s): _____

Address: _____

City / ZIP _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

How did you hear about us: _____

First Visit Address change Connect Me