



CHRIST
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH



April 21, 2024



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Fourth Sunday of Easter

April 21, 2024

Liturgist: William Wheeler

10:00 AM

*Those who are able, may stand

***Opening Song #399**

God Welcomes All

Sing two times

Welcome and Announcements

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 (based on Psalm 23)

Our Good Shepherd has led us to this place.

He leads us beside still waters; he restores our soul.

Even though we walk through dark valleys, even though we are fearful and in need of comfort,

Our cup overflows with God's goodness and mercy; we shall dwell in the house of the Lord our entire lives.

Prayer of the Day

***Hymn #187**

Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us

Invitation to Confession

Prayer of Confession

Savior, you guide us, but we are slow to follow. You welcome us to your fold, but we alienate, exclude, judge, evaluate, compare, demean, and degrade. Redeem and restore, we pray. Amen.

Assurance of Forgiveness

Christ forgives. Christ transforms. Christ renews.

We are a new creation, here to sing God's glory and testify to God's grace; for in Jesus Christ we are forgiven. Amen.

***Response # 71 (refrain)**

Surely It Is God Who Saves Me

*Peace

As God has forgiven us, let us also forgive. The peace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you all!

And also with you!

Let us share God's love.

***Response #591**

Halle, Halle, Hallelujah

Time with Children

Minute for Mission

Prayer for Illumination

Responsive Reading Psalm 23

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He makes me lie down in green pastures. He leads me beside still waters. He restores my soul.

He leads me in paths of righteousness for his name's sake.

Even though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for you are with me; your rod and your staff, they comfort me.

You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies;

you anoint my head with oil; my cup overflows.

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life,

and I shall dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

New Testament John 10:11-18

Hear what the Spirit is saying to the Church

Our hearts are open

Sermon

“Belonging”

Rev. Dr. Wally Wilson

Hymn #801

The Lord's My Shepherd

Sharing of Joys and Concerns

Pastoral Prayer and the Lord's Prayer

Worship in Giving

Call for the Offering

Offertory

Doxology No. 609

Prayer of Thanksgiving and Dedication

God of grace, you have made provision for our every need.

Changed by divine grace, may these offerings provide for

others and be used to further Christ's ministry and mission.

Amen.

***Hymn #834**

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

***Benediction**

***Congregational Response # 80** You Shall Go Out with Joy!

***Postlude**



EUCHRE NIGHT

May 16

7 PM



Everyone is welcome to participate in our Euchre Night. Don't forget your snacks, soft drinks or water. If you have any questions, call Ron Chastain at 317-840-9358.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

April

Ross King 4/23
Sylvia Schofield 4/27

May

Chase Bilyou 5/4
Chris Williams 5/7
Shirley Karch 5/14

Calendar for Week of April 21

Sunday 4/21	10 AM Worship Service
Monday 4/22	3 PM Book Study — Education Room
	7 PM Troop 88 — MP & Education Rooms
Tuesday 4/23	1 PM Knit & Natters — Teen Room
	7 PM Session — MP Room
Wednesday 4/24	6 PM GS Troop 2527 — MP Room
Sunday 4/28	10 AM Worship



F.A.R.M. Needs These Items

F. A. R. M.

(Fortville Area Resource Mission)

F. A. R. M. is open every Tuesday from 12:30-2:30 for food pickup. 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.

- Boxed potatoes, pasta, rice
- Canned meats [chicken, tuna, sausage]
- Canned soups and vegetables
- Canned or dried fruits
- Cereal
- Dessert mixes
- Oatmeal

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

NO MORE PLASTIC BAGS PLEASE!



Knit & Natters

The Knit & Natters

will meet at **1 PM on Tuesday, April 23** in the teen room.

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



Worship Schedule

Sunday April 28

Liturgist: Christie Waggoner

Usher: Deacons

Fellowship: ??????

Sign up sheets are in the narthex.

Need volunteers for Liturgist, purchasing the sanctuary flowers to honor, remember or show appreciation for someone or set up, serve and clean up coffee fellowship after service.



**If Pastoral Care is needed,
Rev. Wally Wilson
Can be reached at
(765) 278-3749 or
revwwilson@gmail.com**



ATTENDANCE

April 14

In person — 28

Virtual — 54

FINANCIAL HEALTH
OUR CHURCH'S

April 14

\$6,427

Year to Date

\$74,250



At Home:
Shirley Sheeks



In Hospital, Nursing Home & Assisted Living Centers:

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

Shirley Tichenor @ Westminster Village
10050 Presbyterian Dr.; 3386 Juniper Commons 46236 phone 317-823-6841

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

Martha Dawson @ 10050 Presbyterian Drive; ATTN: 4315 Laurel Commons; ZIP 46236



Thanks to all who participated in the Spring Clean Up Day!

We had good weather last Saturday and the Stewardship Commission THANKS everyone who turned out to help. The grounds are now ready to greet everyone this spring and summer with a fresh Appearance!



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.



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May 2024

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Mar 31	Apr 1 3:00pm Book Study (Education Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	2 1:00pm Needlecrafters (MP Room) 6:00pm Cub Scout Wolf Den Meeting (MP Room)	3	4	5	6 11:30am Cub Scout Crossover (MP Room)
7	8 3:00pm Book Study (Education Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	9 10:30am Hope Circle (Education Room) 12:00pm Stewardship Commission (The Grill)	10 6:00pm GS Troop 2527 (MP Room)	11 7:30pm Sarah Circle (Education Room)	12	13 9:00am Men of Christ (Lincoln Square) 10:00am Spring Clean Up Day
14 11:15am Deacon Meeting (Education Room)	15 3:00pm Book Study (Education Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	16 11:30am Prime Timers (MP Room) 6:30pm Cub Scout Wolf Den Meeting (MP Room)	17	18 7:00pm Euchre Night (MP Room)	19	20
21	22 3:00pm Book Study (Education Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	23 1:00pm Knit & Natters (Education Room) 7:00pm Session Meeting (MP Room)	24 Administrative Professionals Day	25	26	27
28	29 3:00pm Book Study (Education Room) 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	30	May 1	2	3	4

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Apr 28	29	30	May 1	2	3	4
			6:00pm GS Troop 2527 (MP Room)	1:00pm PW Coordinating Team (Education Room)		
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	7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	1:00pm Needlecrafters (MP Room) 6:00pm Cub Scout Wolf Den Meeting (MP Room)		7:30pm Sarah Circle (Education Room)		9:00am Men of Christ (Lincoln Square)
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Mother's Day 11:15am Deacon Meeting (Education Room)	7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	10:30am Hope Circle (Education Room) 12:00pm Stewardship Commission (The Grill)	Peace Officers Memorial Day 6:00pm GS Troop 2527 (MP Room)	7:00pm Euchre Night (MP Room)		
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	11:30am Prime Timers (MP Room) 6:30pm Cub Scout Wolf Den Meeting (MP Room)				
26	27	28	29	30	31	Jun 1
	Memorial Day 7:00pm Troop 88 (Education and MP Room)	1:00pm Knit & Natters (Education Room) 7:00pm Session Meeting (MP Room)				

Joys and Concerns ~ April 21, 2024

- We pray for our members and friends in the Armed Services, especially Curtis Call-Bridgewater, Scott Kelley, Amy [Abramo] Allgood, Nate Henry, Chase Bilyou
 - Prayers for the people of Ukraine.
- Continuing prayers for those cities who have experienced mass shootings in the past including, Buffalo, NY, Uvalde, TX, Tulsa, OK, Philadelphia, PA, Dallas, TX, Smithsburg, MD, Highland Park, IL, Greenwood, IN, Beech Grove, IN, Raleigh, NC, St. Louis, MO, Kansas City, MO
 - Prayers for an end to violence in Indianapolis and our world
 - Prayers for the people of Israel
- Prayers for our community and for an end to gun violence—especially with our youth

We Pray for God's Healing for:

Ann McFate
Betty Burney
Roy Bilyou
Cheryl Embrey
Dana Hanson
Ron Fleshood
Bob & Connie Sherlcok
Becky Essex
Mary Jane Smock
Bruce Embrey
Richard Perry

Shirley Tichenor
Diana Chastain
Heather Fisher
Martha Dawson
Shirley Sheeks
Tildan "Bud" Blanton
Chick Wasitis
Jane Fisher
Betty Burney
Carol Fleshood
Wally Wilson

Prayers of Thanksgiving for **Elaina Henry** and **Shirley Karch** 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