

FIRST UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST

Sunday, April 14, 2019

Sunday School 9:30 a.m. 10:45 a.m. Worship Service

(*Please stand, if you are able, at each asterisk.)

Prelude

(Lighting of the Candles)

Greeting

Leader: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Welcome and Announcements

Sharon Longworth

Choral Introit #299 "In the Name of the Lord" *Sandi Patti, Phil McHugh, Gloria Gaither*

*Call to Worship

Leader: O Lord, we need You to hear our plea.

All: Come to us as You did in Jerusalem.

Leader: Forgive the transgressions of our forefathers who knew not who You are.

All: We see You and recognize You as our Lord and Master.

Leader: You taught us love and gave us love.

All: We seek Your forgiveness and mercy.

Leader: We pray that You find us worthy of Your grace.

All: And we pray these things in Your most Holy name. Amen.

*Hymn of Praise #297 "Hosanna, Loud Hosanna"

*Unison Invocation

All: Lord God, You sent Your Son, Jesus, to ransom us from sin. We worship You and give You thanks for the gift of forgiveness. Help us to walk in the light of Jesus, so that we may be favorable in Your sight. Send Your Spirit to us to guide us and protect us from the Evil One. May we find strength in Your love and turn from sin and love as we should always. We ask for Your favor in the name of Your Son, Jesus. Amen.

*Gloria Patri #812 "Glory Be to the Father"

Joys and Concerns

Time of Silent Prayer

The Lord's Prayer

(debt and debtors)

Prayer Response

"Three-fold Amen"

John Stainer

Anthem

"Sing, Jerusalem, Sing!"

Charles Yannerella

Children's Message

Judy Fabian

Hymn

#431 "Shine, Jesus, Shine"

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology

#815 "Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

*Offering Prayer

Scripture

Psalm 118:1-2, 19-29 (pg. 565-566 O.T.)

Sheryl Cozad

Scripture

Luke 19:28-40 (pg. 83 N.T.)

Sermon

"He has Arrived!"

Rev. Gerald Gammon

*Hymn of Commitment

#300 "All Glory, Laud and Honor"

*Benediction

*Parting Blessing

#301 "We Will Glorify" *Twila Paris/arr. David Allen*

Postlude

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

4/14/19

If you want to put someone on the prayer chain or prayer list, you must call the church office or fill out a prayer card in church.

The flowers have been placed on the altar to the honor and glory of God by Junior & Karen Fumerola, and in memory of their son, Kurt Wendell Fumerola.

Next Week - Liturgist: Beverly DeSavigny Lay Reader: Donny Longworth

Friendly Reminder: Please turn off, or set your cell phone to silent.

Thank You: Thank you to the Men’s Fellowship, the Deacons and to all those who helped prepare for Hamilton Road and clean up afterwards.

Food Drive: Today is the last day of our Lenten food drive for the Warren Family Mission.

Maundy Thursday: Worship will be held in the sanctuary on Thursday, April 18th, at 6:30 p.m. with communion.

Easter Breakfast: Everyone is invited to join us on Sunday, April 21st, from 9:00—10:00 a.m. in the fellowship hall. There is a sign up sheet in the lobby for food donations.

First Ladies: The next meeting is on Wednesday, April 24th, at 12:00 p.m. at the church. All ladies are welcome! Donna Beavers, hostess

Thank You: I would like to thank Karen, Tara, and Junior Fumerola for delivering the beautiful altar flowers. Also thanks to my church family for all their cards, prayers, and phone calls. *Diana Graham*

Worship Change: May is fast approaching. Traditionally we change the time of the service from 10:45 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. on Memorial Day weekend. There have been many who have voiced that it is better for them with the later start time. On Sunday, April 28th, we will poll the congregation to see what the majority wants. Please consider this matter prayerfully.

	4/7/19	4/14/19	4/21/19	4/28/19
Attendance	40			
Benevolent	\$ 63			
Floating Five	\$ 81			
Flowers				
Building Imp	\$ 108			
Current Exp	\$1317			
WFM				
Lilies	\$ 19.50			
OGHS	50			
TOTAL	\$1638.50			

Thank You: I just want to say how blessed I am to be part of this caring church family. The many beautiful cards, prayers, flowers, and warm conversations have certainly made my recovery go smoother. Thank you all, sincerely, for everything, and I hope to see you soon. *Melanie Burger*

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PRAYER LIST

Melanie Burger
Diane Graham
Don Howren
Becky Kunkel

Cheryl Prem
Florence Simons
Sue Torno
Mary Kate Zweidinger

IMPORTANT DATES

Sunday, April 14
Thursday, April 18
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Sunday, April 21

End of food drive
Maundy Thursday @6:30 p.m.
Choir Practice @6:30 p.m. after worship
Parish News deadline
Easter breakfast 9-10 a.m./No Sunday School