

FIRST UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Sunday, June 20, 2021
Worship Service 10:00 a.m.

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

Welcome to our Sunday service. Please use the time during the Prelude to prepare yourself for worship in quiet reflection and prayer and allow others to do the same.

Prelude "My Tribute" *Andraé Crouch*
(Lighting of the Candles)

Greeting
Pastor: The peace of Christ be with you.

People: And also with you.

Welcome and Announcements Pastor Gammon

Let us begin our worship today as we join in the Call to Worship:

*Call to Worship: Judy Fabian

Leader: Lord God, with You all things are possible.

All: We ask that You always be at our side.

Leader: You, who can do all things, help us to do the impossible.

All: Bless us with Your wisdom and strength.

Leader: We find true joy in being Your children.

All: Lead us, O Lord, that we might always find favor in Your sight.

Leader: Build us up, Father, and help us to be strong allies in the fight against evil.

All: May we forever carry Your banner into the world. We pray in Jesus's name, amen.

Hymn #793 "For the Beauty of the Earth"

*Unison Invocation:

All: Blessed Lord, we come before You to seek Your wisdom and guidance. Lead us not astray from You and strengthen our resolve to do Thy bidding. Embolden our hearts and spirits that we may be soldiers of the cross always. Correct us when we stray and bless us with Your forgiveness. May we forever walk through life with You at our side, we pray, 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

"Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus"

Helen Lemmel

Offering Prayer

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

"It is No Secret"

Stuart Hamblen

Doxology

#815

"Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow"

Hymn

#453

"Happy Our Home When God Is There"

Special Music

"You'll Never Walk Alone"

Richard Rodgers

Soloist: Cecilia Keeney

Scripture

1 Samuel 17:(1a, 4-11, 19-23), 32-49 (pg. 260-292 O.T.)

Judy Fabian

Scripture

2 Corinthians 6:1-13 (pg. 181-182 N.T.)

Sermon

"With God You're Never Alone"

Rev. Gerald Gammon

Hymn

#404

"Faith of Our Fathers"

*Benediction

Postlude

"Work, for the Night is Coming"
(Organ/Piano)

Lowell Mason

We are thankful for having Cecilia Keeney here as our soloist today. She is a senior at Maplewood High School, where she sings in the jazz band, choir, and the madrigals,. Thank you, Cecilia, for sharing your beautiful talents with us again.

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Guest Organist: Barbara Edwards

ANNOUNCEMENTS

6/20/21

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 Virginia Neff, and in memory of Gary & Chris Neff, her husband & son.

Next week: Liturgist/Lay Reader: Craig Cozad

Thought for the week: “Am I allowing God to work through me?”

Covid Restrictions: Masks are no longer required to be worn by those that are fully vaccinated against the COVID-19 virus. Those that have not been vaccinated are encouraged to continue to wear masks for protection, however, it is an individual choice. Those that have been vaccinated and choose to wear a mask may do so. Sanitizer stations will remain available. As always, if you do not feel well, you are encouraged to remain home.

Memorial Service: A memorial service for June Johnson will take place at the church on Saturday, July 31, 2021, at 10:00 a.m. Friends and family may view her obituary and leave condolences by visiting www.NicholasFuneralHome.com.

Annual Picnic: The Deacons are making plans for our annual congregational picnic! Please use the sign up sheet in the lobby.

Altar Flowers: If you would like to order flowers to be put on the altar in remembrance of a loved one, the price is \$30 for two vases or \$15 each. If you order flowers for Sunday, you are now responsible for disposal/disbursement of those flowers.

Thank You: Thank you to the folks that helped plant the flowers around the church.

Thank You: We want to thank the choir for the beautiful flowers. Their thoughtfulness is very much appreciated and their faithfulness and enthusiasm for choir is inspiring.
Karen & Barb

	6/6/21	6/13/21	6/20/21	6/27/21
Attendance	28	26		
Benevolent	\$ 5.00	\$ 50.00		
Building Fund				
Current Expenses	\$2,287.00	\$1,500.00		
Floating Five	\$ 102.02	\$ 180.00		
Flowers		\$ 30.00		
Irma Allen MF		\$2,000.00		
WFM	\$ 100.00			
TOTAL	\$2,494.02	\$3,760.00		

PRAYER LIST

Donna Beavers	Pam Hayes
Simone Bellando	Betty Jamison
Beth Bennett	Mitch Paxson
Susan Booth	Mary Sabol
Charlie Cope	Bob Spencer
Betsy Chapley	Barb Sponaugle
Edie English	Vicky Town
Ruth Gilbert	Wayne Vidovich
Charlie Grounds	Marna Williams

IMPORTANT DATES

Sunday, June 20	Father's Day
Friday, June 25	OFFICE CLOSED
Sunday, July 4	Floating Five/Independence Day
Monday, July 5	OFFICE CLOSED
Wednesday, July 7	Men's Fellowship breakfast @9:00 a.m.
Thursday, July 15	Parish News deadline
Saturday, July 31	June Johnson Memorial Service @10:00 a.m.