

FIRST UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
Sunday, March 10, 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

Donny Longworth

Choral Introit #219 “Surely the Presence”

Lanny Wolfe

*Call to Worship

Leader: Lord God, we are Your children and seek Your face.

All: Let Your light shine upon us.

Leader: Father we celebrate the gift of Your love.

All: May we rejoice in it always.

Leader: O God, we pray to find Your favor.

All: May we always be blessed to be held in Your heart. We pray these things through Christ our Lord. Amen.

*Hymn of Praise #293 “Praise the One Who Breaks the Darkness”

*Unison Invocation

All: Almighty God, we worship You and praise You for all that You are and all that You do. Be with us and hold us fast in Your loving arms as we seek Your love and share Your glory with others. Empower us to be good followers of Christ and to be faithful to His teachings, especially when it comes to sharing Your love. 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

#557

“Seekers of Your Heart”

*Melodie & Dick Tunney/
Beverly Darnell*

Anthem

“Jesus Walked This Lonesome Valley”

Spiritual

Soloist: Jerome Stephens

Children’s Message

Judy Fabian

Hymn

#713

“Seek Ye First”

Giving of our Tithes and Offerings

Offertory

*Doxology

#815

“Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow”

*Offering Prayer

Scripture

Psalm 91:1-2, 9-16 (pg. 548 O.T.)

Marilyn Leiby

Scripture

Luke 4:1-13 (pg. 61 N.T.)

Sermon

“You Are Not Alone”

Rev. Gerald Gammon

*Hymn of Commitment

#692

“God Will Take Care of You”

*Benediction

*Parting Blessing

#692

“God Will Take Care of You” (refrain)

Stillman Martin

Postlude

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Guest Organist: Barbara Edwards

ANNOUNCEMENTS

3/10/19

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.

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

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

Food Drive: We will be collecting food to donate to the Warren Family Mission from March 17 through April 14 as part of our Lenten observation. Please give to this worthy cause of sharing the love of Jesus with others.

Lenten Potluck Dinner: Wednesday, March 20th @5:30 p.m. at Central Christian Church. Bring your own place setting and a covered dish to share. Meat and beverages will be provided.

First Ladies: Meeting date is set for Wednesday, March 20th, at 12:00 p.m. at the church. Bring a bag lunch. Beverages and dessert will be provided. Do remember that all ladies are invited whenever it fits your schedule. Linda Paxson, hostess.

Hamilton Road Quartet: They are once again coming to the First U.C.C. on Saturday, April 6th, at 6:00 p.m. Admission is free and a "love offering" will be collected at the end. Please be sure to invite all your friends and family.

Property Committee: We are looking for volunteers to join the Property Committee. Mark Gammon has agreed to chair the committee and would like to include as many people that would like to participate. A sign up sheet will be made available in the lobby for those interested in helping.

Love Line: We are considering the creation of a Love Line. This will be a system of making phone calls to one another to check up on and share with one another. Those interested in participating are asked to sign up in the lobby.

	2/3/19	2/10/19	2/17/19	2/24/19
Attendance	42	39	39	37
Benevolent	\$ 13			
Floating Five	\$ 211	\$ 190	\$ 130	\$ 130
Flowers				\$ 30
Building Imp	\$ 8			\$ 5
Current Exp	\$1180	\$1256	\$1010	\$ 882
SM-MF		\$ 50		
TOTAL	\$1412	\$1496	\$1140	\$1047

New Addresses:

Glenn & Betty Mark: 3841 Northwoods Ct. NE, Warren, OH 44483
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PRAYER LIST

AJ Dalton	Linda Paxson
Don Howren	Florence Simons
Becky Kunkel	Sue Torno
Marlin Martin	Mary Kate Zweidinger

Elder family

IMPORTANT DATES

Wednesday, March 13
Sunday, March 17
Wednesday, March 20
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Thursday, March 21
Wednesday, March 27
Monday, April 1
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Choir Practice @6:30 p.m.
Begin food drive for Warren Family Mission
First Ladies @12:00 p.m. at the church
Choir Practice @6:30 p.m.
Parish News deadline
Choir Practice @6:30 p.m.
Deacon's/Elder's mtgs. @6:15 p.m.
Consistory @7:00 p.m.