Church Office Hours: Tuesday-Friday: 9:00 am - 2:00 pm

Custodian's Hours: Monday-Wednesday: 8:00 am - 11:00 am, Sunday: 1 hour

**Sunday Minister:** Rev. Eric Brotheridge **E-mail:** fccbedfordpastoreric@gmail.com

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**Custodian:** Steve Harrell

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Prayer List: Francena Beasley, Paula Beaton, Charles Bouldin, Bob and June Briscoe, Hannah Brooking, Brandy Busz, J.T. Carter, Levi Chisholm, Marian Cooley, Tina Corum, Dave Cox, Chantell Emberton, Aaron Evans, Ariene Gilbert, James Hackney, Karen Hackney, Margaret Hathaway, Liam Harting, Brent Hutton, Ainsley Jefferies, Rita Jenkins, Lisa Jordan, Emma Joyner, Mike Kern, Nancy Laken, Defne Leonard, Nina Sailor Lowe, Maddie Lynch, Danny Lyons, Don Mains, Mary Malec, Victoria & Baby McVicker, William Metz, Carol Mifflin, Kim Mills, Sheila Miskuf, Patricia Morris, Sarah Mullis, Charity Henderson Parker, Shelly Perrson, Betty Robbins, John Robbins, Scott Roberts, Gregg Romine, Nina Saylor, Mary Beth Sieman, Linda Smith, Candy Sykes, Steven Taylor, Greg VanCleave, Harbor Webb, Carol Wieneke, Kristy Williams, Roger Wykoff

Those away from home serving the church, in military, civil service, education and work.

Those unable to be with us in Worship: Vivian Fishel, Barbara Hall, Jacob Householder, Shirley McMunn, Marilyn Olson, Laverne Speer, Jimmy Waggoner.

Please advise Elder Gary Ochs or the church office of any prayer concerns or updates. You may also fill out a pew card & drop it in the offering plate.



# First Christian Church

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Reaching Outward to Connect People with God's Abundance



Rev. Eric Brotheridge

Please complete the cream-colored card located in the back of each pew and place it in the offering plate. Help us by filling out the card as completely as you can. You may also use the card to inform the office of any prayer requests, joys, concerns, upcoming events, changes, etc.

Turn off cell phones as they may interfere with the live stream. Thank you.

\*Please Stand (as you are able)

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**Prelude** How Brightly Shines The Morning Star - Buxtehude

Welcome and Announcements

\*Call to Worship Elder Gary Ochs

Leader: Imagine: the Glory of God revealed...

ALL: And all the gathered people shall see it together...

Here. Now.

\*Opening Hymn O Come, O Come, Emmanuel #119

**Lighting of the Advent Wreath** Maxwell Family Hymn #128, v. 1

Children's Moment Rev. Eric

A Time of Prayer Rev. Eric

Prayer Hymn Seek Ye First #354 v. 1

Call to Prayer

**Pastoral Prayer** 

Lord's Prayer All

Our Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our sins as we forgive those who have sinned against us. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory forever. Amen.

Passing of the Peace Pastor: Peace be with you All: And also with you

**Special Music** Oh Come, Oh Come, Emmanual – trad. Kaitlin Dailey – Soprano & Mary Ruth Yates - Piano

Intro to Scripture Rev. Eric

Scripture Luke 21:25-36 New Revised Standard Elder

**Proclamation** "When These Things Begin" Rev. Eric

**Hymn of Discipleship** Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence #124

\*Invitation to Giving Elder

\*Doxology All

Praise God from whom all blessings flow;

Praise him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host: Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

\*Prayer of Dedication Elder

Invitation to Christ's Table Elder

Prayer for the Bread and Cup Elder

Communion Music Aria - Handel

Words of Institution Rev. Eric

**Taking of the Bread and Cup Together** 

\*Closing Hymn Hail to the Lord's Anointed #140

\*Blessings and Benediction Rev. Eric

May God bless you.

May God keep you.

Make God's face to shine upon you.

And be gracious unto you.

May God lift up God's countenance upon you.

And give you peace. And give you peace.

\*Postlude O Thou Of God, The Father - Bach



# First Christian Church Christmas Bazaar

Saturday December 4th

10:00a.m. - 4:00p.m.

Lunch 11:00 – 2:00 Dessert – Drink \$5.00

Sponsored by the Youth Of First Christian Church

Shopping, Great Food, Great Fellowship



## POINSETTIA ORDER FORM

You are invited to provide a poinsettia in memory or honor of a loved one to be placed on the chancel for the Christmas holiday season.

I wish to order \_\_\_\_\_\_ **Poinsettia(s)** at **\$10.00** each =

Please fill out the information below and return it to the church office or drop it in the offering plate along with your payment by **December 12.** 

My gift to be listed in the bulletin (PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY):

In Memory of

In Honor of

Given by





### Immediately following worship TODAY

The 2022 Budget and Leadership Positions will be brought forward for approval.

Please stay after worship as your voice is important for the coming year.

**SERVING SCHEDULE: November 28** 

Elder: Gary Ochs
Greeters:

15th St: Bev McFadden K St: Sarah Holbrook Canopy: Steve Harrell





#### **Outreach Committee Ministry**

We are collecting BAKING SUPPLIES, FLOUR AND SUGAR during the month of November for L.I.F.E Pantry. Please place all packages in the baskets located in the foyer.

Any food or items you wish to donate are welcome any month.



#### It's Time for Our Adopt a Family Project.

The Christmas list is posted in the foyer.

Please **read the guidelines** before you purchase a gift.

### All gifts need to be the library by December 10.

If you would like to give a monetary donation, please make the check payable to First Christian Church with a memo for Adopt-A-Family.

Contact Amy Holbrook, 812-583-1105, for any questions.

