



FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(Disciples of Christ)

June 21, 2020
Third Sunday after Pentecost
Online Worship at 10:00 am

PRELUDE Amazing Grace Virginia Harmony, 1831
Mary Ruth Yates, Piano Ginny Jones, Violin

WELCOME Bruce Ervin and Helen Hempfling

CHORAL CALL TO PRAYER *(sung)* God of Mercy, God of Grace HEATHLANDS

God of Mercy, God of grace,
show the brightness of thy face;
Shine upon us, Savior, shine,
fill thy Church with light divine;
And thy saving health extend
unto earth's remotest end.

-Henry Francis Lyte (1793-1847); based on Psalm 67, alt.
Music: Henry Smart (1813-1879)

PASSING OF THE PEACE

Leaders: Peace of Christ be with you
People: And also with you.

PRAYER

LORD'S PRAYER

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 debts/sins as we forgive our
debtors/those who have sinned against us;
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.

SCRIPTURE

from Zechariah 9

Jan Harrington

INVITATION TO GIVING

*You are invited to offer your gift by mail, or in person (see back page).
The method of giving does not matter. It's the mission that makes a difference!*

Response of Praise

Doxology

Prayer of Dedication for the Offering

THE LORD'S SUPPER

Invitation to the Table

Words of Institution and Prayer of Consecration for the Bread and Cup

Sharing of the Bread and Cup (*unison*)

*Please hold the communion elements in your hands during the communion music.
We will partake of them in unison following the music.*

Communion Music

The Lord's Prayer

ALBERT HAY MALOTTE (1895-1964)

Jihye Choi and Nara Lee, handbells

arr. Carter Adams (b. 1997)

Partaking of the Bread and Cup

Prayer of Thanksgiving

CLOSING HYMN 88

All My Hope on God Is Founded

NEANDER

All my hope on God is founded,
who does still my trust renew.

Safe through change and chance God guides me,
ever faithful, ever true.

God unknown, God alone,

Seeks to claim my heart as home.

Human pride and earthly glory,
sword and crown betray our trust;

though with care and toil we build them,
tower and temple fall to dust.

But Gods power, hour by hour,

is my temple and my tower.

But in every time and season,
out of love's abundant store,
God sustains the whole creation,
fount of life forevermore.
We who share earth and air
count on God's unfailing care

Text: Joachim Neander, 1680, alt.; st. 3 tr. Fred Pratt Green (1903-2000)

Tune: Joachim Neander, 1689 (from chorale *Unser Herrscher*)

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BLESSING AND BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE

This Is My Father's World

arr. Brent Olstad (b. 1960)

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Announcements



Please join us for our Summer Forum Series
***The Church Gathered and Scattered:
Claiming our Disciples Identity in This Day***
June 21 at 11:00 am
Rev. April Johnson,
**Executive Director and Minister of Reconciliation
of the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)**

This very special series continues ***at 11:00 am today via Zoom!*** Rev. Johnson will offer wisdom and guidance regarding our Disciples mission priority to be a pro-reconciliation and anti-racism church.

Zoom link for the series is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83190090435?pwd=T09ZR1RvZXhoOEExblhtNXgvcVZhUT09>



**Please join us next Sunday (June 28),
when special guests Mark Knowles
and Danielle Murry Knowles
will lead us in worship.**

Mark and Danielle serve as Global Mission Co-Workers in Lesotho (Southern Africa) and are beloved members of Bloomington First Christian.



***We are Disciples of Christ.**

A movement for wholeness in a fragmented world. As part of the one body of Christ, we welcome all to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us.

*Disciples of Christ
Statement of Identity

Church Staff:

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Church Office Hours

Wednesday: 11:00 am - 1:00 pm

Social Media:

Web Page: www.firstccbedford.org

Facebook: First Christian Church
Bedford - DOC

Camp Facebook: Bedford Camp &
Conference Center

Ways to Give to FCC

Mail Checks to FCC at:

1101 15th St

Bedford, IN 47421

In Person

Wednesday 11:00 am - 1:00 pm and slide it
under the Treasurer's door

An Invitation to Community

As God has welcomed us, we welcome you.

With all our differences--

in age, ability and physical condition,

in race, cultural background and economic status,

in sexual orientation, gender identity & family

structure--

God has received each one

with loving kindness, patience and joy.

All that we are together

and all that we hope to be

is made more perfect

as the richness of varied lives

meets the mystery of God's unifying Spirit

and we become the Body of Christ.