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Condolences: We offer prayers of sympathy to the Family and Friends of Gene Wagoner. Gene passed away Sunday, March 5, 2023. Please continue to keep his wife Betty, his sons Larry and Tim along with the rest of his family in your prayers.

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, Laverne Speer, Carolyn Tumey, Betty Wagoner, Jimmy Waggoner.

***Please advise Elder Susan Maxwell-Lewis or the church office
of any prayer concerns or updates.
You may also fill out a pew card & drop it in the offering plate.***



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Reaching Outward to Connect People with God's Abundance



March 12, 2023

Maech 12, 2023

SERVICE OF WORSHIP

10:30 am

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)**

Prelude

God's Time Is Best - Bach

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. William Brown

***Call to Worship**

Worship Leader

Leader: O Come, let us sing to the LORD;

All: Let us make a joyful noise to the rock of our salvation!

Leader: Let us come into God's presence with thanksgiving;

All: Let us make a joyful noise to God with songs of praise!

Leader: For the LORD is a great God.

All: The sea and the dry land were formed by God's hands.

Leader: Let us worship the LORD our God,

All: Let us kneel before the LORD, our Maker!

***Opening Hymn**

We Gather Together

#276

Pastoral Prayer

Rev. William

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.

Scripture	John 4:5-42 (NRSV)	Worship Leader
Anthem	"A Time for All Things" by Douglas Wagner Chancel Choir	
Proclamation		Rev. William
*Hymn of Discipleship	Well Spring of Wisdom	#596
*Invitation to Giving		Rev. William
*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. Amen.	
*Prayer of Dedication		Elder
Communion Hymn	Fill My Cup, Lord	#351
Invitation to Christ's Table		Rev. William
Prayer for the Bread and Cup		Elder
Communion Music	O Sacred Head Now Wounded - Albrecht	
Words of Institution		Rev. William
Taking of the Bread and Cup Together		
Passing of the Peace	Pastor: Peace be with you	All: And also with you
*Closing Hymn	Here I Am, Lord	#452
*Blessings and Benediction		
*Postlude	Stand Up and Bless the Lord - Hughes	



“A Time for All Things” by Douglas Wagner

To everything there is a season,
there is a time for all good things;
A time to plant and a time to reap,
a time to lose and a time to keep:
A time to weep, a time to laugh,
a time to mourn, a time to dance.

To everything there is a season:
there is a time for all good things.
A time to follow, a time to lead,
a time to speak and a time to heed;
A time to sleep, a time to wake,
a time to give and a time to take.

For all the blessings of your God,
are given us that we might have
A time to live and a time to share,
a time to love and a time to care.

A time, a time for all good, all good things.

SERVING SCHEDULE: March

Elder:

Susan Maxwell Lewis

Greeters

15th St **Pat Merchant**

K St **Helen Merchant**

Canopy **Ron Bell**



Coffee Hour Sunday Morning

Coffee and treats starting
at **9:30 am.**

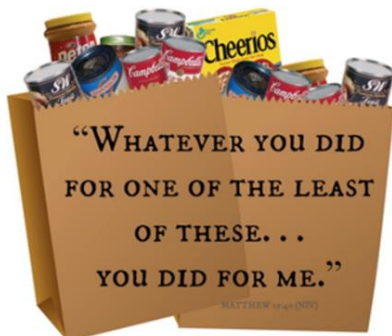
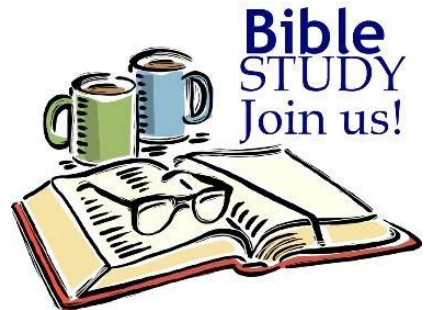
Sign up at the Welcome Table if you
would like to contribute treats.

Join us for Bible Study each Wednesday at 2:00 PM

We will meet in the Library or if you want to attend
via zoom, please follow this link:

<https://us05web.zoom.us/j/82903218536?pwd=Ri8vTVFGbHo5Um0weVExVkZCaDNZUT09>

If a password is requested – it is Church1



Outreach Committee Ministry

We are collecting **Breakfast Foods**
(Cereal, Oatmeal, etc.) during the month
of **March** 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.*

Easter Lily Order Form

You are invited to provide a lily
in memory or honor of a loved one
to be placed on the chancel for Easter Sunday
and then you may take it home after the service.

I wish to order _____ Easter Lily(ies) at **\$10.00 each** = \$ _____

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

In Memory of _____

In Honor of _____

Given by _____

Attached is a check for \$ _____ payable to **First Christian Church.**

Mail completed form along with your payment to:

1101 15th St, Bedford, IN 47421.

Order deadline is **April 2.**