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**Custodian:** Steve Harrell

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**Prayer List:** Paula Beaton, Bob and June Briscoe, Karen Briscoe, Brandy Busz, Levi Chisholm, Leo Coulter, Tina Corum, Chantell Emberton, Aaron Evans, Ariene Gilbert, James Hackney, Karen Hackney, Margaret Hathaway, Liam Harting, Mary Jane, Ainsley Jefferies, Rita Jenkins, Van Kavanaugh, Defne Leonard, Nina Sailor Lowe, Maddie Lynch, Danny Lyons, Ernie McCullough, William Metz, Carol Mifflin, Sheila Miskuf, Patricia Morris, Sarah Mullis, Charity Henderson Parker, Shelly Perrson, Betty Robbins, Scott Roberts, Gregg Romine, Nina Saylor, Mary Beth Sieman, Teddy Staley, Candy Sykes, Carolyn Tumey, Greg VanCleave, Sandy Weldon, Linda White, 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

(Disciples of Christ)

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Reaching Outward to Connect People with God's Abundance



July 17, 2022

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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)**

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**Prelude** Jesus, Joy of Man's Desiring - Bach

**Welcome and Announcements** Rev. William Brown

**We Gather for Praise and Prayer**

**\*Call to Worship** Elder Susan Maxwell Lewis

Leader: O LORD, who may dwell in your sacred tent? Who may live on your holy mountain?

**ALL: Those whose walk is blameless;**

Leader: Those who do what is righteous;

**All: Those who speak the truth from their hearts.**

Leader: Those whose tongues utter no slander;

**All: Those who do no wrong to a neighbor.**

Leader: Whoever does these things will never be shaken;

**All: Thanks be to God! Amen!**

**\*Opening Hymn** I've Got Peace Like A River #530

**Pastoral Prayer** Rev. William Brown

**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.**

## **We Listen for God's Word**

<b>Scripture</b>	Colossians 3:12-17 (NRSV)	Susan Maxwell Lewis
<b>Youth Moment</b>		Susan Maxwell Lewis
<b>Special Music</b>	A Mighty Fortress is Our God - arr. Curnow Donald Mains, Jr. - Saxophone	

<b>Proclamation</b>		Maggie B. Lewis
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## **We Respond to God's Word**

<b>*Hymn of Discipleship</b>	Kum ba Yah	#590
<b>*Invitation to Giving</b>		Susan Maxwell Lewis
<b>*Doxology</b>		All
	<b>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.</b>	
<b>*Prayer of Dedication</b>		Susan Maxwell Lewis

## **We Celebrate at the Lord's Table**

<b>Communion Hymn</b>	One Bread, One Body	#393
<b>Invitation to Christ's Table</b>		Maggie B. Lewis
<b>Passing of the Peace</b>	Pastor: Peace be with you	<b>All: And also with you</b>
<b>Prayer for the Bread and Cup</b>		Maggie B. Lewis
<b>Communion Music</b>	I Come With Joy, a Child of God - Charles Callahan	
<b>Words of Institution</b>		Maggie B. Lewis
<b>Taking of the Bread and Cup Together</b>		

## **We Depart to Serve**

<b>*Closing Hymn</b>	They'll Know We Are Christians	#494
<b>*Blessings and Benediction</b>		Maggie B. Lewis
<b>*Postlude</b>	O Thou of God, the Father - Bach	



Coffee Hour before the Sunday Service has resumed. Coffee and treats will be available for everyone starting at 9:30 am.



### **Outreach Committee Ministry**

We are collecting **MEXICAN & ITALIAN FIXINGS** during the month of **July** 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.*

**First Christian Church  
"God's Abundance" Picnic  
Sunday, August 28, 2022  
Overlook Lodge, Bedford Camp**

**Chicken, Hot Dogs & Drinks will be provided**

**Please bring a dish to share**

**Worship will be held at 10:30am**

**With Lunch following**

**Wear your casual clothes  
and enjoy the day at camp  
basking in God's Abundance**

**Following lunch, there will be  
activities for the children.**





**SERVING SCHEDULE:  
July**

Elder:  
**Susan Maxwell Lewis**

Greeters  
**15th St** Pat Bell  
**K St** Ron Bell  
**Canopy** Suzanne Coleman

**Steward** Bonnie Fye

**SERVING SCHEDULE:  
August**

Elder:  
**Jamie Blackwell**

Greeters  
**15th St** Cathy Allman  
**K St** Donna Myers  
**Canopy** Melissa Wilkerson

**Steward** Amy Holbrook