

Central Christian Church  
(Disciples of Christ)  
Decatur, IL  
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***Sunday, January 3, 2021***



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Senior Minister

**Don Martin**  
Minister of Music

**Tina Miller**  
Associate Minister of  
CE and Family Life

**David Martin**  
Youth Director

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**Second Sunday after Christmas**  
*Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope*

**GATHERING**

Prelude ***We Three Kings*** arr. Noel Rawsthorne  
David Williams, organ

Statement of Purpose

Call to Worship

Invocation

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 as we forgive our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.  
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory forever,  
Amen.**

Opening Music ***Wondrous Love*** arr. Steven Sametz

Children's Message

Time of Remembering

Special Music ***River Flows in You*** Yiruma  
David Williams, piano

Litany for Grief and Loss

Special Music ***Wayfarin' Stranger*** arr. Michael Larkin

God's Goodness and Hope of Resurrection  
Readings from Scripture

Psalm 23  
John 14 (selections)

Words of Hope

Special Music ***Do Not Let Your Hearts Be Troubled*** arr. David Haas

Prayers to Commend 2020 to God's Everlasting Care

Special Music ***Hymn of Promise*** arr. Natalie Sleeth

Invitation to Offering and to Communion

Meditation David Wagner

Words of Institution

Prayer for bread and cup  
*(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation.)*

Communion Music ***Pie Jesu*** Andrew Lloyd Webber  
David Williams, piano

One: The bread which we break is our communion in the Body of Christ.  
**All: The cup of blessing for which we give thanks is our Communion  
in the blood of Christ. Amen.**

Benediction

Postlude ***Return to the Heart*** David Lanz  
David Williams, piano

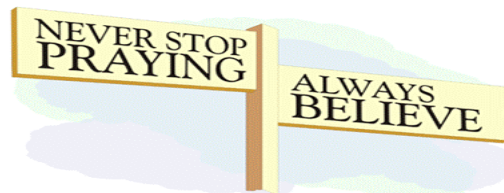
## Notes

### Scripture (NRSV)

Psalm 23 KJV

- <sup>1</sup> The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.
- <sup>2</sup> He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.
- <sup>3</sup> He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for his name's sake.
- <sup>4</sup> Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.
- <sup>5</sup> Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: thou anointest my head with oil; my cup runneth over.
- <sup>6</sup> Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

# Prayer List



## Members

Howard Cravens  
Louise Boline  
Jean Booher  
Lawrence Turner  
Barbara Tyler  
Karma Lynn Carpenter  
David Miller  
Unique Hess  
Joan Smith  
Evelyn Sanders  
Don Boyd  
Gretchen Barron  
Linda Kuhns  
Bob Bischoff  
Pat Ash  
Carol Wade  
Morris Birkhead  
Ellen Sheffer

## Members in Nursing Home & Assisted Living

Arlene Penn (Imboden Creek)  
Zettie Stern (Imboden Creek)  
Claudine Nichols (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Warren Berner (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Laura Sperry (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Elaine Hynds (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Wanda Poisel (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Irwin Soliday (Primrose)  
Billie Harmon (Randall Residence)  
Marilyn Riley (Randall Residence)  
Max Sperry (Randall Residence)  
Dottie Scholes (Hickory Pt Christian Village)  
Shirlee Johnson (Hickory Pt Christian Village)

## We Pray for Those in the Military:

Rob Aikman, Bobbie Backes, Noah Burkham,  
Phillip Johnston, Jeremiah & Rachel Singletary,  
Brandon Trail, Trysten Hall, Lucas Ward,  
Katy Taylor, Mitchell Lucas

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## Friends & Family

Misty Mochel (friend of Marci Baumann)  
Gary & Diane Lockwood (Friends of Nancy Ellen Taylor)  
Barb Disney (Friend of Penny Rutherford)  
Shannon Francisco (Friend of Bob Smith)  
Bryanna Shaw (Friend of Maria Jacobs)  
Timothy Littrell (friend of the Lintons & the Bednars)  
Brook Stewart (Parents friend of Jim & Pamela Bednar)  
Janet May Carpenter (mother of Karma Lynn Carpenter)  
Mark Boline (son of Louise Boline)  
Keith Bess (friend of Gregg & Linda Foltz)  
Anne Hostetler (friend of many CCC members)  
Jeff Pritts (son of Eleanor Pritts)  
Michael Moran (son in law of Larry & Marla Winkleblack)  
Catherine Bower (friend of Jerry Bean)  
Carter Goodman (nephew of Greg & Gale Barnes)  
Melissa Phelps (friend of Derald Hartley)  
Jill Bolin (Larry & Marla Winkleblack's daughter)  
Chuck & Linda Doehring (cousins of Joy Adams)  
Carrol Virt (father of Diana Ritter)  
Juanita Churchill (mother of Theresa Fulk)  
Kay Wallace (friend of Sandra Schultz)  
Cecelia Adams (granddaughter-in-law of Ed & Joy Adams)  
Paul Barnes (father of Greg Barnes)  
Shawn Renfro (cousin of Diana Ritter)  
Dr. Albert "Albie" Gillman (friend of Marci Baumann)  
Rodger Marshall (cousin of Donna Dash)  
Kathy Crum (friend of Jean Maggioncalda)  
Kristin Hesse (friend of Karen Driver)  
Sally Brown (friend of Roberta Gorden)  
Joe Opitz (friend of Donna Dash)  
Jim & Kay Nuernberger (friends of Jim & Debbie Hoffert)