

Communion Hymn ***It Is Well with My Soul (vs. 1, 4)*** No. 561  
*(In Christ's name we welcome all persons into membership into the church by confession of faith and baptism or by transfer of membership. Please step to the front pew during the singing of this Hymn of Communion.)*

Meditation Tom Spry

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration Matthew Swarthout  
*(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation.)*

Communion Music

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 ***Rigaudon*** Andre Campra  
Dee Dee Gain, organ



# Central Christian Church

(Disciples of Christ)  
Decatur, Illinois  
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***Sunday, May 9, 2021***

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CE and Family Life

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Youth Director

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**Sixth Sunday of Easter**  
*Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope*

**GATHERING**

Prelude                      ***Rhapsody***                      Brahms  
   Austin Shaw

Introit                      ***Puer Natus***                      P. Natalie Mustea  
   Millikin Interns

\*Opening Hymn  
   ***Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken***                      No. 709

\*Responsive Reading

Leader: Jesus called the twelve disciples and began to send them out two by two.

**People: I am sending you to deliver hope.**

Leader: Jesus gave authority to the disciples to cast out unclean spirits.

**People: I am sending you to deliver hope.**

Leader: Jesus told the disciples to take nothing with them but to travel light.

**People: I am sending you to deliver hope.**

Leader: Jesus asked his disciples to carry out his mission to feed the hungry and heal the sick.

**People: I am sending you to deliver hope.**

Leader: Jesus said if anyone does not welcome them, move on to the next.

**People: I am sending you to deliver hope.**

\*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.**

\*Gloria Patri                      No. 35

Children's Message

**PRAYER**

Prayer Hymn                      ***Psalm 84***                      P. Natalie Mustea  
   Millikin Interns

Pastoral Prayer

Prayer Response

**PROCLAMATION**

Offertory Invitation

Special Music                      ***Steal Away***                      arr. Howard Helvey  
   Men's Chorus; Christian Jackson, director  
   Austin Shaw, piano; Claire Taylor, woodwind

Scripture Reading                      Mark 6:7-13

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon                      ***Penguins: Bold, Committed, and Compassionate***

**RESPONSE**

Invitation to Discipleship

## Worship Extras

May 9, 2021

### Current COVID Guidelines

We ask that you please observe the following precautions:

- Please wear masks throughout the building
- Masks may be removed when seated in worship
- Please wear masks for singing
- Please wait for ushers to dismiss you from your seat at end of service

**For your reflection** (in preparation for the message):

*If you could be an animal for a day, what animal would you be?*

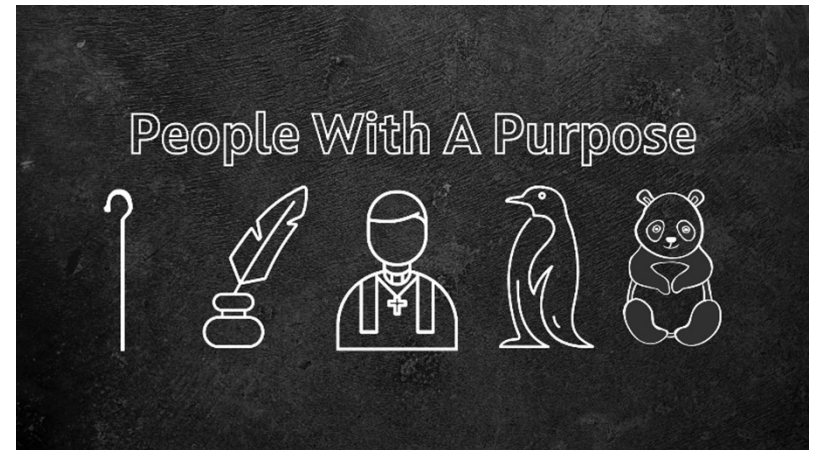
### **Penguins and Disciples – what they have in common?**

- 1) *Work together toward a common goal*
- 2) *Bold and Daring*
- 3) *Committed*

*Don't give up on something too soon*

- 4) *Compassionate*

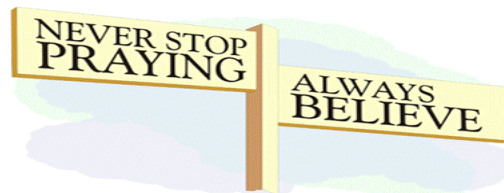
*Motivated to alleviate suffering*



### Mark 6:7-13 NRSV

<sup>7</sup>He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. <sup>8</sup>He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; <sup>9</sup>but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. <sup>10</sup>He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. <sup>11</sup>If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." <sup>12</sup>So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. <sup>13</sup>They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

# Prayer List



Last updated 5/7/2021

## Members

Howard Cravens  
Jean Booher  
Lawrence Turner  
Barbara Tyler  
Karma Lynn Carpenter  
Unique Hess  
Evelyn Sanders  
Don Boyd  
Gretchen Barron  
Linda Kuhns  
Bob Bischoff  
David Ash  
Carol Wade  
Morris Birkhead  
Kathy Kauzlarich  
David Poisel  
Herb & Duff Knudsen  
Jim Taylor

## Members in Nursing Home & Assisted Living

Arlene Penn (Imboden Creek)  
Zettie Stern (Imboden Creek)  
Claudine Nichols (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Warren Berner (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Elaine Hynds (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Wanda Poisel (Imboden Creek Gardens)  
Billie Harmon (Randall Residence)  
Marilyn Riley (Randall Residence)  
Max Sperry (Randall Residence)  
Glen & Arlone Dalluge (Randall Residence)  
Dottie Scholes (Hickory Pt Christian Village)  
Doris Matey (Hickory Pt Christian Village)  
Ellen Sheffer (Hickory Pt Christian Village)  
Joan Smith (Heritage Health)  
Bess King (The Glenwood)

## We Pray for Those in the Military:

Bobby Backes (nephew of Keith & Jeannie Backes)  
Trysten Hall (son of Sheila & Charles Hall, great-grandson  
of Lawrence & Sally Thicksten)  
Phillip Johnston (son of Becky Johnston)  
Mitchell Lucas (grandson of Nancy Ellen Taylor)  
Jeremiah & Rachel Singletary (great-nephew of  
Marilyn Ward)  
Katy Taylor (granddaughter of Nancy Ellen Taylor)  
Lucas Ward (grandson of Marilyn Ward)

## 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)  
Anne Hostetler (friend of many CCC members)  
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)  
Carrol Virt (father of Diana Ritter)  
Juanita Churchill (mother of Theresa Fulk)  
Dr. Albert "Albie" Gillman (friend of Marci Baumann)  
Sally Brown (friend of Roberta Gorden)  
Ruth Albin (family of Nancy Ellen Taylor)  
Gil Baumann (father of Steve Baumann)  
Michelle Yeager (daughter of Gail Prince)  
Sherry Hulva (neighbor of Gail Prince)  
Mac Funk (son of Steve & Carrie Funk)  
Dan Boynton (friend of Jim & Pamela Bednar)  
Edna Straghan (mother of Kathy Kauzlarich)  
Kaciana Schmidt (great-niece of Joy Adams)  
Stacy Dill (friend of Donna Dash)  
Bev Carter (friend of Donna Dash)