

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

*Hymn *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise (vs. 1, 2, 4)* No. 66
(After worship, a serving elder will be available at the back of each side aisle for personal prayer)

Postlude

Te Deum
Marc-Antoine Charpentier
Dee Dee Gain, organ

**All who are able, please stand*

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Central Christian Church

(Disciples of Christ)
Decatur, Illinois

February 27, 2022

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ORDER OF WORSHIP

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope.

Prelude *Cantabile* Louis Vierne
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Words of Welcome Tina Miller

*Opening Hymn *Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah* No. 622

*Responsive Reading

Leader: In the sanctuary, God, the Holy One,
whose glory fills the whole earth, calls us.

**People: Beside the sea, along ordinary paths,
in our daily work, God calls us.**

Leader: We respond with our whole heart,
singing God's praise and giving thanks.

**People: In steadfast love, God fulfills
the divine purposes for our lives.**

*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 Moment Michael E. Karunas

Prayer Hymn *Be Still, My Soul (vs. 1, 3)* No. 566

Pastoral Prayer

(8:00) Prayer Response
(10:30) Special Music, Spencer Domer

Offertory Invitation

(8:00) Special Music Spencer Domer
(10:30) Anthem

Scripture Reading Luke 9:28-36

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon *Shhhh! I'm Trying to Think!*

Invitation to Discipleship

*Communion Hymn No. 411

For the Bread, Which You Have Broken (vs. 1, 2)

(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 David York

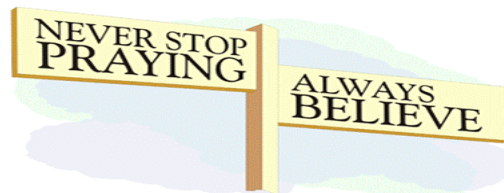
Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration Randy Trei

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

Communion Music

Prayer List



Last updated 2/25/2022

Members

Barbara Tyler
Karma Lynn Carpenter
Unique Hess
Evelyn Sanders
Gretchen Barron
Linda Kuhns
David Ash
Morris Birkhead
David Poisel
Herb & Duff Knudsen
Bob & Pat O'Connell
Larry Pepper
Susie Bean
Tessa McCoy
Sarah, Chad, & Amelia Jennings
Lauren McLemore
Helen Ryan

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)
Katy & Matt Holden (granddaughter &
grandson-in-law of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Phillip Johnston (son of Becky Johnston)
Mitchell Lucas (grandson of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Jeremiah & Rachel Singletary
(great-nephew of Marilyn Ward)
Preston Wade (son of Larry & Karen Wade)
Lucas Ward (grandson of Marilyn Ward)

Members in Nursing Home & Assisted Living

Arlene Penn (Imboden Creek)
Zettie Stern (Imboden Creek)
Warren Berner (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Elaine Hynds (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Wanda Poisel (Imboden Creek Gardens)
Marilyn Riley (Randall Residence)
Max Sperry (Randall Residence)
Glen & Arlone Dalluge (Randall Residence)
Doris Matey (Hickory Pt Christian Village)
Ellen Sheffer (Hickory Pt Christian Village)
Jean Booher (Hickory Pt. Christian Village)
Joan Smith (Heritage Health)
Bess King (The Glenwood)
Dean Gray (The Loft)
Bob & Chloe Hoaglin (Vonderlieth)

Friends & Family

Misty Mochel (friend of Marci Baumann)
Diane Lockwood (Friends of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Barb Disney (Friend of Penny Rutherford)
Shannon Francisco (Friend of Bob Smith)
Janet May Carpenter (mother of
Karma Lynn Carpenter)
Anne Hostetler (friend of many CCC members)
Michael Moran (son in law of Larry &
Marla Winkleblack)
Carter Goodman (nephew of Greg & Gale Barnes)
Jill Bolin (Larry & Marla Winkleblack's daughter)
Carrol Virt (father of Diana Ritter)
Juanita Churchill (mother of Theresa Fulk)

Friends & Family, continued

Sally Brown (friend of Roberta Gorden)
Ruth Albin (family of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Michelle Yeager (daughter of Gail Prince)
Mac Funk (son of Steve & Carrie Funk)
Dan Boynton (friend of Jim & Pamela Bednar)
Edna Straghan (mother of Kathy Kauzlarich)
Stacy Dill (friend of Donna Dash)
Jim Nuernberger (friend of Jim & Debbie Hoffert)
Vicky McGorray (friend of Connie Bordner)
Curt Jackson (cousin of Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Ronald & Harriette York (David York's parents)
Ron Price (brother of Debbie Hoffert)
Vickie Jacobs (daughter of Maria Jacobs)
William Dayton Keyes (great-nephew of
Gale Barnes)
Tracy Cearlock (friend of Brett Swallow)
Jeff Powers (son-in-law of Dave & Nita Phillips)
Jane Spires (friend of many CCC members)
Debbie Seitz (friend of Julie & Ken Jacoby)
Jackson (friend of Janelle Beedle)
Linda Doehring (cousin of Joy Adams)
Zac Penwell (son of friend of Maria Jacobs)
Mary Teller (cousin of Steve & Carrie Funk)
Kim Klotz Schuhardt (relative of Mary Jane Oliver)
Linda & Wayne Mollohan (friends of
Nancy Ellen Taylor)
Mark Demoulin (son of Jahala Demoulin)

Worship Extras February 27, 2022

Starter Question

Would you say your life is: Not very busy? Somewhat busy?
Very busy?

Sermon: Shhhh! I'm Trying to Think!

Luke 9:28-36

Transfigure – “trans” (change) – “figure” (form, shape)

Jesus changes forms from a human being to the divine!

Son of God (not just a sensational human)

Fulfillment of history and tradition

Moses (Law) – Jesus fulfills the Law

Elijah (Prophet) – Jesus is the ultimate
messenger

Peter, James, John ONLY recognize this on the mountaintop
Away from the busyness of life

Voice of God:

“This” is my son (for our benefit)

“Listen” (not see, watch)

See, watch = understanding

Listen = following (even through the confusion)

Jesus – as savior – will save us by means of the cross
Confusing (never done before)
Won't make sense until later
Follow now – Understanding comes later
But we trust always in the one we follow

Season of Lent – a 6-week “mountaintop” experience
Lent 2022 – 750 hours!!!



Luke 9:28-36 NRSV

²⁸ Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. ²⁹ And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. ³⁰ Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. ³¹ They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. ³² Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. ³³ Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, “Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah”—not knowing what he said. ³⁴ While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. ³⁵ Then from the cloud came a voice that said, “This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!” ³⁶ When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and in those days told no one any of the things they had seen.