

Elder's Meditation

Bruce Campbell

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Krista Rohrscheib

*(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation. You may eat the Bread as it is passed, but hold the Cup to drink together.)*

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

\*Recessional

*I've Got Peace Like a River (vs. 1, 2)*

No. 530

Postlude

*Rondeau*

Jean Joseph Mouret

Dee Dee Gain, organ

*(Please remain in your pews until the Acolytes have left the aisle.)*

*\*All who are able, please stand*



# Central Christian Church

(Disciples of Christ)  
Decatur, Illinois  
[www.cccdisciples.org](http://www.cccdisciples.org)

***Sunday, January 12, 2020***



**Michael E. Karunas**  
Senior Minister

**Don Martin**  
Minister of Music

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

**David Martin**  
Youth Director

**ORDER OF WORSHIP**  
**First Sunday After the Epiphany**  
*Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope*

**GATHERING**

Prelude **Fanfares** Jean Joseph Mouret  
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Introit

\*The Processional **How Lovely, Lord, How Lovely** No. 285

\*Responsive Reading Mike Kirby

Leader: Our God said to Jesus,  
**People: "Come to the water and be baptized."**  
Leader: And Jesus came to John at the Jordan saying,  
**People: "Let it be so. It is proper for us to fulfill God's purposes"**  
Leader: And God spoke from the heavens saying,  
**People: "This is my beloved son in whom I am well pleased."**  
Leader: Let us likewise present ourselves for baptism.  
**People: We offer ourselves for the work of God's reign.**  
**All: We welcome the heavenly dove and we hear God's voice**  
**proclaim God's acceptance.**

\*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

Michael E. Karunas

**PRAYER**

Prayer Hymn **My Faith Looks Up to Thee** No. 576

Pastoral Prayer Tina Miller

Prayer Response  
*(If you want someone to pray with you after this service, please meet an Elder in the church gallery just to your right as you leave the sanctuary)*

**PROCLAMATION**

Offertory Invitation

Offertory **Moonlight Sonata** Ludwig von Beethoven  
John Baird, piano

\*Doxology No. 46

\*Prayer of Dedication

Anthem **Borning Cry** John Ylvisaker  
Chancel Choir

Scripture Readings Matthew 3:1-6, 13-17  
(pgs. 2-3, N.T.)

One: The Word of God for the People of God.  
**All: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon **Faith and Acceptance**

**RESPONSE**

Invitation to Discipleship

\*Hymn of Communion **We Come as Guests Invited** No. 386  
*(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.)*

**IN SERVICE TODAY Sunday, January 12, 2020**

**Elders:**

8:00 & 10:30 - Bruce Campbell & Krista Rohrscheib

9:00 - Krista Rohrscheib

**Deacons:**

8:00 - Team 3 - Jane Davis, Becky Johnston, David & Nancy King, Carolyn McCall, Bobby Munos, Mike Munos, Bob Muschal, Pat Penhallegon, Sid & Krista Rohrscheib\*

9:00 - David York

10:30 - Team 4 - Keith & Jeannie Backes\*, Shelby Baum, Mark Beal, Jon French, Mike & Gretchen Kirby, David Martin, Seth Martin, Ron & Gwen Miller, Brittney Moran, Doug Soebbing, Matthew Swarthout

**Ushers:**

8:00 -Team 2 - Becky Johnston, Capt., Bruce Campbell, Liz Campbell

10:30 - Team 7 - George Virgil, Capt., Linda Virgil, Jon & Jane French

**Greeters:**

8:00 - Donna Dash, Charlotte Ballance

9:00 - Maxine Koenig/Barb Leihser

10:30 - Dick & Sue Ann Cain

**Acolytes:**

10:30 - Julina & Jordan Lindsey

**P.A. Operator:**

8:00 - Jim Bednar

10:30 - Larry Pepper

**Preparation of Communion:**

Gregg & Linda Foltz, Josh & Megan Irby, Matthew Swarthout

**Liturgist:**

8:00 & 10:30 - Mike Kirby

9:00 - Paul Gorden

**Hospitality:**

9:00 - Deb Trei

**Tech:**

9:00 - Jodie Walwer & Mike Tanzyus

Sunday School Classes	Floor	Room
Koinonia	2	212
Ecclesia	2R	240
Chalice	2	207
6th grade - 12th grade	2R	280
Kindergarten - 5th grade	2R	230
Nursery (Birth - 5 years old)	1R	150

**CHURCH CALENDAR**



**Sunday (12)**

8:00-Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary

9:00-Contemporary Worship, Great Hall

9:00-Fellowship Coffee

9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes

9:15-Adult Sunday School Classes

10:30-Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary

12:00-Praise Team rehearsal

4:00-Youth Group @ Kids 'n' Fitness South Shores

6:00-Just Flicks, First Presbyterian Church, "Love, Simon"

**Monday (13)**

9:00-Good Sam pickup

12:30-Women's Book Club, Panera

5:30-Bowling, Spare Time Lanes

6:00-Girl Scout Troop #3262, Disciples Room

**Tuesday (14)**

7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café

9:00-Stitchers, 207

2:00-CACS Visioning meeting

5:30-Women's Book Club, Panera

6:30-Heart & Soul Choir, Choir Room & Connection Café

7:00-Millikin Heights, Disciples Room

**Wednesday (15)**

10:15-Preschool Chapel, Friendship Center

10:30-Ministers' Meeting

4:15-Peace & Justice Committee, 240

5:30-Church Council (Business), Disciples Rm.

**Thursday (16)**

10:00-Alanon, 240

4:00-Journeymen 2, Connection Café

6:00-Brass Choir, Disciples Room

7:00-Chancel Choir

**Friday (17)**

**Saturday (18)**

**Sunday (19)**

8:00-Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary

9:00-Contemporary Worship, Great Hall

9:00-Fellowship Coffee

9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes

9:15-Adult Sunday School Classes

10:30-Traditional Worship Service, Sanctuary

12:00-Praise Team rehearsal, Great Hall

12:00-Youth Mission Trip Parent meeting, DR

7:30-Millikin Univ. Chorale Tour Finale Concert



**Hannah Brimmer,  
our social media  
coordinator, would  
love to be Facebook  
friends with you!  
Please friend  
request Hannah.**

**Youth Group TONIGHT**  
**Kids 'n' Fitness South, 4:00 PM**

Address: 1020 W. South Side Dr.

Please enter through the back door. Parents are welcome. This is a free event.  
We will meet there. Please let Mr. David know if you need a ride.

**2020 Women's Conference**

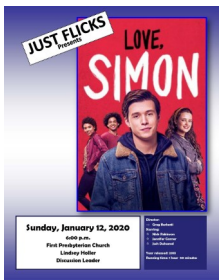
January 31st & February 1st, 5:00 pm to 2:00 pm. Chiara Center, 4875 Laverna Road, Springfield, IL. Keynote speaker: Belva Gadlage. Register by January 20th, 2020, [www.cccdisciples.org](http://www.cccdisciples.org). Double occupancy only, \$95.00 per person. Registration without overnight stay= \$50.00. Registration fee includes overnight lodging, Friday night dinner, and Saturday breakfast and lunch. Registration forms for the women's retreat are available at the Welcome Center.

**Services for Flo Cahan**

Former and long-time Central member Flo Cahan passed away this week at her home in Little Rock, AR. Services for Flo will be held in Little Rock, AR, on Thursday, January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2020, at 4:00 PM. There will be a service in the chapel of the Rubel Funeral Home with a reception / visitation to follow at 5:00 PM. If you would like to send sympathy cards, we suggest: Cathy Alexander, 3612 Foxcroft, Little Rock, AR 72227, and Carol Pickett, 6800 del Norte In #106, Dallas, TX 75225.

**Ushers Needed**

Are you interested in becoming an usher? Please contact the church office, 217-428-4336, or [central@cccdisciples.org](mailto:central@cccdisciples.org). If you are a current usher who either needs to change your schedule or are no longer interested in ushering, please also contact the office, and talk to Kathleen.



**Just Flicks—TONIGHT, First Presbyterian Church, 6:00 PM**

Just Flicks starts the new year with "Love, Simon" TONIGHT at First Presbyterian Church. This 2018 release was groundbreaking. Lindsey Holler will serve as our discussion leader. As always, tasty refreshments will be served before the film. The fun starts at 6:00 p.m. in the church dining room. We will see you there! Next up – "Smoke Signals" on January 26, also at First Pres.

# ABOUT TODAY'S MUSIC

Anthem ***Borning Cry***  
Words and Music: John Ylvisaker

I was there to hear your borning cry, I'll be there when you are old.  
I rejoiced the day you were baptized, to see your life unfold.  
I was there when you were but a child, with a faith to suit you well;  
in a blaze of light you wandered off to find where demons dwell.  
When you heard the wonder of the word I was there to cheer you on;  
you were raised to praise the living God, to whom you now belong.  
If you find someone to share your time and you join your hearts a one,  
I'll be there to make your verses rhyme from dusk till rising sun.  
In the middle ages of your life, not too old, no longer young,  
I'll be there to guide you through the night, complete what I've begun.  
When the evening gently closes in and you shut your weary eyes,  
I'll be there as I have always been with just one more surprise.  
I was there to hear your borning cry.....

—CCLI #1762523



**Journeyman Men's Bible Study to Kick-off This Week!**

The Journeyman men's Bible study groups will be following the Sunday sermon series as they kick off a new year. This is a great time to consider attending one of the groups, which meet on Tuesday mornings (7 – 8 a.m.) and Thursday afternoons (4 – 5 p.m.). Both groups meet in the Connection Café. Solid bible study, sincere prayer, and genuine fellowship is all but guaranteed. Here's a reminder of what the groups will be covering and when.

January 14 and 16	Matthew 3:13-17	The Baptism of Jesus Christ
January 21 and 23	John 1:29-42	Jesus is the "Lamb of God"
January 28 and 30	Matthew 4:18-23	Calling of the First Disciples
February 4 and 6	Matthew 5:1-12	Jesus' Sermon on the Mount

**Help us Evangelize through Facebook!**

- "Check in" on Facebook (let your friends know you're here)
- "Like" our pages (Central Christian Contemporary Worship/Central Christian Church)
- "Follow" our pages (click on the ellipse and then select "Follow")
- Silence your phone, but please use it to:
  - Take pictures and video
  - Share to our Facebook page (and yours!)

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