

\*Hymn of Communion **Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore** No.342  
(vs. 1, 2, 3)

*(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.)*

Elder's Meditation Claudia Quigg

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration Tom Spry  
*(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 **Lift High the Cross (vs. 1, 2)** No. 108

Postlude **Water Music: Allegro Vivace** G.F. Handel  
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 26, 2020**



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CE and Family Life

**David Martin**  
Youth Director

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

**GATHERING**

Prelude ***Jesu, Joy*** J. S. Bach  
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Introit

\*The Processional ***We Call Ourselves Disciples*** No. 357

\*Responsive Reading Keith Backes

Leader: It's here! The kingdom of God is here!

**People: Like Jesus brought it with him.**

Leader: He came down from the mountain. He embodied the kingdom.

**People: Jesus called the disciples to help spread the good news.**

Leader: Believe the good news! The kingdom of God is here!

**People: Jesus compels us to change our hearts and minds.**

Leader: Jesus walked out of the desert into Galilee to proclaim the good news.

**People: We will step out and follow. We will proclaim the good news.**

**All: It's here. The kingdom of God is here!**

\*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

Tina Miller

**PRAYER**

Prayer Hymn ***Just as I Am, Without One Plea (vs. 1, 2, 3)*** No. 339

Pastoral Prayer Don Martin

Prayer Response ***Just as I Am, Without One Plea (vs. 4)*** No. 339

*(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 ***Water Music: Air*** G. F. Handel  
Dee Dee Gain, organ

\*Doxology No. 46

\*Prayer of Dedication

Anthem ***As the Deer*** Martin Nystrom  
Chancel Choir

Scripture Readings Matthew 4:18-23 (pgs. 3-4 N.T.)

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

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon ***Prepare to be Uncomfortable***

**RESPONSE**

Invitation to Discipleship

**IN SERVICE TODAY Sunday, January 26, 2020**

**Elders:**

8:00 & 10:30 - Claudia Quigg & Tom Spry  
 9:00 - Tom Spry

**Deacons:**

8:00 - Team 3 - Jane Davis, David & Nancy King, Carolyn McCall, Bobby Munos, Mike Munos, Bob Muschal, Pat Penhallegon, Sid & Krista Rohrscheib\*  
 9:00 - David/Kim 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 4 - Hazel Perry, Capt., Jerry & Susie Bean, Karen Penn  
 10:30 - Team 9 - Kim Miller, Capt., Audrey Miller, Ron Oliver, Bill Modlin

**Greeters:**

8:00 - Dean & Janet Gray  
 9:00 - Maxine Koenig/Barb Leihser  
 10:30 - Steve & Carrie Funk

**Acolytes:**

10:30 - Peyton Swarthout & Zedekiah Auten

**P.A. Operator:**

8:00 - Greg Carter  
 10:30 - Jim Hinze

**Preparation of Communion:**

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

**Liturgist:**

8:00 & 10:30 - Keith Backes  
 9:00 - Paul Gorden

**Hospitality:**

9:00 - The Fulk family

**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 (26)**

**Youth Midwinter Conference**

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  
 6:00-Just Flicks, First Presbyterian, "Smoke Signals"

**Monday (27)**

5:00-Veterans, Disciples Room  
 5:30-Bowling, Spare Time Lanes  
 6:00-Girl Scouts Troop #3262, Disciples Room  
 6:00-PSC, Conference Room

**Tuesday (28)**

7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café  
 9:00-Stitchers, Disciples Room/207  
 5:15-Contemporary Worship Comm., GH  
 5:30-Preschool Board Meeting, Conf. Rm.  
 6:30-Heart & Soul Choir, Choir Room & Connection Café

**Wednesday (29)**

10:15-Preschool Chapel, Friendship Center  
 10:30-Ministers' Meeting

**Thursday (30)**

10:00-Alanon, 240  
 4:00-Journeymen 2, Connection Café  
 5:00-Lenten Small Group Leadership  
 6:00-Brass Choir, Disciples Room  
 7:00-Chancel Choir

**Friday (31)**

**Women's Retreat**

**Saturday (Feb 1)**

**Women's Retreat**

**Sunday (2)**

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 Group



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

### Join us for an evening of storytelling

On Monday, February 10, at 6:30 p.m., in the Connection Café, we will gather for an evening of storytelling. A podium and microphone will be set up in one corner and extra chairs brought in. Coffee and light refreshments will be served. We will have a roster of storytellers from our congregation telling “5-minute stories” from their lives on the theme: **“I stepped out of my comfort zone when...”** The stories will speak to how we are changed by taking a risk and doing something out of the ordinary. One of our core values at Central is to “Connect with One Another.” Come out and join us on February 10, and you’re sure to learn more about others – and likely yourself – through a great evening of storytelling!

### 3D Ministry Trip – American Passion Play

3D Ministry is making plans to go see the **American Passion Play** in Bloomington, IL on **Saturday March 21**. The play begins at 1:00 p.m. and goes to 4:30 p.m. Tickets are \$25 per seat. We will also stop for dinner before we leave Bloomington. We plan to drive the church bus. This is year 97 for this Passion Play, the longest running Passion play in the United States. It dramatizes the whole life of Jesus and brings to life his teachings. This production uses elaborate sets and a large cast that includes animals. **Please register your interest with the church office (428-4336) soon** so we can secure our tickets and make plans for transportation. This is a good opportunity to **invite a friend** to experience this event with you. You can find more information at: [www.americanpassionplay.org](http://www.americanpassionplay.org). If you have questions, contact **Don Martin** at 428-4336 or [dmartin@cccdisciples.org](mailto:dmartin@cccdisciples.org).

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

**Smoke Signals** will be shown TONIGHT. Smoke Signals is a coming-of-age drama that the Rotten Tomatoes website calls a “well-acted, well-directed, and largehearted movie.” The film is remarkable because it was the first full-length movie written, directed, co-produced and performed by Native Americans. It won the 1998 Sundance Festival film of the Year award. As stated in the Washington Post, “the film boasts a non-stereotypical portrayal of life on Idaho’s Coeur d’Alene Indian reservation.” And Old School Reviews described it as “best film ever made that captures the real character and spirit of modern Native American.” Bob Wollenberg will lead our discussion.

## ABOUT TODAY’S MUSIC

Anthem *As the Deer*

Words: Martin Nystrom

Music: John F. Wilson

As the deer panteth for the water, so my soul longeth after Thee.  
You alone are my heart’s desire, and I long to worship Thee.

You’re my friend and you are my brother, even though you are a King.  
I love you more than any other, so much more than anything.

You alone are my strength and shield;  
To you, alone, will my spirit yield.  
You alone are my heart’s desire and I long to worship Thee.

I want you more than gold or silver, only you can satisfy.  
You alone are the real joy giver, and the apple of my eye!

—CCLI #1762523

### 3D February Meal



The 3D program and meal on February 12th will have a Valentine theme. Menu: Lasagna, pear-apple salad, bread sticks, and red velvet cupcakes, made with L-O-V-E. Our program and entertainment will begin at 11:30 AM; lunch will follow at noon. Please call or email the church office (217-428-4336 or [central@cccdisciples.org](mailto:central@cccdisciples.org)) or write on

the pew pads to RSVP for this delightful meal and program.

### Help us Evangelize through Facebook!

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- “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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