

Elder's Meditation Elder Andy Fulk

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration Elder Mark Beal
(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 **Prayer** Engelbert Humperdinck
Brass Choir

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 ***O When the Saints*** Insert
Brass Choir

Postlude ***Festival Piece No. 1*** Dagfinn Moe
(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

Sunday, March 3, 2019

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
Transfiguration Sunday

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope

GATHERING

Prelude ***I Have Decided to Follow Jesus*** arr. Robert Howell
David Williams, organ

Introit

*The Processional ***We Call Ourselves Disciples (vs. 1, 2, 3, 4)*** No. 357

*Responsive Reading Paul Gorden

Leader: We are here because we have heard the call of Jesus on our lives.

People: We are here to challenge and support one another to rise up and follow.

Leader: We are here because we want to be God's people.

People: We want to learn what it means to be the people of God.

Leader: We come seeking to be moved, changed and made whole by the Spirit of the living God.

People: Let us open our hearts to the moving of the Spirit.

All: Let us prepare to leave this place as true disciples of Christ.

*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 David Martin

PRAYER

Prayer Hymn ***I Have Decided to Follow Jesus (vs. 1, 2, 3)*** No. 344

Pastoral Prayer Don Martin

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)

Offertory Invitation

Offertory ***Just a Closer Walk With Thee*** arr. Mark Hayes
Larry Wade

*Doxology No. 46

*Prayer of Dedication

PROCLAMATION

Anthem ***River In Judea*** ***arr. John Leavitt***
Chancel Choir

Scripture Reading ***Mark 1:16-20*** Michael E. Karunas
(pg. 35 N.T.)

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon ***Giving Up to Gain More***

RESPONSE

Invitation to Discipleship

*Hymn of Communion ***Lord, You Have Come to the Lakeshore*** No. 342
(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.)

IN SERVICE TODAY Sunday, March 3, 2019

CHURCH CALENDAR

Imboden Creek:

Liz Campbell, Judy Ford

Deacons:

- 8:00 - Team 1 - Gene & Sandy Garver, Gail Prince, Debbie Hoffert, Al & Chris Fagin, Dennis Downey, Pamela Bednar, David Wagner
 10:30 - Team 2 - Christine Lyman-Harm, Janet Lyman, Dale Ford, Jeannie Rade, Erik Harm, Kathy Kauzlarich, Ron Oliver, Steve Swarthout, Cindy Grabowski, Janelle Beedle, Tom & Diane Ritter, Paul Gorden, Roberta Gorden, Thomas Karunas, Linda Helton

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 - Gene & Sandy Garver
 10:30 - Suzie Miller

Acolytes:

- 10:30 - Peyton Swarthout, Amila Bradfield

P.A. Operator:

- 8:00 - Jim Bednar
 10:30 - Keith Backes

Preparation of Communion:

Christine Lyman-Harm, Larry & Michele Bafford, Janelle Beedle

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

Sunday, March 3, 2019

- 8:00-Traditional Worship Service
 9:00-Contemporary Worship, Great Hall
 9:00-Fellowship Coffee
 9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes
 9:15-Adult Sunday School Classes
 10:30-Worship Service
 4:00-FaithQuest, 240
 4:00-Youth Group

Monday (4)

- 8:15-PS: In House Registration, PSO
 9:00-PS: Fitness Week, Great Hall
 10:00-Mid-State Soccer, Great Hall
 5:30-Spanish Conversations Class, 240

Tuesday (5)

- 7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café
 8:15-PS: In House Registration, PSO
 9:00-PS: Fitness Week, Great Hall
 9:00-ChristCare Stitches, 207
 9:30-Card Ministry, 240
 10:30-Staff Meeting, Conference Room
 5:30-Intentional Worship Meeting, CR
 6:30-Heart & Soul, Choir Room & C. Café

Wednesday (6)

- 8:15-PS: In House Registration, PSO
 9:00-PS: Fitness Week, Great Hall
 10:15-Chapel, Friendship Center
 10:30-Minister's Meeting
 12:00-Ash Wednesday Service, Chapel
 6:30-Ash Wednesday Service, Sanctuary

Thursday (7)

- 8:15-PS: In House Registration, PSO
 9:00-PS: Fitness Week, Great Hall
 10:00-Al-Anon, 240
 4:00-Journeymen 2, Connection Café
 5:30-Spanish Conversations Class, 240
 6:00-Brass Choir, Disciples' Room
 6:30-Decatur Needle Arts, 207
 7:00-Chancel Choir

Friday (8)

- 8:15-PS: In House Registration, PSO
 9:00-PS: Fitness Week, Great Hall

Saturday (9)

- 6:00-Kiwanis Charity Event, G. Hall & Kit
 1:00-Birthday Party, Disciples' Room

Sunday (10)

MOVE CLOCK FORWARD 1 HOUR

- 8:00-Worship Service
 8:00-PS: Church Book Fair, FC
 9:00-Contemporary Worship, Great Hall
 9:00-Fellowship Coffee
 9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes
 9:15-Adult Sunday School Classes
 10:30-Worship Service
 3:00-Youth Group
 4:00-Faithquest, 240
 6:00-Just Flicks, FPC

Ash Wednesday Coming March 6

The beginning of Lent (the 40 days prior to Easter) begins on Ash Wednesday, which will be March 6 this year. To mark this day, we will be offering two (2) services; at 12:00 noon and at 6:00 p.m. Both services will serve communion and impose ashes on the forehead (or back of hand, if you prefer) for those who wish to receive them. The noon service should be less than 40 minutes and the evening service will last less than one hour. The primary difference is that there will be more music in the evening. For those who don't enjoy driving at night, we are offering the daytime service.

COOKIES FOR THE MILITARY

Operation Enduring Support is collecting Girl Scout Cookies to send to our Military in Iraq and Afghanistan. We will be sending 125 boxes for our Easter mailing along with about 30 other items they have requested. If you would like to donate, there is a red box in the Connection Café. We will need the cookies by March 15th. Thank you for your generosity.

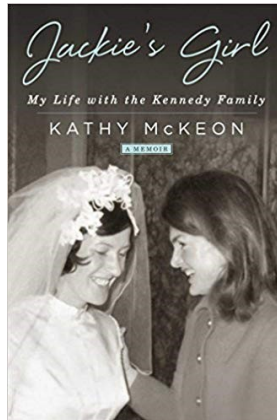
Food Collection

The food collection for March 3rd will be BEANS---canned or bagged dry beans. Also, cereal is always thankfully received.

Women's Book Club

Mon, Mar. 11 - 12:30 pm &
Tue. Mar. 12 - 5:30 pm
at Panera

This Month's Read: *Jackie's Girl* by **Kathy McKeon**. An endearing coming-of-age memoir by a young woman who spent thirteen years as Jackie Kennedy's personal assistant and occasional nanny—and the lessons about life and love she learned from the glamorous first lady.



Concert Announcement

JOHN SHERER — *Organ Concert*
Sunday, March 24, 4:00 p.m.

ABOUT TODAY'S MUSIC

Anthem ***River In Judea***
Words: Linda Marcus
Music: Jack Feldman
Arrangement: John Leavitt

Oftentimes I dream of music, of the river that freely flows.
And it sings a song sweeter than honey, one everybody knows.
Late at night I hear it singing then again when I wake at dawn.
And it fills me up with hope and goodwill, the will to go on, go on.

There is a river in Judea that I heard of long ago.
And it's a singing, ringing river that my soul cries out to know.

I believe it keeps on travelin' but it rests on the Sabbath day.
And the time when it pauses in stillness, I almost hear it pray.
When I'm weary and downhearted, how I long for the song it sings,
For the calm within its gentle blue, the peace that it brings, it brings.

May the time not be too distant when we meet by the river shore.
"Til then dream of that wonderful day as we sing once more, once more:

Recessional Hymn ***O When the Saints***

Oh when the saints go marching in
When the saints go marching in
Oh Lord I want to be in that number
When the saints go marching in

And when the sun refuse to shine
And when the sun refuse to shine
Oh Lord I want to be in that number
When the saints go marching in

Oh when the trumpet sounds the call
Oh when the trumpet sounds the call
Oh Lord I want to be in that number
When the saints go marching in
Repeat Verse 1

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