

Elder's Meditation
Words of Institution

Elder Charlotte Ballance

Prayer of Consecration

Elder Connie Bordner

(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 ***Variations on "I Love Your Church, O God"***
arr. David Lasky

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 ***All My Hope on God Is Founded (vs. 1 & 2)*** No. 88

Postlude ***Fanfare on "I Love Your Church, O God"*** arr. Douglas Wagner
(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, August 26, 2018

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

Fourteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope

GATHERING

Prelude ***Come, Thou Almighty King*** arr. Gerald Peterson
David Williams, organ

Introit

*The Processional ***Come, Thou Almighty King*** No. 27

*Responsive Reading Mike Kirby

Leader: O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness.

**People: Honor and majesty are rightfully God's;
Strength and joy are where God abides.**

Leader: For our sovereign God is a sun and shield who bestows favor and honor.

**People: No good thing does God withhold from
those who walk uprightly.**

**All: O come, let us worship and bow down.
Let us kneel before the Lord our maker.**

*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 ***All People That on Earth Do Dwell (vs. 1,2,3)*** No. 18

Pastoral Prayer Don Martin

Prayer Response ***All People That on Earth Do Dwell (vs. 4)*** No. 18
(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 ***Built on the Rock*** Ludwig Lindeman
Brass Choir

*Doxology No. 46

*Prayer of Dedication

PROCLAMATION

Anthem ***Come Build a Church*** Ken Medema
Chancel Choir; Mike Waltenberger, piano

Scripture Reading ***2 Samuel 7:1-17*** Michael E. Karunas
(pg. 281 O.T.)

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon ***Back to Basics #2—Come Together***

RESPONSE

Invitation to Discipleship

*Hymn of Communion ***I Love Your Church, O God (vs. 1, 2, 3, 4)*** No. 274

(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.)

Deacons:

- 8:00 - Team 3 - Sid & Krista Rohrscheib, Jane Davis, Charlotte Ballance, Bob Muschal, Pat Penhallegon, Bobby Munos, Brad Munos, Becky Johnston, Carolyn McCall
- 10:30 - Team 4 - Jeannie Backes, Matthew Swarthout, Jon French, David Martin, Zach Martin, Mark Beal, Doug Soebbing, Roger Rutherford, Ron & Gwen Miller, Seth Martin, Pam Ferguson, Brittney Munos, Luc Longcor, Pam Larrick, Shelby Baum, Dave Sheffer

Ushers:

- 8:00 - Team 5 - Mike Munos, Capt., Gerri Munos, Brad Munos, Brittney Munos, Bobby Munos
- 10:30 - Team 10 - David Martin, Capt., Matthew Swarthout, Gretchen Kirby

Greeters:

- 8:00 - Gene & Sandy Garver
- 10:30 - Dennis & Ronda Spencer

Acolytes:

- 10:30 - Peyton Swarthout, Jordyn Keck

P.A. Operator:

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

Preparation of Communion:

Bob & Carol Bischoff, Karen Baird, Nancy Hanover

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

Sunday, August 26, 2018

- 8:00-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
- 1:00-Youth Group Paint Party

Monday (27)

- 5:00-Veterans, Great Hall

Tuesday (28)

- 7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café
- 9:00-ChristCare Stitchers, 207
- 11:00-Security Meeting, Conference Room
- 1:30-Millikin Class, 240

Wednesday (29)

Thursday (30)

- 10:00-Al-Anon, 240
- 4:00-Journeymen 2, Connection Café
- 6:00-Brass Choir, Disciples' Room
- 7:00-Chancel Choir

Friday (31)

Saturday (September 1)

Sunday (2)

- 8:00-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

Flo Cahan is Turning 90

We are invited to send cards to Floie in celebration of her 90th birthday on September 11. Her daughters are asking that we send them to:

Flo Cahan
Woodland Hills #400
8700 Riley Drive
Little Rock, AR 72205

Blanket Sunday offering August 26



A blanket is an essential item in an emergency. After a disaster, it can keep you warm, provide shelter (as a temporary tent) and even become a satchel for carrying your belongings. Blankets also symbolize God's love as they cover us and protect us. Because of donations from congregations like ours, Church World Service was able to distribute more than 1,500 blankets to the victims of last fall's hurricanes. CWS seeks our help again for the annual Blanket Sunday offering, to be collected Aug. 19 and 26. Please consider giving generously.

A Call to Socialize

Our region, the Christian Church in Illinois and Wisconsin, is opening the lines of communication among all its congregations. Encouraging words from brothers and sisters in faith may be just what is needed on the journeys we make alongside one another. To this end, CCIW is inviting us all to participate in a "Call to Socialize."

To begin, any individual can follow these simple steps:

1. Visit www.cciwdisciples.org and sign up for the CCIW newsletter.
2. Join the forum discussion by visiting www.socialize.cciwdisciples.org.
3. Join Facebook and visit cciwdisciples and introduce yourself.

Check out the Welcome Center for more information. Help spread some light and uplift others in the CCIW.

About Today's Music

Offertory ***Built on the Rock*** Chalice Hymnal No. 273
Words: Nicolai F. S. Grundtvig, 1837
Music: Ludwig M. Lindeman, 1840

Anthem ***Come Build a Church***
Words and Music: Ken Medema

God of creation, Maker of all things, we gather in this place to pray.
We do invite come now among us. Come and build your church today.

Come build a church with soul and spirit, come build a church of flesh and bone.
We need no tower rising skyward; no house of wood, or glass, or stone.
Come build a church with human frailty. Come build a church of flesh and blood.
Jesus shall be its sure foundation. It shall be built by the hand of God.

Let us see the tongues of fire. Let us hear the great wind roar.
Let us know the awe and wonder that we've only glimpsed before.
Let us feel the strength of passion, which can make us laugh and weep.
Let us know this great awakening, for long we've been asleep.

Let us know the love unceasing, which alone can loose the bonds.
Reaching out across the chasms, bringing walls of hatred down.
Let us taste the sweet communion, where the circle never ends.
Hold us in the sweet connection, turning strangers into friends.

Guide our feet in peaceful pathways. Teach us peace of heart and mind;
Peace with God and all God's children; till we leave our wars behind.
Surely joy will come and find us like a breeze that cools the night;
Like the rain upon the desert; like a candle's gentle light.

Food Collection

The food collection for September 2nd is pork 'n beans or canned tomato products. As always, the shopping cart is located in the Connection Café. Thank you for your generous giving.

