

Elder's Meditation Mark Beal

Words of Institution Tina Miller

Prayer of Consecration Andy Fulk
(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 ***We Are Walking (2 times)*** No. 442

Postlude ***Dancing Toccata*** Christopher Steel
(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, September 29, 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

Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope

GATHERING

Prelude ***Pavane*** Peter Warlock
Dee Dee Gain, organist

Introit

Processional Hymn ***Sing Praise to God Who Reigns Above*** No. 6

*Responsive Reading Linda Virgil

Leader: When aimless violence takes those we love,

People: We know, O God, you are with us.

Leader: When ruthless acts take childhood's promise,

People: We know, O God, you do not leave us alone.

Leader: When our faith flickers and hope grows dim,

People: We know, O God, you will be with us come what may.

All: Your loving presence is always near.

Your loving presence is always the same.

*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 (10:30) David Martin

PRAYER

Prayer Hymn ***Restless Weaver (vs. 1 & 3)*** No. 658

Pastoral Prayer Michael E. Karunas

Prayer Response ***Restless Weaver (vs. 4)*** No. 658
(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 ***O Sacred Head*** arr. Joel Raney
Andy DeLeon, Thomas Karunas, Colin Bannon, Christian Jackson
David Williams, piano

*Doxology No. 46

*Prayer of Dedication

PROCLAMATION

Anthem ***O Healing River*** arr. Mark Hayes
Chancel Choir

Scripture Readings: ***Luke 13: 10-17*** (pg. 76 N.T.)

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

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon ***A Need To Be Seen***

RESPONSE

Invitation to Discipleship

*Hymn of Communion ***I Come with Joy (vs. 1, 2, & 3)*** No. 420
(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, September 29, 2019

Elders:

8:00 & 10:30 - Mark Beal & Andy Fulk
9:00—Andy Fulk

Deacons:

8:00 - Team 1 - Gene & Sandy Garver, Gail Prince, Debbie Hoffert, Al & Chris Fagin, Pamela Bednar, David Wagner
9:00— Matt Walwer
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 - Greg & Jo Carter
9:00— Fulk family
10:30 - Dennis & Ronda Spencer

Acolytes:

10:30 - Jane & Emmy Osman

P.A. Operator:

8:00 - Donna Dash
10:30—Larry Pepper

Preparation of Communion:

Jean & Judson Pease, Susan Bryant, Donna Dash

Liturgist:

8:00 & 10:30—Linda Virgil
9:00—Theresa Fulk

Hospitality:

9:00—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 (29)

Reconciliation Ministry offering received

Freedom Sunday

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-Traditional Worship Service
12:00-Praise Team Rehearsal, Great Hall
NO Youth Group

Monday (30)

5:00-Veterans, Disciples Room
5:30-Bowling, Spare Time Lanes
5:30-Spanish Conversations Class, 240
6:00-Financial Peace University, Great Hall/Disciples Room

Tuesday (1)

7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café
9:00-Christcare Stitchers, 207
9:30-Card Ministry, 240
10:30-Staff Meeting, Conference Room
11:30-Kiwanis Meeting, Great Hall
1:00-MU Class, 240
5:30-Nominating Committee, Conference Room
6:00-Women's Group, Great Hall
6:30-Heart & Soul Choir, Choir Room/Connection Cafe

Wednesday (2)

10:15-Chapel, Friendship Center
10:30-Ministers' Meeting
6:30-Book Study, 240

Thursday (3)

10:00-Al-Anon, 240
4:00-Journeymen 2, Connection Café
6:00-Brass Choir, Disciples Room
6:30-Decatur Needle Arts, 207
7:00-Chancel Choir

Friday (4)

Saturday (5)

Morning-Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast

Sunday (6)

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-Traditional Worship Service
12:00-Praise Team Rehearsal, Great Hall
4:00-Youth Group



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

Caramel Apples & Popcorn for Sale!



CCC Preschool will be taking orders for THE famous Del's caramel apples and popcorn between all services TODAY in the Friendship Center. Pickups will be next Sunday, October 6th, same place. These treats are wonderful and are being sold in conjunction with the "Apple Unit" lessons being taught at this time in our Preschool. "An apple a day..." You know the rest.

Today is Freedom Sunday

Every year on the last Sunday of September, Freedom Sunday is observed by many churches around the globe. This is a day when awareness is brought to the practice of human trafficking. Human trafficking can take many forms – from indentured servitude (not just a practice of the distant past) to sex trafficking. It is present in countries across the globe and even in our own county. Today, we will be providing information about human trafficking on handouts and other printed information in the Welcome Center. We will also be bringing awareness to this issue and praying for God's spirit of liberation during worship.



Embodying the Call - Reconciliation Offering This Sunday

We are the body of Christ and all of us are members of this one body. As a church body, we have been on this journey that is pro-reconciling and anti-racist for 20 years. This journey is difficult. God is in all and through all in spite of our differences. When we stand with those who desire to provide for their families in an environment that is safe and full of opportunity, we embody Christ's love for our neighbor. **Reconciliation Ministry** is your mission of embodiment to love one another as Christ loves us. Your generosity fuels our granting programs, youth and young adult leadership development, and Regional and General Ministry outreach toward building beloved community through advocacy, intentional conversation, and action. Thank you for your generosity!

Ordination Gifts for Tina Miller

An exciting event will occur at Central Christian Church on Sunday, Nov. 3rd, 2019. Our own Tina Miller is being ordained as a Minister in the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), and her service of ordination is being held here. One of the traditions of the ordination service is that the sponsoring congregation (Central Christian Church) presents the candidate with gifts that represent the signs of the office of minister. These will include a robe, stole, Bible or meaningful book, and communion symbols (chalice and bread plate). We want to give everyone the chance to contribute to these gifts, for we know that many in the church have been blessed personally by Tina's ministry here. If you would like to make a donation to help with the purchase of these gifts, simply mark on your check (or envelope) "Tina's Ordination Gifts." If you have questions or would like to speak with Michael more about this, you may contact him at (mkarunas@cccdisciples.org).

ABOUT TODAY'S MUSIC

Offertory *O Sacred Head Now Wounded*

Words: Bernard of Clairvaux (12th century)

Music: Hans Leo Hassler PASSION CHORALE

Arrangement: Joel Raney

O Sacred head, now wounded, with grief and shame weighed down.
Now scornfully surrounded with thorns thy only crown.
O Sacred Head, what glory! What bliss til now was thine;
Yet though despised and gory, I joy to call thee mine!
What language shall I borrow to thank thee dearest friend,
For this thy dying sorrow, thy pity without end?
O make me thine forever, and should I fainting be,
Lord, let me never, never, outlive my love to thee.

Anthem *O Healing River*

Words: Fran Minkoff

Music: Fred Hellerman

Arrangement: Mark Hayes

O healing river send down your waters upon this land and wash the blood from off the sand.

This land is parching. No seed is growing in the barren ground. This land is thirsting. O healing river send your water down.

Let the seed of freedom awake and flourish. Let the deep roots nourish. Let the tall stalks rise, proud leaves uncurling against the skies.

—CCLI #1762523

Food Collection

We are collecting cereal on Sunday, October 6th, for the food pantry.



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!)

