

First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ)
1001 Chester Road, Lansing 48912, (517) 482-6063
February 3, 2019 -- 10:30 am

Welcome

Opening Hymns*

“All People That on Earth Do Dwell”
Blue Hymnal #18
“If You Will Trust in God to Guide You”
Blue Hymnal #565

Call to Worship

Jeremiah 24:5-7 (OT p. 685)

Children’s Moment

Stewardship Moment & Offering

Deacons

(Please put your written prayer concerns in the offering plate.)

Scripture Reader

Isaiah 55:6-8 & 57:18 (OT pp. 647 & 649)
Matt Simon

Message

“Recommitment”
Rev. Dr. Rick Boyd

Invitation Hymn*

“When Love Is Found”
Blue Hymnal #499

(If you want to join the church, accept Jesus as your Savior or reaffirm your faith, you may come forward during this hymn. Anyone with serious pressing prayer concerns may also come forward at this time to talk to the Pastor so that these can be incorporated into Prayer Time.)

Prayer Time

Communion Hymn

“O Love That Wilt Not Let Me Go”
Blue Hymnal #540

Communion

Benediction

Closing Hymn*

“Praise, My Soul, the God of Heaven”
Blue Hymnal #23

(If there is something on your heart today, please come forward to the communion table after the final hymn to pray with the Elders.)

*** Please stand if you are able.**

(If you want to honor someone's birthday, anniversary, or milestone, you can sign up to tell your news during Coffee Fellowship, & we'll let everybody know that at the end of the service.)

Elders:

Mary Walrath & Paul Ewing

Pianist:

Kait Wilson

This Week at FCC:

- 02/03** Sun. Worship Service 10:30 am -- Coffee Fellowship
Blood Pressure Sunday
- 02/04** Mon. Interracial Event in the Parlor 12-2 pm
- 02/05** Tues.
- 02/06** Wed. Wednesday Workers 8-11 am – All are welcome!
- 02/07** Thurs. Kids Club 6:30-8 pm
LaLeche League 6:30-9:30 pm
Praise Band Rehearsal 6:30-7:30 pm
Choir Rehearsal 7:30-8:30 pm
- 02/08** Fri.
- 02/09** Sat. Yoga 9-10 am – Elders Meeting 9-11 am
- 02/10** Sun. Worship Service 10:30 am – Coffee Fellowship
Rev. Peter Morgan preaches -- Friends for Lunch
Missions & Membership Meeting 12 pm

Prayer Requests:

For those facing challenges: Katie, Samantha & Mervyn Shepherd; Chris Strayer; the people of South Sudan & Syria; Carrie & Nate Chance & Zephan & Miranda; Ken Sparks; Pat Lipsey; Jennifer Brown's father, Doug Roberts; Alize Charles; Linda Dunn; Carolyn Haun; Dawn Epstein; Jill Dimmitt.

From Karen & Rick: Continued prayers please for Emma as she begins to find her way to come to terms with her visual disability. Some struggles continue as she works to find a new role at her job.

From Tom & Rose Snitgen: For Rose's dad who is in the hospital.

From Marcie Olson: Healing after intensive surgery with a diagnosis of cancer.

Prayers for the family of John Stanbarger.

From the Nash Family: For Lester after the funeral of his brother & the hospitalization of his sister. For Tamara after the loss of her cousin. Also prayers for Jazzy.

From Donald & Yvonne: Lord, we thank you for the end of the government shut down.

Urgent Prayer Concern: Please lift your prayers to God for our twins that they will do that which is right in the sight of God.

From Akhlas Kago: I want to say thank you to the church for all you have done for my family & for my new job. Thanks Pastor Rick.

From Carolyn Charles: My 6th great grandson arrived last Sunday. Also, Levi McEaddy is hospitalized.

For the Pastor & congregation of First Christian Church, Battle Creek, after an embezzlement & murder in the congregation.

Lord God, before you formed me in my mother's womb, you knew me!
Put your words not only into my mouth but into my heart forever.
Amen.

The psalmist declared to God, "*For what you have done I will always praise you in the presence of your faithful people*" (Psalm 52:9, NIV).
We, too, gather to praise the Lord. Welcome!

Our Mission Statement

The mission of First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Lansing, Michigan is to recognize and affirm all people as children of God. In serving Jesus Christ as our Savior, we will proclaim, teach, and witness to the loving Grace of God.

For the good news of reconciliation is available to all people: redemption and rebirth, both personal and social.

We welcome all people to the Communion Table.

Our church is open to all and affirms all.

We invite all to join with us to experience the love of Jesus Christ.