

Welcome to First Christian Church!

THE PRELUDE Mrs. Cheryl Eberhart,
Organist

Mrs. Leah Reynard, Pianist
Mr. Alex Davidson, Guitarist/Worship

Leader

CALL TO WORSHIP **"Come, Now Is the Time to Worship"** (words on screen)

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS Pastor Ed Eberhart

*OPENING SONG **"All Hail the Power!"** (worship video)

*OPENING PRAYER
Followed by the Lord's Prayer and the Gloria Patri (words on screen)

CHILDREN'S MESSAGE Associate Minister Alex Davidson
Followed by the dismissal of youth ages 5-12 to the adjacent New Life Center for Children's Church and Junior Church services. Nursery care is also available.

COMMUNION MEDITATION

COMMUNION SONG **"I Have Decided to Follow Jesus"** #397 (All three verses)

THE LORD'S SUPPER
This is a time of remembering Jesus' sacrificial death on the Cross for each one of us. As the bread and cup are passed through the pews, take the element and hold it in your hand until the Elders direct us to share together. All followers of Jesus Christ are welcome to partake.

COLLECTION OF TITHES AND OFFERINGS
If you are a visitor today, please do not feel obligated to give. Instead, we hope that we can offer something of value to you this morning. Thank you for being our guest!

*DOXOLOGY AND PRAYER OF DEDICATION

SCRIPTURE LESSON & MESSAGE Pastor Ed Eberhart

THE INVITATION & OPPORTUNITY TO RESPOND
If you desire to accept Jesus Christ as your personal Lord and Savior, to recommit your life to Him, to transfer membership to this local congregation of the Christian Church, or to receive the counsel or prayers of the church, please come forward and stand with the Minister during the closing song.

*CLOSING SONG **"When We All Get to Heaven"** #498 (First and last verses only)

*CLOSING PRAYER & BLESSING

*POSTLUDE **"Blest Be the Tie That Binds"** #187 (First verse only)

*****CONGREGATION STANDING, IF ABLE*****

Announcements

***THE CHURCH BOARD WILL MEET IN THE NLC** following this morning's worship service. The purpose of the meeting is to elect board officers (chairman, vice-chairman, treasurer, and secretary) for this year and to approve the 2020 church budget.

***OUR "SWEETHEART DINNER"** for **ALL THE LADIES of the church** will be held in the NLC on **Saturday, February 8, at 6:00pm**. Sign-up sheets are available on both entry tables; **PLEASE SIGN UP TODAY, LADIES!**

***"The ROCK"** (our new church gym) is now open for walking each Monday and Friday from 10:00am-11:00am, and on Wednesdays from 11:00am-Noon. **Also, Jill Crosier is leading an adult exercise class at "The ROCK" on Thursday evenings at 6:00pm.**

***JOIN US THIS WEDNESDAY for "Family Night @ the Church!"** Dinner (spaghetti, tossed salad, and garlic bread) will be served at 6:30pm, followed by Worship, Prayer, and Bible Study (Romans 2-3) at 7:00pm.

***THE ELKHORN VALLEY OVERNIGHTER** for youth in grades 4-12 is **this Friday, January 31, from 9:00pm until 6:00am on Saturday, February 1.** Our group will be meeting at the church at 7:30pm to depart. It will be held at the Millsop Center in Weirton, WV. See Alex for more information.

***YOUR HELP IS NEEDED WITH CHURCH MINISTRIES IN 2020!** Sign-up sheets are on the information table in the back of the sanctuary for Nursery, Coffee Hour, Pulpit Flowers, and "5 Loaves Food Ministry" ministry volunteers!

TODAY @ FCC...

***Church Board Meeting**, immediately following this morning's worship service

***"ROOTS" Youth Group** (grades 3-6) will meet, 2:00pm

***"SOLD-OUT" Youth Group** (grades 7-12) will meet, 4:00pm

THIS WEEK @ FCC...

Monday, January 27 -**Bible Discussion Group** will meet, 11:00am

Wednesday, January 29 -**"Family Night @ the Church!"**

-Choir Practice, 6:00pm

-Dinner (spaghetti, tossed salad, and garlic bread) will be served in the NLC, 6:30pm

-Worship, Prayer, Bible Study (Romans), and youth programming for all ages, 7:00-8:15pm

Friday-Saturday, January 31-February 1 -**"Elkhorn Valley Overnighter"** for grades 4-12 at the Millsop Center in Weirton, 9:00pm (Friday) - 6:00am (Saturday)

UPCOMING EVENTS @ FCC...

Next Sunday, February 2- "Sunday Night Praise" (contemporary worship service), 6:00pm

Saturday, February 8 – "Sweetheart Dinner", 6:00pm in the NLC

Sunday, January 26, 2020

***WELCOME TO FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH!** We're glad you're here! If you are visiting with us today, we hope you feel welcomed and walk away blessed! **All visitors are invited to take home a blue "WELCOME BAG" located in the Entry & Welcome area.**

Serving the Lord in our worship this morning

- *Welcome Greeters: Vallas Carpenter / Troy and Amy Caldwell
- *Elders: Mike Lucas and Ray Ryman (Calling Elder: Ed Eberhart)
- *Deacons: Paul Baker, Earl Gossett, John Gustina, Jeff Porter, and J.T. Porter
- *Deaconesses for January: Debbie Lucas and Debbie Maxwell
- *Junior Church Leader: Alex Davidson
- *Children's Church Teacher: Holly Davidson
- *Head Nursery Volunteer: Amy Porter
- *Sound/Video Technician: Kylie Ramsay

"Spiritual Statistics" for the Week of January 19, 2020

Sunday School Attendance: 39 Sunday Morning Worship Attendance: 155

"Family Night @ the Church" Attendance (Wednesday): 67

General Offering: \$5,124.00 Current Debt on "The ROCK" Gym: \$181,972.80

Our Prayer List

Dorothy Whitsell, Harriet Carvin, Tom Eberhart-nursing home; Easton Stephen-continued lung development; Martha Dietrich-cancer; Clayton Temple-cancer; Lucas Robb-sarcoidosis; Melissa Crum-chronic pain; Don Wilson-cancer; Helen Boswell-cancer; Kevin Wehr-cancer; Autumn Wehr-brain tumor; Emma Giffin-cancer; Bob Ashway-kidneys; Becky Bernardo-cancer; Victoria Hayes-mental health; Lois Naegle-cancer; Beth McGee-liver; Vicky Dixon-cancer; Don Eberhart-prostate; Paula Harrington-heart; Don Stephens-cancer; Bonnie Williams-cancer; Chris Paluck-cancer; Clinton DeWitt-kidney; Rita Donahue-heart; Cassie Pettit-brain surgery; Melissa Clegg-cancer; John Piersol-strength; John Hickenbottom-back pain; Frankie Carnes-back; Louise Craft-cancer; Lori Grabits-cancer; Pat Hayes; Matt Miller-MS; Shane Wees-brain; Terry Toohey-stroke recovery; Phyllis McKay-health issues; Fred Myers-liver disease; Ben Price-cancer; Dave Kemp-neck/back; Janet Lemunyon-health issues; Tom Wheeler; Hubert Chappell-prostate; Charlie Robb-throat; Cade Hannahs-spinal injury; Bill Dunfee-hip/back; Carol Baker-shoulder; George Porter-leukemia; Sherri-blood poisoning; Darrell Goff-cancer; Melvin Byler-youth with leukemia; Bob Pierce-pneumonia, sepsis

About First Christian Church of Barnesville

Organized in 1842, the First Christian Church of Barnesville, Ohio, is part of the American Restoration Movement of the early 19th century. As an independent, non-denominational, and self-governing congregation, the church is part of the growing brotherhood of independent Christian Churches. Our authority (in both doctrine and practice) is the Holy Bible, which we believe to be God's infallible message for all humankind. In the pattern of the New Testament Church, the Lord's Supper is a central part of each Sunday's worship service with all Christians being welcome to participate. New members are recognized upon their confession of faith in Jesus Christ as personal Lord and Savior and a believer's baptism

by immersion in water. For more information, contact the church office at 740-425-2480. You can also find more information by visiting us online at www.fccbarnesville.org. The Church Office (located in lower level of the New Life Center) is open weekday mornings from 9:00am until Noon (and by appointment).

We welcome YOU to... **First Christian Church**



The Lord's Day ***Sunday, January 26, 2020***

Adult Bible Classes & Youth Sunday School – 9:15 AM

Morning Worship Service – 10:30 AM

"SOLD-OUT" Youth Group (grades 7-12) – 4:00 PM

"ROOTS" Youth Group (grades 3-6) – 2:00 PM (2nd & 4th Sundays)

Bible Discussion Group – Mondays @ 11:00 AM

"Family Night @ the Church"/ Bible Study – Wednesdays @ 6:30 PM

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