

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 ***“Are You Washed in the Blood?”*** (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 ***“O, How I Love Jesus”*** #483 (Verses 1, 2, & 4)

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

CHORAL ANTHEM ***“That I Might Magnify”***

SCRIPTURE LESSON & MESSAGE ***“Know Your Enemy”*** (Part 2 of 3)
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, or to receive the counsel or prayers of the
church, please come forward and stand with the Minister during the closing song.*

*CLOSING SONG ***“Standing on the Promises”*** #175 (First and last verses only)

*CLOSING PRAYER & BLESSING

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

Announcements

WE ARE CONSIDERING A MISSION TRIP TO SOUTH DAKOTA** for this summer! If you are interested in learning more about this opportunity to serve among the Native Americans on the Pine Ridge Reservation, ***please join us for a short informational meeting in the Teen Youth Room following this morning’s worship service.

***JOIN US WEDNESDAY for “Family Night @ the Church!”** as we continue our study in the book of Romans. Pizza will be served at 6:30pm, followed by Worship, Prayer, and Bible Study (Romans 5) at 7:00pm.

THE “XTREME RETREAT** at Elkhorn Valley Christian Camp is coming up on ***Friday and Saturday, March 6-7 for youth in grades 6-12. The cost is \$48. ***If you are interested, see Alex Davidson for more information!***

“The ROCK”** (our new church gym at 440 Watt Avenue) is open for walking each Monday and Friday from 10:00am-11:00am, and on Wednesdays from 11:00am-Noon. ***We also have “Open Gym” basketball for adults on Tuesdays from 6:00-8:00pm, and Jill Crosier is leading an adult exercise class on Thursday evenings at 6:00pm.

***“5 LOAVES FOOD MINISTRY”** is collecting canned fruit (or any other non-perishable food items) during the month of February.

THE NEXT “Sunday Night Praise”** worship service will be held on ***Sunday, March 1, at 6:00pm. Please join us for this inspirational time of contemporary worship!

TODAY @ FCC...

***Mission Trip Meeting** in the Teen Youth Room, immediately following our worship service

***“SOLD-OUT” Youth Group** (grades 7-12) will meet at “The ROCK,” 4:00pm

THIS WEEK @ FCC...

Monday, February 17- Due to President’s Day, we will NOT have Bible Discussion Group (The church office will also be closed this Monday.)

Wednesday, February 19- ***“Family Night @ the Church!”***

-Choir Practice, 6:00pm

-Pizza will be served in the NLC, 6:30pm

-Worship, Prayer, Bible Study (Romans 5), and youth programming, 7:00-8:15pm

UPCOMING EVENTS @ FCC...

Sunday, March 1 – ***Spaghetti & Salad fundraising luncheon*** to support our short-term missions ministry

Sunday, March 8- ***Quarterly Business Meeting of the Church Board***, 6:00pm

Sunday, March 22 – ***C.W.F. Luncheon & Auction***, following morning worship service

Sunday, February 16, 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 / Paul and Carol Baker
*Elders: Don Eberhart and J.B. Holliday (Calling Elder: J.B. Holliday)
*Deacons: Earl Gossett, Jeff Porter, Paul Stewart, Robert Stitzer, and J.T. Porter
*Deaconesses for February: Patty Bahmer and Theresa Jefferis
*Junior Church Leader: Alex Davidson
*Children's Church Teacher: Penny Kurtz
*Pre-School Church Volunteer: Lori Lucas
*Head Nursery Volunteer: Vanessa Baker
*Sound/Video Technician: Colin Gustina

"Spiritual Statistics" for the Week of February 9, 2020

Sunday School Attendance: 34 Sunday Morning Worship Attendance: 163
Bible Discussion Group (Monday): 10 "Family Night @ the Church" (Wednesday): 49
General Offering: \$4,078.00 Current Debt on "The ROCK" Gym: \$176,568.29

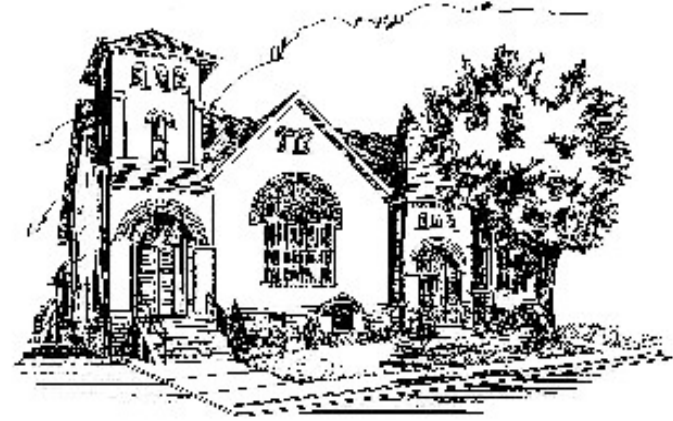
Our Prayer List

Dorothy Whitsell, Harriet Carvin, Tom Eberhart-nursing home; Easton Stephen-continued lung development; Martha Dietrich-cancer; Lucas Robb-sarcoidosis; Melissa Crum-chronic pain; Don Wilson-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; Melissa Clegg-cancer; John Piersol-strength; John Hickenbottom-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; Janet Lemunyon-health issues; Tom Wheeler; Charlie Robb-throat; Cade Hannahs-spinal injury; Bill Dunfee-hip/back; Carol Baker-shoulder; Clayton Temple-cancer; Darrell Goff-cancer; Melvin Byler-youth with leukemia; Scarlet-1 year old with cancer; Cassie Wells-cancer; John Gustina-recovery back surgery; Alan Amos-knee surgery; Hubert Chappell-prostate/blood clots/pneumonia; Greg Wehr-shoulder surgery; Stacy Ackerman-ankle surgery; Monte Harris-leukemia, heart; Ayden Hannahs-torn ligament in ankle; John Strobe-rheumatoid arthritis/nodules on lung

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, February 16, 2020

Adult Bible Classes & Youth Sunday School – 9:15 AM
Morning Worship Service – 10:30 AM
"ROOTS" Youth Group (grades 3-6) – 2:00 PM (2nd & 4th Sundays)
"SOLD-OUT" Youth Group (grades 7-12) – 4:00 PM
Bible Discussion Group – Mondays @ 11:00 AM
"Family Night @ the Church"/ Bible Study – Wednesdays @ 6:30 PM

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