

Welcome to First Christian Church!

THE PRELUDE

*Mrs. Cheryl Eberhart, Organist  
Mrs. Leah Reynard, Piano/Keyboard  
Mr. Alex Davidson, Guitarist/Worship Minister*

WELCOME & ANNOUNCEMENTS

*Pastor Ed Eberhart*

\*OPENING SONGS           9am: *“Battle Hymn of the Republic” #530 (verses 1, 2, & 4)*  
  11am: *“Gospel Medley” (words on screen)*

\*OPENING PRAYER

*Followed by the Lord’s Prayer (using “sins”) and the Gloria Patri (words on screen)*

PRAYER REQUESTS & PASTORAL PRAYER   *\*9am service only\**

CHILDREN’S MESSAGE   *\*11am service only\*                      Alex Davidson, Associate Minister*  
*Followed by the dismissal of youth to adjacent New Life Center for Pre-School Church, Children’s Church, and Junior Church services. Nursery care is also available.*

COMMUNION MEDITATION

*Pastor Ed Eberhart*

COMMUNION SONG   9am & 11am: *“This Is My Father’s World” #39 (All three verses)*

THE LORD’S SUPPER

*This is a time of remembering Jesus’ sacrificial death on the Cross for each one of us. Please get a pre-packaged communion set from one of the greeters prior to the beginning of our worship service. All followers of Jesus Christ are welcome to share in the Lord’s Supper.*

SPECIAL MUSIC

*“Where Were You” Alex Davidson*

SCRIPTURE LESSON & MESSAGE

*Matthew 6:9-15 (Pew Bibles, p. 684)  
“The Lord’s Prayer” by Pastor Ed Eberhart*

THE INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

*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 Pastor during the closing song.*

\*CLOSING SONG   9am: *“Jesus Saves!” #231 (first and last verses)*  
  11am: *“We Believe” (words on screen)*

\*CLOSING PRAYER & BLESSING

\*POSTLUDE                   9am & 11am: *“Blest Be the Tie That Binds” #187 (first verse only)*

\*\*\*\*\*CONGREGATION STANDING\*\*\*\*\*

Church Announcements

\*WE PRAISE GOD for the decisions of *Alan Amos* and *Tommie Lindell* last Sunday to recommit their lives to Jesus!

\*OUR YOUTH FISHING DAY (for both “ROOTS” and “SOLD-OUT” youth groups) is today from 3:00 until 5:00pm at the farm property of Greg and Gina Wehr east of town. Meet at the “The ROCK” at 2:45pm.

\*THE QUARTERLY BUSINESS MEETING of the Church Board will be held tonight @ 6PM. All board members are asked to make every effort to attend!

\*“FAMILY NIGHT @ THE CHURCH!” resumes this Wednesday. Join us in the New Life Center for pizza at 6:30pm, followed by *Worship, Prayer, and Bible Study* at 7:00pm!

\*PLEASE SIGN UP TO HELP PARK CARS FOR THE PUMPKIN FESTIVAL (September 23-26)! All donations from the parking lot fundraiser will go to our Building Fund **to help pay off our debt on “The ROCK!”** If you have any questions, please see John Gustina.

Today @ FCC

\*Youth Fishing Day, 3:00-5:00pm

\*Quarterly Business Meeting of the Church Board, 6:00pm

THIS WEEK @ FCC...

Monday, September 13- *Bible Discussion Group* will meet in the Great Room, 11:00am

Monday/Wednesday/Friday (September 13, 15 & 17- *Open Walking for Church and Community @ “The ROCK,”* 10:00-11:00am

Tuesday, September 14- *Christian Women’s Fellowship* will meet in the NLC, 7:00pm

Wednesday, September 15- *“Family Night @ the Church!”*

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

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

Wednesday, September 15- *“SOLD-OUT” Youth Group* (for grades 7-12) meets at “The ROCK,” 6:00-8:00pm

Saturday, September 18- *“5 Loaves Food Ministry” Food Giveaway and Free Community Luncheon,* 11:00am-12:00pm

UPCOMING @ FCC...

Wednesday, September 22 – *“See You at the Pole”* at Barnesville High School, 7:30am

Sunday, October 10- *“Keen-Ager” Sunday* (dinner for the honorees and invited guests)

**Sunday, September 12, 2021**

**\*WELCOME TO FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH!** If you are new to FCC, please take a red gift bag located in the Welcome Center. We would love to see you again next Sunday!

**\*REGISTER ALL NURSERY, PRE-SCHOOL, CHILDREN'S CHURCH, & JUNIOR CHURCH** youth at the registration table in the New Life Center prior to today's service.

**\*TITHES AND OFFERINGS** can be placed in one of the wooden boxes near the exits, given online through Pay Pal, or mailed to the church office (219 W. Church St., Barnesville).  
*Thank you for partnering with us in ministry!*

**Serving the Lord in our worship this morning:**

\*Greeters: John and Rita Hanes (9am); Dean and Dawn George (11am)

\*Communion Prayer: Ray Ryman (9am); J.B. Holliday (11am)

\*Children's Church Leader: Rachel Pyle (11am only)

\*Junior Church Leader: Alex Davidson (11am only)

\*Pre-School Church Volunteer: Vickie Rome (11am only)

\*Head Nursery Volunteer: Hanna Travis and Amanda Hagan (11am only)

\*Sound/Video Technicians: Alex Davidson (9am); David Stewart (11am)

**"Spiritual Statistics" for the Week of September 5, 2021**

Sunday School/Bible Class Attendance: **51**

Sunday Worship Attendance: **179** (55 @ 9am; 124 @ 11am)

"SOLD-OUT" Youth Group Attendance (youth and adult total: **19**)

"Weekly Offering: **\$6,913.76**

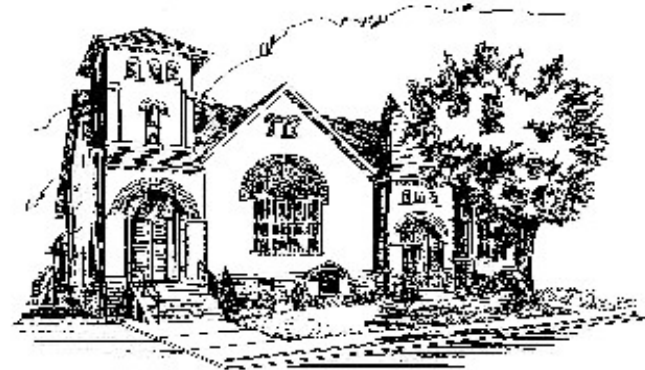
**Our Church Prayer List**

Ila Jewell-physical/emotional healing; Charlie Robb-ALS; Bob & Jeanne Harris; Amy Porter; Susie Atkinson-back; Gary Nichols-cancer; Denise Christman-cancer; Alice Hall-heart; Rick Carpenter-transplant recovery; Judy Wilt; Mary Ann Chambers-heart; Frankie Lee Carnes-compression fracture; Kenny Betts-cancer; Joe Atkinson-neuropathy, bladder; Jim McMahon-melanoma; Carol Decker-broken arm; Janet Lemunyon; Hubert Chappell-weakness; Breck Arnold-newborn, heart issues; Jack Gray-health issues; Sally Francis-cancer; Nick Michel-National Guard; Andy Woods-hydrocephalus; Tom Morrison-leukemia; Guy McCort; Michael Wilkinson-Lyme disease; Ute Neitzelt-broken arm; Charlie Russell-COVID lung, critical

**About First Christian Church of Barnesville**

Organized in 1842, the First Christian Church of Barnesville is rooted in 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 doctrine and practice) is the Holy Bible, which we believe to be God's infallible message for all humankind. In the pattern of the early church, the Lord's Supper is a central part of each Sunday's worship service with all Christians welcome to participate. New members are recognized upon a confession of faith in Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Savior and baptism by immersion. For more information about our church, you can visit us online at [www.fccbarnesville.org](http://www.fccbarnesville.org). The Church Office (located in lower level of the New Life Center behind the church building) is open weekday mornings from 9:00am until Noon (and by appointment).

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



**"The Lord's Day"**  
**Sunday, September 12, 2021**

*Morning Worship Service – 9:00 AM & 11:00 AM*  
*Adult Bible Classes & Youth Sunday School – 10:15 AM*  
*Bible Discussion Group – Mondays @ 11:00 AM*  
*Mid-Week Bible Study – Wednesdays @ 6:30 PM*  
*"SOLD-OUT" Youth Group (grades 7-12) – Wednesdays @ 6:00 PM*  
*"ROOTS" Youth Group (grades 3-6) – 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month @ 2:00 PM*

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