

First Christian Church Disciples of Christ

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Rev. Dr. Dedrick J. Minor Senior Minister

> June 26, 2022 Installation Sunday

Welcome to this house of worship for all people!

Please check in at fccbrla.org/sunday or on our Facebook page, then silence your cell phone.

Prelude "Let the Church Say Amen" Chancel Choir

Video - These People. This Place. Screen

WELCOMING GOD'S PRESENCE

Words of Welcome & Announcements Pam Jones

* Call to Worship Tracy Shaffer

One: How great is our God!

All: We give thanks for God who works wonders.

One: The Holy One redeems and leads God's people.

All: So we've come to remember God's works of old, and rejoice in all that is

yet to come.

One: Let us offer our praise to the One who guides us.

All: We'll lift our voices to give God praise!

* Hymn of Praise Blessed Assurance #543, vv. 1, 3

GOD SPEAKS TO US

*Invocation and Lord's Prayer

Tracy Shaffer

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. 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 Glory Be to the Father #36

Scripture Reading Mark 10:13-16 Anderson Krupala

Children's Moment Pam Comeaux

HEARING GOD'S WORD

Musical Offering Spirit's Comin' Chancel Choir w/Rhythm Section

Scripture Reading Ephesians 4:1-13 Dr. Carol Madere

Scripture Reading 2 Corinthians 4:1-7 Rev. Dr. Nadine Burton

Sermon We Have This Ministry Rev. Dr. Nadine Burton

Celebration of Covenant of Call Rev. Dr. Nadine Burton

COMMUNITY PRAYER AND GATHERING AT THE TABLE

Prayer Hymn It Is Well with My Soul #561, v. 1

Pastoral Prayers Rev. Dr. Dedrick Minor

Communion Hymn Let Us Break Bread Together #425, v. 1

Invitation to the Table Rev. Dr. Dedrick Minor

Communion Prayer Dr. Carol Madere

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Words of Institution Rev. Dr. Dedrick Minor

Invitation to Share Offerings Rev. Dr. Dedrick Minor

*Doxology Praise God from Whom All Blessings Flow #46

Aaron Turnipseed

*Dedication Prayer for our Offerings Rev. Dr. Dedrick Minor

COMMISSIONING TO GOD'S WORK

Offertory

*Hymn of Invitation The Old Rugged Cross #548, v. 1, 3

Presentation Dr. Carol Madere

*Benediction Rev. Dr. Dedrick Minor

*Congregational Refrain Peace Be Upon You #441

*Postlude Aaron Turnipseed

The Latest at First Christian Church:

- Rev. Dr. Dedrick Minor's Office Hours: Rev. Minor will be in the church office on Wednesdays, 4:00 pm to 7:00 pm, and on Saturdays, 10:30 am to 1:00 pm. Rev. Dedrick is also available at other times. Please contact him to make an appointment. He can be reached via email at dedrick@fccbrla.org.
- July Outreach: The Outreach Committee has identified 3 volunteer opportunities in support of Capital Area "Court Appointed Special Advocates" (i.e., CASA). These opportunities are administrative and fundraising-event-related, and you have flexibility in scheduling your work. Judy Lester will be in the narthex after service today and also at the Fellowship Luncheon if you would like more information or to sign up.
- Southeast Ministries: Our July emphasis will be peanut butter and jelly. All brands of peanut butter, with the exception of JIF, can be donated.
- Fellowship Luncheon: Please join us in the Fellowship Hall after service for our annual BBQ luncheon.

To our Visitors — Welcome to First Christian Church. To help your experience with us be as wonderful as possible, please allow us to share a few things with you.

- **Communion** The Disciples of Christ welcome all to the Lord's Table as God has welcomed us. You do not need to be a member to receive communion. If you desire to take communion, please collect a pre-packaged communion kit from one of the tables in the narthex and hold it with you until we partake, together, during the service.
- Offerings Your offering for the mission and work of the church can be placed in the offering plates as they are passed by the deacons during the worship service. To donate online, please visit our website at fccbrla.org/giving. or via PayPal at paypal.me/fccbrla or text 73256 (e.g. "fccbrla \$15").
- **Joining the Church** If you have not been baptized or made an adult profession of faith, please speak with the pastor. If you are already a baptized member of another church, please contact the church office about initiating a letter of transfer.
- **Children** We have children's books, coloring sheets tied to the theme of the day, crayons, and colored pencils in the bookshelf on the east side of the foyer. **Our staffed nursery is open during this service to care for children from six-weeks through four years of age.** Or, if your youngster just needs a few minutes to re-group, the library is open and the livestream is available on the monitor.
- **Check-in** Whether a first-time visitor, or returning member, please check in by aiming your smart phone at the QR code in the corner, below; or, on our Facebook page: *fccbrla*.

Restrooms — The men's room is in the southwest corner of the sanctuary and the women's room is in the southeast corner.

We thank you for being here today, and are grateful for your presence.

Office phone: 225-926-4175 • Email: church office hours: Tuesday-Thursday, 9 am until 3 pm

