

Serving Schedule: September 16th

Elders: Tiffany Thornton, Zach Crews

Deacons: Vince Buck, Tyler Clemens, Gary Dowell, Hope Richards, Makenzie Thomason

Serving Schedule: September 23rd & 30th

Elders: Ken Bryant, Virginia Bryant

Deacons: Ed Baker, Mona Baker, Julie Hoffelmeyer, Charles Marsh, Alisa Smith

Outside Communion: September 23rd – Ken & Virginia Bryant

September Greeters: Ed & Mona Baker and Alisa Smith

Worship Leaders: September 16th- Tiffany Thornton **September 23rd**- Ken Bryant
September 30th- Virginia Bryant

	<u>Video Tech:</u>	<u>Children’s Sermon</u>	<u>Children’s Church</u>
September 16th -	Josh Hoffelmeyer	Julie Hoffelmeyer	Amber VanDyke
September 23rd -	Lori Layton	Jill Buck	Makenzie Thomason
September 30th -	Josh Hoffelmeyer	Julie Hoffelmeyer	Tiffany Thornton

BIRTHDAY

09/16 Jean Dowell	09/20 Roy Hinton	09/22 Chad Barnes
09/19 Karla Hannaford	09/20 Ryan Smith	09/22 Joanne McKinney
09/20 Emmy Dehn	09/21 Joshua Shannon	

ANNIVERSARIES

09/22 Wayne & Sherry Shannon

PRAYER LIST

Ayden Wright	Rebecca Shrader	Lin Hessel	Madelyn Cox
Coradean Naylor	Helen Merchant	Roberta Reed	Darrell Kueker
Donna Smith	Holly Malan	Darlene Arnett	

September 9th, 2018

Sunday School:	14
8:00 a.m. Service:	27
10:00 a.m. Service:	63
Worship total:	90

Upcoming Church Events

September 18th -	Lillie Bates 1:30 p.m.
September 19th -	Women’s Bible Study 9:30 a.m.
	Elementary Youth 5-6:30 p.m.
	Jr. High Youth 7-8:30 p.m.

First Christian Church

Marshall, Missouri

September 16th, 2018 *(Last Outdoor Service of the Summer)* **10 a.m. Worship Service**

Pastor: Rev. Dr. Loy Hoskins **Pianists: Donna Smith & Kay Wise**

We are pleased to have you worship with us today. Please sign the registry as it is passed. If you are visiting, please share your address. A nursery is provided near the East entrance for children through age five if desired. If you have difficulty with hearing, please contact an Usher for a hearing device.

Prelude “I Love to Tell the Story” **Donna Smith & Kay Wise**

Processional Hymn “Majesty” **Renew # 63**

Welcome **Tiffany Thornton**
Meet and Greet “God’s Wonderful People” **All Sing**

In the Life of the Congregation **Tiffany Thornton**
Call to Worship **Tiffany Thornton**

Gathering Hymn “What a Fellowship, What a Joy Divine” **Blue # 410**
(verses 1 & 3)

Litany of Worship

Leader: In your wisdom, O God, you call us here to worship you.
People: **We gather, alive to the Word of God.**
Leader: You call us to be fully alive with your life abundant, ready to listen and respond with heart, soul, strength, and mind.
People: **We listen, awakened to the Word of God.**
Leader: You call us to be always watchful for your Word of wisdom, sometimes startling and unexpected, sometimes still and quiet, but always dwelling among us.
People: **We watch and wait for the Word of God.**
All: **Your wisdom calls out to us, O God.**

Invocation and Lord’s Prayer **Matthew 6:7-15**

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

“Glory Be to the Father” **Blue #559**

Special Music	“No Other Name”	Kay, Julie and Hope
Sharing of Joys and Concerns		
Pastoral Prayer		
Children’s Sermon		Julie Hoffelmeyer
Invitation to Communion		
Communion Prayer		
Communion Hymn	“O Soul, Are You Weary and Troubled?” (Verse one)	Blue # 266
Serving of Communion	<i>The celebration of the Lord’s Supper is the central focus of our faith and worship together. All who believe in Jesus Christ are invited to partake of the sacraments.</i>	
Act of Commitment and Dedication Through Communion		
Offertory Statement		
Offertory Selection	“Faithful Word Medley”	Donna Smith & Kay Wise
Presentation of Tithes and Offerings	“Doxology”	Blue #556
Prayer of Dedication		
Reading from the Hebrew Bible:		Proverbs 1:20-33
Sermon:	“Wisdom Cries Out”	Rev. Dr. Loy Hoskins
Invitation	<i>Any person desiring to profess Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, or to transfer their church membership to this congregation, is now invited forward.</i>	
Hymn of Invitation	“Have Thine Own Way, Lord” (verses 1 &3)	Blue # 382
Benediction		
Closing	“God Be With You till We Met Again”	Blue # 40

Church Announcements

Please take a moment to fill out a “Thinking of You” card for our members who are unable to attend our service. This week we will remember *Carol Schupp*.

Next Sunday will be our Homecoming Sunday as we celebrate the anniversary of our congregation. Drinks and doughnuts will be provided in the parlor from 9:00 to 10:00 as we fellowship together. Worship with us at 8:00 or 10:00 and make plans to attend the fellowship dinner (fried chicken, mashed potatoes, green beans, corn, and rolls) following the 10:00 service. Members are encouraged to bring a salad, or you may bring a dessert.

Next Sunday will also be “Fill a Pew” Sunday! We encourage you to fill a pew in the sanctuary that day with family, friends, or other guests. Prizes for the family or individual with the most guests will be awarded at both services.

The next to Sundays, we will have a gratitude tree in the Parlor for Larry Smith. We encourage anyone who wishes to add to the tree your own personal thoughts, gratitude, gift cards, and monetary gifts. These will be presented to Larry as a show of appreciation for his eight years of service as our Sunday custodian. Chris Layton will now be serving in this position.

There will be a Worship Committee meeting after the 10:00 service today.

Thought for the week: When you need something to believe in, start with God...and yourself.