

First Christian Church

October 4, 2026

Marshall Missouri

10:30 AM

Minister- Rev. Randal DeMasters

Welcome Song	“Sing A Song”	FCC Praise Band
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Call to Worship

Opening Hymn	“Come, Now is the Time to Worship”	Power Point
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Come, now is the time to worship. Come, now is the time to give your heart
Come, just as you are to worship. Come, just as you are before your God, Come.

One day every tongue will confess You are God, One day every knee will bow
Still the greatest treasure remains for those, Who gladly choose You now

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Come. Come. Come.

Invocation and Lord’s Prayer *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*

Invitation to Communion and Communion Prayer
Holy Communion

*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 in the sacraments.*

Offering Statement/ Prayer of Dedication

Good News for the Young at Heart
Dismissal for Children’s Church

1st-7th Grade

Special Music	“Hard Fought Hallelujah”	FCC Praise Band
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Scriptures	Exodus 20:1-4,7-9, 12-20, Philippians 3:4b-14, Matthew 21:33-46
Sermon	Rev. Randal DeMasters

Invitation
Any person desiring to profess Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, or to transfer their church membership to this congregation, is now invited forward.

Closing Hymn	“It is Well with My Soul”	Blue Hymn # 330
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When peace like a river, attendeth my way. When sorrows like sea billows roll
Whatever my lot, thou hast taught me to say It is well, it is well, with my soul
It is well, With my soul, It is well, it is well with my soul.

And Lord, haste the day when my faith shall be sight, The clouds be rolled back as a scroll
The trump shall resound, and the Lord shall descend, Even so, it is well with my soul
It is well, With my soul, It is well, it is well with my soul.
It is well, With my soul, It is well, it is well with my soul.

Benediction

CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please take a moment to think of our members who are unable to attend or have not attended our services lately, and send them a card or note. This week, consider sending your thoughts and prayers to **Jeanette Root**. You can mail them directly to the following address:

C/O The Living Center 2305 Linden tree Pkwy Marshall, MO 65340

The annual **Reconciliation Special Day Offering** for 2026 is scheduled for **today**. The Reconciliation offering supports the church's pro-reconciliation and anti-racism programs, leadership training, and systemic change efforts.

Our October **General Board** meeting will be held on the 14th at 6:00 PM in the Church Parlor. Everyone is invited to attend.

Tiffany Thornton will lead a frozen meal prep workday on Sunday, October 18 at 1o'clock. We will be making hundreds of soups and frozen meals in just a couple of hours to sell at the Eats, Sweets, and Treat sale that accompanies our chili supper on December 5. If you can help provide some of the groceries for the frozen meal prep, please see Ginger, Tiffany, or the sign-up poster that will be in the parlor soon.

The CWF is meeting at Kay Wise’s home on **October 20th at 10:00 AM**. Anyone interested in carpooling can meet at the church by 9:30 AM!

Our **October Fellowship Dinner** is on the 25th, right after the 10:30 worship service. We will serve hamburgers, hot dogs, potato salad, baked beans, and coleslaw. If you are able, please bring a salad or dessert to share. Kids of all ages are encouraged to wear their Halloween costumes. We cannot wait to have a “**Spooktacular**” time together!

Our church family is pairing up with the **Holiday Project** once again this year! We have been asked to collect **500 dessert boxes** (such as cake, cookie, or brownie mixes) to help bring sweet holiday cheer to local families. We will be accepting donations through **December 9th**. Thank you for your continued generosity!

Big thank yous to those who provided a meal for The Bridge, MVU’s Christian fellowship group and to those who prepared hygiene kits. To date, we have collected 30 kits!!

The Community Food Pantry items:

~~Aug 16 — Canned vegetables~~	~~Sept 06 — Canned soup~~	~~Sept 27 — Hot or cold cereal~~
~~Aug 23 — Canned fruit~~	~~Sept 13 — Boxed meals~~	Oct 04 – Hygiene items/toilet paper
~~Aug 30 — Canned meats~~	~~Sept 20 — Pasta or rice~~	Oct 11- Peanut Butter & Jelly

BIRTHDAYS

10/04 Jane Coleman	10/08 Rennie Ballance	10/09 Torey Spitzig
10/04 Angela Mills	10/08 Ryan Layton	10/10 Gaines Branson
10/05 Anna Gass	10/08 Don Swigert	10/10 Todd Marshall
10/06 Keri Phillips	10/09 Kim Behrends	

ANNIVERSARIES

PRAYER LIST

Norman Gibbins	Pat Krause	Jo Nell Fizer	Sue Fowler
Beth LaGore	Debbie Case	Betty Jensen	Cody Samson
Tom McRoberts	Kathryn Jones	Judy Bushnell	Jeanette Root
JoDell Alexander			

Attendance: Sept. 27, 2026
10:30 Worship: 58

For those who wish to give offering, an offering plate/box has been placed On tables in the Sunroom and entryway into the Sanctuary. You may also give online via “Givelify”. Thank you for coming today.



If you or someone you know would like to receive homebound communion or a pastoral visit, contact the church office at firstccoffice@yahoo.com so we can care for those in need.