

# First Christian Church

September 4, 2022

Marshall Missouri

10:00 AM

Minister- Rev. Randal DeMasters

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**Welcome Song**

**Joe Palan**

**Welcome and Announcements**

**Call to Worship**

**Opening Hymn**

**“Sing the Wondrous Love of Jesus”**

**Blue # 513**

Sing the wondrous love of Jesus, sing His mercy and His grace;  
in the mansions bright and blessed, He'll prepare for us a place.

**Refrain:**

**When we all get to heaven**, what a day of rejoicing that will be!  
When we all see Jesus, we'll sing and shout the victory.

While we walk the pilgrim pathway, clouds will overspread the sky;  
but when traveling days are over, not a shadow, not a sigh. [Refrain]

Onward to the prize before us! Soon His beauty we'll behold;  
soon the pearly gates will open; we shall tread the streets of gold. [Refrain]

**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**

**Sermon**

**Rev. Randal DeMasters**

**Scripture**

**Deuteronomy 30:15-20, Philemon 1:1-21, Luke 14: 25-33**

**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**

**“I Can Hear My Savior Calling”**

**Blue # 385**

I can hear my Savior calling, I can hear my Savior calling,  
I can hear my Savior calling, “Take thy cross and follow, follow me.”

**Refrain:**

Where he leads me I will follow, where he leads me I will follow,  
where he leads me I will follow; I'll go with him, with him all the way.

I'll go with him through the garden, I'll go with him through the garden,  
I'll go with him through the garden, I'll go with him, with him all the way.

(Refrain)

**Benediction**

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please take a moment to fill out a provided "Thinking of You" card for our members who are unable to attend our service, and place them in the offering plates as you leave the sanctuary. This week we will remember **Helen Merchant**. You may also mail directly to the following address: **C/O Marilynn Rapp 808 Chessington Court Liberty, MO 64068**

**The Morning Bible Study Group** will start back On September 13<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am. For more information, please contact Virginia Bryant.

**Christian Women's Fellowship Circle** will kick off the new year of meeting together with a Salad luncheon on September 20<sup>th</sup> at Karolyn Caldwell's at 12:00. Those attending are asked to bring their favorite salad to share. All ladies of the Church are invited to come and enjoy this special group of ladies.

**First Christian Church of Sedalia** will host an Elder's Gathering on September 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:00. A light meal will be served, then a guest speaker will talk about serving those who are homebound, and hospital visits. For more information please call the office, or speak with Ken Bryant. All Elders are welcome to attend.

Join us for **Kick-Off Sunday** on September 11<sup>th</sup>! Our one service will begin at 10:00, followed by a Fellowship Dinner of Fried Chicken, Potato Salad, Cole Slaw and Baked Beans. Children's Church will also start back up on this date.

For **Kick-Off Sunday** September 11<sup>th</sup>, let's get behind our Chiefs and support them all the way to the "Souper Bowl" by wearing our favorite Chiefs attire and bringing in a can of soup to put in our food pantry. Go Chiefs!

### **This is our last day for Drive-Up service.**

**Don't forget our Fellowship dinner next Sunday, immediately following the 10:00 service!**

#### Attendance: August 28

8:00 am Drive-Up 28  
10:00 am 31

**Worship Total: 59**

#### Upcoming Serving Schedule

<u>8:00 am</u>	<u>10:00 am</u>
09/04 Gary & Jean Dowell	TBA

#### BIRTHDAYS

09/04 Linda Alspach	09/05 Trafton Shannon	09/08 Bill Jackson
09/04 Micki Uhrig	09/06 Jacob Kissner	09/08 Evan Stoll
09/05 Natasha Arnett	09/07 Donna Bailey	09/08 Martha Sweeten
09/05 Sue Ann Crawford	09/07 Jo Nell Fizer	09/10 Fred Hartley
09/05 Leanne Dehn	09/08 Brandon Blalock	09/10 Dale Pontius
09/05 Ethan Schupp	09/08 Nancy Jackson	

#### ANNIVERSARIES

09/07 Dennis & Linda Carter

#### PRAYER LIST

Ayden Wright	Helen Merchant	Alisa Smith	Shirley Kueker
Pat Krause	Brad Berlin	Vic Hessel	
Chris Layton	Linda Dryer	Diane Stark	

**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.**

**Givelify**

