

# First Christian Church

August 27, 2023

Marshall Missouri

10:00 AM

Minister- Rev. Randal DeMasters

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**Welcome Song** "House of the Lord" **FCC Praise Band**

**Welcome and Announcements**  
**Call to Worship**

**Opening Hymn** "What A Fellowship" **Blue # 410**

What a fellowship, what a joy divine, Leaning on the everlasting arms;  
What a blessedness, what a peace is mine, Leaning on the everlasting arms.

Leaning, leaning, Safe and secure from all alarms;  
Leaning, leaning, Leaning on the everlasting arms.

What have I to dread, what have I to fear, Leaning on the everlasting arms?  
I have blessed peace with my Lord so near, Leaning on the everlasting arms.

Leaning, leaning, Safe and secure from all alarms;  
Leaning, leaning, Leaning on the everlasting arms.

**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**

**Special Music** "Less Like Me" **FCC Praise Band**

**Sermon** **Rev. Randal DeMasters**  
**Scripture** **Romans 12:1-8, Matthew 16:13-20**

**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** "Living For Jesus a Life That Is True" **Blue # 380**

Living for Jesus, a life that is true, Striving to please Him in all that I do;  
Yielding allegiance, glad-hearted and free, This is the pathway of blessing for me.

*Refrain:*

O Jesus, Lord and Savior, I give myself to Thee,  
For Thou, in Thy atonement, didst give Thyself for me;  
I own no other Master, my heart shall be Thy throne;  
My life I give, henceforth to live, O Christ, for Thee alone.

Living for Jesus Who died in my place, Bearing on Calv'ry my sin and disgrace;  
Such love constrains me to answer His call, Follow His leading and give Him my all.

**[Refrain]**

**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 **Jeanne LaRue**. You can mail them directly to the following address:

**Terrace Retirement Community 1408 Business Loop 70 W # W303 Columbia, MO 65202**

The monthly ladies luncheon will be at Mazzio's on the first Thursday of the month, September 7th at 11:00am. Bring a friend and your appetite. If you have questions, you may contact Roberta Reed at 660-886-7520.

Starting September 19, the Christian Women's Fellowship group will be starting their new year. The meetings will be held on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month at 9:30 in the Church parlor. All ladies of the Church are invited to come and enjoy the fellowship, coffee and morning treats. Be sure to add this to your calendars!

The September Newsletter is now available in the Sunroom.

The Drive-Up Service will continue through Labor Day Weekend, September 3<sup>rd</sup>. After that, we will return to one service at 10:00. Children's Church will continue to meet during the 10:00 service.

### BIRTHDAYS

08/27 Becky McRoberts  
08/28 Gary Dowell

08/28 Darrin Schupp  
08/29 Tyler Pointer

08/31 Nate Sullivan

### ANNIVERSARIES

08/29 Greg & Shirley Schultz

08/30 Rennie & Lisa Ballance

### PRAYER LIST

Ayden Wright  
Pat Krause  
Christi Snider  
JoDell Alexander

Helen Merchant  
Brad Berlin  
Norman Gibbins  
Lori Layton

Alisa Smith  
Vic Hessel  
Cody Samson

Shirley Kueker  
Jo Nell Fizer

### Attendance: August 20, 2023

8:00 Drive-Up 32  
10:00 Worship: 32  
Total: 64

Please take a moment to fill out our Attendance  
Registration that is located in a blue folder in each pew seat.



**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.**

