

Elder's Meditation

Elder Mary Jane Linton

Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration

Elder Claudia Quigg

(All believing Christians are invited to share in the Lord's Supper, regardless of church affiliation. You may eat the Bread as it is passed, but hold the Cup to drink together.)

Communion Music

One: The bread which we break is our communion in the Body of Christ.

All: The cup of blessing for which we give thanks is our Communion in the blood of Christ. Amen.

Benediction

*Recessional

We Are Walking

No. 442

Postlude

Fugue in G minor

J. S. Bach

(Please remain in your pews until the Acolytes have left the aisle.)

**All who are able, please stand*



Central Christian Church

(Disciples of Christ)
Decatur, Illinois
www.cccdisciples.org

Sunday, October 28, 2018



Michael E. Karunas
Senior Minister

Don Martin
Minister of Music

Tina Miller
Associate Minister of
CE and Family Life

David Martin
Youth Director

ORDER OF WORSHIP

Twenty-third Sunday after Pentecost

Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope

GATHERING

Prelude ***Prelude in G minor*** J. S. Bach
Dee Dee Gain, organ

Introit

*The Processional ***How Firm a Foundation*** No. 618

*Responsive Reading Glen Featherstun

Leader: Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet,

People: and a light unto my path.

Leader: When I feel afraid and think I've lost my way,

People: I can feel You right beside me.

Leader: Yet my heart is ever wandering.

People: Jesus be my guide and hold me to your side.

Leader: I know I have nothing to fear when I feel You near.

People: I will love you to the end.

All: Thy Word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path.

*Invocation

*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.

And 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 No. 35

Children's Message Tina Miller

PRAYER

Prayer Hymn ***Just a Closer Walk with Thee (vs. 1 & 2)*** No. 557

Pastoral Prayer Don Martin

Prayer Response

(If you want someone to pray with you after this service, please meet an Elder in the church gallery just to your right as you leave the sanctuary)

Offertory Invitation

Offertory ***I Will Be a Child of Peace*** arr. Elaine Hagenberg
Women's Chorus; Mollie Krueger

*Doxology No. 46

*Prayer of Dedication

PROCLAMATION

Anthem ***How Beautiful*** Twila Paris/Benjamin Harlan
Chancel Choir

Scripture Reading ***Psalms 37:23-24***
(pg. 511 O.T.)

One: The Word of God for the People of God.

All: Thanks be to God.

Sermon ***Every Step of the Way***

RESPONSE

Invitation to Discipleship

*Hymn of Communion ***Be Still, My Soul (vs. 1 & 2)*** No. 566
(In Christ's name we welcome all persons into membership into the church by confession of faith and baptism or by transfer of membership. Please step to the front pew during the singing of this Hymn of Communion.)

IN SERVICE TODAY Sunday, October 28, 2018

CHURCH CALENDAR

Deacons:

- 8:00 - Team 1 - Gene & Sandy Garver, Gail Prince, Debbie Hoffert,
Al & Chris Fagin, Dennis Downey, Pamela Bednar, David Wagner
10:30 - Team 2 - Christine Lyman-Harm, Janet Lyman, Dale & Judy Ford,
Erik Harm, Kathy Kauzlarich, Ron Oliver, Steve Swarthout, Andy Fulk,
Janelle Beedle, Tom & Diane Ritter, Paul Gorden, Roberta Gorden,
Thomas Karunas

Ushers:

- 8:00 - Team 4 - Hazel Perry, Capt., Jerry & Susie Bean, Karen Penn
10:30 - Team 9 - Kim Miller, Capt., Audrey Miller, Ron Oliver

Greeters:

- 8:00 - Dean & Janet Gray, Carolyn McCall
10:30 - Dick & Sue Ann Cain

Acolytes:

- 10:30 - Peyton Swarthout, Unique Hess

P.A. Operator:

- 8:00 - Jim Bednar
10:30 - Larry Pepper

Preparation of Communion:

Hazel Perry, Julie Martin, Linda Shambaugh

Sunday School Classes	Floor	Room
Koinonia	2	212
Ecclesia	2R	240
Chalice	2	207
6th grade - 12th grade	2R	280
Kindergarten - 5th grade	2R	230
Nursery (Birth - 5 years old)	1R	150

Sunday, October 28, 2018

- 8:00-Worship Service
9:00-Contemporary Worship, GH
9:00-Fellowship Coffee
9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes
9:15-Adult Sunday School Classes
10:30-Worship Service
12:00-Praise Team Rehearsal, GH

Monday (29)

- 5:30-Spanish Class, 240
5:30-Bowling, Spare Time Lanes
6:00-Financial Peace University, DR

Tuesday (30)

- 7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café
8:00-Stitchers Retreat, 207 & DR
11:45-Preschool Staff Mtg, 170
1:30-Millikin Class, 240
5:30-Nominating Committee, 240
5:30-Preschool Board Mtg, CR
6:30-Heart & Soul, Choir Rm & CC

Wednesday (31)

- 9:00- PS: 2's Halloween Party,
Great Hall and Disciples' Room
10:15-PS: Chapel, Friendship Center

Thursday (November 1)

- 10:00-Al-Anon, 240
4:00-Journeymen 2, CC
5:30-Spanish Class, 240
6:00-Brass Choir, Disciples' Room
6:30-Decatur Needle Arts, 207
7:00-Chancel Choir

Friday (2)

Saturday (3)

- 10:00-Personality & Spirituality Event,
Great Hall & Disciples' Room

Sunday (4)

ALL SAINTS' DAY!

TURN CLOCKS BACK 1 HOUR

- 8:00-Worship Service
9:00-Contemporary Worship, GH
9:00-Fellowship Coffee
9:00-Youth Sunday School Classes
9:15-Adult Sunday School Classes
10:30-Worship Service
12:00-Praise Team Rehearsal, GH
1:00-Cont. Worship Leadership Mtg,
Great Hall
4:00-Youth Group

Food Collection

The food collection for November 4th is cereal & packaged stuffing mix.
As always, the shopping cart is located in the Connection Café.
Thank you for your generous giving.

Elderberries Thanksgiving-Christmas Celebration

Wednesday, November 14 in the Great Hall
Please join us at 11:30 for our combined
Thanksgiving-Christmas meal and celebration

Enjoy a delicious meal of Ham, Sweet potatoes, Dressing, Creamed peas n' carrots, Pumpkin pie with Whip cream, and music by our Millikin interns, Mollie Krueger and Christian Jackson. (all of this for only \$5)

**Don't forget to sign up on the pew pad on Sunday
or call the church office by Monday, November 12.**

IT'S DORCAS SOUP TIME AGAIN!

All Central women are invited to Dorcas Disciples' dinner meeting on Tuesday, November 13th at 6:00 p.m. in the Great Hall. We'll have a sack dinner (\$5) to "kick off" our annual "Soup Sharing" mission to serve soup meals to church members on Saturday, November 17th. Gail and her committee will update us on the preparations and the need for drivers.

Dan Watkins, Director of "God's Shelter of Love" ministry, will present the program before dinner and share the Shelter's mission in our community. The Shelter is Dorcas' Christmas donation recipient this year. All donations will be monetary.

Please contact Nancy Ellen Taylor at 877-2495 or xstr@sbcglobal.net by Friday, November 9th to make your reservation for the dinner and meeting.



STEINER/HOCHWARTNER DUO
Trombone/Organ/Piano Concert
Sunday, November 18, 2:00 p.m.

ABOUT TODAY'S MUSIC

Offertory *I Will Be a Child of Peace*

Words and Music: Traditional Shaker Hymn
Arrangement: Elaine Hagenberg

O Holy Father I will be a child of peace and purity
for well I know Thy hand will bless the seeker after righteousness.

Anthem *How Beautiful*

Words: and Music: Twila Paris
Arrangement: Benjamin Harlan

How beautiful the hands that served the wine and the bread
and the sons of the earth.
How beautiful the feet that walked the long dusty roads
and the hill to the cross.
How beautiful is the body of Christ.

How beautiful the heart that bled,
that took all my sin and bore it instead.
How beautiful the tender eyes
that chose to forgive and never despise.
How beautiful is the body of Christ.

When I Survey the Wondrous Cross – Lowell Mason
See from His head, His hands His feet,
Sorrow and love flow mingled down.
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
or thorns compose so rich a crown?

How beautiful the feet that bring
the sound of good news and the love of the King.
How beautiful the hands that serve
the wine and the bread and the sons of the earth.
How beautiful is the body of Christ.