

## Invitation to Discipleship

\*Hymn of Communion ***Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise*** No. 66  
(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.)

Elder's Meditation Judy Ford

## Words of Institution

Prayer of Consecration Liz Campbell  
(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 ***Rise Up, O Saints of God!*** No. 611

Postlude ***Toccata Brevis*** Daniel Gawthrop

(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](http://www.cccdisciples.org)

***Sunday, June 16, 2019***

**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**  
**First Sunday after Pentecost**  
*Sharing Christ. Changing Lives. Delivering Hope*

**GATHERING**

Prelude                      **Capriol Suite: Pavane**                      Peter Warlock  
*Dee Dee Gain, organist*

Capital Campaign 2019-2022                      Randy & Shirley Brooks

Introit

Processional Hymn                      **Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee**                      No. 2

\*Responsive Reading                      Janet Lyman

Leader: Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the earth.

**People: Joyful, joyful we adore Thee.**

Leader: Worship the Lord with gladness; come into God's presence with singing.

**People: Hearts unfold like flowers before you.**

Leader: Know that the Lord is God.

**People: Melt the clouds of sin and sadness, drive our fear and doubt away.**

Leader: It is God that made us, and we are God's;

**People: Giver of immortal gladness, fill us with the light of day!**

**All: We are God's people and the sheep of His pasture.**

**Come, let us worship the God who chooses life.**

\*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 (10:30)                      David Martin

**PRAYER**

Prayer Hymn                      **Faith of Our Fathers (vs. 1, 2)**                      No. 635

Pastoral Prayer                      Tina Miller

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

**O, Come to the Altar**

Thomas Karunas, Christian Jackson, Andy DeLeon

\*Doxology                      No. 46

\*Prayer of Dedication

**PROCLAMATION**

Anthem                      **Amazing Grace (My Chains Are Gone)**                      arr. Joel Raney  
Chancel Choir; Christian Jackson, director

Scripture Reading                      **Genesis 9:8-17**                      Michael E. Karunas  
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One: The Word of God for the People of God.

**All: Thanks be to God.**

Sermon

**The "Good" Father**

**RESPONSE**

IN SERVICE TODAY Sunday, June 16, 2019

**Outreach Communion:**

Tom Spry, Laura Chapman, Kim Maple, Penny Rutherford, Janet Lyman

**Elders:**

8:00 & 10:30 - Judy Ford & Liz Campbell

**Deacons:**

8:00— Team 3 - Sid & Krista Rohrscheib, Jane Davis, Mike Munos, Bob Muschal, Pat Penhallegon, Bobby Munos, Becky Johnston, Carolyn McCall  
 10:30 -Team 4 - Jeannie Backes, Matthew Swarthout, Jon French, David Martin, Mike & Gretchen Kirby, Mark Beal, Doug Soebbing, Roger Rutherford, Ron & Gwen Miller, Seth Martin, Pam Ferguson, Brittney Moran, Pam Larrick, Shelby Baum

**Ushers:**

8:00 - Team 2 - Becky Johnston, Capt., Bruce Campbell, Liz Campbell  
 10:30 -Team 7 - George Virgil, Capt., Linda Virgil, Jon & Jane French

**Greeters:**

8:00 - Al & Chris Fagin  
 10:30 - Keith & Jeannie Backes

**Acolytes:**

10:30 - Mackenzi & Zach Sargeant

**P.A. Operator:**

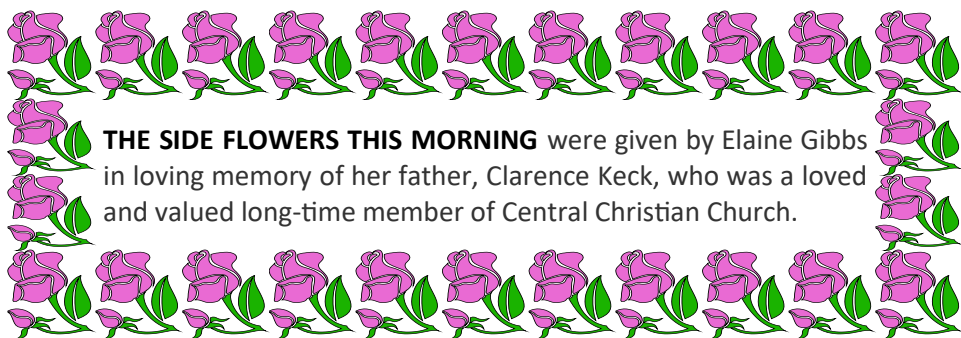
8:00 - Jim Bednar  
 10:30—Jim Hinze

**Preparation of Communion:**

Ed & Joy Adams, Betty Chapman, Claudia Curry

**Ride Share Drivers:**

8:00 & 9:00 Services & Sunday School - Mark Beal 433-6081  
 Sunday School and 10:30 service - Doug Soebbing 875-1836



**THE SIDE FLOWERS THIS MORNING** were given by Elaine Gibbs in loving memory of her father, Clarence Keck, who was a loved and valued long-time member of Central Christian Church.

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

# CHURCH CALENDAR

**Sunday (16)**

**Happy Fathers' Day!**

8:00-Traditional 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 (17)**

**Vacation Bible School, 9-11**

10:00-Operations Committee, Conf. Room

**Tuesday (18)**

**Vacation Bible School, 9-11**

7:00-Journeymen, Connection Café  
 9:30-Card Ministry, 240  
 2:30-Prep for Art Celebration, Kitchen  
 5:00-Art Celebration

**Wednesday (19)**

**Vacation Bible School, 9-11**

10:30-Ministers Meeting  
 5:30-Evangelism Committee, Great Hall  
 5:30-Council Committee Meeting

**Thursday (20)**

**Vacation Bible School, 9-11**

10:00-Al-Anon, 240  
 4:00-Journeymen 2, Connection Café  
 7:00-Chancel Choir

**Friday (21)**

**Vacation Bible School, 9-11**

**Saturday (22)**

**Sunday (23)**

8:00-Traditional Worship Service  
 9:00-Contemporary Worship, GH  
 9:00-Fellowship Coffee  
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### Let's Celebrate Central's Art Treasures!

Central will host a Greater Decatur Chamber of Commerce After Hours Event on Tuesday, June 18<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Come connect with community members as you browse the iconic art in our sanctuary and main level renovated areas. Enjoy refreshments as you learn more from Central hosts about the displayed artwork and celebrate our connections with community.

### VBS BEGINS MONDAY!

Join the Facebook group (below) for updates.

[Who is My Neighbor? VBS 2019](#)

Registration forms available online and in the church office.

### Summer at Central: Back in Time

*During the summer months, we will be going "Back in Time" to the Old Testament!! We will explore the earliest roots of our faith and examine how the basic building blocks of the story of salvation are still ones on which to build a spiritually strong life today. During June, our focus will be The Five Promises of God.*



June 16	Promise #1: "God chooses Life over Death"	Michael E. Karunas
June 23	Promise #2: "God Guides and Provides"	Michael E. Karunas
June 30	Promise #3: "God gives Confidence and Hope"	Michael E. Karunas
July 7	Promise #4: "God values Closeness and Relationship"	Tina Miller
July 14	Promise #5: "God Inspires"	Tina Miller

### Koinonia Sunday School Class Opportunity

The Koinonia Sunday School Class would like to invite all who might be interested to join us in the study of the New Testament books of 1st & 2nd Peter and Jude. Our study will begin on Sunday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019, and will be approximately 12 weeks in length. The cost of the study guide is \$7.50, if you should want to purchase one. Our class meets in the 2nd floor, room 212. Contact Liz Campbell at (217) 521-5995 for additional information on how to order a study guide.

## ABOUT TODAY'S MUSIC

Offertory ***O Come to the Altar***

Songwriters: Christopher Brown / Wade Joye / Steven Furtick / Mack Brock

Are you hurting and broken within?  
Overwhelmed by the weight of your sin?  
Jesus is calling  
Have you come to the end of yourself  
Do you thirst for a drink from the well?  
Jesus is calling  
O come to the altar  
The Father's arms are open wide  
Forgiveness was bought with  
The precious blood of Jesus Christ  
Leave behind your regrets and mistakes  
Come today there's no reason to wait  
Oh what a savior  
Isn't He wonderful?  
Sing hallelujah, Christ is risen  
Bow down before Him  
For He is Lord of all  
Sing Hallelujah, Christ is risen

Anthem ***Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone)***

Words and Music: John Newton; Chris Tomlin and Louie Giglio

Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!

I once was lost but now am found, was blind but now I see.

'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear, and grace my fears relieved;

How precious did that grace appear, the hour I first believed!

My chains are gone, I've been set free.

My God, my savior has ransomed me,

And like a flood his mercy reigns;

Unending love, amazing grace.

The Lord has promised good to me, his word my hope secures;

He will my shield and portion be as long as life endures.

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### **Help us Evangelize through Facebook!**

- "Check in" on Facebook (let your friends know you're here)
- "Like" our pages (Central Christian Contemporary Worship/Central Christian Church)
- "Follow" our pages (click on the ellipse and then select "Follow")
- Silence your phone, but please use it to:
  - Take pictures and video
  - Share to our Facebook page (and yours!)

