

CHRISTIAN WORSHIP

November 26, 2017 10:40 a.m.

Welcome to Worship

The Community Gathers to Worship God

Bell Toll	Audio
Prelude	Traditional French
“Sing Noël, Noël”	
Welcome to First Christian Church	Pastor Jerry
*Pass the Peace of Christ	
*Song of Gathering	528
“Give Thanks”	
*Call to Worship	Myla Laws
Leader: We gather this morning, People: With joy and thanksgiving. Leader: Keep the fire of Your Spirit burning in us, People: And let us hear Your prophecies with fresh ears. Leader: With hearts full of anticipation, People: We await your coming, O Lord. All: Let us worship the Lord our God. (CCLI #2491154)	
* Hymn of Worship	276
“We Gather Together”	
*Invocation	Myla Laws
*Gloria Patri	35

The Community Proclaims the Word of God

Children’s Sermon	Vyrdel Basye
Special Music	Niles
“I Wonder as I Wander”	
Psalm 100	Myla Laws O.T.679
Sermon Scripture	Matthew 25:31-46 N.T.35
Sermon	Pastor Jerry
“A Great Lesson from Jesus.”	

The Community Responds to the Word of God

Call to Discipleship	
<i>(We invite you to come forward during the hymn of discipleship to make your confession of faith, transfer your membership, or rededicate your life.)</i>	
*Hymn of Discipleship	715
“Now Thank We All Our God”	
<i>(Elders and Deacons may move to the rear of the sanctuary during the hymn.)</i>	

The Community Shares in Christ’s Life

Presentation of Our Tithes and Offerings	
Invitation to Offering	David Handly
Offertory	JS Bach
“Sheep May Safely Graze”	
Doxology	46
*Prayer of Dedication	

Celebration of Holy Communion	
Invitation to Holy Communion	Pastor Jerry
Hymn of Communion	384
“Here at Thy Table, Lord”	
Prayers for the Elements	David Handly Brenda Blevins
Partaking of the Bread and Cup	
<i>(All are invited to partake of the bread and the cup as the trays are passed. Signal a deacon if you would like gluten free crackers.)</i>	

The Community Departs for Ministry

Prayers for the Church Family	Pastor Jerry
The Lord’s Prayer	
<i>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 sins as we forgive those who sin against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil; for thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory forever. Amen.</i>	
Prayer Response	
*Benediction	Pastor Jerry
*Congregational Response	557 (v.1 & refrain)
“Just a Closer walk with Thee”	
*Postlude	Handel
“Gavotte”	
*All who are able, please stand.	



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9:30 a.m.-Sunday School for all ages
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Coffee Fellowship
No Youth

Monday, November 27

9:00 a.m.-Bell Practice
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6:00 p.m.-Boy Scouts in basement

Tuesday, November 28

9:00 a.m.-Newsletter Crew in Lobby
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1:00 p.m.-Home School Choir/Band and Drama in CLC

Wednesday, November 29

5:00 p.m.-DOC
6:30 p.m.-Stewardship Meeting in Lobby

Thursday, November 30

N/A

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4:00 p.m.-Chi Rho & CYF
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SERVING TODAY –November 26

Presiding Elder: David Handly

Elders: David Handly, Brenda Blevins

Liturgist: Myla Laws

Deacons: Harland Osborne, Lee Younce, Phil Shumard,
Jackie Shumard, Bill Goodwin, Vicki Goodwin,
Chris Simon, Melvin Simon, Carrie Laws

Assistant Deacons: Molly Shumard, Jacelynn Laws

Children's Sermon: Vyrdel Basye

Deaconess: Donna Bodenhammer

Coffee Fellowship: Linda Hoover

Audio: John Howard

Video: Stacy Elliott and Donna Elliott

Staff

Pastor:

Jerry Basye

Youth Leader:

Nancy Huff

Organist:

Anita Grigsby

Director of Choirs:

Gary Grigsby

Office Manager:

Cindy Howard

Custodian:

George Long

Nursery Care:

Gillian Godfrey

Dylan Godfrey

Hanna Stillwell



**A Great Lesson
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***November 26, 2017
First Christian Church
(Disciples of Christ)***

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Pastor Basye: basyejerry@gmail.com

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Church Wi-Fi Password: feedmylamb

Our Mission

We are an open and welcoming community that God calls and the Holy Spirit empowers to:

- share the Good News of Jesus Christ with all ages*
- explore and express a growing faith*
- equip believers for ministries which expand the kingdom of God*

Announcements

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- Nancy Anderson
- Our Children
- Our Law Enforcement
- Our Military
- Those with continuing health concerns

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