

October 1, 2023 – 18th Sunday after Pentecost
 Pentecost – Red
 World Communion Sunday
 *stand if you are able

Welcome

*Gathering Chorus 347 Spirit Song

Announcements

Prelude

Lighting of Worship Candles

Maybe you have a candle at your house and would like to light a candle with me to celebrate the light of Christ there with you.

Call to Worship

L: The Christian church touches every corner of the world.

P: **THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH SPEAKS EVERY LANGUAGE ON EARTH.**

L: People of every color and nationality call Jesus Lord.

P: **WE ALL SHARE ONE FAITH, ONE HOPE.**

*Opening Hymn 545 The Church's One Foundation. (1,2,4)

Seeking God's Plan

More Precious Than Silver #2065 ("The Faith We Sing" hymnal)

Prayer Requests and Joys

Pastoral Prayer & Lord's Prayer

The 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 trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory forever. **Amen.**

Offering Recognition

Hymn 558 We Are the Church (1,2,4)

Children's Church

Scripture Reading James 5:19-20 pg 1198 pew bible

Message A Multitude of Sins

Special Music Sanctuary

Rev. Dr. Howard White, Samantha Bursich, & Leah Farrar-White

Celebration of Holy Communion

Communion Music 618 Let Us Break Bread Together

Invitation to the Lord's Table

***Closing Prayer**

PIANIST: Samantha Bursich
 ORGANIST: Dean Brown
 CHOIR DIRECTOR/SONG LEADER: Dannyel Norrington
 WORSHIP LEADER: Arthur Mize
 PASTOR: Larry Gilbert
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THIS WEEK'S EVENTS		
MONDAY 10/2	6:30 pm	Outreach/Social Media Committee
TUESDAY 10/3	6:00 pm	Card Class
WEDNESDAY 10/4	10:00 am	Midweek Connection
	6:30 pm	Choir Practice
SUNDAY 10/8	8:30 am	Coffee Break

UPCOMING ADULT MINISTRY EVENTS

for more information see e-blasts, screens & clipboards

Branson Trip

Y@H (Young at Heart) on the Road Branson, MO, November 30 - December 2. The sign up **deadline for this trip is today.** For further details, or questions, please contact Leah Farrar-White.

October Activities

—Card Class 10/3 6:00 pm—Adult Ministry Office
 —Midweek Connection 10/4m 10/18 10-11 am Fellowship Hall
 -Y@H Patti's 10/10

DATE	GREETERS	WORSHIP LEADER	PRAYER READER
10/1	Jim & Jackie Koonce	Arthur Mize	RoseAnn Rector
10/8	John & Angie Oetjen	Leah Farrar-White	John McConnaughy

CELEBRATING A BIRTHDAY

Mary Norman Johnson, Claudette Clark, Madison Allardyce

PRAYER CONCERNS

Concerns will be kept on this listing for 1 month unless otherwise requested. See current requests on screens and in e-blasts.

Christiaan Eayrs – Church family
 Norma Johnson – Church family
 Susan Frease – Church family
 Jim White – Church family
 Nancy Wallace—Church family
 Mary Slider—Church family
 Oleta Massie—Church family
 Nancy Vale—Church family
 Mary Snider—Judith Weyburg’s sister

Gwen Geyer—Sue Chaney’s sister
 Ann Walczak—Ginny Tholen’s sister
 Joe Taylor—Church family
 Sue Stanley—Church Family
 Patty Simpson Edwards
 Our Church
 Bobby Rector—Church family
 The family of Sara Pilger
 All Military Personnel

Lori Brown Fundraiser

- a fundraiser (fish fry) sponsored by the Carterville First Christian Church will be held at the Carterville Community Center today, October 1st from 05:00pm - 07:00pm.
- if you will not be able to attend the fundraiser, Cathy Bencini (from their Church) has asked that Mark Hale bring any donations to the Church.
- check donations are to be made payable to Lori Brown (yes, Mark will also deliver cash

Got You Covered is collecting baby lotion and diaper cream for the month of October. Thank you to those who contribute to this vital program.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

for more information see e-blasts, screens & clipboards

- October 14—Woman’s Conference in Carbondale 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
- October 14 —Fish Fry 4-6 p.m.
- October 16—Meals on Monday —Community Center noon
- October 21, Craft Fair 9 am to 3 pm
- October 29, Charge Conference & 5th Sunday Potluck

CLIPBOARDS

Young @ Heart on the Road —Branson Trip
 Y@H—Patti’s
 Desserts for Fish Fry
 Meals on Monday

*Knowing Christ,
 Sharing Christ*



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8:30 a.m. Sunday School

9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship

10:30 Sunday School

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