

First Christian Church

(Disciples of Christ)

An Open and Affirming, Pro-reconciliation, Anti-racism
Church, welcoming All to God's table, fellowship and service.

September 6, 2026

Serving Today

Elders: Karen Johns and Barb Bates

Prepare and Serve: Larry Carley and Eli Sanchez

Offering Stewards: Sandy Allen

Minister: Rev. Daphne Gascot Arias

Office Manager: Carol Clifford

Pianist: Richard Sladek

Custodian: Joe Iaculla

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Birthday Greetings:

There are no birthdays this week

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Church Life

All congregational events are open to anyone interested in attending

Mon., Sept. 6		<u>Labor Day - No MIP</u>
Tues., Sept. 8	7:00 pm	<u>General Board Meeting</u>
Wed., Sept. 9	6:00 pm	<u>Feed the Body and Soul</u>
Sun., Sept. 13	9:30 am	<u>Adult Sunday School</u>
	10:30 am	<u>Worship</u>

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Welcome to First Christian Church

Prelude

Welcome and Announcements

Gratitude for God's Presence

Call to Worship (adapted from Psalm 103)

Leader: The Lord is merciful and gracious, slow to anger and
abounding in steadfast love.

People: The Lord will not accuse, nor keep anger forever.

Leader: The Lord does not deal with us according to our sins,

People: The Lord does not repay us according to our iniquities

Leader: .For as the heavens are high above the earth:

People: So great is the Lord's steadfast love!

Gathering Praise "God, Whose Giving Knows No Ending" CH #606

Prayers of the Church (ends with Lord's Prayer)

Scripture Reading Exodus 12:1-14

Praise as Response "Lead Me Lord" CH #593

Bringing Our Gifts (Let us give back what God has given us.)

Children's Message

Sermon

Communion "Let Us Break Bread Together" CH #425

Send Forth "Fill the World with Love" CH #467

Blessing

Postlude

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