

June 2024

Office Hours
Monday — Thursday
9 a.m. - 3 p.m.



**First
Christian
Church**

www.cantonfcc.org

215 West Elm Street
Canton, IL 61520

office (309) 647-1363



BAPTISMS

May 19th was a truly special & meaningful day to experience in the church as we witnessed Jack Fitzjarrald, Kate Fitzjarrald, Madison Bryant, Hailey Bryant, Colette Krulac, Paizlee Taylor & Noah Passmore take a significant step in their faith! As a church family, we are so honored to be apart of the deepening of these individuals' spiritual journey!



Steve Mason: Pastor
Jessa Wenger: Office Coordinator
Email: contact@cantonfcc.org



Rick Coulter: Building Supervisor
John Davis: Director of Music
Gretchen Fuller: Organist

How are you feeling?

Most people would respond, “fine.” But as Rhonda Morgan reminded me, fine isn’t even a feeling. As Rhonda said, fine really stands for Feelings I’m Not Expressing. We feel so much more than we let on. But many of us don’t always have the vocabulary to express how we feel. Turns out that has real consequences. Renowned researcher, Brene Brown, in her book, *Atlas of the Heart*, writes that when we’re limited in our language, research shows that we not only can’t communicate emotion, it shapes how we feel—primarily, disconnected. Her book goes on to name and locate 87 different emotions, which is a help because her research of 7000 participants who were asked to name their emotions as they experienced them, on average could only name 3! Happy, sad and angry. They couldn’t name when they feel disappointment, loneliness, awe, boredom, stress, anxiety, love and a whole host of other feelings. That can’t be good.

Part of the Christian faith is to help us live fully. And if we aren’t feeling, we aren’t living. So, church, when did we stop feeling? Because the Bible is littered with stories of emotions—it is after all, the chronical of peoples’ search for the holy in their lives. It’s bound to have some tear-jerker moments, not to mention a fair deal of jump-for-joy times. God created you with a lot more than three emotions, which is why I hope you’ll join us between now and the end of July; we’ll be on an emotional rollercoaster of worship, called Good Feelings, helping teach us or at least remind us of our own feelings and to not only know about them, but remember that feeling is good! Having feelings is faithful! Give yourself permission to feel. In the coming weeks we’ll talk about emotional intelligence: the capacity to recognize, understand, and manage our own emotions, as well as the emotions of others. We’re going to explore six basic emotions: anger, sadness, fear, disgust, joy and something we’re calling genius. We’re also going to have some fun, checking in with our emotions each week as a spiritual practice. We’ll see clips from the family movie that could teach us all a thing or two about embracing our rich emotional capacity, *Inside Out*—we might even have a family movie night for that and even potentially going out together to see *Inside Out 2* in the theater.

So as we explore Good Feelings, as you invite your friends to join in as well, I hope you can see how embracing our emotions allows us to connect more deeply with God and with one another.

Pastor Steve





FCC Sports Equipment Donation



Don't forget to give your sports equipment donation today! The donation box is located at the bottom of the stairs near the main entrance doors.



VBS SAVE THE DATE: AUGUST 4-8

POOL PARTY KICKOFF:
AUG. 4



First
Christian
Church



Thank you!



Thank you, John Davis, Gretchen Fuller & Chancel Choir, for another wonderful season of sharing your musical talents with us! We can't wait to hear from our choir again this fall! Enjoy your summer!

Children's Church Update

- Last Whirl Children's Church on May 26th
 - Playground will be available this summer
 - Children's Church will resume Aug 11th

WALTER SCOTT CAMP & LEARNING CENTER

Jun 9 - 15 **CYF (Christian Youth Fellowship)**
Completed grades 9th to 12th

Jun 16 - 19 **You & Me**
*Completed grades K to 5th & Adult(s)
(Parent, Grandparent, etc.)*

Jun 20 - 22 **Beginners Camp**
*Completed grades K to 3rd**

Jun 23 - 29 **JYF (Junior Youth Fellowship)**
Completed grades 3rd to 5th*

Jun 30 - Jul 6 **Chi Rho**
Completed grades 6th to 8th

Jul 12 - 14 **Social Justice Weekend Camp**
Completed grades 6th to 12th

*Campers who have completed 3rd grade may attend either Beginners Camp or JYF Camp.

Visit us online for registration details, camp costs, and additional camp information. Registration closes 2 weeks before the beginning of each camp.

REGISTER ONLINE



www.CampWalterScott.org

Prayer Request

Please Pray For:

Larry Avery; Norma Snowman; Carol Harmon; Wendy Mayall; Margaret Landgrebe (blood clots in her legs); The friends & family of Mike Meade upon his death; Jan Dearing; The friends & family of Emily Dosier upon her death; Kevin Allard (Tad Allard's brother); Doris Taylor recovering from back surgery; Sarah & Tas in their work at Salvation Army and for all of those w/o safe housing; Sid Smith while hospitalized (Lyn Snowman's uncle); Liz Pollitt; Blaine Hardy (deployed overseas); Joyce & Zack Norris; Steve Fisher (diagnostic procedures); Those battling with cancer: Jason Lasseigne, Bev Lynch (friend of Daryle Coleman), Lloyd Leezer (Marla Hedden's brother), Jessica Mayall (Sandy Foutch's niece); The Stephenson family on SueEllen's transplant recuperation; Steve Moore; Tracy Snowman; Cora Murphey

Care Facilities:

At Courtyard Estates: David & Bea Meeker

At Sunset: Lori Bieber; Ed Ford; Keith Munstedt

At Renaissance Care Center: Angie, Bill & Sue

June Birthdays

Colleen Riley	June 1
Cole Schrodt	June 4
Amy Allard	June 5
Anna Valentin	June 5
Kathy Burton	June 7
Blake Stephenson	June 12
Henry Dare	June 13
Kadence Schoolcraft	June 15
Evie Taylor	June 16
Shelby Taylor	June 16
Terri Osborne	June 17
Diane Bell	June 22
Emmie Stephenson	June 22
Lorraine Neill	June 25

June Anniversaries

Kara & Dan Fitzjarrald	June 2
Mindy & Greg Glomb	June 5
Kevin & Rhonda Morgan	June 5
Mark & Laura Taylor	June 7
Michael & Susan Walters	June 10
Amy & Tad Allard	June 12
Corey & Jennifer Miller	June 14
Alan & Daryle Coleman	June 15
Mark & Emily Baldry	June 17
Bruce & Sherry Fisher	June 26
Greg & SueEllen Stephenson	June 27

Scriptures, Sermons, & Serving Schedules

6/2/24		6/9/24	
Scripture	Luke 12: 29-34	Scripture	Ecc. 3: 1-8
Greeters	Shawn & Lyn Snowman	Greeters	Spiva Family
Ushers	Connie Brady & Betty Tracey	Ushers	Marsha Moore
CtW Reader	Amanda Stephenson	CtW Reader	Video
Scripture Reader	Vinnie Cufaude	Scripture Reader	Tammy Weaver
Children's Moment	Janet Krulac	Children's Moment	Jen Miller
Song Leader	Lori Coleman	Song Leader	Kevin Dearing
Invitation/Prayer	Brian Spiva/Doreen Shaw	Invitation/Prayer	Mike Krulac/Tammy Weaver
Deacons (prepare)	Dave & Sheila /Grant & Amanda	Deacons (prepare)	Shane & Chris /Shawn & Lyn
Counters	Doreen Shaw/Jen Miller	Counters	Don Heller/Tammy Weaver
Coffee Fellowship	Michelle Spiva	Coffee Fellowship	Daryle Coleman
6/16/24		6/23/24	
Scripture	Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-12	Scripture	Eph. 4: 26-27
Greeters	Marilee Casper	Greeters	Bruce & Jean Edwards
Ushers	Doris Svob	Ushers	Diane Schrodtt
CtW Reader	Trygve Meade	CtW Reader	Video
Scripture Reader	Diane Schrodtt	Scripture Reader	Dave Bell
Children's Moment	Daryle Coleman	Children's Moment	Jean Edwards
Song Leader	Steve Mason	Song Leader	Kevin Dearing
Invitation/Prayer	Jen Miller/Bruce Edwards	Invitation/Prayer	Daryle Coleman/Steve Mason
Deacons (prepare)	Denny & Dee /Allen & Eugenia	Deacons (prepare)	Zack & Janet /Jake & Carisa
Counters	Kevin Coleman/Bruce Edwards	Counters	Daryle Coleman/Vinnie Cufaude
Coffee Fellowship	Judy Leitze	Coffee Fellowship	Jan & Chuck Taylor
6/30/24			
Scripture	John 11: 35	Children's Moment	Michelle Spiva
Greeters	Bonnie Harn	Song Leader	Allen Smith
Ushers	Judy White	Invitation/Prayer	Alan Coleman/Chuck Taylor
CTW Reader	Janet Krulac	Deacons (prepare)	Corey & Mark T /Judy & Susan
Scripture Reader	Randy Weaver	Counters	Chuck Taylor/Alan Coleman
Coffee Fellowship	TBD		

June 2024

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1
2 Worship 9:00AM Bible Study 10:30AM	3 Elder's Meeting 6:30PM	4	5	6	7	8
9 Worship 9:00AM Bible Study 10:30AM	10 Worship Meeting 6PM	11	12	13	14	15
16 Worship 9:00AM Bible Study 10:30AM	17 Christian Ed Meeting 6PM Cabinet Meeting 7:00PM	18 Outreach Meeting 5pm Finance Meeting 5:30PM	19	20	21	22
23 Worship 9:00AM Bible Study 10:30AM 30 Worship 9:00AM Bible Study 10:30AM	24 Property Meeting 4PM	25	26	27	28	29