

February 28, 2021

WORSHIP 10:15 AM

WELCOME TO THIS SERVICE OF WORSHIP

Please sign with the greeters at the Sanctuary doors.

A nursery is available in Room 2 for preschool age children if needed.

PRELUDE

BRINGING IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

---PREPARE TO WORSHIP---

OPENING HYMN

(Please stand if you are able)

“Take Time to Be Holy” vs. 1, 3

WORSHIP LEADER: Sandy Hamilton

***CALL TO WORSHIP**

Leader: Let all who seek the Lord come together in this house to worship!

People: Let us keep our eyes on the cross and all that it calls us to be.

Leader: Let us also see in the cross the price paid to show us God’s love.

People: Let us walk without fear and be willing to share God’s love today.

Leader: And let us give thanks and sing praise for God’s mercy and grace.

People: Blessed be the name of the Lord!

OPENING PRAYER

Lord, so often we desire to be a part of your family but don’t really want to accept our crosses. We would carry your name but not always be willing to live as You taught us. We would be Your followers but we shrink away when we think of the price we might be called upon to pay. Forgive us, Lord, and give us courage to live for you. In Christ we pray. Amen

---PREPARE FOR COMMUNITY---

FELLOWSHIP TIME

“Blest Be the Tie That Binds” vs. 1

(Please be seated)

Children’s Message

---PREPARE TO LISTEN---

FIRST SCRIPTURE

Psalm 19:1-14

LENTEN HYMN: *“Tree of Life”* vs. 2

PASTOR’S PRAYER

Silent Prayer

Lord’s Prayer (with debt/debtors)

Gloria Patri

SECOND SCRIPTURE and MESSAGE

Matthew 26:36-46

“Does Prayer Make Any Difference?”

Pastor Brent Cantrell

---PREPARE TO RESPOND---

**CELEBRATION AND REMEMBRANCE
OF THE LORD’S SUPPER**

(You’re invited to ponder your week,
ask for forgiveness, and celebrate.)

Jesus invites all who believe to His table.)

Communion Meditation

Communion Song

“An Upper Room Did Our Lord Prepare” vs.2, 3

Elders: Wendy Dunkelberger and Kathy Miller

Elder’s Prayer

Words of Institution

Come forward to receive the bread and cup

OFFERING MEDITATION

Elder’s Prayer

“Doxology”

HYMN OF INVITATION & COMMITMENT

(Please stand if you are able)

“Jesus, Keep Me Near the Cross” vs. 3

(This time offers you an opportunity to confess your faith in Christ, renew your commitment and/or transfer your membership. Just step forward as the last verse of the hymn is sung, and you will be welcomed and received.)

BENEDICTION/BLESSING

“O Christ, the Way, the Truth, the Life” vs. 1

POSTLUDE

TAKING THE LIGHT OF CHRIST WITH YOU

(Please remain in the pews until the Light is carried out of the sanctuary.)

PRAYER CONCERNS

(See insert for Prayer Concerns)

March 7, 2021

"When It's Time For Forgiveness - Pastor Brent Cantrell

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

FOOD PANTRY: The donation jar is now on the table. Please place your donations in the jar.

CAMP INFO: The registration forms are on the table. They must be returned to the office by April 4!!!

THIS WEEK AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Today	9:00am 10:15am	Sunday School Worship
Mon. Mar. 1	5:30pm	Elders
Tues. Mar. 2	9:30am	Hooks & Needles
Thurs. Mar. 4	7:00pm	Worship Team
Sun. Mar. 7	9:00am 10:15am	Sunday School Worship Trustees

FEBRUARY BIRTHDAYS and ANNIVERSARIES

2	Hannah Fowler	7	Oma Eckhart
5	Madison Fowler		Ron Malone
6	Glenn Spalding		

Supply Pastor
Pianist/Organist
Administrative Assistant
Nursery Attendant

Brent Cantrell
Lois Martin
LaNette Parker
Duska Phelps

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And they devoted themselves to the
apostles' teaching and fellowship,
to the breaking of bread and the prayers.
Acts 2:4