First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) Minneapolis A Welcoming Community of Faith in the Heart of the Twin Cities: Come to a place where you can explore, be curious, and ask questions. Sunday, October 20, 2024

Gathering

Gathering Music: Rebekah Richards – *TBA* Welcome, Announcements: Rev. Tammy Rottschaefer Prelude: Rebekah Richards – *TBA*

Threshold Moment

Confession/Assurance: Rev. Tammy Rottschaefer Theme Song: All Creatures of our God and King, CH# 22, v.1

Opening Hymn: God of the Fertile Fields, CH #695

Proclaiming

Children's Moment: Deb Murphy Song: All Things Bright and Beautiful, CH #61, v.1 before and after
Prayers of the People: Chelsea Boyden
Special Music: Choir – Go Out With Joy – Hank Beebe
Scripture: Rev. Tammy Rottschaefer – Psalm 150
Sermon: Rev. Dan Adolphson – Joyful Praise
Visio Divina

Responding

Celebration of Gifts, Tithes and Offerings

Offering Invitation: Rev. Wendy Manuel, Elder Special Music: Jonathan Sill – *Smile* – Charlie Chaplin Offertory Prayer

The Lord's Supper

Communion Invitation: Martha Harris, Elder Sharing the Peace of Christ Hymn of Communion: *Alleluia! Hear God's Story*, CH #330 Communion Prayer Words of Institution Partaking of Communion Music for Meditation: Rebekah Richards – *TBA*

Sending

Closing Hymn: God, Who Stretched the Spangled Heavens, CH #651
Closing Words: Chelsea Boyden
Benediction: Rev. Dan Adolphson
Theme Song: All Creatures of Our God and King, CH# 22, v.1
Postlude: Rebekah Richards – TBA

As always, our thanks to technicians Melinda Nickerson, Mike Cackoski and Mark Carlson. Thank you to our pianist, Rebekah Richards; Soloist Jonathan Sill; Worship Leader Rev. Tammy Rottschaefer; Children's Moment Leader Deb Murphy; Section Leaders Dr. Caroline Povolny, Jonathan Sill, Tyler Frankhouse and Katie McGannon; Elders Rev. Wendy Manuel and Martha Harris; and Deacon Valerie Dunham. Thank you all for sharing your gifts!

Announcements & Calendar

Please let us know you are worshipping with us by filling out the online worship attendance form (link is in the Livestream chat, and on the front page of our website, <u>www.fccmpls.org</u>)

Communion is offered to everyone. No matter where you are on life's journey, ALL are welcome. If you are worshipping with us online, please use whatever you have available to partake of communion from wherever you are watching. Take a picture and send it to Pastor Dan ;-). If you are with us in person, please come forward to receive communion when invited by the Deacons. If you are unable to come forward, please stay seated and the Deacons will come to you. We use gluten free wafers and grape juice.

Children: coloring pages and other activities are available on the home page of our website <u>fccmpls.org</u>. If you have joined us on-site, join us at the Kid's Table.

Coffee with the Pastors: Join the pastors, members and friends for a Zoom gathering at 9 am Wednesday and Saturday of this coming week. **Zoom Happy Hours** this week are Tuesday and Thursday at 5 pm. The Zoom links for these gatherings are sent out in an e-blast on Sundays and mid-week. They are also available on our Facebook page and website.

Weekly Calendar

Sunday, October 20

9 am – Choir Rehearsals @ SHMC South Sanctuary 9 am – 12:30 pm – SpringHouse Youth Room Open Hours @ SHMC Youth Room 10 -10:25 am – SpringHouse Youth Group activities @ SHMC Youth Room 10:30 am – Worship (In-person & livestream on YouTube)

Children's Table activities can be found on the home page of our website: <u>www.fccmpls.org</u> Coffee Fellowship after service @ Gathering Space

Monday, October 21

7 pm – FCC and Friends Book Group @ FCC Zoom channel

Tuesday, October 22

5 pm – Happy Hour with the Pastors @ <u>FCC Zoom channel</u> 7 pm – Worship Committee @ <u>FCC Zoom channel</u>

Wednesday, October 23

9 am – Coffee Hour with the Pastors @ <u>FCC Zoom channel</u> 7 pm – LGBTQ Clobber Verses Study @ <u>FCC Zoom channel</u>

Thursday, October 24

5 pm – Happy Hour with the Pastors @ FCC Zoom channel

Saturday, October 25

9 am – Coffee Hour with the Pastors @ <u>FCC Zoom channel</u> 10 am – Grief Support Group @ Plymouth Congregational



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