



CHRIST CHURCH

OUR PASTORS

Don Archer
Cheryl Arnold

INSTRUMENTALISTS

Steve Brown, Piano & Organ
Norma Dennis, Piano

CHOIR DIRECTORS

Beth Payton, Voice & Handbell
Norma Dennis, Junior Choir

HEAD USHERS

8:00 Karl Kronberg
10:30 Gerald Swartz

LAY READERS

8:00 Andrew Roberts
10:30 Colleen Cook

OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Thursday9 to 3
Friday.....8 to Noon

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SUNDAY WORSHIP

Human Relations Day • January 20, 2019

WE GATHER

Greeting and Announcements – Attendance & Prayer Requests
(pass request cards, available in the pew, to the center for ushers to collect)

Moments of Meditation

How precious is your steadfast love, O God! All people may take
refuge in the shadow of your wings. – Psalm 36:7

Prelude *Praise to the Lord w/Immortal, Invisible* arr. Mary Sallee

*Call to Worship

L: Sing praise to God!

P: Praise God who loves us all!

L: Do not be afraid. Trust in God's love.

P: Open our hearts, O God, and help us to receive that love.

L: Celebrate with praise and thanksgiving.

P: Let our spirits resound with joy. Amen.

*Hymn of Praise *Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise* #103

*Opening Prayer

**Lord, we are grateful for the surprising ways in which you are
present with us. Enable us to see the wondrous ways that you are
at work in our lives. Give us hearts and spirits for service to you.
In Jesus' name, we pray. Amen.**

*Prayer Response *Glory Be to the Father* #71

**Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
World without end. Amen. Amen.**



Old Testament Reading Isaiah 62:1-5 OT #651

+Anthem *Many Gifts, One Spirit* Allen Pote Sanctuary Choir

Children's Time *(children are invited to come forward)*

*Hymn of Preparation *Great Is Thy Faithfulness* #140

New Testament Reading 1 Corinthians 12:1-11 NT #163



Sermon – Pastor Don Archer

WE RESPOND

The Pastoral Prayer and **The Lord's Prayer**

Offering of Ourselves and Our Gifts

Offertory *O Love That Will Not Let Me Go* Albert Peace

*The Doxology – #94

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;

Praise God, all creatures here below: Alleluia! Alleluia!

Praise God, the source of all our gifts!

Praise Jesus Christ, whose power uplifts!

Praise the Spirit, Holy Spirit!

Alleluia! Alleluia! Alleluia!

*Prayer of Thanksgiving

Holy Spirit, you have honored each of us with unique spiritual gifts. Help us to share our gifts abundantly. Bless this monetary gift for the work of your eternal Kingdom. We pray in the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

WE GO FORTH

*Hymn of Faith *I'm Goin' a Sing When the Spirit Says Sing* #333

*Benediction

*Response **Shalom to you now, shalom, my friends. #666**
May God's full mercies bless you, my friends.
In all your living and through your loving,
Christ be your shalom, Christ be your shalom.

Postlude *Praise to the Lord, the Almighty* Jason Payne

**please stand if able*

+ 10:30 a.m. service only

Today's altar flowers are provided by Bob & Carol Chase in loving memory of their fathers, Elmer Chase and Vernon Leh.

ATTENDANCE 1/13

Sunday School 24
Worship 101

SCRIPTURE 1/27

1st Reading – Psalm 19
2nd Reading – Luke 4:14-21

CHILDREN'S CHURCH⁺
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CHILD CARE

Nursery – Room 102
Preschool – Room 103

THIS WEEK

SUNDAY – 1/20

8 a.m. Worship
9 a.m. Donut Time
9 a.m. Junior Choir
9:15 a.m. Sunday School
10:30 a.m. Worship
5 p.m. God's Girls Study

MONDAY – 1/21

Offices closed.
7 p.m. Monday Night Bible
Study @ the Rary's

TUESDAY – 1/22

9-12 a.m. Sewing Circle
7 p.m. Mary Circle
7 p.m. Ukulele Beginner's
Class

WEDNESDAY – 1/23

12 p.m. Holy Communion
3:30 p.m. After School
6:30 p.m. Handbell Rehearsal

THURSDAY – 1/24

12 p.m. Brown Bag TED
Talks
7 p.m. Choir Rehearsal

NOTES

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Human Relations Day – today we support community development, youth offender rehabilitation, and ministries of social justice with a special offering. See enclosed envelope to give.

News & Views submissions due today!

Offices closed Monday in honor of MLK, Jr.

Monday Night Bible Study is starting the book of Micah. All are welcome! 7 p.m. at 604 6th St. For more info see Don or Jan, 740-376-0540.

Mary Circle Tuesday, 7 p.m. in the church library.

Ukulele Choir beginner's class Tuesdays, 7 p.m., Fellowship Hall. Full rehearsals begin March 5th.

Youth Super Bowl Party grades 6-12, Feb. 3rd at the Stormes, 17043 S.R. 550. Arrive between 6-6:30 p.m. Bring a snack to share & a drink of your choice. Pastor Don has the pork rinds covered.

Minister of Health office reopens Feb. 5th.

Brown Bag TED Talks Thursdays at noon in the Fellowship Hall. Join us as

we view and discuss short videos that touch on topics of faith. No materials or homework required.

Hygiene Kits for the Marietta Food Pantry. Pack the following in a gallon Ziploc: toothbrush, toothpaste, bar soap, washcloth, shampoo, deodorant. New and in original packaging. **Due March 31st**.

Foothills UMW Cookbook - \$10, funding UMW mission work. See Beth Morgan to get your copy.

Trustee Donations – support their work in the care of our facility by marking your gift “Trustee”.

Yarn for Inmates & Preemies – collection box in the Ed. Wing for Noble Correction Inmate's project: hats & blankets for preemies.

Fishes & Loaves – January Food Pantry needs: canned goods, baked beans, crackers, toilet paper, coffee, and tea.

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