

2 AUGUST 2009
Ninth Sunday after Pentecost

9:45 A.M. – Sunday School
10:45 A.M. – Worship Hour

THE CHURCH GATHERS for WORSHIP and COMMUNION

Entrance of Accompanist
 Bringing In the Light of Christ: ----- Acolyte
 Prelude ----- Karen Sanders
 Welcome and Announcements ----- Frank McCartney
 *Opening Hymn: “My Jesus, I Love Thee” --- Featherstone/Gordon ----- 349
 *Invocation ----- Leader *The Lord’s Prayer ----- In Unison
 Prayer Concerns
 Prayer Hymn: “Into My Heart” --- Medema ----- 304
 Silent and Pastoral Prayer ----- Frank McCartney
 Children’s Moments ----- Karen Sanders
 (Following the Children’s Moments the children are ask to return to their seats with their families today.)
 Special Music ----- Willie Parker
 Scripture: Philippians 3: 10-13
 Sermon: “Are You Contented and Should You Be?” ----- Frank McCartney
 *Invitation Hymn: “All the Way My Savior Leads Me” --- Crosby/Lowry ----- 559
 Call to Holy Communion ----- Frank McCartney
 Hymn of Preparation: “Let Us Break Bread Together” --- Young ----- 425

THE SACRAMENT OF HOLY COMMUNION

(Every person present who is a follower of the Living Christ is invited by Him to be a participant in this Open Communion Service. We partake of the Elements in unison after they have been distributed.)

Call to Give --- Leader Collection of Gifts
 *Doxology (pg. 46) --- Sung in Unison *Offertory Prayer --- Leader
 *Benediction: ----- Frank McCartney

*Closing Response: “Let There Be Peace on Earth” --- Miller/Jackson/Webb -----677

*Taking Out the Light of Christ: ----- Acolyte

*Postlude ----- Karen Sanders

**Indicates for those who wish and are able to do so to please stand.*

THE CHURCH NOW SCATTERS FOR WORK AND SERVICE

GOOD MORNING! Welcome to God’s House on God’s Holy Day!

ON THE FIRST DAY OF EVERY WEEK, we meet together to worship the Risen Christ and to break bread with Him! His presence is with us every moment!

A SPECIAL WORD OF WELCOME to ALL attending the Service today! If you are visiting with us, please sign the guest book in the Vestibule & fill out a Welcome Card & place it in the collection plate as it passes. We welcome you as a friend in Christ, & we invite you to return again soon.

THE BEAUTIFUL FLOWERS IN THE CHURCH TODAY have been provided by Gary & Patti Workman and have been given in Loving Honor of their grandchildren, Caleb and Seth Workman.

SCHEDULE TO SERVE AS CHURCH OFFICERS THIS MONTH are:

<u>Elders:</u>	Randy Fritz	W. Todd Walton	
<u>Deacons:</u>	Robin Walton	Kent Cooper	Jamey High
	Elizabeth Emmons	Joy Gooding	Robert Gossett
	Wayne Grannis	Mary Lynn Vice	

Assisting the Officers: Chelsea Applegate

THE FINANCIAL REPORT FROM LAST SUNDAY, July 26th, 2009:

-Total Budgeted Needs for Each Week in the Church Year -----	\$	3,709.77
-Total Received on Sunday, July 26 th , 2009 -----	\$	2,545.51
-Total Amount Budgeted Needs for 4 Weeks -----	\$	14,839.08
-Total Amount Received for 4 Weeks -----	\$	10,874.83

LET’S REMEMBER: “Faithful Christian Stewardship is NOT based on the Church’s Need to receive, but upon our need to give as Christ commands!

FROM THE STEWARDSHIP & FINANCE COMMITTEE: Despite the continuous financial news around us, we need to remember our obligation to meet the Church Budget that was adopted for the 2009-2010 Church Year.

THE SANCTUARY CHOIR will not meet during the summer, but will resume this fall.

THE MEN’S F.C.C. SOFTBALL TEAM finished their regular season with a 5 and 4 record! Tournament dates: Aug. 3rd, 10th, & 17th. All games are held at the Washington Park. FANS ARE NEEDED!! Come out & root for the home team!!!

TODAY is GENERAL ASSEMBLY SUNDAY. The Morgan's and Kathy Voiers are in Indianapolis, IN attending the workshops, meetings, & worship services. We hope they are enjoying the trip & we look forward to the updated information of the workings of our denomination.

C.Y.F./CHI RHO YOUTH GROUP will NOT meet today! Watch for announcement of next meeting date, time, & activity.

THE F.C.C. HANDBELL ENSEMBLE, Jason Gulley, Director, will meet this week for a rehearsal session on Tue. evening, Aug. 4th, at 6:30, here at the church. All ringers are invited & urged to attend.

THE AUGUST MEETING of the DISCIPLES WOMEN MINISTRIES (formally C.W.F.) will be held on Wed. morning of this week, August 5th, beginning at 11:30, at Stockton Station Inn with Karen Sanders as the hostess. The Study & Worship Leader will be Carol Hughes. ALL the women of the church are invited & urged to attend.

D.W.M. JULY & AUGUST SERVICE PROJECTS:

July:

- 1) New backpacks for our local school children.
- 2) Tuna, salmon, or any canned meats for the local Food Pantry.

August:

- 1) School Kits for local children (a list is posted on the D.W.M. bulletin board in the church kitchen).
- 2) Collect grocery tapes from Ken's New Market.
- 3) Canned fruits for the local Food Pantry.

Everyone is invited to participate; projects sponsored by Disciples Women Ministries.

EARLY WORSHIP SERVICE, will continue on Sunday mornings, Aug. 9th, 16th, and 23rd. The earlier Service begins at 8:45 & the later Service meets at the regular time of 10:45. Sunday School will take place between the Services, at the normal time of 9:45; youth music continues to start at 9:30.

AUGUST DATES to MARK & REMEMBER:

--Mon. the 10th = General Board Meeting, at 7:30, in the Fellowship Hall.

--Sun. the 30th = 5th Sunday! Let's remember:

- 1) Special Offerings for Church Homes;
- 2) Youth Serve as Church Officers;
- 3) Bring canned food for the local Food Pantry;
- 4) All-Church meal, immediately after the Worship Service;
- 5) Songfest held at Ewing Christian Church beginning at 7:00 with a time of Fellowship to follow.

REV. CARL HAM will be our GUEST SPEAKER for the Sunday Morning Worship Service on August 30th, with Peter Morgan presiding. It is with great pleasure that we welcome Rev. Ham back to our Pulpit; let's have a LARGE attendance!

GREETER: T.B.A.

USHER: Becky McGinnis

ACOLYTE: Chelsea Applegate

JR CHURCH LEADERS: No Jr. Church Today

JR CHURCH/NURSERY ASSISTANT: Stacy Pollitt

OUR MUSICAL STAFF:

ACCOMPANIST: Karen Sanders

CHOIR DIRECTOR: Mary Jayne Cannon

HANDBELL DIRECTOR: Jason Gulley

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