

Christ Church United Methodist

June 19, 2022

(in-person) 9 am
(live-streamed & in-person) 11:15 am

Second Sunday after Pentecost Father's Day Order of Worship

WELCOME

Liz Curtis Higgs

PRELUDE

Jesus Shall Reign
Celebration Ringers
Dr. Shawn Dawson, conductor

John Hatton
arr. Arnold Sherman

*CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: In the beginning, God created the heavens and the earth.

People: And God said, "Let there be light," and there was light.

Leader: God saw that the light was good,

People: and he separated the light from the darkness.

Leader: God called the light "day," and the darkness he called "night."

People: And there was evening, and there was morning—the first day.

*HYMN OF PRAISE

All Things Bright and Beautiful

Hymn 147

Refrain:

All things bright and beautiful, all creatures great and small,
all things wise and wonderful: the Lord God made them all.

Each little flower that opens, each little bird that sings,
God made their glowing colors, and made their tiny wings.
(Refrain)

The purple-headed mountains, the river running by,
the sunset and the morning that brightens up the sky.
(Refrain)

The cold wind in the winter, the pleasant summer sun,
the ripe fruits in the garden: God made them every one.
(Refrain)

God gave us eyes to see them, and lips that we might tell
how great is God Almighty, who has made all things well.
(Refrain)

*AFFIRMATION OF FAITH

We are not alone, we live in God's world.

We believe in God:

who has created and is creating,
who has come in Jesus, the Word made flesh
to reconcile and make new,
who works in us and others by the Spirit.

We trust in God.
We are called to be the church:
to celebrate God's presence,
to love and serve others,
to seek justice and resist evil,
to proclaim Jesus, crucified and risen,
our judge and our hope.
In life, in death, in life beyond death,
God is with us.
We are not alone.
Thanks be to God. Amen.

*CONGREGATIONAL RESPONSE

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty

Hymn 139

Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me adore him!
All that hath life and breath, come now with praises before him!
Let the amen sound from his people again; gladly forever adore him.

CALL TO PRAYER

Bless the Lord

Taizé

Bless the Lord my soul and bless God's holy name.
Bless the Lord my soul who leads me into life.

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PASTORAL PRAYER

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father who art in heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread.
And forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

OFFERING

OFFERING MUSIC

For the Beauty of the Earth

John Rutter

‡ 9:00

Women's Ensemble

‡ 11:15

Chancel Choir

*Children K - 5th Grade are invited to leave the worship service
to go outdoors for the lesson. In case of rain, we will go to the gym.
After the service, parents please pick up your children downstairs in classroom 005.*

*DOXOLOGY

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
praise Him, all creatures here below;
praise Him above, ye heavenly host;
praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost. Amen.

*SCRIPTURE

Genesis 1:26-32

(9:00) Debbie Watt

(11:15) Dennis Gray

SERMON

In the Beginning

Rev. Dr. Eric Bryant

INVITATION TO CHRISTIAN DISCIPLESHIP

*CLOSING HYMN

This Is My Father's World

Hymn 144

This is my Father's world, and to my listening ears
all nature sings, and round me rings the music of the spheres.
This is my Father's world: I rest me in the thought
of rocks and trees, of skies and seas; his hand the wonders wrought.

This is my Father's world, the birds their carols raise,
the morning light, the lily white, declare their maker's praise.
This is my Father's world: he shines in all that's fair;
in the rustling grass I hear him pass; he speaks to me everywhere.

This is my Father's world. O let me ne'er forget
that though the wrong seems oft so strong, God is the ruler yet.
This is my Father's world: why should my heart be sad?
The Lord is King; let the heavens ring! God reigns; let the earth be glad!

SENDING FORTH

POSTLUDE

Prelude in E-flat major, BWV 552/1

J.S. Bach

Dr. Shawn Dawson, organ

‡ Dr. Shawn Dawson, conductor; Daniel Light, piano

** *Announcements are located on the following pages*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Administrative Council Meeting | Monday, June 20 | 6:30 pm | Fellowship Hall All Ad Council members are asked to attend our next Ad Council meeting on June 20. All church members are welcome to attend. The Ad Council will respond to the Discernment Team's recommendation that was presented on June 5. For more information and to view the recommendation, visit ccum.net/discernmentteam.

Kids Connecting by Building Relationships | Sunday Faith Formation Schedule for Summer

Faith Formation for our K – 5th grades during the 9 and 11:15 worship services Children will begin with their family in worship. Please complete your child's name badge sticker located on a table in Gathering Hall, just outside of the Sanctuary. **They will be dismissed during the Doxology and go outdoors for the lesson.** In case of rain, we will go to the Gym. After the service, parents will pick up their children downstairs in classroom 005. **All children are encouraged to wear play clothes to church during summer!**

Childcare for K - 5th grades will be provided in room 005 during the 10 am hour for any parents or grandparents needing it.

Nursery and Faith Formation for infants and toddlers will be available as usual at all three hours (9, 10, and 11:15 am).

TriFreedom! | Tuesdays | 8 am | Facebook Live

You're invited to join Pastor Eric on his **physical and spiritual journey** as he prepares for the **Iron Man competition** this November. He's **raising money for the KY UMC Children's Home**, so click here to support this worthy cause. Join him on Facebook Live @ChristChurchLouisville every Tuesday morning for messages titled TriFreedom!

The Red Bird Mission, founded by United Methodist Women in 1921, **serves and ministers to 3 counties in southeastern Kentucky.** CCUM's Pioneer Class has coordinated an annual food collection for the past decade to help alleviate the food insecurity in that area. **The collection will take place for the entire month of June.** The **list of non-perishable food items** can be found at ccum.net/donations as well as at the desk in Gathering Hall. Please place all donations in the bin outside Door #1 under the Portico.

An Open Door, our Sunday Morning class in Fellowship Hall, has been paused for the summer. Join us again in a new location beginning August 21st!

No Cook Thursday: "Jonah, You Can Do It" VBS Celebration!!

July 14 | 6 - 8 pm | CCUM Parking lot and Portico

All ages are invited to join us for a BIG celebration!! So **bring a chair and join the fun!** There will be **live music** by Wicker Frog (Joe and Lee Kresovsky), **Food Trucks**, Games for all ages, Songs from our VBS children and a Special Story Time (and treats) by Rev. Leanne Hadley! And... we will all wait and see if Jonah forgives the Ninevites and joins the party! **Come, sit, relax and enjoy connecting** with the children and families who bless our church so deeply!

Planning a memorial can be a tremendous burden for family and friends who have just lost a loved one. You can offer those you leave behind an incredible gift by **planning your memorial wishes now** so those details will be ready when the time comes. Schedule an appointment this summer with Rev. Melissa Head (502) 893-2201 ext. 263 or melissa@ccum.net to take this first step.

Hi Moms! Are you looking for a chance to let your kids play and connect with some other moms this summer?

Explore Louisville with us this summer on a **Pray & Playdate!** We'll let our kiddos play together, enjoy some grown up conversation, and pray for our families and our lives. **Weekly Tuesday and Wednesday groups, and monthly Saturday meet ups.** Contact our upLIFT Moms Ministry Leader, Shelah Woodruff, at shelah@ccum.net to join a group!

Vacation Bible School | July 11 -14 | 9 am - 12 pm

We are thrilled to announce the return of Vacation Bible School - **Jonah, You Can Do It!** Children, **ages 3 years through 5th grade** will experience the story of Jonah and the big fish. And along the way discover how to be themselves in the world! Please register your child at ccum.net/vbs!

Interested in volunteering? We'll have opportunities for adults and teens to help us make VBS a wonderful experience this summer! Childcare will be provided for infants and toddlers of our volunteers.

Sign up at ccum.net/vbs.

We need craft items (buttons, sequins, ribbon, yarn, etc) to use at Vacation Bible School and to replenish our craft supply closet. **Teachers, crafters, sewers, knitters ... bring us your leftovers!** Please drop them off at the front desk. Thank you!

United Methodist Committee on Relief (UMCOR) is raising funds to provide direct assistance to the humanitarian crisis in Ukraine. If you would like to contribute, UMCOR is accepting donations on their website at umcmmission.org, by phone at 888-252-6174, or by check made to Global Ministries/UMCOR with Advance #982450-Ukraine in the memo, mailed to their address at PO Box 9068, New York, NY 10087-9068. **One hundred percent** of the contributions go toward this effort.

Used Greeting Cards Needed!

Our **Card Ministry Team** recycles old greeting cards, using them to create new ones to send to those in need of sympathy, encouragement or just a note to know that they are loved. **Any used cards you can donate would be greatly appreciated!** Please drop them off in the bin in the Pickup Closet near the front desk.

Attention Men: Join Us for Coffee! | Tuesdays in Fellowship Hall | 7 am

We would like to invite you to come join other men on **Tuesday mornings anytime between 7 - 8 am.** Stop in grab a coffee and donut, connect/reconnect with old and new friends, and listen to a short devotional.

Men's Ministry: Just for Men | Wednesdays at 7:30 am via Zoom

Join Rev. Mike Porter, Director of Men's Ministries and Discipleship, as he shares scripture and discussion for men during these trying times. Drop-in to our weekly gathering. If interested, please email katie@ccum.net to be sent the Zoom link.



Discernment Team

Please visit <http://www.ccum.net/discernment> (or scan the QR code) to read the latest Discernment Team's update. To contact all members of the Discernment Team, you may email discernmentteam@ccum.net.