ANNOUNCEMENTS

Consecration Sunday
Join us for Consecration Sunday on November 22nd as we prayerfully commit our financial pledges for 2027. Following the 11:00 a.m. worship service, we'll enjoy a box lunch fellowship meal together. Please sign up on the bulletin board if you plan to stay for lunch. Let's celebrate our shared commitment to the mission and ministry of First Christian Church!

Celebration of Lights
November 14th is the Celebration of Lights in downtown Shelbyville. The Outreach Committee needs volunteers to greet people as well as set-up and tear down. Please sign up on the bulletin board.

Salvation Army Angel Tree
We received 75 angels this year that are on our tree for your selection. We encourage you to make an angel a special part of your Christmas season. There are instructions and gift bags for you to follow and use beside the tree.

This Week at FCC:
Today: Veterans Sunday, 5pm Sunday Night Service
11/9: 10:30am and 6pm Bible Study
11/10: 10am Backpacking if needed, 6pm Outreach Comm. Mtg, 6pm Stewardship and Fin. Mtg.
11/11: Veterans Day – CHURCH CLOSED, 6pm Handbells and Praise Team, 7pm Choir
11/12: 6:30pm Admin Comm. Mtg.
11/14: 4-8pm Celebration of Lights

PRAYER CONCERNS Raymond Abell, Rick Albrink, Trista Armstrong, Sue Baker, Rev. Ed Ball, Lee Barnett, Susan Beagle, Family of Tina Brand, Sue Brewer, Todd Burchfield, Joe Caruso, Robin Crawford, Melinda Cunningham, Rosa Douglas, Kay Fain, Hayley Fawbush, Jim Fegenbush, Joy Fitzgerald, Lou & Wayne Gunnell, Angie Hickman, Heather Hill, Emmy Houweling, Katie Hundley, Marilyn Jackson, Marsha James, Mike Jeffries, Thomas (Darlene Jones' grandson), Patsy Jung, Family of Pat Kelly, Jordan Killion, Joey Kingsolver, Steve Lea, Annie Long, Cheryl Long, J.R. Long, Ida Lyons, Jeff Mayer, Cody Miller, Family of Mike Morris, Cyndy Murray, Greg Peerce, Arturo Perez, Lisa Dale Poole, Christy Powell & Family, Larry Roach, Margaret Sames, Marty Shaver, Ron Simmons, Bobby Stivers, Dr. Sally Sugg, Marvin Swinford, Sandra Tennill, Eloise Terhune, Alex Walker and Wanetta Wright.

2026-2027 ELDERS

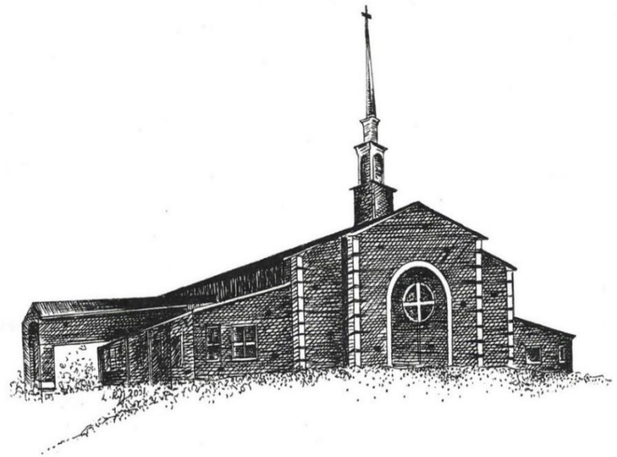
A-Bra	Jeff Manning - 2027	(270) 670-7082
Brb-Cn	Lydia Turner - 2027	(502) 682-7094
Co-FC	James Mulcahy - 2028	(502) 321-9159
G-Hb	Diane Bland- 2027	(502) 321-0767
Hc-Kf	Rev. Dr. Howard Griffith - 2028	(502) 257-1460
Kg-Lj	Sarahbeth Farabee - 2028	(502) 232-1899
Lk-O	Fielding Ballard - 2029	(502) 321-4476
P-Sb	Janet Crow - 2029	(502) 648-1120
Sc-Tj	Mike Crow - 2029	(502) 648-1362
Tk-Z	Pat Yeager - 2029	(859) 229-4429

Mission Statement
We are Christians committed to reaching the unchurched and challenging the faithful in the loving service of Jesus Christ.

First Christian Church is a Stephen Ministry Congregation
Stephen Ministry is a one-to-one caring ministry where trained lay caregivers (Stephen Ministers) provide confidential, Christ-centered support to people who are hurting.
For more information, contact Laine Kephart (our Stephen Leader), the church office, or visit *stephenministries.org*.

Interested in Joining First Christian Church?
You are welcome to come forward during the Invitation Hymn in worship services or speak privately with a staff member if you prefer. No re-baptism will be required regardless of previous mode of baptism.
Contact the church office at 502-633-3345 or visit www.disciples.org to learn more about the Christian Church (Disciples of Christ).

Ways to Give:
In-Person: Place offerings in the plate or donation box at the sanctuary entrance. Envelopes are available for cash donations (please include your name and address).
Electronic Options:
Zelle: shelbyvillekyfcc@gmail.com
Website: Click "More" → "Donate"
Vanco Mobile App: Create a profile to set your gift amount, frequency, and preferred fund (general operations, building reserve, or designated offerings).
Thank you for your generosity!



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November 8, 2026

Worship Service 9 am & 11 am

Sunday School 10 am

Welcome!
We are so glad you are here and hope you feel warmly welcomed. Please ask any of our members if you have questions about your experience. You are always welcome here, and we hope you return.

Rev. Tracy Parker, Interim Senior Minister
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Jordan Lardner, Youth Director
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Sharon Lee, Music Accompanist

Veterans Sunday
Sunday Worship Service

Welcome	**Elizabeth Huling**
Prelude	**Sharon Lee**
Hymn of Praise	**"Will You Come and Follow Me"**
Call to Worship	**Elizabeth Huling**
Joys and Concerns	**Elizabeth Huling**
Morning Prayer	**Mike Crow**
A Moment of Gratitude: Honoring Our Veterans	
Special Music	**"The Call" composed by R. Vaughan Williams** **Elizabeth Huling**
Scripture	**John 14:1-14 (CEB)**
Message	**"Un-troubling Our Hearts"** **Rev. Tracy Parker**
Hymn of Invitation	**"Will You Come and Follow Me"**
Stewardship Meditation	**Rex Cox**
Offertory	**Sharon Lee**
Doxology *(Please Stand)*	**CH #47 vs. 1**
Communion Hymn *(11 am only)*	**"Will You Come and Follow Me"**
Communion Meditation	**Rev. Tracy Parker**
Communion Prayer	**Sarahbeth Farabee**
Lord's Prayer	**Mike Crow**
Benediction Song *(11 am only)*	**"Will You Come and Follow Me"**
Benediction	**Rev. Tracy Parker**
Postlude	**Sharon Lee**

Call to Worship

Leader: When the disciples were weighted down with worry,
People: Jesus assured them that they were not alone.
Leader: When the disciples were burdened by their fears,
People: Jesus calmed their troubled hearts.
Leader: When we struggle with our faith,
People: Jesus blesses us with comfort and hope.
Leader: When our world is still filled with injustice,
People: Jesus promises the Holy Spirit will blow though our lives and heal our hearts.



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.

OBSERVING COMMUNION

Communion is central to worship in Disciples churches. As part of our communion service, we observe an open table, inviting everyone to partake of the communion elements with us. The bread and the cup are taken in unison following the words of institution.

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FOR THE BREAD

"This is my body, which is broken for you.
Do this in remembrance of me."

WORDS OF INSTITUTION FOR THE CUP

"This cup is the new covenant in my blood.
Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

SCRIPTURE
Mark 8:27-38 (CEB)



14 "Don't be troubled. Trust in God. Trust also in me. **2** My
Father's house has room to spare. If that weren't the case, would
I have told you that I'm going to prepare a place for you? **3** When
I go to prepare a place for you, I will return and take you to be
with me so that where I am you will be too. **4** You know the way
to the place I'm going."
5 Thomas asked, "Lord, we don't know where you are going. How
can we know the way?"
6 Jesus answered, "I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one
comes to the Father except through me. **7** If you have really
known me, you will also know the Father. From now on you
know him and have seen him."
8 Philip said, "Lord, show us the Father; that will be enough for
us."
9 Jesus replied, "Don't you know me, Philip, even after I have
been with you all this time? Whoever has seen me has seen the
Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? **10** Don't you
believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The
words I have spoken to you I don't speak on my own. The Father
who dwells in me does his works. **11** Trust me when I say that I am
in the Father and the Father is in me, or at least believe on
account of the works themselves. **12** I assure you that whoever
believes in me will do the works that I do. They will do even
greater works than these because I am going to the Father. **13** I
will do whatever you ask for in my name, so that the Father can
be glorified in the Son. **14** When you ask me for anything in my
name, I will do it.

Our 11 am and some special services are broadcast live and recorded. By entering the sanctuary, you consent to your image and voice being captured. If you prefer not to appear on camera as a closeup let us know in advance. If you have special concerns, we will make every attempt to accommodate them.

Our 9 am service is not livestreamed

https://www.youtube.com/@DisciplesofChristShelbyville/streams