

9 a.m. Worship Service

Prelude *Were You There* arr. Pethel
Denise King, Piano ~ David Pilkinton, Organ

Call to Worship

Joys and Concerns

Morning Prayer

Message: ***Palm Sunday Presentation***

Please see “Interested in joining First Christian Church?”
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Stewardship Meditation

Doxology (please stand) #625 vs. 1

*‘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.’*

Communion Meditation

Communion Prayer

Lord’s Prayer (spoken in unison)

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.

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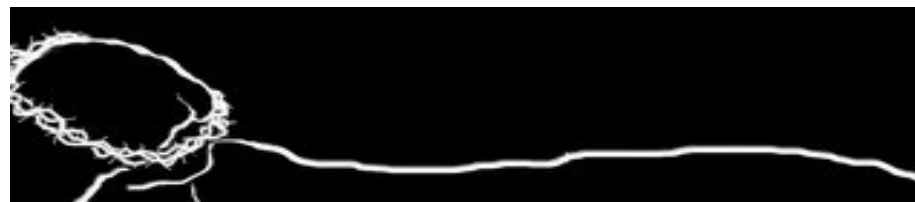
WORDS OF INSTITUTION FOR THE BREAD

“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.”

Benediction



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(Children Dismissed to Children’s Church or Youth Group)

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Stewardship Meditation

Doxology (please stand)

Communion Hymn #284 vs. 1
They’ll Know We Are Christians by Our Love

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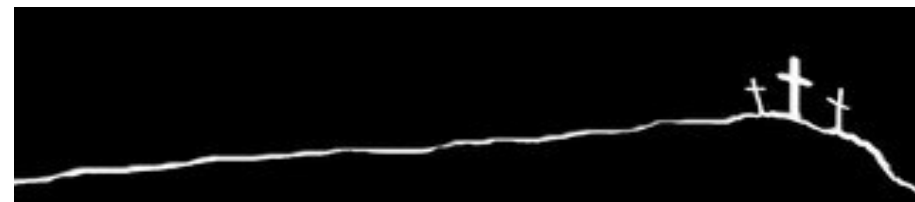
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Benediction song

Surely The Presence

Benediction



**A Dramatic Reading With Music
For Palm Sunday
“The Beginning of the Last Week of Jesus”**

*Written by: Dave Charlton
Narrators: Mary Clark & Dave Charlton*

Scripture:
The Triumphal Entry: Mark 11:1-11
Mary Dale Hipple & Howard Griffith

Hymn:
Hosanna, Loud Hosanna ~ #174 vs. 1, 3
Congregation

Scripture:
Jesus Cleanses the Temple: Matthew 21:12-17
Noah Lardner

Hymn:
All Creatures of Our God and King
Sarahbeth Farabee & Stanton Garr

Scripture:
The Greatest Commandment: Mark 12:28-31
Lillian Lardner

Scripture:
The Last Supper: Matthew 26:17-30
Wyatt Sanford

Scripture:
***Jesus Goes to the Garden of Gethsemane:
Matthew 26:36-46***
Jillian Sanford

Hymn:
In the Garden
Dave Charlton, Guitar

Scripture:
***The Trial, Crucifixion, Death, and Burial of Jesus:
John 18:33-37, 18:33-37, 19:16-24***
Kim Arrington, Mike Coleman, & Pat Yeager

Special Music:
Watch the Lamb
Neil Hackworth, Soloist ~ Denise King, Piano
Via Dolorosa
Jordan Lardner, Soloist ~ David Pilkinton, Piano

Scripture:
John 19:28-30, 19:38-42
Sally McClain

Special Music:
Jesus Paid it all with Amazing Grace
Kim McGowen & Tami McGowen

*If you were visiting with us today, we are so glad you were here,
and we hope we welcomed you warmly. Please feel free to ask
either the senior pastor as you leave or any one of our membership
if you have any questions about your experience today. We want
you to know you are welcome here, and we want you to return.
Please don’t hesitate to tell us your needs.*

Welcome!

We are delighted you are worshipping with us today. If you have any questions about our church, you may speak with a member of our staff, who will be glad to help you. We have informational brochures at the Welcome Center in the foyer.

You may also find more information on our website, www.shelbyvillefirstchristianchurch.com.

If you have further questions, you may contact the church office at 502-633-3345 or by email at fccshelbyville@gmail.com.

Please fill out our 'New Visitors Card' and leave in the donation box. We can add you to our email list so you may begin to receive updates on upcoming events here in the church and our community.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

On Monday, **March 25, 2024**, at **12:00 p.m.**, Dave will conclude his Lenten lunchtime study. This year we are studying world religions. Please feel free to bring a sack lunch and join us for this enlightening fellowship opportunity. We hope to see you there!

The Outreach Committee will meet on Tuesday, **March 26, 2024**, at **6:30 p.m.** New members are always welcome. Please contact Kim Arrington if you have any questions or for more information.

On Thursday, **March 28, 2024**, at **7:00 p.m.**, we will celebrate Maundy Thursday, honoring the Last Supper of Jesus Christ with the Apostles. The Nurture Committee will present the Tableau, (Reenactment of the Lord's Supper) This will be presented at the conclusion of the service. We would love for you to join us for this truly moving service.

We will hold our annual Prayer Vigil on Thursday, **March 28, 2024**, and Friday, **March 29, 2024**. A sign-up sheet is posted on the bulletin board with times still available for individual prayer if you are interested in participating.

We will be commemorating the resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ on Sunday, **March 31, 2024**. The Easter Sunrise Service will begin at 7:30 a.m. followed by the Sunrise Breakfast at 8:30 a.m. Sunday school will start at 10:00 a.m., and the Worship Service will begin at 11:00 a.m. If you are interested in attending the Sunrise Breakfast, which is free of charge, kindly sign up on the sheet that has been posted on the bulletin board in the foyer.

Interested in joining First Christian Church?

You can join our church during the Invitation Hymn in the worship services by coming to the front of the sanctuary, where you will be welcomed. Recognizing not everyone is comfortable with "coming forward", you may express your desire for membership to a member of the church staff, who will welcome you into membership in our congregation. If you are already baptized, regardless of the mode of baptism, you will not be required to be baptized again. Please contact the church office at 502-633-3345 if you have any questions or would like additional information. To learn more about the First Christian Church (Disciples of Christ), please visit www.disciples.org.

2023-2024 ELDERS

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- S** Kenneth Yeager - 2025 (502) 432-3928
- T-Z** Fielding Ballard - 2025 (502) 321-4476

PRAYER CONCERNS

FCC Family:

The family of Nellie Nation, Susan Beagle, Dave and Shirley Blair, Sue Brewer (Pat King's & Waneta Wright's sister), Betty and Carroll Cunningham, Jim Fegenbush, Faun Fishback, Emmy Houweling, Rob Hutchinson, Marsha James, Harriet Jennings, Bessie Langley, Lois Lenz, Beth Ann Likes, Holly Likes, Annie Long, J.R. Long, Ida Lyons, James Ray Morgan, Allen Ricketts, Marty Shaver, Elizabeth Slucher, Lonnie Stivers, Debbie Stover, Adell Talbott, Eloise Terhune, Mary Joe Wright, Vickie Wright, and Waneta Wright.

FCC Friends:

Libby Bartlett, Annie Bishop, Randall Bohannon, Greg Bryne and Peggy Kannapel, Bradley Carew, Don Carpenter, Jr., Glenda Chandler, Aaron and Laney Charlton (Dave's nephew and niece), Ann Cook, Betty Cordrey, Kerry Crittendon, Elaine Davey, Leonard Davis, Jo Ann DeWitt (Dave Charlton's mom), Michael Glass, Sharon Grayson, Barbara Greene, Anneke Hanzes, Paula Hermann, Tommy Hower, Bill and Linda Keech, Dave Kerchner, Roy Kidd, Phil King (Pat King's son), Anna Kuhl, Brett Lafferty, Ted Lahey, Jerry Leismer, Cheryl Long, Jeananne Martin, Andy Mayer, Carmen Mayer, Jean McCollam (Bill Stover's sister), Kristen McCoy, Elizabeth McNeirney, Adriane Murphy, Jennifer Nethery, Nancy Parker, Ruth Pearce, Shane Pollack, Jim Reeves, Larry Roach, Cindy Sanders, Jennifer Seymour, Tamyra Sing, Oscar Rocky Smith, Norma and M.R. Smither, Karen Stewart, Kenny Stivers, Bobbie Stough (Tanya Charlton's mom), Bob Strong, Roy Strong, Bo Sweeney (Henrietta Hardin's cousin), Curtis Tindle (friend of Don Carpenter), Sean Tracey, Susan Truesdale, Pamela Washington, and Charles Wheatley.



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March 24, 2024

Early Worship Service 9 a.m.

Sunday School 10 a.m.

Worship Service 11 a.m.

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